

NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF BANKING

Action on Applications

The Department of Banking of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the authority contained in the act of November 30, 1965 (P. L. 847, No. 356), known as the Banking Code of 1965; the act of December 14, 1967 (P. L. 746, No. 345), known as the Savings Association Code of 1967; the act of May 15, 1933 (P. L. 565, No. 111), known as the Department of Banking Code; and the act of December 19, 1990 (P. L. 834, No. 198), known as the Credit Union Code, has taken the following action on applications received for the week ending January 19, 1999.

BANKING INSTITUTIONS

New Charter Applications

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Bank</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Action</i>
1-15-99	Brown Brothers Harriman Trust Company of Pennsylvania Philadelphia Philadelphia County	Philadelphia	Approved
1-15-99	Pennsylvania Business Bank Philadelphia Philadelphia County	Philadelphia	Approved

Conversions

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Bank</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Action</i>
1-13-99	First National Bank of Jermyn Jermyn Lackawanna County <i>To:</i> First Liberty Bank & Trust Jermyn Lackawanna County	645 Washington Ave. Jermyn Lackawanna County	Approved

Application represents conversion from a nationally-chartered banking institution to a State-chartered banking institution.

Consolidations, Mergers and Absorptions

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Bank</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Action</i>
1-14-99	First Liberty Bank & Trust Jermyn and NBO National Bank, Olyphant Surviving Institution— First Liberty Bank & Trust, Jermyn	Jermyn	Filed
1-15-99	Patriot Bank, Pottstown, and First Lehigh Bank, Walnutport Surviving Institution— Patriot Bank, Pottstown	Pottstown	Approved

Branch Discontinuances

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Bank</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Action</i>
1-13-99	Patriot Bank Pottstown Montgomery County	Redner's Supermarket 703 South West End Blvd. Quakertown Bucks County	Approved

SAVINGS ASSOCIATIONS

No activity.

CREDIT UNIONS
Branch Applications

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Credit Union</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Action</i>
1-13-99	UTI Employees Credit Union Collegeville Montgomery County	206 Jones Boulevard Pottstown Limerick Township Montgomery County	Approved

RICHARD C. RISHEL,
Secretary

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 99-160. Filed for public inspection January 29, 1999, 9:00 a.m.]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Historical Education and Tourism Grant Program

The Department of Community and Economic Development (Department) gives notice of the establishment of the Historical Education and Tourism Program. The Program provides grants for tourism related projects throughout this Commonwealth with historical and/or educational value.

Organizations or individuals who wish to apply for funds under the program can receive a copy of the program guidelines by contacting the Department's Customer Service Center, 400 Forum Building, Harrisburg, PA 17120, (800) 379-7448, e-mail: DCED@state.pa.us.

SAMUEL A. MCCULLOUGH,
Secretary

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 99-161. Filed for public inspection January 29, 1999, 9:00 a.m.]

DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Pennsylvania Rivers Conservation Registry

The Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR), Bureau of Recreation and Conservation has approved the: "Monongahela River Conservation Plan" (prepared for the river segment from the Pennsylvania/West Virginia border to the Glenwood Bridge near the Pittsburgh corporate border) and is placing this segment of the Monongahela River, and the portion of its tributaries studied in the plan, on the Pennsylvania Rivers Conservation Registry (Registry).

On December 17, 1998, the Steel Industry Corporation submitted the Monongahela River Conservation Plan and other required information to gain Registry status.

After review of the Plan and the other information, the DCNR has determined that PA Rivers Conservation Program requirements have been satisfied and places the following on the Registry:

- A segment of the Monongahela River extending from the Pennsylvania/West Virginia border (river mile 90) to

the Glenwood Bridge, near the Pittsburgh corporate boundary (river mile 6). This river segment is approximately 84 miles long.

- A corridor extending from 1 mile east from the river's east bank to 1 mile west of its west bank or to the ridge of the nearest slope.

- The portion of all tributary streams within the river corridor.

This action becomes effective January 30, 1999. Projects identified in the Monongahela River Plan become eligible for implementation, development or acquisition grant funding through the PA Rivers Conservation Program.

A copy of the Final Plan is available for review at the Steel Industry Heritage Corporation, 338 East Ninth Avenue, 1st Floor, Homestead, PA 15120, (412) 464-4020 and Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Rachel Carson State Office Building, 400 Market Street, 6th Floor, Harrisburg, PA 17105-8475, (717) 787-2316.

Maps and supporting data are on file at the Steel Industry Heritage Corporation Office.

JOHN C. OLIVER,
Secretary

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 99-162. Filed for public inspection January 29, 1999, 9:00 a.m.]

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Rescheduling for Public Comments due to Inclement Weather

Public comment is invited regarding the Department of Education's proposed Performance Goals and Indicators for Students with Disabilities. These proposed Performance Goals and Indicators are amendments to the Commonwealth's application for Federal funds authorized under Part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Part B funds will be used to render services and programs to children with disabilities who are eligible under the act.

Copies of the proposed amendments are available by calling Beth Runkle at (717) 772-3260 or the TDD at (717) 787-7367. Alternative formats of the document (such as Braille and large print) will be made available upon request. The Department of Education will consider all public comments and make any necessary modifications to the Performance Goals and Indicators for Students

with Disabilities before submission to the Secretary of the United States Department of Education on March 1, 1999.

Public comments are welcome in alternative formats such as Braille or taped comments. Persons who wish to submit comments by telephone may call Laura Davis at (717) 783-6137 or the TDD at (717) 787-7367. Written comments will be received until February 12, 1999. They should be directed to Dr. Geraldine Miller, Special Education Advisor, Bureau of Special Education, 333 Market Street, 7th Floor, Harrisburg, PA 17126-0333. Additionally, an opportunity will be provided by the Department of Education, Bureau of Special Education for those wishing to present oral testimony on the proposed amendments. In order to provide oral testimony, commentators

will need to register by calling Beth Runkle at (717) 772-3260 by Friday, February 12, 1999. Each presentation will be limited to 15 minutes and a written copy of the oral testimony should be provided.

The date, location and time for oral testimony is as follows: February 16, 1999 from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Eastern Instructional Support Center, 200 Anderson Road, King of Prussia, PA.

EUGENE W. HICKOK,
Secretary

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Applications, Actions and Special Notices

APPLICATIONS

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED UNDER THE PENNSYLVANIA CLEAN STREAMS LAW AND THE FEDERAL CLEAN WATER ACT

[National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Program (NPDES)]

DISCHARGE OF CONTROLLED INDUSTRIAL WASTE AND SEWERAGE WASTEWATER

(Part I Permits)

The following parties have applied for an NPDES permit to discharge controlled wastewaters into the surface waters of this Commonwealth. Unless otherwise indicated on the basis of preliminary review and application of lawful standards and regulations the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) proposes to issue a permit to discharge, subject to certain effluent limitations and special conditions. These proposed determinations are tentative.

Where indicated, the EPA, Region III, Regional Administrator has waived the right to review or object to this proposed permit action under the waiver provision 40 CFR 123.6E.

Persons wishing to comment on the proposed permit are invited to submit a statement to the office noted above the application within 30 days from the date of this public notice. Comments received within this 30-day comment period, will be considered in the formulation of the final determinations regarding this application. Responses should include the name, address and telephone number of the writer and a concise statement to inform the Department of the exact basis of a comment and the relevant facts upon which it is based. A public hearing may be held if the responsible office considers the public response significant.

Following the 30-day comment period, the Water Management Program Manager will make a final determination regarding the proposed permit. Notice of this determination will be published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* at which time this determination may be appealed to the Environmental Hearing Board.

The application and related documents, proposed effluent limitations and special conditions, comments received and other information are on file and may be inspected and arrangements made for copying at the office indicated above the application.

Persons with a disability who wish to attend the hearing and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodation to participate in the proceeding, should contact the Secretary to the Board at (717) 787-3483. TDD users may contact the Department through the Pennsylvania AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984.

Applications for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit to discharge to State waters.

Southeast Regional Office: Regional Manager, Water Management, Lee Park, Suite 6010, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428, (610) 832-6130.

PA 0011533. Industrial waste, **Sunoco, Inc. (R&M)**, located at 3144 Passyunk Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19145-5299.

This application is for renewal of an NPDES permit to discharge treated process wastewater, cooling water and stormwater from Girard Point Process area oil refinery industrial wastewater treatment plant in City of Philadelphia, **Philadelphia County**. This is an existing discharge to Schuylkill River Zone 4 of Delaware River Estuary. The permittee name is changed to Sunoco, Inc. (R&M).

The receiving stream is classified for warm water fish (maintenance only), migratory fish (passage only), industrial water supply, wildlife water supply, boating, fishing and navigation.

Based on the additional information provided by the company on the rate of discharge from the industrial wastewater treatment plant, the following changes have been proposed to the Outfalls 009 and 015 published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* on November 28, 1998:

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 009 for an emergency overflow of process wastewater from separator No. 2B are as follows:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Maximum Daily</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
BOD ₅	28	56	70
Total Suspended Solids	25	39	62
Chemical Oxygen Demand	219	422	547
Oil and Grease	9	17	22
Ammonia Nitrogen	17	38	42
Sulfide	0.16	0.37	0.40
Chromium (Total)	0.17	0.50	0.50
(Hexavalent)	0.01	0.03	0.03
Phenolic Compounds	0.15	0.42	0.42
pH	within limits of 6.0—9.0 standard units at all times		

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 015, based on an average flow of 6.4 mgd from industrial wastewater treatment plant are as follows:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Maximum Daily (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
BOD ₅	28	56	70
Total Suspended Solids	25	39	62
Chemical Oxygen Demand	219	422	547
Oil and Grease	9	17	22
Ammonia Nitrogen	17	38	42
Sulfide	0.16	0.37	0.40
Chromium (Total)	0.17	0.50	0.50
(Hexavalent)	0.01	0.03	0.03
Phenolic Compounds	0.15	0.42	0.42
Free Cyanide	monitor	monitor	
CBOD ₂₀	2,170 lbs per day		
BOD ₅ Removal		89.25%	
Fluoride	7.5	15.0	18.7
Total Aluminum	monitor	monitor	
Total Residual Oxidants		0.2	0.5
Total Zinc	monitor	monitor	
Phosphorus as PO ₄		monitor	
pH	within limits of 6.0—9.0 standard units at all times		
Total Copper	monitor	monitor	
Total Lead	monitor	monitor	
1,2-Dichloroethane	monitor	monitor	
Trichloroethylene	monitor	monitor	
Tetrachloroethylene	monitor	monitor	
Chronic Toxicity (TUC)		monitor	

Other Conditions:

Conditions for future permit modification.

Continuous operation of sand filter unit.

89.25% reduction of BOD₅ per DRBC requirements.

FSOD/BOD₅ ratio is assumed 1.464.

Thermal Requirements.

Authorization to discharge stormwater at Outfalls 005, 010 and 012 from roof drainage system.

Credits for stormwater runoff, intake service water, ballast water and intake filtered water.

Use of certain chemical additives.

Requirements for contaminated stormwater runoff.

Special Test Methods for certain pollutants.

The EPA waiver is not in effect.

Northeast Region: Environmental Protection Manager, Water Management, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-0790, (717) 826-2553.

PA 0020109. Industrial waste, SIC: 4613, **Interstate Energy Company**, 214 Shoemaker Road, Pottstown, PA 19460.

This proposed action is for renewal of an NPDES permit to discharge treated stormwater into Delaware River in Lower Mt. Bethel Township, **Northampton County**.

The receiving stream is classified for the following uses: warm water migratory fishery, aquatic life, water supply and recreation.

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 001 are as follows:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Monthly Average (mg/l)</i>
Total Recoverable Petroleum Hydrocarbons	monitor and report

The EPA waiver is in effect.

PA 0063878. Sewerage, **Northeastern Schuylkill Joint Municipal Authority**, P. O. Box 1326, Tamaqua, PA 18252.

This proposed action is for issuance of an NPDES permit to discharge treated sewage into Pine Creek in Rush Township, **Schuylkill County**.

The receiving stream is classified for the following uses: cold water fishery, aquatic life, water supply and recreation.

For the purpose of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing downstream potable water supply (PWS) considered during the evaluation is the Pottstown Water Authority located on the Schuylkill River.

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 001, based on a design flow of .245 mgd are:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Monthly Average (mg/l)</i>	<i>Weekly Average (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
CBOD ₅	25.0	40.0	50.0
Total Suspended Solids	30.0	45.0	60.0
NH ₃ -N (5-1 to 10-31)	13.0		26.0
Fecal Coliform (5-1 to 9-30) (10-1 to 4-30)		200/100 ml as a geometric mean 2,000/100 ml as a geometric mean	
pH		6.0—9.0 standard units at all times	
Total Residual Chlorine	1.0		2.30

The EPA waiver is in effect.

Southcentral Regional Office: Regional Water Management Program Manager, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110-8200, (717) 705-4707.

PA 0085812. Industrial waste, SIC: 4941, **Altoona City Authority**, 20 Greenwood Road, Altoona, PA 16602-7114.

This application is for renewal of an NPDES permit for an existing discharge of treated industrial waste to Kettle Creek, in Tyrone Township, **Blair County**.

The receiving stream is classified for warm water fishes, recreation, water supply and aquatic life. For the purpose of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing downstream potable water supply intake considered during the evaluation was United Water Company located in Dauphin County. The discharge is not expected to impact any potable water supply.

The proposed final effluent limits for Outfall 001 for a design flow of 2 mgd are:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Maximum Daily (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
Flow	XXX	XXX	XXX
pH (s.u.)		from 6.0—9.0 inclusive	
Total Copper	0.007	0.014	0.018
Total Lead	0.005	0.010	0.012
Total Zinc	0.018	0.036	0.045

The proposed interim effluent limits for Outfall 001 for total copper, total lead and total zinc are monitor and report.

Persons may make an appointment to review the DEP files on this case by calling Mary DiSanto, File Review Coordinator, at (717) 705-4732.

The EPA waiver is in effect.

PA 0085821. Industrial waste, SIC: 4941, **Altoona City Authority**, 20 Greenwood Road, Altoona, PA 16602-7114.

This application is for renewal of an NPDES permit for an existing discharge of treated industrial waste to Homer Gap Run, in Logan Township, **Blair County**.

The receiving stream is classified for warm water fishes, recreation, water supply and aquatic life. For the purpose of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing downstream potable water supply intake considered during the evaluation was United Water Company located in Dauphin County. The discharge is not expected to impact any potable water supply.

The proposed final effluent limits for Outfall 001 for a design flow of 1.0 mgd are:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Maximum Daily (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
Flow	XXX	XXX	XXX
pH (s.u.)		from 6.0—9.0 inclusive	
Total Aluminum	XXX	monitor and report	XXX
Total Copper	.010	.020	.025
Total Lead	.007	.014	.017
Total Zinc	.021	.042	.052

The proposed interim effluent limits for Outfall 001 for total copper, total lead and total zinc are monitor and report.

Persons may make an appointment to review the DEP files on this case by calling Mary DiSanto, File Review Coordinator, at (717) 705-4732.

The EPA waiver is in effect.

PA 0045055. Industrial waste, SIC: 3324, **Quaker Alloy, Inc.**, 200 East Richland Avenue, Myerstown, PA 17067.

This application is for renewal of an NPDES permit for an existing discharge of treated industrial waste to Tulpehocken Creek (by ditch), in Myerstown Borough, **Lebanon County**.

The receiving stream is classified for trout stocking fishery, recreation, water supply and aquatic life. For the purpose of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing downstream potable water supply intake considered during the evaluation was Western Berks Water Authority located in Berks County. The discharge is not expected to impact any potable water supply.

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 101 for a design flow of 0.081 mgd are:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Maximum Daily (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
Flow			
pH (s.u.)		from 6.0—9.0 inclusive	
Total Suspended Solids	30	60	75
Oil and Grease	15	30	37.5
Temperature	XXX	110°F	XXX

Persons may make an appointment to review the DEP files on this case by calling Mary DiSanto, File Review Coordinator, at (717) 705-4732.

The EPA waiver is in effect.

Outfalls 201, 002, 003, and 004 are identified as stormwater outfalls.

PA 0022543. Sewage, SIC: 4952, **Borough of Bally**, South Seventh Street, P. O. Box 217, Bally, PA 19503-0217.

