

EIS No. 010299, Final EIS, SFW, CA, Metro AirPark Habitat Conservation Plan, Issuance of an Incidental Take Permit, To Protect, Conserve and Enhance Fish, Wildlife and Plants and their Habitat, Natomas Basin, Sacramento County, CA, Wait Period Ends: September 17, 2001, Contact: Julie Concannon (503) 231-2068.

EIS No. 010300, Draft EIS, FRC, CA, Big Creek No. 4 Hydroelectric Project, Issuing New License, (FERC Project No. 2017), San Joaquin River Basin, Sierra National Forest, Fresno, Madera and Tulare Counties, CA, Comment Period Ends: October 16, 2001, Contact: John Ramer (202) 219-2833.

EIS No. 010301, Draft EIS, FTA, FL, Tampa Rail Project, Transportation Improvements, Light Rail Transit (LRT) or Diesel Multiple Unit (DMU) Vehicles, City of Tampa, Hillsborough County, FL, Comment Period Ends: October 5, 2001, Contact: Derek Robert Scott (404) 562-3524.

EIS No. 010302, Draft EIS, DOE, NM, ID, NV, Technical Area 18 (TA-18) Relocation of Capabilities and Materials at the Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL), Operational Activities Involve Research in and the Design, Development, Construction, and Application of Experiments on Nuclear Criticality, NM, NV and ID, Comment Period Ends: October 5, 2001, Contact: James J. Rose (866) 357-4345.

EIS No. 010303, Draft EIS, AFS, WA, Crystal Mountain Master Development Plan, To Provide Winter and Summer Recreational Use, Special-Use-Permit, Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest, Silver Creek Watershed, Pierce County, WA, Comment Period Ends: October 16, 2001, Contact: Larry Donovan (425) 744-3403. This document is available on the Internet at: www.fs.fed.us/r6/mbs/.

EIS No. 010304, Final EIS, AFS, OR, Mill Creek Timber Sales and Related Activities, To Implement Ecosystem Management Activities, Prospect Ranger District, Rogue River National Forest, Jackson County, OR, Wait Period Ends: September 17, 2001, Contact: Joel T. King (541) 560-3400.

Amended Notices

EIS No. 010241, Draft EIS, FHW, RI, Sakonnet River Bridge Rehabilitation or Replacement Project, Portsmouth & Tiverton, Newport County, RI, Due: October 5, 2001, Contact: Daniel J. Berman (401) 528-4541. Revision of FR Notice Published on 7/13/2001: CEQ Review Period Ending 9/7/2001 has been Extended to 10/05/2001.

EIS No. 010229, Draft EIS, NOA, CA, San Francisco Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve, Proposes to Designate

Three Sites: China Camp State Park, Brown's Island Regional Parks District, and Rush Ranch Open Space Preserve, Contra Costa, Marin and Solano Counties, CA, Due: August 31, 2001, Contact: Nina Garfield (301) 713-3132. Revision of FR Notice Published on 7/13/2001: CEQ Review Period Ending 9/7/2001 to 10/5/2001 has been extended.

Dated: August 14, 2001.

Joseph C. Montgomery,
Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7035-5]

Proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of a prospective purchaser agreement and covenant not to sue the city of Vineland, New Jersey for a property within the vineland company chemical superfund site.

SUMMARY: The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is proposing to enter into a Prospective Purchaser Agreement to provide the City of Vineland, New Jersey, a covenant not to sue under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), as amended, in connection with its proposed purchase and development of a property related to the Vineland Chemical Company Superfund Site. The property is currently owned by the WaWa Corporation. This agreement is intended to resolve a potentially responsible party's liability for certain response costs incurred by the EPA at the Vineland Chemical Superfund Site in Vineland, New Jersey. Notice is being published to inform the public of the Proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement and of the opportunity to comment.

DATES: Comments must be provided on or before September 17, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Regional Counsel, 290 Broadway—17th Floor, New York, NY 10007 and should refer to: In the Matter of the Vineland

Chemical Company Superfund Site: The City of Vineland, New Jersey, U.S. EPA Index No. CERCLA 2001-2012.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Regional Counsel, 290 Broadway—17th Floor, New York, NY 10007, Attention: Virginia Curry, Esq. (212) 637-3134, or curry.virginia@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given of a Proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement with the City of Vineland, New Jersey resolving the City's potential liability for a property within the Vineland Chemical Company Superfund Site. CERCLA authorizes EPA to enter this agreement. The Department of Justice approved this agreement pursuant to the inherent settlement authority of the Attorney General to settle claims of the United States.

A copy of the Proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement, as well as background information relating to the agreement, may be obtained by mail from EPA's Region II Office of Regional Counsel, 290 Broadway—17th Floor, New York, NY 10007.

Proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement under CERCLA—Vineland Chemical Company Superfund Site.

Dated: June 6, 2001.

Kathleen C. Callahan,

Acting Regional Administrator, Region 2.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7035-2]

Chemet Superfund Site; Notice of Proposed Settlement

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of proposed settlement.

