

**Title 10—DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
Division 20—Clean Water Commission  
Chapter 9—Treatment Plant Operations**

**IN ADDITION  
NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF RULE**

**10 CSR 20-9.030(4)(B) Certification of Wastewater Operators**

*ACTION TAKEN: This NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF RULE 10 CSR 20-9.030(4)(B) applies to the entirety of subsection (B) for wastewater operators whose certifications otherwise would expire during the suspension of this rule. 10 CSR 20-9.030(4)(B) requires that before a certificate will be renewed, the wastewater operator must submit suitable documentation that no fewer than thirty hours of department-approved renewal training were completed. Certification classes have been cancelled and postponed due to social-distancing requirements related to the COVID-19 emergency, and many professionals cannot obtain the minimum training hours during this emergency despite their best efforts. This temporary suspension will allow certified wastewater operators to renew their certificates without obtaining the minimum amount of renewal training that otherwise would be required so they can continue providing professional services for wastewater treatment systems.*

*EMERGENCY STATEMENT: Pursuant to Executive Orders (EOs) 20-04 dated March 18, 2020, and EO 20-09 dated April 24, 2020, the rule is suspended effective April 30, 2020 until June 15, 2020.*

*This in addition notice will appear in the June 1, 2020 issue of the Missouri Register.*