This application is for renewal and amendment of an NPDES permit for an existing discharge of treated sewage to the West Branch of Perkiomen Creek and an unnamed tributary of the West Branch of Perkiomen Creek, in Washington Township, **Berks County**.

The receiving stream is classified for cold water fishes, recreation, water supply and aquatic life. For the purpose of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing downstream potable water supply intake considered during the evaluation was the PSC Water Company located at the Greenlane Reservoir. The discharge is not expected to impact any potable water supply.

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 001 for a design flow of 0.5 mgd are:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Average Weekly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
CBOD ₅	25	40	50
Total Dissolved Solids	1,000		2,000
Total Suspended Solids	30	45	60
NH ₃ -N			
(5-1 to 10-31)	6.0		12
(11-1 to 4-30)	18		36
Total Phosphorus	1.0		2.0
Total Residual Chlorine	0.41		1.3
Total Copper	0.030		0.060

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Average Weekly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
Total Zinc	0.200		0.400
Total Antimony	0.027		0.054
Dissolved Oxygen		minimum of 5.0 at all times	
pH		from 6.0—9.0 inclusive	
Fecal Coliforms (5-1 to 9-30)		200/100 ml as a geometric average	
(10-1 to 4-30)		4,700/100 ml as a geometric average	

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 002 for a design flow of 0.8 mgd are:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Average Weekly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
CBOD ₅	25	40	50
Total Dissolved Solids	1,000		2,000
Total Suspended Solids	30	45	60
NH ₃ -N (5-1 to 10-31)	10.0		20
(11-1 to 4-30)	20		40
Total Phosphorus	1.0		2.0
Total Residual Chlorine	0.66		2.0
Total Copper	monitor and report		
Total Zinc	monitor and report		
Stream Flow		monitor and report	
Dissolved Oxygen		minimum of 5.0 at all times	
pH		from 6.0—9.0 inclusive	
Fecal Coliforms (5-1 to 9-30)		200/100 ml as a geometric average	
(10-1 to 4-30)		7,500/100 ml as a geometric average	

Persons may make an appointment to review the DEP files on this case by calling Mary DiSanto, File Review Coordinator, at (717) 705-4732.

The EPA waiver is in effect.

Northcentral Region: Environmental Program Manager, Water Management Program, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701-6448, (717) 327-3670.

PA 0114316. Sewerage, SIC: 4952, **John and Sandra Erdley**, R. R. 1, Box 332, Millmont, PA 17845.

This proposed action is for renewal of an NPDES permit for an existing discharge of treated sewage wastewater to unnamed tributary of Penns Creek in Hartley Township, **Union County**.

The receiving stream is classified for the following uses: high quality cold water fishes, aquatic life, water supply and recreation. For the purposes of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing downstream potable water supply (PWS) considered during the evaluation is Dauphin Consolidated Water Company located at Dauphin.

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 001, based on a design flow of 0.0004 mgd, are:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Average Weekly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
CBOD ₅	10		20
TSS	20		40
Total Cl ₂ Residual	report		report
Fecal Coliforms (5-1 to 9-30)		200 col/100 ml as a geometric mean	
(10-1 to 4-30)		200 col/100 ml as a geometric mean	
pH		6.0—9.0 at all times	

The EPA waiver is in effect.

PA 0113867. Industrial waste, SIC: 5771, **Eldorado Properties Corporation**, P. O. Box 2621, Harrisburg, PA 17105.

This proposed action is for renewal of an NPDES permit for an existing discharge of treated stormwater runoff from a petroleum marketing terminal to an unnamed tributary to the Susquehanna River in Point Township, **Northumberland County**.

The receiving stream is classified for the following uses: cold water fishery, aquatic life, water supply and recreation. For the purposes of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing downstream potable water supply (PWS) considered during the evaluation is Sunbury Municipal Authority located approximately 4 river miles downstream.

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 001 are:

Parameter	Concentration (mg/l)			Mass (lb/day)	
	Average Monthly	Daily Maximum	Instantaneous Maximum	Average Monthly	Daily Maximum
Total Recoverable Petroleum Hydrocarbons			report		

Other Conditions:

- (1) Treatment facilities must be "API approved oil/water separator."
- (2) Design requirements for sizing treatments units.
- (3) Minimum inspection requirements.
- (4) Disposal of oil and solids.
- (5) Recordkeeping.
- (6) Preparedness, Prevention and Contingency (PPC) Plan.
- (7) No discharge of tank bottom water.
- (8) No discharge of sewage, wash water, boiler blow down or other wastewaters.

The EPA waiver is in effect.

PA 0228079. Sewerage, SIC: 4952, **Middleburg Municipal Authority**, 13 North Main Street, Middleburg, PA 17842-0415.

This proposed action is for issuance of an NPDES permit for a new discharge of treated sewage wastewater to unnamed tributary of Middle Creek in Franklin Township, **Snyder County**.

The receiving stream is classified for the following uses: cold water fishes, aquatic life, water supply and recreation. For the purposes of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing downstream potable water supply (PWS) considered during the evaluation is Dauphin Consolidated Water Company located at Dauphin.

The proposed effluent limits for Outfall 001, based on a design flow of 0.02 mgd, are:

Parameter	Average Monthly (mg/l)	Average Weekly (mg/l)	Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)	Minimum (mg/l)
CBOD ₅	25	40	50	
TSS	30	45	60	
Ammonia-N				
(5-1 to 10-31)	3.7		7.4	
(11-1 to 4-30)	11		22	
Dissolved Oxygen				4.0
Total Cl ₂ Residual	0.34		0.93	
Fecal Coliforms				
(5-1 to 9-30)	200 col/100 ml as a geometric mean			
(10-1 to 4-30)	2,000 col/100 ml as a geometric mean			
pH	6.0—9.0 at all times			

The EPA waiver is in effect.

Southwest Regional Office: Water Management Program Manager, 400 Waterfront Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4745, (412) 442-4000.

PA 0205699. Industrial waste, SIC: 4941, **Cowanshannock Township Municipal Authority**, P. O. Box 172, Nu Mine, PA 16244.

This application is for renewal of an NPDES permit to discharge treated process water from the Yatesboro Water Treatment Plant in Cowanshannock Township, **Armstrong County**.

The following effluent limitations are proposed for discharge to the receiving waters, an unnamed tributary to Cowanshannock Creek, classified as a warm fishery with existing and/or potential uses for aquatic life, water supply and recreation. The first existing/proposed downstream potable water supply (PWS) is the Western Pennsylvania Water Company, located in Kittanning, PA, 19.18 miles below the discharge point.

Outfall 001: existing discharge, design flow of 0.0065 mgd from permit issuance date through 3 years after permit issuance.

Parameter	Mass (lb/day)		Concentration (mg/l)		
	Average Monthly	Maximum Daily	Average Monthly	Maximum Daily	Instantaneous Maximum
Flow	monitor and report				
Total Suspended Solids			30.0		60.0
Iron			2.0		4.0
Aluminum			4.0		8.0
Manganese			1.0		2.0

Parameter	Mass (lb/day)		Concentration (mg/l)		
	Average Monthly	Maximum Daily	Average Monthly	Maximum Daily	Instantaneous Maximum
Copper					
Total Residual Chlorine			0.5		1.0
pH	not less than 6.0 nor greater than 9.0				
Outfall 001 from 3 years after permit issuance through permit expiration date:					
Iron			1.9		3.8
Aluminum			0.62		1.2
Copper			0.006		0.012
Total Residual Chlorine			0.014		0.028

Other Conditions: Effluent Chlorine minimization, toxics reduction condition.
The EPA waiver is in effect.

PA 0217751. Industrial waste, SIC: 4194, **Borough of Sewickley Water Authority**, P. O. Box 190, Sewickley, PA 15143.

This application is for amendment of an NPDES permit to discharge treated process water from water in Sewickley Borough, **Allegheny County**.

The following effluent limitations are proposed for discharge to the receiving waters, the Ohio River, classified as a warm water fishery with existing and/or potential uses for aquatic life, water supply and recreation. The first existing/proposed downstream potable water supply (PWS) is the ARCO Chemical Company, located at Monaca, 18.4 miles below the discharge point.

Outfall 001: existing discharge, design flow of 0.171 mgd.

Parameter	Mass (lb/day)		Concentration (mg/l)		
	Average Monthly	Maximum Daily	Average Monthly	Maximum Daily	Instantaneous Maximum
Flow	monitor and report				
TSS			30		60
Aluminum			4		8
Iron			2		4
Manganese			1		2
TRC			0.5		1.0
pH	not less than 6.0 nor greater than 9.0				

The EPA waiver is in effect.

PA 0110922. Sewage, **Camp Allegheny, Inc.**, 100 Camp Allegheny Drive, Stoystown, PA 15563-8823.

This application is for renewal of an NPDES permit to discharge treated sewage from Camp Allegheny STP in Stonycreek Township, **Somerset County**.

The following effluent limitations are proposed for discharge to the receiving waters, known as Unnamed Tributary of Calendars Run, which are classified as a cold water fishery with existing and/or potential uses for aquatic life, water supply and recreation. The first downstream potable water supply intake from this facility is the Hooversville Municipal Authority on Stony Creek.

Outfall 001: existing discharge, design flow of 0.015 mgd.

Parameter	Concentration (mg/l)			
	Average Monthly	Average Weekly	Maximum Daily	Instantaneous Maximum
CBOD ₅	20			40
Suspended Solids	20			40
Ammonia Nitrogen				
(5-1 to 10-31)	3.0			6.0
(11-1 to 4-30)	9.0			18.0
Phosphorus	2.0			4.0
Fecal Coliform				
(5-1 to 9-30)	200/100 ml as a geometric mean			
(10-1 to 4-30)	2,000/100 ml as a geometric mean			
Total Residual Chlorine				
(1st month—36th month)	monitor and report			
(37th month—expiration)	0.50			1.18
Dissolved Oxygen	not less than 5.0 mg/l			
pH	not less than 6.0 nor greater than 9.0			

The EPA waiver is in effect.

PA 0205281. Sewage, **New Sewickley Township Municipal Authority**, P. O. Box 65, Freedom, PA 15042-0065.

This application is for issuance of an NPDES permit to discharge treated sewage from the Tri-County Park Sewage Treatment Plant in New Sewickley Township, **Beaver County**.

The following effluent limitations are proposed for discharge to the receiving waters, known as unnamed tributary of North Fork Big Sewickley Creek, which are classified as a trout stock fishery with existing and/or potential uses for aquatic life, water supply and recreation. The first downstream potable water supply intake from this facility is the Midland Borough Water Authority.

Outfall 001: existing discharge, design flow of 0.03 mgd.

Parameter	Concentration (mg/l)			
	Average Monthly	Average Weekly	Maximum Daily	Instantaneous Maximum
CBOD ₅	10	15		20
Suspended Solids	10	15		20
Ammonia Nitrogen				
(5-1 to 10-31)	1.9	2.9		3.8
(11-1 to 4-30)	2.8	4.2		5.6
Fecal Coliform				
(5-1 to 9-30)	200/100 ml as a geometric mean			
(10-1 to 4-30)	2,000/100 ml as a geometric mean			
Total Residual Chlorine				
(1st month—June 26, 1999)	monitor and report			
(June 27, 1999—expiration)	0.01			0.03
Dissolved Oxygen	not less than 6 mg/l			
pH	not less than 6.0 nor greater than 9.0			

Other Conditions: The applicant proposes to expand the plant in two stages, first to 0.05 mgd and then to 0.10 mgd. The limitations listed above would also be applicable for each flow.

The EPA waiver is in effect.

Northwest Regional Office: Regional Manager, Water Management, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335, (814) 332-6942.

PA 0024571. Sewage, **Municipal Sewer and Water Authority of Cranberry Township**, 2525 Rochester Road, Suite 700, Cranberry Township, PA 16066-6498.

This application is for renewal of an NPDES permit to discharge treated sewage to Brush Creek in Cranberry Township, **Butler County**. This is an existing discharge.

The receiving water is classified for the following uses: warm water fishery, aquatic life, water supply and recreation. For the purpose of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing/proposed downstream potable water supply considered during the evaluation is the Beaver Falls Municipal Authority—Eastvale Plant intake on the Beaver River located in Eastvale, approximately 27 miles below point of discharge.

The proposed interim effluent limits, based on a design flow of 3.0 mgd, are:

Outfall No. 001 (Interim Limits)

Parameter	Average Monthly (mg/l)	Weekly Average (mg/l)	Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)
CBOD ₅			
(5-1 to 10-31)	10	15	20
(11-1 to 4-30)	20	30	40
TSS	30	45	60
Ammonia-Nitrogen			
(5-1 to 10-31)	2		4
(11-1 to 4-30)	6		12
Fecal Coliform			
(5-1 to 9-30)	200/100 ml as a geometric average		
(10-1 to 4-30)	2,100/100 ml as a geometric average		
Phosphorus (as P)			
(4-1 to 10-31)	2		4
Total Residual Chlorine	monitor and report		
Dissolved Oxygen	minimum of 5 mg/l at all times		
pH	6.0—9.0 at all times		

The proposed final effluent limits, based on a design flow of 4.5 mgd, are:

Outfall No. 001 (Final Limits)

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Weekly Average (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
CBOD ₅ (5-1 to 10-31)	10	15	20
(11-1 to 4-30)	20	30	40
TSS	30	45	60
Ammonia-Nitrogen (5-1 to 10-31)	2		4
(11-1 to 4-30)	5		10
Fecal Coliform (5-1 to 9-30)		200/100 ml as a geometric average	
(10-1 to 4-30)		2,200/100 ml as a geometric average	
Phosphorus (as P) (4-1 to 10-31)	2		4
Total Residual Chlorine	0.18		0.59
Dissolved Oxygen		minimum of 5 mg/l at all times	
pH		6.0—9.0 at all times	

The EPA waiver is not in effect.

PA 0222721. Sewage. Squaw Valley Woodlands, 221 Byron Center Road, Emlenton, PA 16373.

This application is for a new NPDES permit, to discharge treated sewage to an Unnamed Tributary to Carrs Run in Allegheny Township, **Butler County**. This is a new discharge.

The receiving water is classified for the following uses: cold water fishes, aquatic life, water supply and recreation. For the purpose of evaluating effluent requirements for TDS, NO₂-NO₃, fluoride and phenolics, the existing/proposed downstream potable water supply considered during the evaluation is the Emlenton Municipal Authority on the Allegheny River located at Emlenton, approximately 6 miles, below point of discharge.

The proposed discharge limits for Outfall No. 001, based on a design flow of 0.0047 mgd, are:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Average Monthly (mg/l)</i>	<i>Instantaneous Maximum (mg/l)</i>
CBOD ₅	10	20
TSS	10	20
Ammonia-Nitrogen (5-1 to 10-31)	3	6
(11-1 to 4-30)	9	18
Fecal Coliform (5-1 to 9-30)		200/100 ml as a geometric average
(10-1 to 4-30)		2,000/100 ml as a geometric average
Total Residual Chlorine	1.5	3.5
Dissolved Oxygen		minimum of 3 mg/l at all times
pH		within limits of 6.0 to 9.0 standard units at all times

The EPA waiver is in effect.

**DISCHARGE OF CONTROLLED INDUSTRIAL WASTE AND SEWERAGE WASTEWATER
Applications under the Pennsylvania Clean Streams Law
(Part II Permits)**

The following permit applications and requests for plan approval have been received by the Department of Environmental Protection (Department).

Persons objecting on the grounds of public or private interest to the approval of an application or submitted plan may file a written protest with the Department at the address indicated above each permit application or plan. Each written protest should contain the name, address and telephone number of the protester, identification of the plan or application to which the protest is addressed and a concise statement or protest in sufficient detail to inform the Department of the exact basis of the protest and the relevant facts upon which it is based. The Department may conduct a fact-finding hearing or an

informal conference in response to any given protest. Each protester will be notified in writing of the time and place of scheduled hearing or conference concerning the plan, action or application to which the protest relates. To insure consideration by the Department prior to final action on permit applications and proposed plans, initial protests and additions or amendments to protests already filed should be filed within 15 calendar days from the date of this issue of the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*. A copy of each permit application and proposed plan is on file in the office indicated and is open to public inspection.

Industrial waste and sewerage applications under The Clean Streams Law (35 P. S. §§ 691.1—691.1001).

