

the Region IX office of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, California 94105. A copy of this proposed Settlement Agreement may also be examined at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW 3rd Floor, Washington, DC 20005 (202) 624-0892. A copy of the proposed Settlement Agreement may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$2.50 for a copy of the Settlement Agreement (25 cents per page reproduction costs) payable to "Consent Decree Library."

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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 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that on January 13, 1999, a proposed consent decree in *United States v. Vermont American Corporation*, Civil Action No. 2:99-CV-9, was lodged with the United States District Court for the District of Vermont. This proposed consent decree resolves 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 Vermont American Corporation relating to certain response costs that have been or will be incurred at or from a Site known as the Parker Landfill Superfund Site ("Site") located in the Town of Lyndon, Vermont.

The consent decree requires the defendant to pay \$350,000 to the United States, \$150,000 to the parties constructing the cap at the Site, waive its claims against municipalities that disposed of municipal solid waste at the Site and withdraw its adverse comments to an earlier consent decree.

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. Any comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General of the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer

to *United States v. Vermont American Corporation*, D.J. Ref. 90-11-2-1120.

The proposed consent decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, 11 Elmwood Ave., Burlington, VT 05401, at the Region I office of the Environmental Protection Agency, JFK Federal Building, Boston, MA 02203-2211, and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW., 3rd Floor, Washington, DC 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, NW., 3rd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check (there is a 25 cent per page reproduction cost) in the amount of \$7.00 payable to the Consent Decree Library.

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### Immigration and Naturalization Service

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice of Information Collection Under Review; Application for Voluntary Departure Under the Family Unity Program.

The Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service has submitted the following information collection request for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The proposed information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for "sixty days" until April 20, 1999.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

- (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies' estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of this information collection:

(1) Type of Information Collection: Reinstatement without change of previously approved collection.

(2) Title of the Form/Collection: Application for Voluntary Departure Under the Family Unity Program.

(3) Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection: Form I-817. Adjudications Division, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

(4) Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract: Primary: Individuals or households. The Family Unity Program provides for the voluntary departure of the spouse and unmarried children who are not eligible for the same status as the legalized alien they are related to.

(5) An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond: 23,944 responses at 2 hours and 35 minutes (2.583) per response.

(6) An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: 61,847 annual burden hours.

If you have additional comments, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, or additional information, please contact Richard A. Sloan 202-514-3291, Director, Policy Directives and Instructions Branch, Immigration and Naturalization Service, U.S. Department of Justice, Room 5307, 425 I Street, NW., Washington, DC 20536. Additionally, comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time may also be directed to Mr. Richard A. Sloan.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW., Washington, DC 20530.