

STIPULATION OF PERMIT ACCEPTANCE

(Example Format)

In recognition of the fact that the facility owned by

Enter Name of Current Permittee
Enter Parent Company Mailing Address
Enter Facility Location Address if Different

was purchased by **New Permittee Name** on **Enter Purchase Date**, this statement is made to the Department of Natural Resources by the purchaser, **New Permittee Name**, who hereby acknowledges receipt of a copy and familiarity with the terms and conditions of WPDES Permit No. WI-0000000-00, issued by the Department to **Enter Name of Current Permittee** on **Enter Date Permit Issued**, pursuant to ch. 283, Wis. Stats.

The purchaser, **New Permittee Name**, hereby accepts the terms and conditions of the permit, and agrees to comply with the permit until such time as the Department modifies the permit to reflect the change in ownership, and any process changes that may be made by the new owner.

The effective date of this agreement is the date of purchase.

Signature of "New Owner"

Signature of "Previous Owner"

Name and Title (Please Print)

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Date

Date

Note the following two permit modification scenarios for a change in ownership:

(a) The only changes to the current permit are a new owner and name change

The Department can make the change in ownership without a public notice permit modification, in accordance with s. NR 203.015(4), Wis. Adm. Code. The new owner must submit a "short application" consisting of the pages of Form 3400-178 with the facility information (Part 1) and signature (Part III), along with a copy of a "Stipulation of Permit Acceptance". The Department will make the name change to our records and modify the permit with the new name. The same permit terms and conditions remain in effect as in the old permit.

(b) The new owner proposes to make process or production changes

This may likely necessitate a change in the permit requirements. The new owner must submit a WPDES permit reissuance application by completing all of Form 3400-178, along with a copy of a "Stipulation of Permit Acceptance". The new owner operates in the interim under the terms of the old permit, but may not proceed with any new or increased discharges until the permit is formally modified to reflect the changes.