Northeast Regional Office: Water Management Program Manager, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-0790, (717) 826-2511.

A. 3999401. Sewerage. Lehigh County Authority, P. O. Box 3348, Allentown, PA 18106-0348. Application to

replace an existing wastewater treatment plant, to serve Heidelberg Heights, located in Heidelberg Township, **Lehigh County**. Application received in the Regional Office—December 28, 1998.

A. 4099401. Sewerage. **Can Do, Inc.**, 1 South Church Street, Hazleton, PA 18201-6200. Application to extend existing sanitary sewer system, to serve Humboldt Industrial Park West, located in Hazle Township, **Luzerne County** and East Union Township, **Schuylkill County**. Application received in the Regional Office—December 29, 1998.

INDIVIDUAL PERMITS (PAS)

Stormwater Individual

The following parties have applied for an NPDES permit to discharge stormwater from a proposed construction activity into the surface waters of this Commonwealth. Unless otherwise indicated on the basis of preliminary review and application of lawful standards and regulations, the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) proposes to issue a permit to discharge, subject to certain limitations set forth in the permit and special conditions. These proposed determinations are tentative. Limitations are provided in the permit as erosion and sedimentation control measures and facilities which restrict the rate and quantity of sediment discharge.

Where indicated, the EPA, Region III, Regional Administrator has waived the right to review or object to this proposed permit action under the waiver provision 40 CFR 123.24(d).

Persons wishing to comment on the proposed permit are invited to submit a statement to the Regional Office or County Conservation District Office indicated as the responsible office, within 30 days from the date of this public notice. A copy of the written comments should be sent to the County Conservation District Office. Comments reviewed within this 30-day period will be considered in the formulation of the final determinations regarding this application. Responses should include the name, address and telephone number of the writer and a concise statement to inform the Regional Office of the exact basis of a comment and the relevant facts upon which it is based. A public hearing may be held if the Regional Office considers the public response significant.

Following the 30-day comment period, the Water Program Manager will make a final determination regarding the proposed permit. Notice of this determination will be published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* at which time this determination may be appealed to the Environmental Hearing Board.

The application and related documents, including the erosion and sedimentation control plan for the construction activity, are on file and may be inspected at the County Conservation District Office or the Department Regional Office indicated above the application.

Persons with a disability who wish to attend the hearing and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodation to participate in the proceedings, should contact the specified program. TDD users may contact the Department through the Pennsylvania AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984.

Northeast Regional Office: Regional Water Management Program Manager, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-0790, (717) 826-2511.

Lehigh County Conservation District, District Manager, Lehigh Ag. Ctr., Ste. 102, 4184 Dorney Park Road, Allentown, PA 18104, (610) 391-9583.

NPDES Permit PAS10Q039-R. Stormwater. **Mill Run Associates**, Jeffrey H. Brozina, 7660 Imperial Way, Allentown, PA 18195, has applied to discharge stormwater from a construction activity located in Upper Macungie Township, **Lehigh County**, to Little Lehigh Creek.

NPDES Permit PAS10Q009-1R. Stormwater. **Pointe West Associates**, Robert Ciccone, 6866 Chrisphalt Drive, Bath, PA 18014-8503, has applied to discharge stormwater from a construction activity located in Upper Macungie Township, **Lehigh County**, to Hassen Creek.

Luzerne County Conservation District, District Manager, Smith Pond Road, P. O. Box 250, Lehman, PA 18627-0250, (570) 674-7991.

NPDES Permit PAS10R032. Stormwater. **Silverleaf Resorts, Inc., (Beech Mountain Resorts)**, 1221 River Bend Drive, Suite 120, Dallas, TX 75247, has applied to discharge stormwater from a construction activity located in Butler Township, **Luzerne County**, to Nescopeck Creek.

Northampton County Conservation District, District Manager, R. R. 4, Nazareth, PA 18064-9211, (610) 746-1971.

NPDES Permit PAS10U105. Stormwater. **Kharecha Enterprises, LP**, P. O. Box 3189, Easton, PA 18043-3189, has applied to discharge stormwater from a construction activity located in Bethlehem Township, **Northampton County**, to Monocacy Creek.

SAFE DRINKING WATER

Applications received under the Pennsylvania Safe Drinking Water Act (35 P. S. §§ 721.1—721.17).

Southcentral Regional Office: Sanitarian Regional Manager, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110-8200, (717) 705-4708.

A. 2898502. Public water supply. **Shippensburg Borough Authority**, Southampton Township, **Franklin County**. *Responsible Official:* William Wolfe, Authority Secretary, 60 West Burd St., Shippensburg, PA 17257. *Type of Facility:* Forest Ridge Booster Pump Station for a public water system. *Consulting Engineer:* Steven Hilderhoff, CET Engineering Services, 1240 N. Mountain Rd., Harrisburg, PA 17112.

A. 5099501. Public water supply. **Triple Crown Corporation**, Centre Township, **Perry County**.

Responsible Official: Triple Crown Corporation, Mark X. Disanto, CEO, 5351 Jaycee Ave., Harrisburg, PA 17112.

Type of Facility: New community water system consisting of two wells, hypochlorite disinfection, finished water storage and distribution.

Consulting Engineer: R. J. Fisher & Assoc., Inc., 1546 Bridge St., New Cumberland, PA 17070.

Regional Office: Northcentral Field Operations, Environmental Program Manager, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701.

A. 4999501. The Department has received a construction permit application from **Ronald Butler (Kipps Run MHP)** for the construction of a diffused aeration system. The proposed facilities will treat an existing groundwater supply source for removal of trichloroethylene.

LAND RECYCLING AND ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION

Under Act 2, 1995

Preamble 1

Acknowledgment of Notices of Intent to Remediate submitted under the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act (35 P. S. §§ 6026.101—6026.908).

Sections 302 and 303 of the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act (act) require the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) to publish in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* an acknowledgment noting receipt of any Notices of Intent to Remediate. An acknowledgment of the receipt of a Notice of Intent to Remediate identifies a site where a person proposes to, or has been required to, respond to a release of a regulated substance at a site. Persons intending to use the background or Statewide health standard to remediate a site must file a Notice of Intent to Remediate with the Department. A Notice of Intent to Remediate filed with the Department provides a brief description of the location of the site, a list of known contaminants at the site, the proposed remediation measures for the site and a description of the intended future use of the site. A person who demonstrates attainment of one or a combination of the cleanup standards identified under the act will be relieved of further liability for the remediation of the site for any contamination identified in reports submitted to and approved by the Department and shall not be subject to citizen suits or other contribution actions brought by responsible persons not participating in the remediation.

For further information concerning the content of a Notice of Intent to Remediate, contact the Department's Regional Office under which the notice appears. If information concerning this acknowledgment is required in an alternative form, contact the community relations coordinator at the appropriate regional office listed. TDD users may telephone the Department through the AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984.

The Department has received the following Notices of Intent to Remediate:

Southcentral Regional Office: Environmental Cleanup Program Manager, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110-8200, (717) 705-4705.

Former Waynesboro Gas Company, Waynesboro Borough, **Franklin County**. Landis/Gardner, A Division of UNOVA, Inc., 20 East Sixth Street, Waynesboro, PA 17268 and Penn Fuel Gas, Inc., A Subsidiary of PP&L Resources, 55 South Third Street, Oxford, PA 19363, have submitted a Notice of Intent to Remediate site soils contaminated with lead, heavy metals, solvents, BTEX and PAHs; groundwater contaminated with solvents, BTEX and PAHs; and sediment contaminated with BTEX and PAHs. The applicants propose to remediate the site to meet a combination of Statewide health and site-specific standards. A summary of the Notice of Intent to Remediate was reported to have been published in the *Waynesboro Record-Herald* on December 17, 1998.

Former Mifflin County Subaru Motors, Armagh Township, **Mifflin County**. Dick Corporation, P. O. Box 10896, Pittsburgh, PA 15236, and Juniata Valley Bank, P. O. Box 66, Mifflintown, PA 17059, have submitted a Notice of Intent to Remediate site soils and groundwater contaminated with BTEX, PHCs and PAHs. The appli-

cants propose to remediate the site to meet the Statewide health standard. A summary of the Notice of Intent to Remediate was reported to have been published in the *Lewistown Sentinel* on December 22, 1998.

Washington Square II Parcel 2, City of Harrisburg, **Dauphin County**. UGI Utilities, Inc., 100 Kachel Blvd., Reading, PA 19612-2677, has submitted a Notice of Intent to Remediate site soils and groundwater contaminated with BTEX and PAHs. The applicant proposes to remediate the site to meet a combination of the Statewide health and site-specific standards. A summary of the Notice of Intent to Remediate was reported to have been published in the *Harrisburg Patriot News* on October 31, 1998.

NFO Partners Site, formerly American Insulators Property, New Freedom Borough, **York County**. NFO Partners, c/o Springwood Development Corp., 2350 Springwood Road, York, PA 17402 has submitted a Notice of Intent to Remediate site soils contaminated with heavy metals, BTEX and PAHs. The applicant proposes to remediate the site to meet the Statewide health standard. A summary of the Notice of Intent to Remediate was reported to have been published in the *York Daily Record* on January 4, 1999.

Thompsontown Substation, Borough of Thompsontown, **Juniata County**. PP&L, Inc., Two North Ninth Street, Allentown, PA 18101 has submitted a Notice of Intent to Remediate site soils contaminated with PCBs. The applicant proposes to remediate the site to meet the Statewide health standard. A summary of the Notice of Intent to Remediate was reported to have been published in the *Juniata Sentinel* on October 26, 1998.

LAND RECYCLING AND ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION

Under Act 2, 1995

Preamble 2

Acknowledgment of Notices of Intent to Remediate submitted under the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act (35 P. S. §§ 6026.101—6026.908).

Sections 304 and 305 of the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act (act) require the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) to publish in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* an acknowledgment noting receipt of any Notices of Intent to Remediate. An acknowledgment of the receipt of a Notice of Intent to Remediate is used to identify a site where a person proposes to, or has been required to, respond to a release of a regulated substance at a site. Persons intending to use a site-specific standard or who intend to remediate a site in a Special Industrial Area must file a Notice of Intent to Remediate with the Department. A Notice of Intent to Remediate filed with the Department provides a brief description of the location of the site, a list of known contaminants at the site, the proposed remediation measures for the site and a description of the intended future use of the site. A person who demonstrates attainment of one or a combination of the cleanup standards identified under the act will be relieved of further liability for the remediation of the site for any contamination identified in reports submitted to and approved by the Department and shall not be subject to citizen suits or other contribution actions brought by responsible persons not participating in the remediation.

Under sections 304(n)(1)(ii) and 305(c)(2) of the act, there is a 30-day public and municipal comment period

for sites proposed for remediation using a site-specific cleanup standard, in whole or in part, and for sites determined to be located in Special Industrial Areas. This period begins when a summary of the Notice of Intent to Remediate is published in a newspaper of general circulation in the area by the person conducting remediation. For the sites identified, a municipality may request to be involved in the development of the remediation and reuse plans for the site if the request is made within 30 days of the date specified. During this comment period, a municipality may request that the person identified, as the remediator of a site, develop and implement a public involvement plan. Requests to be involved, and comments, should be directed to the remediator of a site. For further information concerning the content of a Notice of Intent to Remediate, contact the Department's Regional Office under which the notice appears. If information concerning this acknowledgment is required in an alternative form, contact the community relations coordinator at the appropriate regional office listed. TDD users may telephone the Department through the AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984.

The Department has received the following Notices of Intent to Remediate:

Southcentral Regional Office: Environmental Cleanup Program Manager, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110-8200, (717) 705-4705.

Former Waynesboro Gas Company, Waynesboro Borough, **Franklin County**. Landis/Gardner, A Division of UNOVA, Inc., 20 East Sixth Street, Waynesboro, PA 17268 and Penn Fuel Gas, Inc., A Subsidiary of PP&L Resources, 55 South Third Street, Oxford, PA 19363, have submitted a Notice of Intent to Remediate site soils contaminated with lead, heavy metals, solvents, BTEX and PAHs; groundwater contaminated with solvents, BTEX and PAHs; and sediment contaminated with BTEX and PAHs. The applicants propose to remediate the site to meet a combination of Statewide health and site-specific standards. A summary of the Notice of Intent to Remediate was reported to have been published in the *Waynesboro Record-Herald* on December 17, 1998.

Washington Square II Parcel 2, City of Harrisburg, **Dauphin County**. UGI Utilities, Inc., 100 Kachel Blvd., Reading, PA 19612-2677, has submitted a Notice of Intent to Remediate site soils and groundwater contaminated with BTEX and PAHs. The applicant proposes to remediate the site to meet a combination of the Statewide health and site-specific standards. A summary of the Notice of Intent to Remediate was reported to have been published in the Harrisburg *Patriot News* on October 31, 1998.

OPERATE WASTE PROCESSING OR DISPOSAL AREA OR SITE

Applications submitted under the Solid Waste Management Act (35 P. S. §§ 6018.101—6018.1003), the Municipal Waste Planning, Recycling and Waste Reduction Act (53 P. S. §§ 4000.101—4000.1904) and regulations to operate solid waste processing or disposal area or site.

Northwest Regional Office: Regional Solid Waste Manager, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6848.

Permit No. 101622. An application to accept residual (Form R) wastes at the municipal waste processing facility was received from **Waste Treatment Corporation**, 1 Harmar Street, Warren, PA 16365, located in the City of Warren, **Warren County**. This application was

determined to be administratively complete in the Regional Office on January 12, 1999.

AIR QUALITY

Notice of Plan Approval and Operating Permit Applications

Nonmajor Sources and Modifications

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has developed an "integrated" plan approval, State operating permit and Title V operating permit program. This integrated approach is designed to make the permitting process more efficient for the Department, the regulated community and the public. This approach allows the owner or operator of a facility to complete and submit all the permitting documents relevant to its application one time, affords an opportunity for public input and provides for sequential issuance of the necessary permits.

The Department has received applications for plan approvals and/or operating permits from the following facilities. Although the sources covered by these applications may be located at a major facility, the sources being installed or modified do not trigger major new source review or prevention of significant deterioration requirements.

Copies of these applications, subsequently prepared draft permits, review summaries and other support materials are available for review in the Regional Offices identified in this notice. Persons interested in reviewing the application files should contact the appropriate regional office to schedule an appointment.

Persons wishing to file protests or comments on the proposed plan approval and/or operating permits must submit the protest or comment within 30 days from the date of this notice. Interested persons may also request that a hearing be held concerning the proposed plan approval and operating permit. Any comments or protests filed with the Department's Regional Offices must include a concise statement of the objections to the issuance of the plan approval or operating permit and relevant facts which serve as the basis for the objections. If the Department schedules a hearing, a notice will be published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* at least 30 days prior to the date of the hearing.

Final plan approvals and operating permits will contain terms and conditions to ensure that the source is constructed and operating in compliance with applicable requirements in 25 Pa. Code Chapters 121—143, the Federal Clean Air Act and regulations adopted under the act.

OPERATING PERMITS

Notice of Intent to Issue Title V Operating Permits

Under 25 Pa. Code § 127.521, the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) intends to issue a Title V Operating Permit to the following facilities. These facilities are major facilities subject to the operating permit requirements under Title V of the Federal Clean Air Act and 25 Pa. Code Chapter 127, Subchapters F and G (relating to operating permit requirements; and Title V operating permits).

Appointments to review copies of the Title V application, proposed permit and other relevant information must be made by contacting Records Management at the regional office telephone number noted. For additional information, contact the regional office noted.

Interested persons may submit written comments, suggestions or objections concerning the proposed Title V permit to the regional office within 30 days of publication of this notice. Written comments submitted to the Department during the 30-day public comment period shall include the name, address and telephone number of the person submitting the comments, along with the reference number of the proposed permit. The commentator should also include a concise statement of objections to the permit issuance and the relevant facts upon which the objections are based.

The Department reserves the right to hold a public hearing on the proposed action based upon the information received during the public comment period and will provide notice of any scheduled public hearing at least 30 days in advance of the hearing. The hearing notice will be published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* and a newspaper of general circulation where the facility is located.

Southeast Regional Office: Air Quality Program, Lee Park, Suite 6010, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428, Attn: Edward Brown, (610) 832-6242.

