

should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, and should refer to *United States of America v. BCP Ingredients, Inc.* Civ. No. 3:24-cv-5094 (W.D. Mo.), D.J. Ref. No. 90-5-2-1-12805. All comments must be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the publication date of this notice. Comments may be submitted either by email or by mail:

To submit comments:	Send them to:
By email	pubcomment-ees.enrd@usdoj.gov.
By mail	Assistant Attorney General, U.S. DOJ—ENRD, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044-7611.

During the public comment period, the consent decree may be examined and downloaded at this Justice Department website: <https://www.justice.gov/enrd/consent-decrees>. If you require assistance accessing the consent decree, you may request assistance by email or mail to the addresses provided above for submitting comments.

Kathryn C. Macdonald,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Proposed Consent Decree Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act and Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program

On December 2, 2024, the Department of Justice lodged a proposed Consent Decree with the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri in the lawsuit entitled *United States v. Cotter Corporation (N.S.L.) and Norfolk Southern Railway Company*, Civil Action No. 24-cv-1593.

The United States filed this lawsuit under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) and the Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program (FUSRAP) for response costs incurred, and to be incurred, by the United States Army Corps of Engineers (the Corps) and Department of Defense for their removing contamination from uranium ore or residue processing materials at certain portions of the North St. Louis

County Superfund Site in Missouri. Under the proposed Consent Decree, Cotter Corporation, Norfolk Southern Railway Company, and the United States will pay a combined total of nearly \$164,000,000 in past and future response costs for costs associated with the above activities. In return, the proposed Consent Decree provides Cotter, Norfolk Southern, and the United States with a covenant not to sue or take administrative action under section 107(a) of CERCLA for any costs associated with the above activities at the North St. Louis County Site, as well as contribution protection under section 113(f)(2) of CERCLA.

The publication of this notice opens a period for public comment on the proposed Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, and should refer to *United States v. Cotter Corporation (N.S.L.) and Norfolk Southern Railway Company*, D.J. Ref. No. 90-11-2-08259/3. All comments must be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the publication date of this notice. Comments may be submitted either by email or by mail:

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During the public comment period, the proposed Consent Decree may be examined and downloaded at this Justice Department website: <https://www.justice.gov/enrd/consent-decrees>. If you require assistance accessing the proposed Consent Decree, you may request assistance by email or by mail to the addresses provided above for submitting comments.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Bureau of Prisons

Annual Determination of Average Cost of Incarceration Fee (COIF)

AGENCY: Bureau of Prisons, Justice.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to regulations, the Bureau of Prisons publishes the Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 Cost of Incarceration Fee (COIF) for Federal inmates.

DATES: December 6, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Office of General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Prisons, 320 First Street NW, Washington, DC 20534.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Daniel J. Crooks III, Assistant General Counsel/Rules Administrator, Federal Bureau of Prisons, at the address above or at (202) 353-4885.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Title 28 of the Code of Federal Regulations, part 505, allows for assessment of a fee to cover the average cost of incarceration for Federal inmates. We calculate the cost of incarceration fee (COIF) by dividing the number representing the Bureau of Prisons (Bureau) facilities' monetary obligation (excluding activation costs) by the number of inmate-days incurred for the fiscal year, and then by multiplying the quotient by the number of days in the fiscal year.

Based on FY 2023 data, the average annual COIF for a Federal inmate housed in a Bureau or non-Bureau facility in FY 2023 was \$44,090 (\$120.80 per day). The average annual COIF for a Federal inmate housed in a Residential Reentry Center for FY 2023 was \$41,437 (\$113.53 per day). (Please note: There were 365 days in FY 2023.)

James Wills,

Assistant Director/General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Prisons.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Mine Safety and Health Administration

Petition for Modification of Application of Existing Mandatory Safety Standards

AGENCY: Mine Safety and Health Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice is a summary of a petition for modification submitted to the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) by Peabody Midwest Mining, LLC.

DATES: All comments on the petition must be received by MSHA's Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances on or before January 6, 2025.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments identified by Docket No. MSHA-2024-0089 by any of the following methods:

1. *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <https://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the