

Plain Language Summary Template and Instructions for Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) and Texas Land Application (TLAP) Permit Applications

This template is a guide to assist applicant's in developing a plain language summary as required by [30 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 39 Subchapter H](#). Applicant's may modify the template as necessary to accurately describe their facility as long as the summary includes the following information: (1) the function of the proposed plant or facility; (2) the expected output of the proposed plant or facility; (3) the expected pollutants that may be emitted or discharged by the proposed plant or facility; and (4) how the applicant will control those pollutants, so that the proposed plant will not have an adverse impact on human health or the environment.

Fill in the highlighted areas below to describe your facility and application in plain language. Instructions and examples are provided below. Make any other edits necessary to improve readability or grammar and to comply with the rule requirements.

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 INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATER/STORMWATER

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.

Foremark Performance Chemicals, Inc. (CN605379981) operates Foremark Performance Chemicals RN100897362 a filters and softeners. The treated water is used in the boilers, cooling towers, reactors and for domestic use in all restrooms and break rooms. The facility is located at 12511 Strang Rd, in La Porte, Harris County, Texas 77571.

This application is for renewal to discharge a volume not to exceed a daily average flow of 0.600 million gallons per day of treated wastewater via outfall.

Discharges from the facility are expected to contain five-day carbonaceous biochemical oxygen demand (CBOD₅) total suspended solids (TSS), ammonia nitrogen (NH₃-N) and *Enterococci*. Additional potential pollutants are included in the Industrial Wastewater Application Technical Report, Worksheet 2.0. Industrial wastewater is treated by filters and softeners. Filter blowdown is discharged to outfall 001. The treated water is used in the boilers, cooling towers, reactors and for domestic use in all restrooms and break rooms.

PLANTILLA EN ESPAÑOL PARA SOLICITUDES NUEVAS/RENOVACIONES/ENMIENDAS DE TPDES o TLAP

AGUAS RESIDUALES INDUSTRIALES/AGUAS PLUVIALES

El siguiente resumen se proporciona para esta solicitud de permiso de calidad del agua pendiente que está siendo revisada por la Comisión de Calidad Ambiental de Texas según lo