TVOP-46-00067: MM SKB Energy LLC (709 Swedeland Road, King of Prussia, PA 19406) located in Upper Merion Township, **Montgomery County**. The facility's major emission points include: six internal combustion engines, which emit major levels of nitrogen oxides (NOx).

Southcentral Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110, Attn: Kanubhai L. Patel, (717) 705-4702.

67-05052: New York Wire Co. (441 East Market Street, York, PA 17405) located in the City of York, **York County**. The facility's major operations include the weaving and coating of steel, aluminum and bronze screen products which primarily emit volatile organic compounds (VOCs).

28-05011: Community Refuse LTD d/b/a Mountain View Reclamation (9760 Letzburg Road, Greencastle, PA 17225) located in Antrim and Montgomery Townships, **Franklin County**. The facility's major sources of emissions include a municipal solid waste landfill which primarily emit the following contaminants: volatile organic compounds.

Northcentral Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701, Attn: Mohammad Zaman, (717) 327-3637.

TVOP-53-00005: CNG Transmission Corp. (625 Liberty Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15222-3197) for their gas transmission and storage facility (Greenlick Station) located in Stewardson Township, **Potter County**. The facility stores and transmits natural gas to the main distribution line. The facility's main sources include several natural gas fired engines, heaters and emergency generators which emit major quantities of nitrogen oxides (NOx), volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and formaldehyde (hazardous air pollutant [HAP]). The facility also emits CO, SO₂ and particulate matter. This facility is subject to all applicable requirements of Maximum Achievable Control Technology (MACT), Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources (NSPS) and Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT).

TVOP-18-00006: CNG Transmission Corp. (625 Liberty Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15222-3197) for their gas transmission and storage facility (Leidy Station) located in Leidy Township, **Clinton County**. The facility stores and transmits natural gas to the main distribution line.

The facility's main sources include several natural gas fired engines, heaters and emergency generators which emit major quantities of nitrogen oxides (NOx), volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and hazardous air pollutant (HAPS). The facility also emits CO, SO₂ and particulate matter. This facility is subject to all applicable requirements of Maximum Achievable Control Technology (MACT) and Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT).

Notice of Intent to Issue Title V Operating Permits Including Emission Guidelines for Hospital/Medical/Infectious Waste Incinerators

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) intends to issue a Title V operating permit under the Air Pollution Control Act and the section 111(d)/129 Emission Guidelines (EG) specified in 40 CFR Part 60, Subpart Ce. These Emission Guidelines, incorporated by reference in 25 Pa. Code § 122.3, apply to all existing hospital/medical/infectious/waste incinerators (HMIWIs) that commenced construction on or before June 20, 1996. The following Title V facility is subject to the operating permit requirements of Title V of the Federal Clean Air Act and 25 Pa. Code Article III including Chapter 127, Subchapters F and G (relating to operating permit requirements; and Title V operating permit requirements).

Permit No.: TVOP 47-00005.

Facility Name: Geisinger Medical Center.

Facility Location: Mahoning Township, Montour County.

Primary Emissions: Sulfur Oxides (SO₂), nitrogen oxides (NOx), carbon monoxide (CO), hazardous air pollutants (HAPS) and particulate matter.

Affected HMIWI Unit: Source ID 120, Pennram, medical/infectious/waste incinerator, 625 pounds/hour.

Copies of the Title V application, proposed permit and other relevant information are available for public inspection at the Department's Northcentral Regional Office, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701. An appointment to review the documents must be made by calling (570) 327-3693, between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

Interested persons may submit written comments, suggestions or objections concerning the proposed Title V operating permit to Muhammad Q. Zaman, Chief, Title V Facilities Section, Department of Environmental Protection, Air Quality Program, Northcentral Regional Office, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701, (570) 327-0512, within 30 days of publication of this notice. Written comments submitted to the Department during the 30-day public comment period shall include the name, address and telephone number of the person submitting the comments, along with the permit number of the proposed Title V operating permit. The commentator should include a concise statement of objections to the issuance of the revised permit and the relevant facts upon which the objections are based.

The Department reserves the right to hold a public hearing on the proposed action based upon the information received during the public comment period and will provide notice of the hearing at least 30 days prior to the date of the hearing. The hearing notice will be published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* and a newspaper of general circulation where the facility is located.

The final Title V operating permit will contain all of the applicable requirements that apply to stationary air

contamination sources at the Geisinger Medical Center. The applicable requirements include the section 111(d)/129 requirements for HMIWI facilities.

Applications received and intent to issue Operating Permits under the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P. S. §§ 4001—4015).

Southcentral Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110, (717) 705-4702.

21-317-058A: The Quaker Oats Co. (P. O. Box 3040, Shiremanstown, PA 17011) for cereal manufacturing operation in Hampden Township, **Cumberland County**.

21-320-010C: Fry Communications, Inc. (800 West Church Road, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055) for lithographic printing operation at the Building No. 3 facility in Silver Spring Township, **Cumberland County**.

36-309-083B: Buck Co., Inc. (897 Lancaster Pike, Quarryville, PA 17566) for installation of a bond storage tank located in Providence Township, **Lancaster County**.

36-313-030F: Warner Lambert Co. (400 West Lincoln Avenue, Lititz, PA 17543) for pharmaceutical manufacturing operation in Lititz Borough, **Lancaster County**.

38-320-002: Sowers Printing Co. (220 North 10th Street, P. O. Box 479, Lebanon, PA 17042) for lithographic printing operation in the City of Lebanon, **Lebanon County**.

67-2008A: York International Corp. (P. O. Box 1592, York, PA 17405-1592) for surface coating operation at their Grantley Plant in Spring Garden Township, **York County**.

67-307-005C: York International Corporation (P. O. Box 1592, York, PA 17405-1592) for abrasive blasting operation at their Grantley Plant in Spring Garden Township, **York County**.

67-310-004G: Southdown, Inc. (P. O. Box 220, Thomasville, PA 17364) for limestone crushing/grinding operation in Jackson Township, **York County**. This operation is subject to 40 CFR 60, Subpart OOO, Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources.

67-315-011: P. H. Glatfelter Co. (228 South Main Street, Spring Grove, PA 17362) for the G-Coater operation in Spring Grove Borough, **York County**.

Northwest Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6940.

25-318-119A: General Electric (2901 East Lake Road, Erie, PA 16531) for operation of a locomotive paint booth in Lawrence Park Township, **Erie County**.

PA-33-161A: Buff One Transmission & Core Buyer (P. O. Box 383, Falls Creek, PA 15840) for operation of an aluminum melting furnace in Falls Creek, **Jefferson County**.

PA-37-234A: Praxair Surface Technologies (3225 Honeybee Lane, New Castle, PA 16105) for operation of a detonation cubicle in Wilmington Township, **Lawrence County**.

37-308-007: Reactive Metals & Alloys Corp. (P. O. Box 366, West Pittsburg, PA 16160) for operation of bulk bending, briquetting and bagging system in Taylor Township, **Lawrence County**.

PA-61-004A: Electralloy A GO Carlson, Inc. (175 Main Street, Oil City, PA 16301) for operation of a

vacuum arc remelt, electrosag remelt and two annealing furnaces in Oil City, **Venango County**.

PLAN APPROVALS

Notice of Intent To Issue Plan Approval for Minor Source

Agency: Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Environmental Protection, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335.

Action: Preliminary determination to approve the plan approval application for the installation of two baghouse control devices to control particulate emissions from a woodworking process. The public notice is required for sources required to obtain a plan approval at Title V facilities, in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.44.

Summary: **Ethan Allen, Inc., Cherry Hill Division** (77 South Main Street, Union City, PA 16438), has submitted an application to install two baghouses to control particulate matter emissions from a woodworking process. The baghouses will not be required to run concurrently. The permit will be subject to the following conditions:

1. This Plan Approval authorizes temporary operation of the sources covered by this Plan Approval for purposes of shakedown, startup and compliance verification tests.

2. The source shall comply with 25 Pa. Code § 123.1 for fugitive emissions, § 123.13 for particulate matter emissions, § 123.31 for odor emissions and § 123.41 for visible emissions.

3. Magnehelic gauges or equivalent shall be installed on the baghouses, in accessible locations, to monitor pressure drop. The gauges shall be maintained and operated in accordance with manufacturer's specifications. The gauges shall be maintained in working, readable condition at all times.

4. The facility shall maintain sufficient replacement baghouse bags onsite, or shall have immediate access to sufficient spare bags, at all times.

5. The facility shall comply with 25 Pa. Code § 127.25 as follows:

a) No person shall cause or permit the operation of the source unless the source and air cleaning devices are operated and maintained in accordance with specifications in the Plan Approval application, and condition Nos. 1—4, listed above. A person may not cause or permit the operation of this source in a manner inconsistent with good operating practices.

6. Visible emissions from the baghouse stacks may be measured using either of the following:

a) A device approved by the Department and maintained to provide accurate opacity measurements; or

b) Observers, trained and qualified to measure plume opacity with the naked eye or with the aid of devices approved by the Department.

7. The permittee shall conduct daily monitoring of the source while it is in operation to observe for the presence of fugitive, visible and odor emissions being emitted into the outdoor atmosphere. All detected fugitive, visible and odor emissions shall be reported to the appropriate person.

8. The permittee shall maintain records of deviations to the above defined conditions, and corrective actions taken. The recordkeeping shall include a listing or notation of any and all sources of fugitive, visible and odor

emissions; the cause of the emissions; the duration of the emissions; and the corrective action taken to abate the deviation and prevent future occurrences. Records shall be maintained onsite and shall be made available to the Department upon request.

The above conditions will satisfy requirements of 25 Pa. Code § 127.12b (pertaining to plan approval terms and conditions), and will demonstrate the Best Available Technology for the source.

The Department has made a preliminary determination to approve the plan approval for the installation of the baghouses, subject to the conditions listed previously. Based on the information in the application and the requirements of the plan approval, the Department has determined that the modifications are not subject to New Source Review (NSR) requirements of 25 Pa. Code Chapter 127, Subchapter E, or prevention of significant deterioration of air quality (PSD) requirements of Subchapter D. A final determination will be made based on additional inputs received.

The Department will consider written comments received within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Persons may oppose this preliminary determination by filing a written notice with the Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Air Quality, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335, Attn: Robert Huston.

East protest shall include the following:

1. Name, address and telephone number of the person filing each protest.
2. Identification of the proposed plan approval issuance being opposed.
3. Concise statement of the reasons for objecting to the issuance of the plan approval and the relevant facts upon which the objections are based.

If sufficient public interest is generated, the Department may, at its discretion, hold a public hearing or fact-finding conference at which time persons may appear and give testimony. If it is decided to hold a public hearing, a notice to this effect shall be published in a local newspaper giving the place and time of the hearing.

Persons with a disability who wish to comment and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodations to do so should contact Robert Huston, or the Pennsylvania AT&T relay service at (800) 654-5984 (TDD), to discuss how the Department may accommodate their needs.

For additional information regarding the above, contact Robert Huston or Devendra Verma at (814) 332-6940, or by writing the Department at the Meadville address given.

All the pertinent documents (application, review memo and draft approval), are available for review from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Meadville Regional DEP office (Air Quality). Appointments for scheduling a review must be made by calling the contact person indicated previously.

Applications received and intent to issue Plan Approvals under the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P. S. §§ 4001—4015).

Southeast Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428, (610) 832-6242.

PA-23-0047A: Degussa Corporation (1200 West Front Street, Chester, PA 19013) for a spray dryer in City of Chester, **Delaware County**.

PA-15-0029A: Dopaco, Inc. (241 Woodbine Road, Downingtown, PA 19335) for the construction of a flexographic printing press in Downingtown Borough, **Chester County**.

PA-15-0014B: Norwood Industries, Inc. (57 Morehall Road, Frazer, PA 19355) for the modification of a dust collector (baghouse) in East Whiteland Township, **Chester County**.

46-310-050GP: Pottstown Trap Rock Quarries, Inc. (394 Sanatoga Road, Pottstown, PA 19464) for the construction of a portable crushing plant in Lower Pottsgrove Township, **Montgomery County**.

Southcentral Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110, (717) 705-4702.

06-1007R: Carpenter Technology Corp. (P. O. Box 14662, Reading, PA 19612) for a steel manufacturing facility in Reading, **Berks County**.

06-1069D: East Penn Mfg. Co., Inc. (P. O. Box 147, Lyon Station, PA 19536) for grid casting operation at Plant A1 in Richmond Township, **Berks County**. These sources are subject to 40 CFR 60, Subpart KK, Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources.

06-1069E: East Penn Mfg. Co., Inc. (P. O. Box 147, Lyon Station, PA 19536) for a battery assembly operation controlled by a fabric collector at Plant A2 in Richmond Township, **Berks County**. These sources are subject to 40 CFR 60, Subpart KK, Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources.

06-3069: Highway Materials, Inc. (100 Kutz Road, Temple, PA 19560) for a nonmetallic mineral crushing plant controlled by wet suppression system in Alsace Township, **Berks County**. Parts of the source are subject to 40 CFR 60, Subpart OOO, Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources.

21-310-019B: Pennsy Supply, Inc. (P. O. Box 3331, Harrisburg, PA 17105) for modification/installation of an impact crusher for a sand processing plant in Dickinson Township, **Cumberland County**. This source is subject to 40 CFR 50, Subpart OOO, Standards of Performance for Nonmetallic Mineral Processing Plants.

Northcentral Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701, (717) 327-3637.

17-305-043: M. B. Energy, Inc. (P. O. Box 1319, Indiana, PA 15701) for construction of a coal crushing and loading operation in Chest Township, **Clearfield County**. This operation is subject to Subpart Y of the Federal Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources.

59-304-008C: Ward Mfg., Inc. (P. O. Box 9, Blossburg, PA 16912-0009) for construction of two Isocure core machines and associated air cleaning device (a packed bed scrubber) at the ACP Division in Lawrence Township, **Tioga County**.

REASONABLY AVAILABLE CONTROL TECHNOLOGY (RACT)

Applications received and intent to issue Operating Permits under the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P. S. §§ 4001—4015) and regulations for an operating permit to comply with 25 Pa. Code § 129.91 for Reasonable Available Control Technology.

Southeast Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428, (610) 832-6242.

OP-46-0018A: Brown Printing Company (668 Gravel Pike, East Greenville, PA 18041) on December 30, 1998, for the approval of Facility VOC/NOx RACT located in Upper Hanover Township, **Montgomery County**.

OP-09-0002A: Penn Color, Inc. (400 Old Dublin Pike, Doylestown, PA 18901) on December 30, 1998, for the approval of Facility VOC/NOx RACT located in Doylestown Township, **Bucks County**.

Notice of Proposed Revision to the State Implementation Plan for Oxides of Nitrogen (NOx) and Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) and Notice of Public Hearing

Approval of Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) Plans for:

Markel Corporation (Plymouth Township, Montgomery County)

Klearfold, Inc. (Warrington Township, Bucks County)

Johnson Matthey, Inc. (Tredyffrin Township, Chester County)

USX Corporation—Fairless Plant (Falls Township, Bucks County)

Markel Corporation (Operating Permit OP-46-0081)

<i>Source</i>	<i>VOC Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
8 horizontal extruders	21.5	Catalytic Oxidizer	Implemented
3 vertical extruders	18.3	Good Control Practices	Implemented
3 vertical wire extruders	13.1	Good Control Practices	Implemented

The facility is a minor NOx source.

Klearfold, Inc. (Operating Permit OP-09-0012)

<i>Source</i>	<i>VOC Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
3 silk screen presses	68 each	Limited VOC Content	Implemented
5 offset presses	68 each	Limited VOC Content	Implemented
Finishing	68	Good Control Practices	Implemented
Storage and mixing	68	Good Control Practices	Implemented
Preparation and maintenance	68	Good Control Practices	Implemented

The facility is also limited by a plant-wide applicability limit of 68.8 tons VOC per year for all of its emitting sources. The facility is a minor of NOx source.

Johnson Matthey, Inc. (Operating Permit OP-15-0027)

<i>Source</i>	<i>Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
4 coating lines	29.5 VOC	3lb of VOC Per Gallon	Implemented
Drying ovens	127 NOx	Natural Gas/Electrical	Implemented
Generators	9 NOx	Presumptive Limit	Implemented

The above emission limits are revisions to those originally published on February 18, 19 and 20, 1998.

