

Agenda Item: 15-44 Request for Approval of an Interbasin Transfer Certificate for Kerr Lake Regional Water System (Quasi-Judicial)

Explanation: The Kerr Lake Regional Water System has submitted a petition for an Interbasin Transfer (IBT) certificate in order to transfer up to 14.2 million gallons per day (MGD) from the Roanoke River Basin to the Tar River, Neuse River, and Fishing Creek basins. The requested IBT certificate will increase the authorized transfer from 10 MGD (the grandfathered amount) to 14.2 MGD, calculated as a daily average of a calendar month basis. The transfer amount is based on water use projections to 2045.

Recommendation: That the Environmental Management Commission grant the Kerr Lake Regional Water System a permitted transfer amount not to exceed 14.2 MGD, calculated as a daily average of a calendar month basis.