



## Memorandum

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Final NMA Comments on OSMRE's Proposed Recission of Ten-Day Notice Regulations

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Last week, the National Mining Association (NMA) filed [comments](#) in response to the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's (OSMRE) [proposed rule](#) to rescind its 2024 Ten-Day Notice (TDN) regulations. The NMA's comments supported the recission and reiterated many of our previous comments in the 2020 and 2023 rulemaking processes, including recommendations for further refinements to the TDN regulations.

Recall, OSMRE asserted that the proposed recission would streamline the process for coordination with state regulatory authorities and minimize duplicative efforts on the administration of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act (SMCRA). OSMRE also argued that the proposed rescission would align the regulations with the single, best meaning of the statutory language in SMCRA. See NMA [memorandum](#) from June 18, 2025, for more information.

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