

**DRINKING WATER QUALITY INSTITUTE
REQUEST FOR PUBLIC INPUT
FOR
PERFLUOROCTANOIC ACID**

September 22, 2016

The Drinking Water Quality Institute (DWQI) was established (Title 58:12A-20) to make recommendations including the development of maximum contaminant levels (MCLs), development of appropriate testing techniques to measure MCLs, and testing frequencies for implementation by the Drinking Water Quality Program of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection. The DWQI has developed a draft MCL recommendation for Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA).

Consistent with the DWQI [public participation process](#), the DWQI is holding a 60-day (September 22 – November 21, 2016) public comment period during which the public may submit comment on the Subcommittee Reports pertaining to the development for a recommendation for a Maximum Contaminant Level Recommendation for PFOA. Please indicate which Subcommittee report comments pertain to.

- **Health Effects Subcommittee Report:** Health-Based Maximum Contaminant Level Support Document: Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA)
- **Testing Subcommittee Report:** Report on the Development of a Practical Quantitation Level for Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA) in Drinking Water
- **Treatment Subcommittee Report:** Addendum to Appendix C: Recommendation on Perfluorinated Compound Treatment Options for Drinking Water
 - **Original Treatment Subcommittee Report:** [Appendix C: Recommendation of Perfluorinated Compound Treatment Options for Drinking Water \(2015\)](#)

Comments will be accepted until 5 pm on November 21, 2016.

ALL COMMENTS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO watersupply@dep.nj.gov

**Additional information on the DWQI can be found at:
http://www.nj.gov/dep/watersupply/g_boards_dwqi.html**