Section 15. Plain Language Summary (Instructions Page 40)

If you are subject to the alternative language notice requirements in 30 Texas Administrative Code §39.426, you must provide a translated copy of the completed plain language summary in the appropriate alternative language as part of your application package. For your convenience, a Spanish template has been provided below.

ENGLISH TEMPLATE FOR TPDES or TLAP NEW/RENEWAL/AMENDMENT APPLICATIONS

DOMESTIC WASTEWATER

The following summary is provided for this pending water quality permit application being reviewed by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality as required by 30 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 39. The information provided in this summary may change during the technical review of the application and are not federal enforceable representations of the permit application. City of Muleshoe (CN600339790) operates Muleshoe wastewater treatment plant (RN1013971571) an activated sludge treatment process using the extended aeration mode. The facility is located approximately 1.5 miles south of the intersection of Hwy 214 and Hwy 84, in Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas 79437.

Application request is for standard renewal of existing water quality permit. This permit will not authorize a discharge of pollutants into water in the state.

Discharges from the facility are expected to contain BOD, pH, and Total Suspended Solids. Domestic wastewater is treated by an activated sludge treatment process operating in the extended aeration mode. Treatment units include bar screen, oxidation ditch, final clarifiers, and chlorine contact chambers for outfall 001 only. The facility includes three storage ponds with a total capacity of 48 acre-feet for storage of treated effluent prior to irrigation.