



## Proposed Regulation Revision R130-22 Summary of Public Workshop

**Date:** November 30, 2023

**Time:** 8:30am-9:30pm

### **Locations:**

- Bryan Building  
901 S. Stewart Street (Great Basin Conference Room)  
Carson City, NV 89701
- NDEP Office  
375 E. Warm Springs Road, Ste. 200 (Red Rock Conference Room)  
Las Vegas, NV 89119
- Virtually via MS Teams application

### **Participants:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Organization</b>
Jen Berkebile	Affiliation unknown
Kelli Burges	Truckee Meadows Water Authority
Kai Chung	Las Vegas Valley Water District
Kyle Dimpel	Las Vegas Valley Water District
Amy Eady	PACE Analytical Services
Carolyn Faircloth	Las Vegas Valley Water District
Justin Hanks	Las Vegas Valley Water District
Laurie Jegaden	Borman Specialty Materials Laboratory
Michael Perry	Southern Nevada Water Authority
Bill Reaves	Eurofins Environmental Testing
Belinda Vega	BSK Associates
Andrea Seifert	NDEP – Bureau of Safe Drinking Water
Jasmine Curiel	NDEP – Bureau of Safe Drinking Water
Michael Antoine	NDEP – Bureau of Safe Drinking Water
Corinne Hasenau	NDEP – Bureau of Safe Drinking Water
Karl McCrea	NDEP – Bureau of Mining Regulation and Reclamation
Stephanie Pearley	NDEP – Bureau of Safe Drinking Water (LV)
Savannah Hash	NDEP – Bureau of Safe Drinking Water

## Summary:

- 1) Michael Antoine (Michael) started the Public Workshop (Workshop) by reviewing the agenda, which included the following topics: list of Bureau of Safe Drinking Water (BSDW) Laboratory Certification Program (LCP) staff, ways for the public to participate and comment on the regulation revisions, review how regulations are created/revised, role of the State Environmental Commission (SEC), the need for an LCP fee increase, NAC 445A.066 changes, NAC 445A.54296 changes, NAC 459.96986 changes, a summary of proposed revisions, general cleanup revisions, public comments and questions, and end of Workshop.
- 2) Michael presented the need for an LCP fee increase, owing to the reality that the last LCP fee increase was in 2004, with a subsequent cumulative price increase of 61%. Michael then delineated the fee increases proposed in R130-22, which included a 40% increase in the annual application fee for certification year 2023, a 40 % increase in the annual method/analyte certification fees for certification year 2024, new fees for Cyanobacteria analyses, new fees for the Nevada Mining Laboratory Approval Program, a 15% over previous year fee increases for 2025, a 10% increase over previous year increase for years 2026-2077, a 5% increase in 2028, and an optional 3% increase to annual fees each year thereafter, at the discretion of the DCNR Director.
- 3) Michael then presented proposed additions and deletions section by section for NAC 445A.066 (Clean Water Act and Mining analyses fees), NAC 445A.54296 (Safe Drinking Water analyses fees), 459.96986 (Resource Conservation and Recovery Act analyses fees), and concluded with a summary of the proposed revisions and a section-by-section summary of the general clean-up of NAC 445A.
- 4) There were no members of the public present in person and one question asked by an on-line attendee, Bill Reaves – Eurofins Environmental Testing, inquiring as to the availability of the presentation slides. Mr. Reaves was informed that the slides would be posted to the NDEP web page within an hour of the conclusion of the workshop or via email from any Lab Cert personnel. Jasmine Curiel asked for additional questions (there were none) and Andrea Siefert reminded participants to email questions or comments in support or opposition to the proposed regulation before the December 5, 2023, SEC hearing.

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