

**National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
Notice Date: 7/11/2013**

The Iowa Department of Natural Resources is proposing to amend an NPDES (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System) permit for the discharges described below:

DISCHARGER NAME AND ADDRESS:

HACH COMPANY
100 DAYTON AVENUE
AMES, IA 50010

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STORY CO.
HEALTH DEPT.

LOCATION: Township 83N Range 23W Section 06 County: STORY

DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGES

Discharge consists of non-contact cooling water only.

PURPOSE OF THIS AMENDMENT:

To extend the date for achieving compliance with the final effluent limits for iron from March 1, 2014 to September 1, 2014 to coincide with the installation of a closed-loop cooling system. Installation of this system will eliminate the discharge of all pollutants, not only iron, to the South Skunk River.

Anyone wishing to comment on or object to the proposed issuance of this permit amendment must do so in writing within forty-five (45) days of the date shown at the top of this notice. All comments received will be considered in the final determination. If no objections are received within forty-five (45) days, the Department will issue a final permit. You may request the Department hold a public hearing by submitting a written request stating specific reasons why a hearing should be held.

Comments, objections, and requests for hearings may be submitted online using the Wastewater Permit Information Exchange system at <https://programs.iowadnr.gov/wwpie/>. Comments, objections, and requests for hearings may also be addressed to the: Iowa Department of Natural Resources, Environmental Services Division, NPDES Section, 502 East 9th Street, Des Moines, IA 50319.

Copies of the proposed permit and other information may be viewed on the Wastewater Permit Information Exchange system at <https://programs.iowadnr.gov/wwpie/>. This information is also on file and available for public inspection from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM Monday through Friday at the above address. In addition, copies of this information may be requested by calling Steve Williams at 515-281-8884 or E-mail at steve.williams@dnr.iowa.gov.