SUMMARY: Under section 122(h)(1) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response and Liability Act (CERCLA), the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has proposed to settle claims for response costs at the Chemet Site located in Moscow, Tennessee (Site), with ContiGroup Companies, Inc., Harcross Chemicals, Inc., Kewanee Industries, Inc. and Chevron Environmental Management Company and Pechiney World Trade (U.S.A.), Inc.

EPA will consider public comments on the proposed settlement for thirty (30) days. EPA may withdraw or modify the proposed settlement should such comments disclose facts or

considerations which indicate the proposed settlement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate.

Copies of the proposed settlement are available from: Ms. Paula V. Batchelor, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IV, CERCLA Program Services Branch, Waste Management Division, 61 Forsyth Street, SW., Atlanta, GA 30303, 404-562-8887.

Written comments may be submitted to Ms. Batchelor at the above address within thirty (30) days of the date of publication.

Dated: August 2, 2001.

James T. Miller,

Acting Chief, CERCLA Program Services Branch, Waste Management Division.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7006-1]

Proposed CERCLA Administrative Cost Recovery Settlement; Peterson Puritan, Inc. Superfund Site, Cumberland, RI

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 122(i) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622(i), notice is hereby given of a proposed administrative settlement for recovery of past response costs concerning Operable Unit Two of the Peterson Puritan, Inc. Superfund Site in Cumberland, Rhode Island with the following settling parties: Bestfoods and CCL Custom Manufacturing, Inc. The settlement requires the settling parties to pay \$609,754.87 plus an additional sum for interest on that amount calculated from April 13, 2001 through the date of payment to the Hazardous Substance Superfund. The settlement includes a covenant not to sue the settling parties pursuant to sections 106 and 107(a) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607(a). For thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this notice, the United States Environmental Protection Agency will receive written comments relating to the settlement. The United States will consider all comments received and may modify or withdraw its consent to the settlement if comments received disclose facts or considerations which indicate that the

settlement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate. The United States Environmental Protection Agency's response to any comments received will be available for public inspection at the Cumberland Public Library, Cumberland, Rhode Island, the Lincoln Public Library, Lincoln, Rhode Island and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, MA 02114.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before September 17, 2001.

ADDRESSES: The proposed settlement is available for public inspection at U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, MA 02114. A copy of the proposed settlement may be obtained from Diane Boudrot, Office of Environmental Stewardship, U.S. EPA, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100 (SES), Boston, MA 02114, (617) 918-1776. Comments should reference the Peterson Puritan, Inc. Superfund Site, Cumberland, Rhode Island and EPA Docket No. CERCLA 01-2001-0057 and should be addressed to Michelle Lauterback, Office of Environmental Stewardship, U.S. EPA, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100 (SES), Boston, MA 02114.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For legal questions, Michelle Lauterback, Office of Environmental Stewardship, U.S. EPA, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100 (SES), Boston, MA 02114, (617) 918-1774 or for technical questions, Dave Newton, Office of Site Remediation and Restoration, U.S. EPA, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100 (HBO), Boston, MA 02114, (617) 918-1243.

Dated: June 21, 2001.

Richard Cavagnero,

Acting Director, Office of Site Remediation and Restoration, Region 1.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7034-7]

(PRC Patterson Superfund Removal Site); Notice of Proposed Administrative Settlement Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as Amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice, request for public comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Section 122(i) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622(i), notice is hereby given of an proposed Administrative Order on Consent ("AOC," Region 9 Docket No. 2000-15) pursuant to Section 122(h) of CERCLA concerning the PRC Patterson Superfund Removal Site (the "Site"), located in Patterson, California. The respondents to the AOC include all parties that participated or cooperated in the removal action to the satisfaction of EPA, except Chevron U.S.A. Inc. and Atlantic Richfield Company, which are negotiating individual settlements in recognition of their distinct commitments at the Site. Through the proposed AOC the respondents will complete the removal action addressing certain above ground storage tanks at the Site. The AOC provides the respondents with a covenant not to sue and contribution protection for matters addressed in the AOC. To date, EPA has incurred approximately \$900,000.00 in response costs related to the Site; however, EPA's response costs incurred at the Site are less than twenty-five percent (25%) of the total costs of the response action at the Site. EPA is waiving all claims for recovery of its response costs against the respondents consistent with EPA's established policy regarding allocation of "orphan shares," which are those of potentially responsible parties that are insolvent or defunct. EPA anticipates recovery of all or a significant portion of its costs from other potentially responsible parties at the Site. For thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this Notice, the Agency will receive written comments relating to the proposed AOC. The Agency's response to any comments received will be available for public inspection at EPA's Region IX offices, located at 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, California 94105.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before September 17, 2001.

ADDRESSES: The proposed AOC may be obtained from Danielle Carr, Hearing Clerk, telephone (415) 744-1389. Comments regarding the proposed AOC should be addressed to Danielle Carr (ORC-3) at 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, California 94105, and should reference the PRC Patterson Superfund Removal Site, and Region IX Docket No. 2000-15.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: J. Andrew Helmlinger, Office of Regional Counsel, (415) 744-1325, U.S.