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MEMORANDUM

To: Members of the Environmental Review Commission
From: Jennifer Mundt, Commission Analyst
Re: Reports to the Commission

The following reports have been submitted by the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) to the Environmental Review Commission (Commission) since the last reports distribution on 11 June 2007. These reports are designated as a read only and are attached to this memorandum:

- 1) Report by the Community Conservation Assistance Program Advisory Committee on the findings of its program review. 31 March 2007. Authority: S.L. 2006-78, Sec. 5.
- 2) Final report on the costs and benefits of reducing emissions of NOx, particulate matter, and greenhouse gases from motor vehicles in the State and consideration of standards adopted in other states. 1 April 2007. Authority: S.L. 2006-248, Sec. 43.
- 3) Annual report on the cost of implementing the Mining Act of 1971. 1 September 2007. Statutory Authority: G.S. 74-54.1(c).
- 4) Annual report by the Department of Transportation on the development and implementation of a plan to reduce vehicle miles traveled by State employees and private sector employees and related vehicle emissions resulting from job-related travel, including commuting to and from work. 1 October 2006. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143.215.107C(d) and G.S. 143.215.107C(e).

The following reports have been submitted by the Environmental Management Commission (EMC) to the Commission and will be distributed in connection with today's **Agenda Item #4**:

- 1) Quarterly report by the EMC as to its operations, activities, programs, and progress during the previous quarter. 15 April 2007. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143B-282(b).
- 2) Quarterly report by the EMC as to its operations, activities, programs, and progress during the previous quarter. 15 July 2007. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143B-282(b).

- 3) Quarterly report by the EMC as to its operations, activities, programs, and progress during the previous quarter. 15 October 2007. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143B-282(b).

The following reports have been submitted by the Department of Environment and Natural Resources to the Commission and will be distributed in connection with today's agenda as follows:

- 1) Annual report on the implementation of stormwater rules and programs. 1 October 2007. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143-214.7(e). ***Agenda Item #5***
- 2) Annual report on implementation of the Sedimentation Pollution Control Act of 1973. 1 October 2007. Statutory Authority: G.S. 113A-67. ***Agenda Item #6***
- 3) Annual report on the progress of water supply planning. 1 September 2007. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143-355(n). ***Agenda Item #7***
- 4) Annual report by the Drought Management Advisory Council, including a review of drought advisories issued by the Council and any recommendations to improve coordination among local, State, and federal agencies; public water systems; and water users to improve the management and mitigation of the harmful effects of drought. 1 October 2007. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143-355.1(g). ***Agenda Item #7***

The following reports have been received since the last reports distribution on 11 June 2007 and are being held for distribution either as read-only or for presentation at a future meeting of the Commission. If you would like a copy of one of these reports in advance of the next meeting, please contact Jennifer Mundt at (919) 733-2578 or jennifermu@ncleg.net for assistance.

- 1) *Final Report on the Costs and Benefits of Reducing Emissions of Oxides of Nitrogen, Particulate Matter, and Greenhouse Gases from Motor Vehicles in this State.* 1 April 2007. Authority: S.L. 2006-248, Sec. 43.
- 2) *Annual Report on the Implementation of S.L. 2002-4 (Clean Smokestacks Act).* 1 June 2007. Authority: S.L. 2002-4, Sec. 14.
- 3) *Annual report on the Parks and Recreation Trust Fund, Fiscal Year 2006-2007.* 1 October. Statutory Authority: G.S. 113-44.15(c).
- 4) *Semi-Annual Report on the Pilot Program for Inspection of Animal Waste Management Systems.* 15 April 2007. Authority: S.L. 2003-340, Sec. 6.2.
- 5) *Annual Report and Recommendations on the One-Stop Permit Assistance Program.* 1 October 2006. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143B-279.12.
- 6) *Annual Report on Litter Enforcement, Prevention, and Removal Efforts.* 1 March 2007. S.L. 2006-79, Sec. 15.
- 7) *2006 Annual Report NC Million Acre Initiative.* 1 October 2007. Statutory Authority: G.S. 113A-241(c))

Please contact George Givens, Jeff Hudson, Jennifer McGinnis, Jennifer Mundt, or Mariah Matheson at (919) 733-2578 if you have any questions or comments.
