

APPENDIX S-19

Section 401 Water Quality Certification (WQC) Permit

Department of Health
Clean Water Branch

Permit Packet Includes:

1. Process Overview
2. Application Form
3. Monitoring Guidelines for Section 401 WQC Projects
4. Hawaii Administrative Rules §11-54

Approval or Permit Required: To show that construction runoff on renewable energy construction site will not violate applicable water quality standards.

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Steps	Time
1. Submit Water Quality Certification Application to State Department of Health (DOH).	
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2. DOH staff formulates and prepares tentative determinations with respect to application.	
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3. DOH publishes notice of public hearing and public comment on application.	
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4. Public submits comments to the application.	
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5. DOH issues (with conditions) or denies the certification.	365 days from Item #1

Total Time Period: 365 days

Fees	Amount	Maximum
Filing fee	\$1,000	\$1,000
Public Notice and Hearing Fees		Varies
Total Fees:	\$1,150 (minimum)	Varies (maximum)