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Dawn Wilson  
Administrative Law Judge  
Natural Resources Commission, Division of Hearings  
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Re: LSA Document #18-508/ Economic Impact Statement

Ms. Wilson,

Pursuant to Indiana Code 4-22, as the Small Business Ombudsman, I have reviewed the economic impact analysis for small business associated with the rule changes contained in LSA Document #18-508 proposed by the Natural Resources Commission, Division of Hearings.

Based on my assessment as the Small Business Ombudsman, I have concluded that the proposed rule will not impose an additional burden on small businesses in Indiana.

The economic impact statement prepared by the Natural Resources Commission, Division of Hearings states, "There is no reporting, record keeping or administrative costs imposed on small businesses as a result of this rule."

Based upon this statement and review, the Small Business Ombudsman supports the proposed rule related to the economic impact to small business if the Natural Resources Commission, Division of Hearings conclusion reflects the actual result after promulgation. If you have any questions about these comments, please contact me at [KColclazier@iedc.IN.gov](mailto:KColclazier@iedc.IN.gov).

Sincerely,

Katelyn Colclazier  
Small Business Ombudsman