USX Corporation—Fairless Plant (Operating Permit OP-09-0006)

<i>Source</i>	<i>Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
30 batch annealing furnaces	250 NOx	Manufacturer Specifications	Implemented
No. 2 cont. annealing furnace	39 NOx	Annual Tune-Up or Adjustment	Implemented
Galvanizing line furnace	106 NOx	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented

Cabot Performance Materials (Douglass Township, Montgomery County, Colebrookdale Township, Berks County)

Northeast Foods, Inc. (Bensalem Township, Bucks County)

Universal Packaging Corporation (Horsham Township, Montgomery County)

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has made a preliminary determination to approve TACT plans as amendments to the State Implementation Plan (SIP) for the above facilities. The proposed SIP revisions do not adopt new regulations. They incorporate the provisions and requirements contained in RACT approvals for these facilities to comply with current regulations.

These preliminary determinations, if finally approved, will be incorporated into Plan Approvals and/or Operating Permits for the facilities and will be submitted to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) as revisions to Pennsylvania's SIP.

The following is a summary of the preliminary RACT determinations for these facilities:

<i>Source</i>	<i>Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
Galvaneal furnace	8 NOx	Manufacturer Specifications	Implemented
Cold reduction mill 4-Stand	10 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented
Cold reduction mill 5-Stand	34 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented
Double cold reduction mill	19 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented

Cabot Performance Materials (Operating Permit OP-46-0037)

<i>Source</i>	<i>Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
3 boilers	220 NOx	Annual Tune-Up or Adjustment	Implemented
35 tanks (B-74)	23 VOC	Scrubber	Implemented
7 MIBK tanks (B-74)	28 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented
Tantalum mixers/settlers (B-74)	31 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented
Niobium mixers/settlers (B-74)	21 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented
Heating tank (B-19)	226 VOC	Scrubber	Implemented
7 tanks (B-23)	65 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented
4 tray dryers (B-47)	62 VOC	Scrubber	Implemented
Milling process equipment (B-47/ 101)	5 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented

Northeast Foods, Inc. (Operating Permit OP-09-0014)

<i>Source</i>	<i>Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
3 English muffin griddles	2.7 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented
Lanham roll oven	31 VOC	Manufacturer Specifications	Implemented

The facility is a minor NOx source.

Universal Packaging Corporation (Operating Permit OP-46-0156)

<i>Source</i>	<i>Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
Wide-web flexographic press	24.9 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented
3 flexographic presses	9.0 VOC	Good Operating Procedure	Implemented

The facility is a minor NOx source.

One public hearing will be held for the purpose of receiving comments on the proposed SIP revisions. The hearing will be held at 2 p.m. on March 4, 1999, at the Department's Southeast Regional Office, Lee Park, 555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Conshohocken, PA. The hearing will represent the opportunity for oral comment to the Department on the proposed SIP revisions and will not be a question and answer session. Persons wishing to present testimony at the hearing are encouraged to contact Clarke Rupert, DEP Community Relations Coordinator, at (610) 832-6020 to register prior to the hearing, but may also register at the hearing. Those unable to attend the hearing but who wish to comment should send their written comments to Francine Carlini, Air Quality Program Manager, Department of Environmental Protection, Southeast Regional Office, Lee Park, 555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Conshohocken, PA 19428 on or before March 4, 1999.

Individuals in need of accommodations as provided for in the Americans With Disabilities Act who would like to attend the hearing should contact Clarke Rupert at (610) 832-6020 or through the Pennsylvania AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984 (TDD) to discuss how the Department can meet their needs.

Copies of the pertinent documents are available for review at the Southeast Regional Office. Appointments for

scheduling a review may be made by calling (610) 832-6268.

Public Hearing

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) will conduct a public hearing on March 22, 1999, beginning at 1 p.m. in the Air Quality conference room at the Meadville Regional Office located at 230 Chestnut Street.

The hearing is for the Department to accept testimony concerning its decision to approve, with conditions, the revised Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) plans by:

Armstrong Cement & Supply Company, 100 Clearfield Road, Cabot, Butler County OP-10-028;

Ball Glass Container Corporation, One Glass Place, Port Allegany, McKean County OP-42-028;

Hodge Foundry, A Division of Svedala Ind. Inc., 42 Leech Rd., Greenville, Mercer County OP-43-036;

ESSROC Materials, Inc.;

Bessemer Borough, Lawrence County OP-37-003, to meet the requirements under 25 Pa. Code §§ 129.91—129.95 (RACT), concerning the emissions of oxides of nitrogen (NOx) and volatile organic compounds (VOC) from vari-

ous air contamination sources. The final RACT proposals will be submitted to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) as a revision to Pennsylvania's State Implementation Plan.

The proposed SIP revisions do not adopt new regulations. They incorporate the provisions and requirements contained in RACT approvals for these facilities to comply with current regulations.

The preliminary RACT determinations, if finally approved, will be incorporated into Plan Approvals and/or Operating Permits for the facilities and will be submitted to the EPA as a revision to Pennsylvania's State Implementation Plan.

The following is a revised summary of the preliminary NOx RACT determination for the above listed facilities:

Armstrong Cement & Supply Company

<i>Sources</i>	<i>Control</i>	<i>NOx Emission Limit</i>
Cement Kilns 1 and 2	CFG System on Clinker Coolers	6.62 lbs NOx per ton of product

Ball Glass Container Corporation

<i>Sources</i>	<i>Control</i>	<i>NOx Emission Limit</i>
Glass Melting Furnace No. 1	controls not economically feasible	7.8 lbs NOx/ton of Glass Melted
Glass Melting Furnace No. 2	controls not economically feasible	8.7 lbs NOx/ton of Glass Melted
Glass Melting Furnace No. 3	controls not economically feasible	6.0 lbs NOx/ton of Glass Melted

Hodge Foundry

<i>Sources</i>	<i>Control</i>	<i>VOC Emission Limit</i>
Pouring and Cooling	controls not economically feasible	3.6 lbs VOC/ton of binder
Shakeout	controls not economically feasible	30.8 lbs VOC/ton of binder
Large Cores and Molds Preparation	controls not economically feasible	20.6 lbs VOC/ton of binder
Small Cores and Molds Preparation	controls not economically feasible	2.3 lbs VOC/ton of binder

Additional Limits

Facility-wide furan usage shall not exceed 3 million pounds in any rolling 12-month period.

Pattern coatings shall not exceed 3.50 lbs VOC/gallon; as applied.

Heat treating and paint preheater sources shall comply with presumptive RACT requirements defined in 25 Pa. Code § 129.93(c)(1).

ESSROC Materials, Inc.

<i>Sources</i>	<i>Control</i>	<i>NOx Emission Limit</i>
Cement Kilns 4 and 5	Process Operations, Combustion Controls, Operator Training	Kiln No. 4—340 lbs/hour Kiln No. 5—476 lbs/hour

For the above facilities, a public hearing will be held for the purpose of receiving comments on the above proposed operating permit and the proposed SIP revisions. The public hearing is scheduled as follows: DEP Meadville Regional Office, Air Quality Conference Room, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335, March 22, 1999, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Persons wishing to present testimony at the hearing should contact Robert Huston, Air Pollution Control Engineer, DEP, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3494, (814) 332-6940 at least 1 week in advance of the hearing to reserve a time to present testimony. Oral testimony will be limited to a maximum of 10 minutes and two written copies of the oral testimony are required. Each organization is requested to designate one witness to present testimony in its own behalf.

Persons with a disability who wish to comment and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodations to do so should contact Robert Huston (814) 332-6940, or the Pennsylvania AT&T relay service at (800) 654-5984 (TDD) to discuss how the Department may accommodate their needs.

Those unable to attend the hearing but wish to comment should provide written comments to Robert Huston,

Air Pollution Control Engineer, Department of Environmental Protection, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3494. Comments should be submitted within 30 days of the date of this publication notice.

All the pertinent documents (applications, review memos and draft approvals) are also available for review from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Meadville Regional DEP office (Air Quality). Appointments for scheduling a review must be made by calling the contact person noted previously.

Notice of Intend to Issue RACT Operating Permit

Permit No. 06-1083
Berks County

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) intends to issue a RACT Operating Permit to Roeberg Enterprises, Inc. (17th & Fairview Sts., Reading, PA 19606) for the Yorgey's Dry Cleaning Plant in Reading, Berks County in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.44 and 40 CFR Part 52 (State Implementation Plan).

All of the pertinent documents are available at the Reading District Office. Reviews may be scheduled by

contacting Roger Fitterling at (610) 916-0100 between 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

One public hearing will be held for the purpose of receiving comments of the proposal. The hearing will be held on March 24, 1999, from 1 p.m. until all scheduled comments on the proposal are received in the Reading District Office. The public is invited to present testimony at the hearing and should contact Roger Fitterling at (610) 916-0100 to reserve a time to present testimony. Persons interested in submitting written comments should send their comments to Roger Fitterling, Air Pollution Control Engineer, 1005 Cross Roads Blvd., Reading, PA 19605, no later than March 31, 1999.

Persons with a disability who wish to attend the hearing, and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodation to participate in the proceedings should contact Sandra Roderick at (717) 705-4703 or through the AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984 (TDD) to discuss how the Department may accommodate their needs.

**Issuance of Reasonably Available Control
Technology (RACT) Plan Approval
Beaver County and Cambria County**

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) will hold hearings at 10 a.m. in the Waterfront A Conference Room, DEP Office, 500 Waterfront Drive, Pittsburgh, PA on March 15, 1999 to receive comments on the proposed approval of a Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) Plan and Emission Reduction Credits (ERC's) for:

Beaver County

NOVA Chemicals, Inc.

The proposed approval of the RACT Operating Permit No. 04-000-033 for NOVA Chemicals, Inc., Beaver Valley Plant, establishes a facility-wide annual emission rate for volatile organic compounds (VOC) by establishing a permanent restriction on VOC emissions for each individual group.

Cambria County

BAR Technologies Inc. (BARTECH)

The proposed approval of the RACT operating permit No. 11-000-005 for BARTECH requires the use of low excess air in their steam station and the use of presumptive RACT requirements for other steel making sources at the facility to reduce the NOx emissions.

The Department reviewed the above referenced RACT Plans and made a preliminary determination to approve these plans and amendments to the State Implementation Plan (SIP).

The proposed SIP revisions do not adopt new regulations. They incorporate the provisions and requirements contained in the RACT approval for these facilities to comply with current regulations.

The preliminary RACT determinations, if finally approved, will be incorporated into Plan Approvals and/or Operating Permits for the facilities and will be submitted to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) as revisions to the Pennsylvania's State Implementation Plan.

Persons wishing to present testimony at the hearings should contact Community Relations Coordinator Rita Zettelmayer at (412) 442-4183 by July 6, 1998. Oral testimony will be limited to a maximum of 10 minutes and two written copies of the testimony should be pro-

vided. Each organization is requested to designate one witness to present testimony on its behalf.

Persons with a disability who wish to comment and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodation to do so, should contact Rita Zettelmayer or the Pennsylvania AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984 (TDD) to discuss how the Department may accommodate their needs.

Those unable to attend the hearings, but wishing to comment, should provide written comments to the DEP Regional Air Quality Program Manager Joseph Pezze, 400 Waterfront Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15222. Comments should be submitted within 30 days of the date of this publication notice.

All pertinent documents are available for review from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Regional Office in Pittsburgh. Appointments for scheduling a review may be made by calling (412) 442-4000.

**APPLICATIONS RECEIVED UNDER
SECTION 401: FEDERAL WATER
POLLUTION CONTROL ACT**

ENCROACHMENTS

The following permit applications and requests for Environmental Assessment approval and requests for water quality certification have been received by the Department of Environmental Protection (Department). Section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C.A. § 1341(a)), requires the State to certify that the involved projects will not violate the applicable provisions of 33 U.S.C.A. §§ 1311—1313, 1316 and 1317 as well as relevant State requirements. Initial requests for 401 certification will be published concurrently with the permit application. Persons objecting to approval of a request for certification under section 401 or to the issuance of a Dam Safety or Encroachment Permit, or the approval of Environmental Assessments must submit comments, suggestions or objections within 30 days of the date of this notice as well as any questions to the office noted above the application.

Persons with a disability who wish to attend the hearing and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodation to participate in the proceedings, should contact the specified program. TDD users may contact the Department through the Pennsylvania AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984.

**Applications received under the Dam Safety and
Encroachments Act (32 P. S. §§ 693.1—693.27) and
section 302 of the Flood Plain Management Act
(32 P. S. § 679.302) and requests for certification
under section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution
Control Act.**

*Southeast Regional Office: Program Manager, Water
Management Program, Lee Park, Suite 6010, 555 North
Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428.*

E51-174. Encroachment. **Kvaerner Shipyard**, Philadelphia Naval Business Center, Philadelphia, PA 19112. To perform the following activities associated with the Kvaerner Philadelphia Shipyard Development: 1) To replace and maintain five reinforced concrete outfalls with existing and proposed diameters listed on the following Table 1. 2) To operate and maintain 25 existing reinforced concrete outfalls which are listed on the following Table 2. 3) To operate and maintain all bulkheads, quay walls and

relieving platforms associated with the existing Port Facility. The site is located at the former Philadelphia Naval Shipyard in the vicinity of dry dock no. 4 and dry

dock no. 5 at the terminus of Porter Avenue (Philadelphia, PA-NJ USGS Quadrangle N: 2.0 inches; W: 9.4 inches) in the City and **County of Philadelphia**.

Table 1:

<i>Outfall ID</i>	<i>Existing Diameter (in.)</i>	<i>Proposed Diameter (in.)</i>
KPI-019	10	30
KPI-021	20	48
KPI-022	18	30
KPI-046	12	24
KPI-047	12	48

Table 2:

<i>Outfall ID</i>	<i>Diameter (in.)</i>
KPI-018	12
KPI-020	24
KPI-023	8
KPI-026	*
CSO-017	24
CSO-012	Drainage Culvert
KPI-027	36
KPI-028	*
KPI-029	8
KPI-030	8
KPI-031	*
KPI-032	8
KPI-033	6
KPI-034	6
KPI-035	6
KPI-036	6
KPI-037	6
KPI-038	4
KPI-039	12
KPI-040	8
KPI-041	12
KPI-042	12
KPI-043	8
KPI-044	8
KPI-045	12

* Inlet discharges from bottom of manhole, directly into river.

Northeast Regional Office: Soils and Waterways Section, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-0790, (570) 826-5485.

E40-514. Encroachment. **MC Development Company**, 1902 Wyoming Avenue, Forty Fort, PA 18704. To place fill in 0.5 acre of wetlands and within the floodway of Espy Run and a tributary to Espy Run (CWF), for the purpose of constructing a 104-unit residential development known as Lexington Terrace. The project includes sanitary and stormwater utility line crossings of wetlands and/or the floodway of Espy Run, and a stormwater outfall to Espy Run which has been authorized under the Department's General Permit BDWM-GP-4. The project is

located on the east side of Kosciuszko Street, approximately 0.4 mile north of Middle Road (S. R. 2008) (Wilkes-Barre West, PA Quadrangle N: 13.3 inches; W: 15.6 inches), City of Nanticoke, **Luzerne County** (Baltimore District, U. S. Army Corps of Engineers).

E40-515. Encroachment. **David Flaim**, c/o Computer Visionaries, Inc., 1258 Route 315, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702-7010. To construct and maintain a single-span bridge across Gardner Creek (CWF), for the purpose of providing access to a proposed single-family dwelling. The proposed bridge has a span of 32.0 feet and an underclearance of 5.5 feet. The project includes minor road crossings impacting a de minimis area of wetlands

equal to 0.02 acre, to be authorized using the Department's General Permit BDWM-GP-7. The project is located on the east side of Westminster Road (S. R. 2039), approximately 0.4 mile southeast of S. R. 0081 (Pittston, PA Quadrangle N: 6.0 inches; W: 4.1 inches), Jenkins Township, **Luzerne County** (Baltimore District, U. S. Army Corps of Engineers).

E45-367. Encroachment. **Gerald and Mary Gheraldi**, 4 Jamestowne Road, Manalatan, NJ 07726. To remove four gravel and sediment deposits from an approximate 150-foot channel section of a tributary to Appenzell Creek (HQ-CWF), to improve recreational use and flood flow conveyance of the stream. The project is located approximately 0.25 mile west of the intersection of S. R. 3026 and S. R. 3021 (Saylorsburg, PA Quadrangle N: 19.5 inches; W: 15.1 inches), Jackson Township, **Monroe County** (Philadelphia District, U. S. Army Corps of Engineers).

