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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE NECESSARY FOR TAXATION EXEMPTION REDUCING OR ELIMINATING WATER POLLUTION

1. General Instructions and Definitions

In order to qualify for certificate of ad valorem taxation exemption for reducing or eliminating water pollution, under O.C.C.A § 48-5-41(a)(11), the machinery must at minimum be a component of a 'Sewerage System' or of 'Wastewater Treatment Facilities,' as defined in the Georgia Rules and Regulations for Water Quality Control 391-3-6-.02(2), or be an approved component of a groundwater remediation project.

Sewerage System means any system for the treatment or disposal of pollutants, including treatment works, pipe lines or conduits, pumping stations and force mains, and all other constructions, devices, and appliances appurtenant thereto, used for conducting pollutants to the point of ultimate disposal.

Wastewater Treatment Facilities means any device or system (including recycling and reclamation) used in the treatment of sewage or other waterborne waste or pollutants.

The term 'machinery' or 'equipment' does not apply to chemicals used in the treatment of wastewater. It should be noted that a taxation exemption only applies to equipment and machinery that serves as its primary function the role of reducing or eliminating water pollution. Machinery and equipment that has been installed to primarily recycle water or wastewater for process or manufacturing purposes does not qualify for an exemption.

2. Current Water Quality Permitting Status

a. Facility Name: _____

b. Facility Address: _____

c. Does the facility currently have one of the following permits:

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|--|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| I. National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| II. Land Application System (LAS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| III. State Issued Industrial Pretreatment Permit | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| IV. Locally Issued Industrial Pretreatment Permit | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

d. If yes to c.I.-IV, please list the Permit Number: _____, date of issuance: _____, and date of termination, if any: _____

e. If yes to c.IV please list the Municipality of Issuance: _____

f. Equipment / machinery is associated with a groundwater remediation plan / project.

If yes please indicate name and location of the project: _____

g. What is the Permit status of the Machinery for which the tax exemption is requested (check applicable box)?

- Already approved as a component of the plan / project review* and permitting process.
- Included in pending application*. List the type of application and filing date: _____

* Please indicate reviewing engineer and department / program: _____

h. Technical Contact who is knowledgeable of the Water Pollution Control Equipment:

Name:

Title:

Phone:

E-mail:

3. Water Pollution Control Equipment Information: Each piece of machinery for which a taxation exemption is being requested must be listed, using the format in the attached spreadsheet. Additional pages may be used as necessary.

WPCE Type: Indicate the general type of water pollution control equipment (examples: clarifier, aerator, dissolved air flotation unit, equalization basin, influent pump, gas chlorinator)

WPCE Construction Date: This should be the date the WPCE was constructed or installed at the facility.

WPCE Function: Describe the function of the equipment—how does this item reduce or eliminate water pollution.

Does Machinery Have Purpose Other than WPCE? Indicate “Yes” or “No” as to whether or not this machinery has any purpose other than water pollution control? If “yes”, please explain on an attached sheet.

Cost: Value assessed for property taxation purposes.

Process Flow Diagram included: Please attach a process flow diagram that includes the WPCE.

Previous Applications Year: If previous taxation exemption applications have been submitted for the same equipment, please provide the application year.

Notes:

For questions regarding industrial and pretreatment contact Whitney Fenwick, Permitting Program Manager– 470-607-3078 or whitney.fenwick@dnr.ga.gov . For municipal related questions contact Benoit Causse, Municipal Permitting Unit – 470-938-3353 or benoit.causse@dnr.ga.gov.

Application Submitted By : _____(Signature) _____ (Date)

_____ (Print Name)

_____ (Title)

_____ (E-mail)

_____ (Phone)

**Submit to: Mr. John Eunice
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Facility Name:

Date of Application:

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL EQUIPMENT (WPCE) - GENERAL EQUIPMENT INFORMATION

Asset Number	WPCE Type	WPCE Construction Date	WPCE Function	Date APCE Installed	Does Machinery Have Purposes Other than WPCE?	Cost	Process Flow Diagram included?	Previous Application Year