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# Clean Air Act Judicial/Administrative Litigation Developments/2024-2025: October 9th Arkansas Environmental Federation Convention Presentation

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I undertook a presentation at the Arkansas Environmental Federation Convention in Hot Springs on October 9th titled:

*Clean Air Act Judicial/Administrative Litigation Developments: 2024-2025.*

The presentation addressed a variety of federal and state air judicial decisions, air administrative decisions, filed judicial/administrative actions, environmental criminal enforcement, and Arkansas air enforcement/violations that have arisen over the last 12 months.

Topics addressed included:

- **PSD/Clean Air Act: Texas Supreme Court Addresses "BACT"**
- **Colorado SIP Language/Commencement of Operation: Center for Biological Diversity v. EPA**
- **Clean Air Act/Copper Mine: Center for Biological Diversity and Other Organizations Challenge Arizona Department of Environmental Quality Issued Air Permit**
- **New Source Review/Clean Air Act: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Guidance Addressing "Begin Actual Construction"**
- **New Source Review/Clean Air Act: U.S. Senator Markey Letter to U.S. EPA Questioning "Begin Actual Construction" Guidance**
- **Clean Air Act Citizen Suit Activity: Will, and Has, Spiked During Trump Administration**
- **Citizen Suit Enforcement**
- **Citizen Suit Action/Clean Air Act: Southern Environmental Law Center Notice of Intent to Sue Memphis, Tennessee Data Center**
- **Citizen Suit Enforcement/Clean Air Act: Center for Biological Diversity Notice of Intent to Sue U.S. Environmental Protection Agency for Alleged Failure to Perform Nonattainment Nondiscretionary Duty**
- **Nitrogen Oxides/Clean Air Act: Center for Biological Diversity and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Enter into Consent Decree to Address National Ambient Air Quality Standards Review**
- **Citizen Suit Action/Clean Water Act: Two California Municipalities' Motion Alleges Spoilation of Laboratory Data by Environmental Organization**
- **EPA Clean Air Act Endangerment Finding/Future Litigation**
- **Title V/Clean Air Act: Center for Biological Diversity Petition to Object Filed Addressing La Paz County, Arizona Gold Mine**

- **Title V/Clean Air Act: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Order Denying Objection to Warrick County, Indiana Aluminum Production Facility Permit**
- **Louisiana Community Air Monitoring Reliability Act: Environmental Organizations File Challenge in United States District Court**
- **Environmental Criminal Enforcement/Clean Air Act: Erie, Pennsylvania Coke Manufacturing Plant Owner Guilty Plea**
- **Environmental Criminal Enforcement: Eugene, Oregon Wood Treatment Facility Operators Sentenced for Alleged Hazardous Waste/Clean Air Act Violations**
- **Common Law Action/Class Action Complaint: Washington County, Arkansas Circuit Court Action Filed Against Springdale Landfill**
- **Cryptocurrency Mine/Noise: EarthJustice Files Judicial Action Against Granbury, Texas Operation Alleging Private Nuisance**
- **Odor/Air Enforcement: Massachusetts Attorney General Files Judicial Action Against Grafton Animal Feed Dehydrator Operation**
- **Alleged Indirect Trespass/Nuisance: Southern Environmental Law Center Limestone County, Alabama Circuit Court Action Addressing Proposed Limestone Quarry/Rock Crushing Facility**
- **Arkansas Air Enforcement: Survey of Violations 2024-2025**

A copy of the presentation slides can be downloaded [here](#).