E45-158. Encroachment. **Dingmans Choice and Delaware Bridge Co.**, P. O. Box 908, Milford, PA 18337. To repair and maintain the Pennsylvania portion of the Dingmans Ferry Bridge across the Delaware River (WWF, MF), which spans from Delaware Township, PA to Sandystone Township, NJ. Work will consist of repairing the concrete pier located in Pennsylvania and replacing riprap around the pier within a 0.2 acre area for scour protection. The structure is a 3-span truss bridge with a total length of approximately 540 feet, and a minimum underclearance of approximately 30 feet. The bridge is located approximately 0.6 mile east of the intersection of U. S. Route 209 and S. R. 0739. (Culvers Gap, NJ-PA Quadrangle N: 17.3 inches; W: 15.2 inches), Delaware Township, **Pike County** (Philadelphia District, U. S. Army Corps of Engineers).

E64-199. Encroachment. **Gordon T. Worum**, 885 Bohnet Drive, Fairbanks, Alaska 99712. To modify and maintain an existing single-span bridge across the West Branch Lackawaxen River (HQ-CWF), with work consisting of replacing the bridge deck using steel I-beams with a wooden deck. The existing rock abutment will be kept in place. The bridge has a span of approximately 30 feet and an underclearance of approximately 5 feet and is located on the northeastern side of S. R. 170, approximately 0.85 mile southeast of the intersection of S. R. 170 and S. R. 4025 (Forest City, Quadrangle N: 15.3 inches; W: 4.0 inches), Mount Pleasant Township, **Wayne County** (Philadelphia District, U. S. Army Corps of Engineers).

Northcentral Region: Water Management, Soils and Waterways Section, F. Alan Sever, Chief, 208 West Third St., Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701.

E14-337. Encroachment. **Ferguson Township Supervisors**, 3147 Research Drive, State College, PA 16801. Beaver Branch of Spruce Creek. The project is located in three sections along a 1.5 mile section of Tadpole Road beginning approximately 1.09 miles west from the intersection of Gatesburg Road in Ferguson Township, **Centre County** (Pine Grove Mills PA Quadrangle N: 20.5 inches; W: 13.53 inches). The purpose of the application is to place 0.12 acre of permanent fill in PEM wetlands to widen the roadway for safety improvement. The applicant proposes to replace 0.2 acre through participation in the Pennsylvania Replacement Project.

E49-222. Encroachment. **Bloomsburg Hospital Properties, Inc.**, 549 East Fair Street, Bloomsburg, PA 17815. To construct, operate and maintain a parking area in the floodway of an unnamed tributary to Shamokin Creek; to

construct, operate and maintain a pedestrian bridge across an unnamed tributary to Shamokin Creek (a cold water fishery) to provide access to an existing medical facility. The construction of the parking area shall consist of removal of existing vegetation and earth and placing a crushed stone sub-base that will not exceed existing elevations. The pedestrian bridge shall be constructed with a maximum width of 5-feet and a maximum span of 24-feet. The project will not impact wetlands while impacting 16-feet of waterway that is located along the eastern right-of-way of S. R. 0054 approximately 100-feet north of the intersection of West Centre Street and S. R. 0045 (Shamokin, PA Quadrangle N: 20.8 inches; W: 7.3 inches) in Ralpho Township, **Northumberland County**. This permit also authorizes the construction, operation and maintenance of a stormwater outfall structure that shall be constructed in accordance with the Department of Environmental Protection's BDWM-GP-5.

Southwest Regional Office: Soils and Waterways Section, 400 Waterfront Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4745.

E32-397. Encroachment. **William E. Beatty**, 403 Woodhaven Drive, Monroeville, PA 15146. To construct and maintain a 40-foot long, 7.5-foot diameter pipe culvert under an existing farm road in an unnamed tributary to South Branch Plum Creek (HQ-CWF) located approximately 3.25 miles south of the intersection of S. R. 85 and S. R. 210 (Plumville, PA Quadrangle N: 1.5 inches; W: 1.6 inches) in Washington Township, **Indiana County**.

E02-1196 A-1. Encroachment. **Allegheny Asphalt Manufacturing, Inc.**, 1020 Lebanon Road, West Mifflin, PA 15112. To amend Permit No. E02-1196 to construct and maintain the upstream barge facility using the existing mooring cells and two additional mooring cells in lieu of the sunken barges along the left bank of the Ohio River (WWF) to provide safe and efficient loading and unloading of barges. The project is located near River Mile 5.2 (Pittsburgh West, PA Quadrangle N: 22.0 inches; W: 10.2 inches) in Neville Township, **Allegheny County**.

Northwest Regional Office: Soils and Waterways Section, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6942.

E10-286A. Encroachment. **Mine Safety Appliances Company**, P. O. Box 426, Pittsburgh, PA 15230-0426. To amend existing permit application no. E10-286 to include the placement of fill within a total of 2.29 acres of 14 separate wetland areas as part of the development of the 13 parcel Cranberry Woods Corporate Office Park by Mine Safety Appliances Company and Trammell Crow Company. This development is located on the Mine Safety Appliances Company property (306 acres) directly south and east of the intersection of S. R. 0228 and I-79 at the Exit 25 interchange/overpass. This project will also include the creation of at least 2.29 acres of replacement wetlands in two separate locations within the Cranberry Woods Corporate Office Park (Mars, PA Quadrangle N: 10.0 inches; W: 13.0 inches) located in Cranberry Township, **Butler County**.

E25-576. Encroachment. **Erie Western Pennsylvania Port Authority**, 17 West Dobbins Landing, Erie, PA 16507-1424. To modify and maintain the existing East Avenue Boat Ramp in and along Lake Erie (Erie North, PA Quadrangle N: 3.6 inches; W: 8.9 inches) located in the City of Erie, **Erie County**, including the following structures and activities.

1. Remove the existing breakwater and excavate interior area to a bottom elevation of 568 feet (USGS Datum).

2. Construct a 500-foot-long rock fill breakwater having an interior slope of 2.5H:1V and an exterior slope of 4H:1V and a top width of 20 feet, including a 10-foot-wide concrete sidewalk.

3. Construct a concrete boat launch ramp and apron measuring approximately 50 feet wide by 100 feet long adjacent to the east side of the existing boat launch ramps.

4. Construct and maintain a dock measuring approximately 60 feet long by 5 feet wide along the inside of the breakwater to provide docking facilities for a ferry boat.

E33-193. Encroachment. **PA Department of Transportation**, Engineering District 10-0, P. O. Box 429, Route 286 South, Indiana, PA 15701. To remove the existing two span (each span 77 feet 9 inches in length) steel through girder bridge and to construct and maintain a two span composite steel I-beam bridge with each clear span measuring 78 feet and an underclearance of 17 feet 5 inches on S. R. 3033 (Mabon Street) across Sandy Lick Creek (TSF). The project is located on S. R. 3033 (Mabon Street) across Sandy Lick Creek approximately 300 feet south of the intersection of S. R. 3033 (Mabon Street) and Western Avenue in the Borough of Brookville. This project will utilize a temporary causeway in Sandy Lick Creek for the construction of a new bridge pier and removal and placement of the bridges (Brookville, PA Quadrangle N: 4.5 inches; W: 11.0 inches) located in Borough of Brookville, **Jefferson County**.

E62-341. Encroachment. **Sheffield Township**, 20 Leather Street, Sheffield, PA 16347. To install and maintain a 6-inch-diameter PVC dry hydrant water intake into Fourmile Run (HQ-CWF, Trout Stocked, Wild Trout). The project is located on Fourmile Run approximately 2,500 feet northeast of the intersection of S. R. 0006 and Four Mile Road in the Village of Saybrook (Sheffield, PA Quadrangle N: 18.5 inches; W: 6.2 inches) located in Sheffield Township, **Warren County**.

ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

Requests for Environmental Assessment approval under 25 Pa. Code § 105.15 and requests for certification under section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.

Central Office: Bureau of Waterways Engineering, 400 Market Street, 6th Floor, P. O. Box 8554, Harrisburg, PA 17105-8554, (717) 787-8568.

EA10-004C0. Environmental Assessment. **W. J. Blumenschein and Sons, Inc.** (9640 Babcock Boulevard, Allison Park, PA 15101). To construct and maintain two nonjurisdictional dams across tributaries to Thorn Creek (WWF) to manage stormwater at the proposed Sugar Creek Plan of Lots located immediately east of the intersection of Dutchtown Road and Hageman Road (Township Line Road (Butler, PA Quadrangle N: 12.10 inches; W: 3.45 inches) in Butler Township, **Butler County**.

EA64-002C0. Environmental Assessment. **Steven and Deirdre Renehen** (130 Whiptridge Road, Summit, NJ 07901). To construct and maintain a nonjurisdictional dam across a tributary to Cooley Creek (HQ-CWF) for the purpose of recreation located approximately 5,800 feet northwest of the intersection of T-627 and T-670 (Long Eddy, NY-PA Quadrangle N: 11.40 inches; W: 2.35 inches) in Manchester Township, **Wayne County**.

ACTIONS

FINAL ACTIONS TAKEN UNDER THE PENNSYLVANIA CLEAN STREAMS LAW AND THE FEDERAL CLEAN WATER ACT

[National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Program (NPDES)]

DISCHARGE OF CONTROLLED INDUSTRIAL WASTE AND SEWERAGE WASTEWATER

(Part I Permits)

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has taken the following actions on previously received permit applications and requests for plan approval and has issued the following significant orders.

Persons aggrieved by this action may appeal, under section 4 of the Environmental Hearing Board Act (35 P. S. § 7514) and 2 Pa.C.S. §§ 501—508 and 701—704 (relating to the Administrative Agency Law), to the Environmental Hearing Board, Second Floor, Rachel Carson State Office Building, 400 Market Street, P. O. Box 8457, Harrisburg, PA 17105-8457, (717) 787-3483. TDD users may contact the Board through the Pennsylvania Relay Service, (800) 654-5984. Appeals must be filed with the Environmental Hearing Board within 30 days of receipt of written notice of this action unless the appropriate statute provides a different time period. Copies of the appeal form and the Board's rules of practice and procedure may be obtained from the Board. The appeal form and the Board's rules of practice and procedure are also available in braille or on audiotape from the Secretary to the Board at (717) 787-3483. This paragraph does not, in and of itself, create any right of appeal beyond that permitted by applicable statutes and decisional law.

Industrial waste and sewerage actions under The Clean Streams Law (35 P. S. §§ 691.1—691.1001).

Northeast Regional Office: Water Management Program Manager, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-0790, (717) 826-2511.

Permit No. 4598405. **George Hatchard**, Vice Chairperson, Mount Pocono Municipal Authority, 303 Pocono Boulevard, Mt. Pocono, PA 18344. Permit to construct a sanitary sewer collection and conveyance system, located in Mount Pocono Borough, **Monroe County**.

Northcentral Regional Office: 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Grit Building, Williamsport, PA 17701.

NPDES Permit No. PA0041131. Sewerage. **Columbia Montour Area Vocational Technical School**, 5050 Swettenheiser Drive, Bloomsburg, PA 17815-8920. Applicant granted permission to discharge treated sewage, for facility located at South Centre Township, **Columbia County**.

NPDES Permit No. PA0209732. Sewerage. **Mary Graham**, R. R. 1, Box 529A, Woodland, PA 16881. Applicant granted permission to discharge treated sewage from facility located at Bradford Township, **Clearfield County**.

WQM Permit No. 1798406. Sewerage. **Mary Graham**, R. D. 1 Box 529A, Woodland, PA 16881. Applicant granted permission to replace old system with a new sewage plant to discharge treated sewage from facility located at Bradford Township, **Clearfield County**.

NPDES Permit No. PA0035777. Industrial waste. **Hoeganaes Corporation**, Yuris Road, Watsonstown, PA 17777 (Milton Plant). Applicant granted permission to renew existing industrial waste permit for treated sewage and noncontact cooling water discharge to unnamed tributary of Muddy Run. Facility located at Delaware Township, **Northumberland County**.

Northwest Regional Office: Regional Water Management Program Manager, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335, (814) 332-6942.

NPDES Permit No. PA0034215. Sewage. **Whitehaven Campgrounds**, 493 Westford Road, Westford, PA 16134 is authorized to discharge from a facility located in South Shenango Township, **Crawford County** to an unnamed tributary to the Pymatuning Reservoir.

NPDES Permit No. PA0221031. Sewage, **Daniel E. Long**, 1499 Mercer-New Wilmington Rd., New Wilmington, PA 16142 is authorized to discharge from a facility located in East Lackawannock Township, **Mercer County** to an Unnamed Tributary of Little Neshannock Creek.

INDIVIDUAL PERMITS

(PAS)

The following NPDES Individual Permits for discharges of stormwater from construction activities have been issued.

Southeast Regional Office: Regional Water Management Program Manager, Lee Park, Suite 6010, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428-2233, (610) 832-6130.

<i>NPDES Permit No.</i>	<i>Applicant Name and Address</i>	<i>County and Municipality</i>	<i>Receiving Stream</i>
PAS10-D103	Judd Builders and Developers 1750 Walton Road P. O. Box 1650 Blue Bell, PA 19422	Richland Township Bucks County	Tohickon Creek

Northwest Regional Office: Regional Water Management Program Manager, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6942.

<i>NPDES Permit No.</i>	<i>Applicant Name and Address</i>	<i>County and Municipality</i>	<i>Receiving Stream</i>
PAS107204	Lightning Oil Company, Ltd. 225A Swede Road Tidioute, PA 16351	Warren County Limestone and Watson Townships	East Hickory Creek and Middle Creek

INDIVIDUAL PERMITS

(PAR)

The following parties have submitted Notices of Intent (NOIs) for Coverage under (1) General NPDES Permit(s) to discharge wastewater into the surface waters of this Commonwealth. The approval for coverage under these general NPDES permits is subject to applicable effluent limitations, monitoring, reporting requirements and other conditions set forth in the general permit; (2) General Permit(s) for Beneficial Use of Sewage Sludge or Residential Septage by Land Application in Pennsylvania. The approval of coverage for land application of sewage sludge or residential septage under these general permits is subject to pollutant limitations, pathogen and vector attraction reduction requirements, operational standards, general requirements, management practices and other conditions set forth in the respective general permit. The Department of Environmental Protection approves the following coverages under the specified General Permit.

The EPA Region III Regional Administrator has waived the right to review or object to this permit action under the waiver provision: 40 CFR 123.24.

The application and related documents, effluent limitations, permitting requirements and other information are on file and may be inspected and arrangement made for copying at the contact office noted.

List of NPDES and/or other General Permit Type

PAG-1	General Permit For Discharges From Stripper Oil Well Facilities
PAG-2	General Permit For Discharges of Stormwater From Construction Activities
PAG-3	General Permit For Discharges of Stormwater From Industrial Activities
PAG-4	General Permit For Discharges From Single Residence Sewage Treatment Plant
PAG-5	General Permit For Discharges From Gasoline Contaminated Ground Water Remediation Systems
PAG-6	General Permit For Wet Weather Overflow Discharges From Combined Sewer Systems
PAG-7	General Permit For Beneficial Use of Exceptional Quality Sewage Sludge By Land Application

*List of NPDES and/or other
General Permit Type*

PAG-8 General Permit For Beneficial Use of Non-Exceptional Quality Sewage Sludge By Land Application to Agricultural Land, Forest, a Public Contact Site or a Land Reclamation Site

PAG-9 General Permit For Beneficial Use of Residential Septage By Land Application to Agricultural Land, Forest or a Land Reclamation Site

General Permit Type—PAG 2

Facility Location

*County and
Municipality*

Permit No.

