

# TIER 2 REPORTING



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TIER 2 CHEMICAL REPORTING PROGRAM

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# HB 942

- Moves Tier 2 Program from DSHS to TCEQ, including employees
- Reduces the initial/updated reporting time-frame for ammonium nitrate storage facilities from 90 days to 72 hours
- Requires TCEQ to notify TDEM and SFMO of any ammonium nitrate storage facility report received within 72 hours
- Requires TDEM and SFMO to then notify LEPC and fire department
- Provides further inspection authority for fire departments pertaining to ammonium nitrate storage facilities (Texas Commercial Fertilizer Act. Texas Agriculture Code. Chapter 63.151. OTSC)



# New Tier 2 Program Contacts as of Sept 1, 2015

- TCEQ Critical Infrastructure Division
- 800-452-2791 (in Texas only)
- 512-239-5060
- [Tier2Help@tceq.texas.gov](mailto:Tier2Help@tceq.texas.gov) – general questions
- [T2Sdatafiles@tceq.texas.gov](mailto:T2Sdatafiles@tceq.texas.gov) – report submissions
- [www.TexasTier2.org](http://www.TexasTier2.org)



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