

period. If there is sufficient public interest, an open house meeting may be scheduled during the public comment period.

Dated: January 28, 1999.

Cary Osterhaus,

District Manager.

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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Notice of Public Information Collections Being Reviewed by the U.S. Agency for International Development; Comments Requested

SUMMARY: U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID), is making efforts to reduce the paperwork burden. USAID invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act for 1995. Comments are requested concerning: (a) whether the proposed or continuing collections of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the burden estimates; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Send comments on this information collection on or before March 5, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beverly Johnson, Bureau for Management, Office of Administrative Services, Information and Records Division, U.S. Agency for International Development, Room 2.07-106, RRB, Washington, DC, 20523, (202) 712-1365 or via e-mail bjohnson@usaid.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB No.: OMB 0412-0506.

Form No.: AID 1420-50 (12/95).

Title: Vendor Data Base (formerly known as USAID Consultant Registry Information System (ACRIS) Instruction Books for the Organization Profile.

Type of Review: Renewal of Information Collection.

PURPOSE: USAID procuring activities are required to establish bidders mailing lists to assure access to sources and to obtain meaningful competition (41 CFR

Section 1-2.205). In compliance with this requirement, USAID's Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization/Minority Resource Center has responsibility for developing and maintaining a Contractor's Index of bidders/offers capable of furnishing services for use by the USAID procuring activities. (AIDAR 719.271-2(b)(4)).

Annual Reporting Burden:

Respondents: 1,000 hours.

Total annual responses: 1,000.

Total annual hours requested: 1,000.

Dated: January 26, 1999.

Willette L. Smith,

Chief, Information and Records Division, Office of Administrative Services, Bureau for Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree in Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act Cost Recovery Action

In accordance with the Departmental Policy, 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that a Consent Decree in *United States v. Buckley & Company, et al.*, Civil Action No. 98-CV-6759 was lodged with the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania on December 30, 1998. This Consent Decree resolves the United States' claim against Buckley & Company, Somerset Strippers of Virginia, Inc., Robert Buckley, Sr. and Joseph Martosella ("Settling Defendants"), under Sections 106 and 107(a) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. §§ 9606 and 9607(a), for response costs incurred at the Strasburg Landfill Superfund Site in Newlin Township, PA. The Consent Decree requires the Settling Defendants to pay \$7.5 million, plus certain interest, in reimbursement of response costs relating to the Strasburg Landfill cleanup.

The Department of Justice will accept written comments on the proposed Consent Decree for thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice. Please address comments to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, P.O. Box 7611, Ben Franklin Station, Washington, D.C. 20044 and refer to *United States v. Buckley & Company et al.*, DOJ No. 90-11-3-962/1.

Copies of the proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of

the United States Attorney, Eastern District of Pennsylvania, 615 Chestnut Street, Suite 1250, Philadelphia, PA 19106; Region III Office of EPA, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103; and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 3rd Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005, (202) 624-0892. A copy of the proposed Consent Decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 3rd Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005. When requesting a copy of the proposed Consent Decree, please enclose a check to cover the twenty-five cents per page reproduction costs payable to the "Consent Decree Library" in the amount of \$12.00, and please reference *United States v. Buckley & Company, et al.* DOJ No. 90-11-3-962/1.

Joel M. Gross,

Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Clean Water Act

In accordance with Departmental Policy, 20 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that a consent decree that would resolve the liability of the Delaware Department of Transportation, the defendant in *United States v. State of Delaware, Department of Transportation*, Civil Action No. 98-651-RRM (D. Del.), was lodged with the United States District Court for the District of Delaware on November 23, 1998.

The proposed consent decree concerns alleged violations of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. 1311 *et seq.*, as a result of the unauthorized discharge of dredged and fill material into approximately one acre of wetlands and one-third acre of open water which are alleged to constitute "waters of the United States." The subject wetlands, located in New Castle County, Delaware, are adjacent to Naaman's Creek and are impacted by defendant's project to improve and widen Naaman's Road between Marsh Road and Foulk Road.