*Applicant Name
and Address*

*Receiving Stream
or Body of Water*

*Contact Office and
Telephone No.*

<i>Facility Location County and Municipality</i>	<i>Permit No.</i>	<i>Applicant Name and Address</i>	<i>Receiving Stream or Body of Water</i>	<i>Contact Office and Telephone No.</i>
Union County Union Township	PAR106828	Winfield Acres Joseph and Pauline Ulrich R. R. 2, Box 191 Selinsgrove, PA	Unt. to Winfield Creek	Union County Conservation 60 Bull Run Crossing Lewisburg, PA 17837 (717) 523-8782
Westtown Township Chester County	PAR10-G299	Sunrise Development Group 771 East Lancaster Avenue, 2nd Floor Villanova, PA 19085	East Branch Chester Creek	555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Lee Park Conshohocken, PA 19428 (610) 832-6133
Concord Township Chester County	PAR10-J133	Karen H. Honold P. O. Box 159 Concordville, PA 19331	Unnamed Tributary to West Branch Chester Creek	555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Lee Park Conshohocken, PA 19428 (610) 832-6133
Plymouth Township Montgomery County	PAR10-T483	Plymouth Road Associates 839 Germantown Pike Norristown, PA	Unnamed Tributary of Plymouth Creek	555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Lee Park Conshohocken, PA 19428 (610) 832-6133
Lower Providence Township Montgomery County	PAR10-T487	Gwynedd Glen, Inc. 484 Norristown Road Blue Bell, PA	Perkiomen Creek	555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Lee Park Conshohocken, PA 19428 (610) 832-6133
Whitpain Township Montgomery County	PAR10-T465	Philomeno and Asalmone 450 South Gravers Road Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462	Lorraine Run	555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Lee Park Conshohocken, PA 19428 (610) 832-6133
Lower Providence Township Montgomery County	PAR10-T489	John Heyser 400 North Park Avenue Norristown, PA	Unnamed Pond on Unnamed Tributary to Stoney Creek	555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Lee Park Conshohocken, PA 19428 (610) 832-6133
Plymouth Township Montgomery County	PAR10-T493	Six Valley Square Associates LLC 150 South Warner Road King of Prussia, PA 19406	Sawmill Run	555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Lee Park Conshohocken, PA 19428 (610) 832-6133
Lehigh County Whitehall Township	PAR10Q112	Weis Markets, Inc. Alex Ororbia P. O. Box 471 Sunbury, PA 17801-0471	Coplay Creek	Lehigh CD (610) 391-9583
Lehigh County Upper Saucon Township	PAR10Q113	Church of the Assumption B.V.M. John Martin 4101 Old Bethlehem Pike Bethlehem, PA 18105	Saucon Creek	Lehigh CD (610) 391-9583

<i>Facility Location County and Municipality</i>	<i>Permit No.</i>	<i>Applicant Name and Address</i>	<i>Receiving Stream or Body of Water</i>	<i>Contact Office and Telephone No.</i>
Northampton County Glendon Borough	PAR10U106	Joseph Reibman Glendon Properties, Inc. 108 N. Eighth St. Allentown, PA 18101-1202	Lehigh River	Northampton CD (610) 746-1971
Schuylkill County Girardville Borough/ Butler Township	PAR105772	Girardville Area Sewage Treatment Facility Girardville Area Mun. Auth. P. O. Box 5 4th and B Streets Girardville, PA 17935	Mahanoy Creek to Susquehanna River	Schuylkill CD (570) 622-3742
Mercer County Pine Township	PAR104336	Christner Realty, Inc. 235 Alpha Drive Pittsburgh, PA 15238	Unnamed Tributary to Swamp Run	Mercer Conservation District R. D. 2, Box 2055 747 Greenville Road Mercer, PA 16137 (724) 662-2242
Mercer County City of Hermitage	PAR104338	John XXIII Home 2250 Shenango Valley Freeway Hermitage, PA 16148	Unnamed Tributary to Bobby Run	Mercer Conservation District R. D. 2, Box 2055 747 Greenville Road Mercer, PA 16137 (724) 662-2242

General Permit Type—PAG 3

<i>Facility Location County and Municipality</i>	<i>Permit No.</i>	<i>Applicant Name and Address</i>	<i>Receiving Stream or Body of Water</i>	<i>Contact Office and Telephone No.</i>
City of Meadville Crawford County	PAR608305	Lincoln Metal Processing Co., Inc. Meadville Metal Co. 1602 Selinger Ave. P. O. Box 8127 Erie, PA 16505	French Creek	Northwest Region Water Management 230 Chestnut St. Meadville, PA 16335-3481 (814) 332-6942
Millcreek Township Erie County	PAR608306	Lincoln Metal Processing Co., Inc. 1602 Selinger Ave. P. O. Box 8127 Erie, PA 16505	Unnamed Tributary to Lake Erie	Northwest Region Water Management 230 Chestnut St. Meadville, PA 16335-3481 (814) 332-6942
Pymatuning Township Mercer County	PAR208319	Cobra Metal, Inc. 4100 Congress Pkwy., Inc. P. O. Box 449 Richfield, OH 44286-0449	Shenango River	Northwest Region Water Management 230 Chestnut St. Meadville, PA 16335-0481 (814) 332-6942

**SEWAGE FACILITIES ACT
PLAN APPROVAL**

**Plan approval granted under the Pennsylvania
Sewage Facilities Act (35 P. S. §§ 750.1—750.20).**

*Regional Office: Water Management Program Manager,
Southcentral Region, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg,
PA 17110.*

*Location: Elizabethville Borough, Dauphin County, P. O.
Box 578, Elizabethville, PA 17023. The approved plan
provides for construction of a .4 mgd sequencing batch
reactor STP to replace, expand and upgrade an aging
extended aeration STP no longer able to meet its dis-
charge limits. The Authority will continue to implement a
phased rehabilitation of the Borough's sewage collection*

system to remove inflow and infiltration. The Depart-
ment's review of the sewage facilities update revision has
not identified significant environmental impacts resulting
from this proposal. Any required NPDES Permits or
WQM Permits must be obtained in the name of the
municipality or authority as appropriate.

*Location: Salisbury Township, Lancaster County, 5581
Old Philadelphia Pike, Gap, PA 17527. Approved plan
provides for construction of a .240 mgd STP at the sight
of the municipality's existing .1 mgd STP. Phased con-
struction of a collection system serving the areas north
and east of the Village of Gap is included in the 5 and 10
year future sewer service area. The Department's review
of the sewage facilities update revision has not identified
significant environmental impacts resulting from this
proposal. Any required NPDES Permits or WQM Permits*

must be obtained in the name of the municipality or authority as appropriate.

Plan revision approval granted December 30, 1998 under the Pennsylvania Sewage Facilities Act (35 P. S. §§ 750.1—750.20).

Regional Office: Water Management Program Manager, Southcentral Region, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110.

Location: Rapho Township, Lancaster County, 971 North Colebrook Road, Manheim, PA 17545; and Mount Joy Borough, Lancaster County, 21 East Main Street, Mount Joy, PA 17552. The proposed development is located in the area of Strickler Road, S. R. 0230, Harrisburg Pike, Esbenshade Road and Eby Chiques Road, Rapho Township and Mount Joy Borough, Lancaster County.

The approved project consists of the construction of a sewer extension and pump station to serve 728 (equivalent dwelling units) EDUs (mixed use). Fifty-one EDUs will be served in Mount Joy Borough and the remaining 677 EDUs will be served in Rapho Township. Any required NPDES permits or WQM permits must be obtained in the name of the municipality or authority.

SAFE DRINKING WATER

Actions taken under the Pennsylvania Safe Drinking Water Act (35 P. S. §§ 721.1—721.17).

Regional Office: Sanitarian Regional Manager, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110-8200, (717) 705-4708.

Permit No. 2198502. Public water supply. **Filson Water Treatment Inc.**, South Middleton Township, **Cumberland County**. *Responsible Official:* John R. Filson, II, Secretary/Treasurer, Filson Water Treatment, Inc., Four Appomattox Court, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055. *Type of Facility:* A 675 gallon per day bottled water facility utilizing reverse osmosis treatment.

Permit No. 0698504. Public water supply. **Womelsdorf-Robeson Joint Authority**, Millcreek Township, **Berks County**. *Responsible Official:* Harold J. Ranck, Chairperson, 490 Lyman Avenue, Womelsdorf, PA 19567. *Type of Facility:* Well No. 9 with disinfection.

Regional Office: Northcentral Field Operations, Environmental Program Manager, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701.

Application No. M. A. The Department issued a construction permit to **Pennsylvania American Water Company** (800 Hershey Park Drive, P. O. Box 888, Hershey, PA 17033-0888, Philipsburg Borough, **Centre County**) for construction of modifications to the wastewater clarifier at the Philipsburg water treatment plant.

LAND RECYCLING AND ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION

Under Act 2, 1995

Preamble 3

The following final reports were submitted under the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act (35 P. S. §§ 6026.101—6026.908).

Provisions of Chapter 3 of the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act (act) require the Department of Environmental Protection (Depart-

ment) to publish in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* a notice of submission of any final reports. A final report is submitted to document cleanup of a release of a regulated substance at a site to one of the act's remediation standards. A final report provides a description of the site investigation to characterize the nature and extent of contaminants in environmental media, the basis for selecting the environmental media of concern, documentation supporting the selection of residential or nonresidential exposure factors, a description of the remediation performed and summaries of sampling methodology and analytical results which demonstrate that the remediation has attained the cleanup standard selected.

For further information concerning the final report, please contact the Environmental Cleanup Program in the Department's Regional Office under which the notice of receipt of a final report appears. If information concerning a final report is required in an alternative form, contact the Community Relations Coordinator at the appropriate regional office listed. TDD users may telephone the Department through the AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984.

The Department has received the following final reports:

Southcentral Regional Office: Environmental Cleanup Manager, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110-8200, (717) 705-4705.

909 Partners, L. P. Site, Susquehanna Township, **Dauphin County**. EPSYS Corporation, 5801 Grayson Road, Harrisburg, PA 17111 has submitted a Final Report concerning remediation of site groundwater contaminated with heavy metals and solvents. The report is intended to document remediation of the site to meet the Statewide health standard.

Distribution Pole 20647S32034, Mechanicsburg Borough, **Cumberland County**. PP&L, Inc., Two North Ninth Street, Allentown, PA 18101, has submitted a Final Report concerning remediation of site soils contaminated with PCBs. The report is intended to document remediation of the site to meet the Statewide health standard.

NFO Partners Site, formerly American Insulators property, New Freedom Borough, **York County**. NFO Partners, c/o Springwood Development Corp., 2350 Springwood Road, York, PA 17402 has submitted a Final Report concerning remediation of site soils contaminated with heavy metals, BTEX and PAHs. The report is intended to document remediation of the site to meet the Statewide health standard.

LAND RECYCLING AND ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION

Under Act 2, 1995

Preamble 4

The Department has taken action on the following plans and reports under the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act (35 P. S. §§ 6026.101—6026.908) and Chapter 250 Administration of Land Recycling Program

Provisions of Chapter 250.8 Administration of Land Recycling Program requires the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) to publish in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* a notice of its final actions on plans and reports. A final report is submitted to document cleanup of a release of a regulated substance at a site to one of the Act 2 (Land Recycling and Environmental Remedia-

tion Standards Act) remediation standards. Plans and reports required by provisions of Act 2 for compliance with selection of remediation to a site-specific standard, in addition to a final report, include a remedial investigation report, risk assessment report and cleanup plan. A remedial investigation report includes conclusions from the site investigation, concentration of regulated substances in environmental media, benefits of reuse of the property, and in some circumstances, a fate and transport analysis. If required, a risk assessment report describes potential adverse effects caused by the presence of regulated substances. A cleanup plan evaluates the abilities of potential remedies to achieve remedy requirements. A final report provides a description of the site investigation to characterize the nature and extent of contaminants in environmental media, the basis for selecting the environmental media of concern, documentation supporting the selection of residential or nonresidential exposure factors, a description of the remediation performed and summaries of sampling methodology and analytical results which demonstrate that the remediation has attained the cleanup standard selected. The Department may approve or disapprove plans and reports submitted. This notice provides the Department's decision and, if relevant, the basis for disapproval.

For further information concerning the plans and reports, contact the Environmental Cleanup Program in the Department's Regional Office under which the notice of the plan or report appears. If information concerning a final report is required in an alternative form, contact the community relations coordinator at the appropriate Regional Office listed. TDD users may telephone the Department through the AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984.

The Department has acted upon the following plans and reports:

Southcentral Regional Office: Environmental Cleanup Program Manager, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110-8200, (717) 705-4705.

NFO Partners Site, formerly American Insulators property, New Freedom Borough, **York County**. NFO Partners, c/o Springwood Development Corp., 2350 Springwood Road, York, PA 17402 has submitted a final report concerning the remediation of site soils contaminated with heavy metals, BTEX and PAHs. The final report demonstrated attainment of the Statewide health standard, and was approved by the Department on January 4, 1999.

PP&L Distribution Pole 33817S26828, Lower Paxton Township, **Dauphin County**. PP&L, Inc., Two North Ninth Street, Allentown, PA 18101-1179 submitted a final report concerning the remediation of site soils contaminated with PCBs. The final report demonstrated attainment of the Statewide health standard, and was approved by the Department on January 7, 1999.

PP&L Distribution Pole 26142S34603, East Donegal Township, **Lancaster County**. PP&L, Inc., Two North Ninth Street, Allentown, PA 18101-1179 submitted a final report concerning the remediation of site soils contaminated with PCBs. The final report demonstrated attainment of the Statewide health standard, and was approved by the Department on January 7, 1999.

PP&L Distribution Pole 20647S32034, Mechanicsburg Borough, **Cumberland County**. PP&L, Inc., Two North Ninth Street, Allentown, PA 18101-1179 submitted a final report concerning the remediation of site soils contaminated with PCBs. The final report demonstrated attainment of the Statewide health standard, and was approved by the Department on January 13, 1999.

SOLID AND HAZARDOUS WASTE BENEFICIAL USE DETERMINATIONS

Permit for Determination of Applicability for General Permit issued under the Solid Waste Management Act (35 P. S. §§ 6018.101—6018.1003) and regulations for municipal and residual waste.

Northcentral Regional Office: Regional Solid Waste Manager, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701, (570) 327-3653.

General Permit No. WMGR038. Bradford County Landfill, Northern Tier Solid Waste Authority (P. O. Box 10, Burlington, PA 18814). Application for Determination of Applicability for General Permit to operate a waste tire processing facility located in West Burlington Township, **Bradford County**. Permit issued in the regional office on January 12, 1999.

HAZARDOUS WASTE, TREATMENT, STORAGE AND DISPOSAL FACILITIES

Permit issued under the Solid Waste Management, (35 P. S. §§ 6018.101—6018.1003) and regulations for post-closure of a hazardous waste treatment, storage or disposal facility.

Northcentral Regional Office: Regional Solid Waste Manager, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701, (570) 327-3653.

Permit No. PAD003050846. GTE Muncy, GTE Operations Support, Inc. (1255 Corporate Drive, SVC04C38, Irving, TX 75038). Post-closure permit for a hazardous waste facility located in Muncy Township, **Lycoming County**, issued in the regional office on January 13, 1999.

OPERATE WASTE PROCESSING OR DISPOSAL AREA OR SITE

Permits issued under the Solid Waste Management Act (35 P. S. §§ 6018.101—6018.1003), the Municipal Waste Planning, Recycling and Waste Reduction Act (53 P. S. §§ 4000.101—4000.1904) and regulations to operate solid waste processing or disposal area or site.

Regional Office: Northeast Regional Office, Regional Solid Waste Manager, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-0790, (717) 826-2516.

Permit I. D. No. 301257. Martins Creek SES Ash Basin No. 4, Pennsylvania Power and Light Company (PP&L), Two North Ninth Street, Allentown, PA 18101-1179. A permit, authorizing the operation of an existing local, captive, Class II Residual Waste Disposal Impoundment, known as Ash Basin No. 4, located in Lower Mount Bethel Township, **Northampton County**, with a hypalon liner system at the PP&L Martins Creek Steam Electric Station. This captive monofill will only receive approved residual wastes, primarily flyash with some provisions for bottom ash, and sediment from the industrial waste treatment basin from the PP&L Martins Creek Steam Electric Station. The permit was issued in the Regional Office on January 5, 1999.

Permit I. D. No. 101371. McAuliffe Hauling and Recycling Services, Inc., P. O. Box 59, Walnutport, PA 18088. A permit reissuance, allowing McAuliffe Hauling and Recycling Services, Inc. to operate the municipal waste transfer facility known as the McAuliffe Recycling

Plant, located in Lehigh Township, **Northampton County**, for the remainder of the original permit term, which expires on April 9, 2003. This permit also officially changes the name of the site to the McAuliffe Hauling and Recycling Services, Inc. There has been no other change in terms of approved operations or site design. The permit was issued in the Regional Office on January 6, 1999.

