Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Notice of Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation Application General Permit Authorization No. TXG921080

Application. Caprock Dairy, LLC, 160 County Road 50, Muleshoe, Texas 79347 has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) under General Permit No. TXG920000 for a non-substantial change to the terms of the nutrient management plan (NMP) previously submitted to the TCEQ. The CAFO is proposing to rename and reduce the acreage of land management unit (LMU) #7 from LMU #7 - 85 acres to LMU #7DL - 68 acres, update the LMU map to show each LMU acreage, not based on field splits consistent with cropping plans as previously represented, close the previously authorized Retention Control Structure (RCS) #3, construct new RCS #3B, and construct new pens in the former calf hutch and RCS #3 area. The notice of change application and the updated NMP were received by the TCEQ on March 9, 2015. No discharge of pollutants into the waters in the state is authorized by this general permit except under chronic or catastrophic rainfall conditions or events. All waste and wastewater will be beneficially used on agricultural land.

The facility is located at 160 County Road 50, near the City of Muleshoe, Lamb County, Texas. The facility is located in the drainage area of the Double Mountain Fork Brazos River in Segment No. 1241 of the Brazos River Basin.

The Executive Director of the TCEQ has approved the proposed non-substantial change to the terms of the NMP. The revised terms of the NMP have been included in the permit record and it is available at the TCEQ's Central Records, 12100 Park 35 Circle Austin, TX 78753.

Information. For additional information about this application, contact Joy Alabi at (512)239-1318. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.texas.gov/.

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