# Air Permitting in Texas and Greenhouse Gases



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## Greenhouse Gas Permitting prior to 6/23

HB 788 authorized TCEQ to issue GHG permits
TCEQ and EPA initiate workshare program
TCEQ rules adopted March 26, 2014
TCEQ prepares to implement rules

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- Twelve applicants notified EPA to transfer to TCEQ
- SIP approval and FIP rescission were imminent
  Supreme Court decision June 23, 2014
  TCEQ has received 10 GHG applications
  EPA continues to be the issuing authority

## Cooperative efforts and looking forward

Work leading up to March 26 rulemaking

- Continuing the workshare program
- Opportunities for applicants, EPA and TCEQ to work together
- TCEQ is .....

#### Questions

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