

Overview Review Procedure for EMISSION REDUCTION CREDIT (ERC) USE per 45CSR28

* Currently, ALL such protocols are considered to be "new" or "alternate".
All protocols must be submitted at least 30 days PRIOR to the Notice of ERC Generation

Submit Application for New or Alternate Quantification Protocol *

Submit Notice of ERC Use or Retirement

TIMELINES

At least 30 days PRIOR to Submission of Notice of ERC Use to DAQ & US EPA Region III

Prospective Registrant to:

Publish Class I Legal Ad

If proposed ERC use is within 100 km of a Class I area, send Notice to Federal Land Manager

60-day DAQ Review

Emissions Inventory Planning (SIPs, other issues)
Permitting (NSR, Title V)
Enforcement
Regional Office

DAQ Review for Completeness

Is Notice Complete?

Send Letter of Incompleteness (Not Eligible for ERC Registration)

Send Letter of Completeness

Log ERCs into Emission Trading Registry within 5 Business days of determination of a complete Notice

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