

Intergovernmental Consultation



ERO 019-6928 – Streamlining environmental permissions for stormwater management under the Environmental Activity and Sector Registry (EASR)

Ministry/Department

Ministry of the Environment, Conservation, and Parks

Consultation Deadline

Monday, October 30, 2023

Summary

The EASR is a self-registration system that allows businesses engaging in routine environmental activities listed under *O.Reg 351/12* to register with the ministry rather than applying for an Environmental Compliance Approval. The Ministry is proposing to allow owners of certain stormwater management works to register on the EASR. The Ministry is also proposing amendments to two regulations to introduce exemptions from approval requirements for some stormwater management works, and to limit the policies required in source protection plans where risk is being managed through registration in the EASR.

Proposed Form of Input

Staff may prepare a letter for submission to the Environmental Registry of Ontario as part of this consultation process.

Rationale

The City of Guelph has an interest in providing feedback on regulatory requirements related to stormwater management.

Lead

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Link to Ministry Website

<https://ero.ontario.ca/notice/019-6928>

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