**Quarterly Webinar Series** 

October 30, 2024

# Agenda

- Federal Advisory Committee (FACA) e-Manifest Advisory Board Updates
- Upcoming Manifest Requirements
- Updated/Revisions to FAQs including PCB FAQs
- Q&A

# **FACA UPDATE 1:** Recap of September 17-18, 2024, e-Manifest Advisory Board Public Meeting

### e-Manifest

- e-Manifest Advisory Board met for a two (2) day virtual public meeting on September 17-18, 2024.
- The meeting theme was "Meeting the Needs of the User Community: e-Manifest Program Priorities and User Fees for FY 2026 and 2027".
- All meeting background materials are currently available in the public docket at www.regulations.gov under docket number EPA-HQ-OLEM-2024-0307:.
- The final meeting minutes be available in the public docket 90 days after the close of the public meeting. The meeting minutes will constitute the e-Manifest Advisory Board's advice provided to EPA during the public meeting.
- Next step: the Agency is currently waiting on the Boards recommendations from this public meeting. Once the recommendations are posted the Agency will review the recommendations and subsequently respond to them.

# e-Manifest Third Rule Compliance Dates

#### e-Manifest

- There are 2 important dates.
  - 1. **January 22, 2025** rule effective date (6 months from when the rule was published in the Federal Register)
  - 2. **December 1, 2025** delayed compliance date for changes that require e-Manifest system updates.
- All requirements will become effective at one of the two dates.
- Changes marked with the symbol will go into effect in January 2025.



# Effective January 22, 2025

- LQGs and SGGs must register for e-Manifest
- Users required to make post-receipt manifest corrections
- Removal of the requirement for RCRA receiving facilities to provide final manifests to LQGs and SQGs
- Adjustment to submission timeframe for manifest-related reports
- Form changes
  - 4-copy manifest
  - International shipments field
- Conforming changes to TSCA/PCB manifest requirements



# Mandatory SQG/LQG Registration

- Head to <a href="https://rcrainfo.epa.gov">https://rcrainfo.epa.gov</a>
- Sign up and request site access
  - How to register video
- SQGs and LQGs must have at least one user with e-Manifest access
  - Certifier (in the e-Manifest module) or Site Manager access is required to submit the manifest-related reports and make data corrections
- VSQGs and PCB-exclusive generators are not required to register

# Effective December 1, 2025

- Requirement to submit manifest-related reports through e-Manifest system
  - Exception
  - Discrepancy
  - Unmanifested waste
- Requirement for exporters to submit export manifests to e-Manifest and pay user fee

# Revised/New FAQs

- We have posted new FAQs to the e-Manifest FAQ webpage to reflect changes to the manifest requirements finalized in the e-Manifest Third Final Rule
- We have also posted new FAQs for PCB generators registering for access to e-Manifest
- Some of the new posted FAQs include:
  - Discussion regarding the 4-copy manifest forms and continued use of 5-copy manifest forms after January 22, 2025
  - Record retention policies for PCB wastes tracked with the RCRA manifest
  - Applicability of the manifest to non-TSCA PCB waste/state-regulated PCB wastes

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### Contact Info and Useful Links

- Help desk: (833) 501-6826
- Subscribe to our e-Manifest Bulletin:
  <a href="https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/USEPAORCR/subscriber/new">https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/USEPAORCR/subscriber/new</a>
- e-Manifest Program website: <a href="https://www.epa.gov/e-Manifest">https://www.epa.gov/e-Manifest</a>
  - FAQs: <a href="https://www.epa.gov/e-manifest/frequent-questions-about-e-manifest">https://www.epa.gov/e-manifest/frequent-questions-about-e-manifest</a>
  - Webinars: <a href="https://www.epa.gov/e-manifest/monthly-webinars-about-hazardous-waste-electronic-manifest-e-manifest">https://www.epa.gov/e-manifest/monthly-webinars-about-hazardous-waste-electronic-manifest-e-manifest</a>
- GitHub Repository: <a href="https://github.com/USEPA/e-manifest">https://github.com/USEPA/e-manifest</a>

# Q & A

Please enter any questions into the chat.