The consent decree permanently enjoins defendant from taking any actions, or causing others to take any actions, which result in the discharge of dredged or fill materials into waters of the United States. The consent decree further requires the defendant to pay the following amounts: (1) A \$25,000.00

civil penalty to the United States of America, and (2) a payment of \$200,000 to the Nature Conservancy, an environmental organization, with the requirement that the money shall be dedicated by the Nature Conservancy to the purchase, preservation, and/or management of wetlands in New Castle County, Delaware. In addition, the consent decree requires that defendant provide additional environmental enhancements in the Naamans Creek watershed to further mitigate the impact of storm water runoff in the Naamans Road area.

The Department of Justice will receive written comments relating to the consent decree for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this notice. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, United States Department of Justice, Attention: Steven E. Rusak, Trial Attorney, Environmental Defense Section, P.O. Box 23986, Washington, DC 20026-3986, and should refer to *United States of America v. State of Delaware, Department of Transportation*, DJ Reference No. 90-5-1-4-05201.

The proposed consent decree may be examined at the Clerk's Office, United States District Court, 844 King Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801.

Letitia J. Grishaw,

Chief, Environmental Defense Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division, United States Department of Justice.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. 9601 to 9675

Notice is hereby given that a proposed consent decree in the case of *United States versus David B. Fisher, et al.*, Civil Action No. S92-00636M, was lodged on January 25, 1999 with the United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana, South Bend Division. The proposed consent decree resolves the United States' claims against defendants Akzo Coatings, Inc. and The O'Brien Corporation for past costs incurred in connection with the Fisher Calo Chemicals Superfund Site located in LaPorte County, Indiana, in return for a total payment of \$925,000.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days

from the date of this publication, comments relating to the proposed consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530, and should refer to *United States v. David B. Fisher, et al.*, DOJ Ref. #90-11-2-549A.

The proposed consent decree may be examined at the office of the United States Attorney, 204 South Main Street, South Bend, Indiana 46601-2191; the Region 5 Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604; and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 3rd Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005, (202) 624-0892. A copy of the proposed consent decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 3rd Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005. In requesting a copy please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$4.50 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library.

Joel M. Gross,

Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Second Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order in *In Re NVF Company Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act*

Notice is hereby given that a Second Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order in *In re NVF Company*, No. 93-1020 (D. Del.), has been entered into by the United States on behalf of U.S. EPA and NVF Company, and was lodged with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware on January 21, 1999. Under the Second Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order, the United States will receive \$1.8 million plus interest with respect to the NVF Kennett Square facility in Chester County, Pennsylvania.

The Department of Justice will receive comments relating to the proposed Second Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order for 30 days following the publication of this Notice. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General of the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530, and should

refer to *In re NVF Company*, D.J. Ref. No. 90-11-2-979.

The proposed Second Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney for the District of Delaware, 1201 Market Street, Suite 1100, Chemical Bank Plaza, Wilmington, DE 19899-2046; the Region 3 Office of the United States Environmental Protection Agency, 1650 Arch St., Philadelphia, PA 19103; and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 3rd Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005 (202-624-0892). A copy of the proposed Second Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 3rd Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005. In requesting a copy of the proposed Amended Settlement Agreement, please enclose a check in the amount of \$2.00 (25 cents per page for reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library.

Joel M. Gross,

Section Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as Amended

Consistent with Departmental policy, 28 C.F.R. 50.7, 38 FR 19029, and 42 U.S.C. §9622, notice is hereby given that on January 25, 1999, a proposed consent decree in *United States v. Harry J. Smith, Jr., et al.*, Civil Action No. 99-21B, was lodged with the United States District Court for the District of Maine. The proposed Consent Decree will resolve the United States' claims under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9601 *et seq.*, on behalf of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") against defendants Harry J. Smith, Jr., Terrell L. Lord, and Lisa J. Lord relating to the Eastern Surplus Company Superfund Site ("Site") in Meddybemps, Maine. The proposed Complaint alleges that Mr. Smith is liable as a present owner, an owner at the time of disposal, an operator, and a person who accepted hazardous substances for transport to the Site under Sections 107(a)(1), (a)(2), and (a)(4) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9607(a)(1), (a)(2), and (a)(4). The