Northcentral Regional Office: Regional Solid Waste Manager, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701, (570) 327-3653.

Permit No. 300717. Permit Modification. **Pine Hill Landfill, Pine Hill Inc.** (P. O. Box 62, Blossburg, PA 16912-0062). Modification to existing residual waste landfill to accept a new wastestream. Landfill located in Ward Township, **Tioga County**. Modification issued in the regional office on January 11, 1999.

AIR QUALITY OPERATING PERMITS

Operating Permits issued under the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P. S. §§ 4001—4015) and regulations to construct, modify, reactivate or operate air contamination sources and associated air cleaning devices.

Southeast Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428, (610) 832-6242.

15-303-012A: Allan A. Myers, Inc. (Rte. 29 and Charlestown Road, Devault, PA 19432) issued for operation of a drum mix asphalt plant in Charlestown Township, **Chester County**.

TVOP-46-00051: Schlosser Steel, Inc. (2641 Township Line Road, Hatfield, PA 19440) issued for operation of a Facility Title V Operating Permit in Hatfield Township, **Montgomery County**.

Northwest Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6940.

PA-10-282A: Butler County Humane Society (P. O. Box 2036, Butler, PA 16003) issued December 31, 1998, for operation of an incinerator in Connoquenessing Township, **Butler County**.

PA-33-159A: Brookville Mining Equipment (P. O. Box 130, Brookville, PA 15825) issued January 31, 1999, for operation of surface coating in Pinecreek Township, **Jefferson County**.

PA-61-064A: Con Air Group—Franklin Division (P. O. Box 790, Franklin, PA 16323) issued December 31, 1998, for operation of a painting process in Sugar creek, **Venango County**.

Administrative Amendment of Operating Permits issued under the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P. S. §§ 4001—4015) and regulations to construct, modify, reactivate or operate air contamination sources and associated air cleaning devices.

Northwest Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6940.

AR-37-00023: Pennsylvania Power Co. (1 East Washington Street, New Castle, PA 16103) issued January 13, 1999, for incorporation of early election NOx

limits under Phase II of the Federal Acid Rain rules in West Pittsburgh, **Lawrence County**.

AR-62-00012: GPU Generation, Inc. (1001 Broad Street, Johnstown, PA 15907) issued December 16, 1998, for incorporation of NOx limits under Phase II of the Federal Acid Rain rules in Conewango Township, **Warren County**.

General Plan Approval and Operating Permit issued under the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P. S. §§ 4001—4015) and regulations to construct, modify, reactivate or operate air contamination sources and associated air cleaning devices.

Southcentral Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110, (717) 705-4702.

GP4-36-323-017: Novelty Mfg. Co. (1330 Loop Road, Lancaster, PA 17601) authorized use of the general permit for burn-off oven in the City of Lancaster, **Lancaster County**.

GP1-67-302-134: Danskin, Inc. (P. O. Box M-16, York, PA 17405) authorized use of the general permit for two natural gas/No. 2 oil fired boilers in York City, **York County**.

Northwest Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6940.

GP-25-085: Skinner Engine Co. (337 West 12th Street, Erie, PA 16501) issued January 4, 1999, for operation of two natural gas fired boilers in Erie, **Erie County**.

GP-62-148: Elkhorn Operating Co., Roystone Gas Processing Plant (Route 6, Sheffield, PA 16347) issued January 5, 1999, for operation of two natural gas fired compressor engines and dehydrators in Sheffield Township, **Warren County**.

GP-42-095: Georgia Pacific Corp. (One Owens Way, Bradford, PA 16701) issued January 6, 1999, for operation of two natural gas fired boilers in Bradford, **McKean County**.

GP-61-016: Pennzoil Products Co., Rouseville Refinery (Two Main Street, Rouseville, PA 16344) for retrofitting of two gasoline storage tanks in Cornplanter Township, **Venango County**.

PLAN APPROVALS

Plan Approvals issued under the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P. S. §§ 4001—4015) and regulations to construct, modify, reactivate or operate air contamination sources and associated air cleaning devices.

Southeast Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428, (610) 832-6242.

PA-23-0003A: Bayway Refining Company (4101 Post Road, Trainer, PA 19061) issued January 12, 1999, for the operation of a fired heater in Trainer Borough, **Delaware County**.

Southcentral Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110, (717) 705-4702.

22-03022: Wenger Feed Mill, Inc. (P. O. Box 26, Rheems, PA 17570-0026) issued January 6, 1999, for

construction of the bulk unloading of grain and ingredients processed by hammermilling or pelleting controlled by fabric filters and cyclones in Lykens Township, **Dauphin County**.

67-03031: Pennex Aluminum Co. (P. O. Box 100, Wellsville, PA 17365) issued January 13, 1999, for construction of a 140,000 lb. reverberatory furnace in Wellsville Borough, **York County**.

Northwest Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6940.

PA-42-187A: Resting Acres Pet Cemetery (1353 South Avenue, Bradford, PA 16701) issued December 17, 1998, for construction of an animal crematory in Broward Township, **McKean County**.

10-313-028A: INDSPEC Chemical Corp. (133 Main Street, Petrolia, PA 16050) issued January 8, 1999, for installation of scrubber in Petrolia, **Butler County**.

Administrative Amendment of Plan Approvals issued under the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P. S. §§ 4001—4015) and regulations to construct, modify, reactivate or operate air contamination sources and associated air cleaning devices.

Southeast Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428, (610) 832-6242.

PA-15-0027B: Johnson Matthey, Inc. (456 Devon Park Drive, Wayne, PA 19087) issued January 13, 1999, for drum dryer in Tredyffrin Township, **Chester County**.

Plan Approvals extensions issued under the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P. S. §§ 4001—4015) and regulations to construct, modify, reactivate or operate air contamination sources and associated air cleaning devices.

Southeast Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428, (610) 832-6242.

23-313-046: Norquay Technology, Inc. (800 West Front Street, Chester, PA 19016) issued January 13, 1999, for the operation of a specialty chemical process in City of Chester, **Delaware County**.

PA-09-0003: Superpac, Inc. (1220 Industrial Boulevard, Southampton, PA 18966) issued January 14, 1999, for the operation of a flexographic printing press in Upper Southampton Township, **Bucks County**.

Southcentral Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 909 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110, (717) 705-4702.

06-319-099E: General Battery Corp. (P. O. Box 13995, Reading, PA 19612) granted January 11, 1999, to authorize temporary operation for the No. 6 battery assembly line controlled by a fabric collector, covered by this Plan Approval until May 10, 1999, at the SLI Plant in Muhlenberg Township, **Berks County**.

21-317-058A: The Quaker Oats Co. (P. O. Box 3040, Shiremanstown, PA 17011) granted November 7, 1998, to authorize temporary operation for the life cereal processing line Nos. 4 and 5, covered by this Plan Approval until March 6, 1999, in Hampden Township, **Cumberland County**.

36-02027A: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co. (216 Greenfield Road, Lancaster, PA 17601) granted January 6, 1999, to authorize temporary operation for the rotogra-

vure press area controlled by a carbon adsorption solvent recovery system, covered by this Plan Approval until May 5, 1999, at the Lancaster East Plant in Lancaster City, **Lancaster County**.

Northwest Regional Office: Air Quality Program, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6940.

PA-10-028A: Armstrong Cement & Supply Co. (100 Clearfield Road, Cabot, PA 16023) issued December 31, 1998, for a ball mill and air separator in West Winfield, **Butler County**.

PA-10-042A: Keystone Aluminum, Inc. (P. O. Box 807, 126 Myoma Road, Mars, PA 16406) issued January 30, 1999, for a scrap shredder in Adams Township, **Butler County**.

10-302-030A: Slippery Rock University (Slippery Rock, PA 16057) issued January 31, 1999, for boilers 3, 4 and 5 in Slippery Rock, **Butler County**.

10-302-036: Slippery Rock University (Slippery Rock, PA 16057) issued January 31, 1999 for fabric collectors boilers 1 and 2 in Slippery Rock, **Butler County**.

PA-25-974A: Hi-Tech Plating Co., Inc. (1015 West 18th Street, Erie, PA 16502) issued December 31, 1998, for a chrome plating operation in Erie, **Erie County**.

PA-25-980A: Menasha Corp., Packaging Division (5800 Bundy Drive, Erie, PA 16509) for a cyclone classifier and baler in Erie, **Erie County**.

25-322-003: Waste Management of PA, Inc. (851 Robinson Road, Erie, PA 16514) issued December 30, 1998, for a landfill gas to electric generation facility in Summit Township, **Erie County**.

PA-37-296A: Select Industries, Inc. (420 Cascade Street, New Castle, PA 16107) issued January 31, 1999, for a coating line in New Castle, **Lawrence County**.

37-309-046: Essroc Materials, Inc. (P. O. Box 779, Bessemer, PA 16112) issued December 30, 1998, for tired-derived fuel systems in Bessemer Borough, **Lawrence County**.

PA-42-034A: Dunbar Asphalt Products, Inc. (P. O. Box 291, Wheatland, PA 16161) issued December 31, 1998, for a bituminous asphalt plant in Wheatland, **Mercer County**.

PA-43-170B: Werner Co. (93 Werner Road, Greenville, PA 16125) issued January 1, 1999, for a pultrusion process in Sugar Grove Township, **Mercer County**.

PA-61-187A: A. G. Industries, Inc. (P. O. Box 1107, Oil City, PA 16301) issued November 30, 1998, for a hvof powder coat system in Oil City, **Venango County**.

REASONABLY AVAILABLE CONTROL TECHNOLOGY (RACT)

Notice of Proposed Revision to the State Implementation Plan for Oxides of Nitrogen and Volatile Organic Compounds and Notice of Public Hearing

Approval of Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) plan for Koppers Industries, Inc. in Clinton Township, Lycoming County.

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has made a preliminary determination to approve a Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) plan and an amendment to the State Implementation Plan

(SIP) for a cogeneration and railroad crosstie treatment facility owned and operated by Koppers Industries, Inc. in Clinton Township, Lycoming County.

The proposed SIP revision does not adopt new regulations. It incorporates the provisions and requirements contained in the RACT approval for the facility to comply with current regulations.

Source

Wellons creosoted woodwaste-fired boiler

Nitrogen Oxides Emission Limits

160 ppmv corrected to 7% oxygen, dry basis (24-hour average) and 145 ppmv corrected to 7% oxygen, dry basis (30-day rolling average)

Additionally, a 13.4 million BTU/hour No. 6 fuel oil-fired boiler, a 220 horsepower diesel-fired fire pump, an 8 horsepower gasoline-fired makeup water pump, a 15,000 BTU/hour LPG-fired laboratory space heater, a 402,000 BTU/hour No. 2 fuel oil-fired boiler and ten 100,000 BTU/hour portable kerosene-fired heaters shall be maintained and operated in accordance with manufacturers' specifications and good air pollution control practices.

One public hearing will be held for the purpose of receiving comments on the proposed operating permit and proposed SIP revision. The hearing will be held on March 9, 1999, at 1 p.m. at the DEP Northcentral Regional Office, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA. The public is invited to comment on the proposal. Persons interested in commenting are invited to appear at the public hearing.

Persons wishing to present testimony at the hearing should contact Daniel Spadoni at (717) 327-3659 at least 1 week in advance of the hearing to reserve a time to present testimony. Oral testimony will be limited to a maximum of 10 minutes per individual and two written copies of the oral testimony are requested. Each organization is requested to designate one witness to present testimony on its behalf.

Persons with a disability who wish to comment and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodations to do so should contact Daniel Spadoni at (570) 327-3659 or the Pennsylvania AT&T relay service at (800) 654-5984 (TDD) to discuss how the Department may accommodate their needs.

Those unable to attend the hearing, but wishing to comment, should provide written comments to David W.

The preliminary RACT determination, if finally approved, will be incorporated into an operating permit for the facility and will be submitted to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) as a revision to Pennsylvania's State Implementation Plan.

The following is a summary of the preliminary RACT determination for this facility:

Aldenderfer, Air Quality Environmental Program Manager, Pennsylvania DEP, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701-6448. Comments must be received by March 24, 1999.

All pertinent documents are available for review from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the DEP Northcentral Regional Office, 208 West Third Street, Suite 101, Williamsport, PA 17701. Appointments for scheduling a review must be made by calling (570) 327-3693.

Approval of Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) Plans for:

Montenay Montgomery Limited Partnership (Plymouth Township, Montgomery County)

PECO Energy Company (Falls Township, Bucks County)

Atlas Roofing Corporation (Quakertown Borough, Bucks County)

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has made a preliminary determination to approve RACT plans as amendments to the State Implementation Plan (SIP) for the above facilities. The proposed SIP revisions do not adopt new regulations. They incorporate the provisions and requirements contained in RACT approvals for these facilities to comply with current regulations.

These preliminary determinations, if finally approved, will be incorporated into Plan Approvals and/or Operating Permits for the facilities and will be submitted to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) as revisions to Pennsylvania's SIP.

The following is a summary of the preliminary RACT determinations for these facilities:

Montenay Montgomery Limited Partnership (Operating Permit OP-46-0010A)

<i>Source</i>	<i>NOx Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
2 municipal waste combustors	615 each	Source Monitoring and Recordkeeping	Upon Issuance of Permit

The facility is a minor VOC source.

PECO Energy Company (Operating Permit OP-09-0066)

<i>Source</i>	<i>NOx Emission Limit (tons/year)</i>	<i>Control Technique</i>	<i>Implementation Schedule</i>
Boiler No. 3	322	Annual Tune-Up or Adjustment	Implemented
Boiler No. 4	322	Annual Tune-Up or Adjustment	Implemented

Source	NOx Emission Limit (tons/year)	Control Technique	Implementation Schedule
Boiler No. 5	322	Annual Tune-Up or Adjust- ment	Implemented

The facility is a minor VOC source.

Atlas Roofing Corporation (Operating Permit OP-09-0039)

Source	VOC Emission Limit (tons/year)	Control Technique	Implementation Schedule
Shingle Saturator, Coating	43.4	Manufacturer Specifications	Implemented
Felt Saturator	23.2	Manufacturer Specifications	Implemented
Felt Line Saturator Vent	4.9	Manufacturer Specifications	Implemented
Saturator Cleaning Outside	6.1	Manufacturer Specifications	Implemented
Saturator Cleaning Inside	4.1	Manufacturer Specifications	Implemented

The facility is a minor NOx.

One public hearing will be held for the purpose of receiving comments on the proposed SIP revisions. The hearing will be held at 2 p.m. on February 2, 1999, at the Department's Southeast Regional Office, Lee Park, 555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Conshohocken, PA. The hearing will represent the opportunity for oral comment to the Department on the proposed SIP revisions and will not be a question and answer session. Persons wishing to present testimony at the hearing are encouraged to contact Clarke Rupert, DEP Community Relations Coordinator, at (610) 832-6020 to register prior to the hearing, but may also register at the hearing. Those unable to attend the hearing but who wish to comment should send their written comments to Francine Carlini, Air Quality Program Manager, Department of Environmental Protection, Southeast Regional Office, Lee Park, 555 North Lane, Suite 6010, Conshohocken, PA 19428, on or before February 2, 1999.

Individuals in need of accommodations as provided for in the Americans With Disabilities Act who would like to attend the hearing should contact Clarke Rupert at (610) 832-6020 or through the Pennsylvania AT&T Relay Service at (800) 654-5984 (TDD) to discuss how the Department can meet their needs.

Copies of the pertinent documents are available for review at the Southeast Regional Office. Appointments for scheduling a review may be made by calling (610) 832-6268.

ACTIONS TAKEN UNDER SECTION 401: FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT ENCROACHMENTS

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has taken the following actions on previously received Dam Safety and Encroachment permit applications, requests for Environmental Assessment approval and requests for Water Quality Certification under section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C.A. § 1341(a)).

Persons aggrieved by this action may appeal, under section 4 of the Environmental Hearing Board Act (35 P. S. § 7514) and 2 Pa.C.S. §§ 501—508 and 701—704 (relating to the Administrative Agency Law) to the Environmental Hearing Board, 400 Market Street, Floor 2, P. O. Box 8457, Harrisburg, PA 17105-8457, (717) 787-3483. TDD users may contact the Board through the

Pennsylvania Relay Service, (800) 654-5984. Appeals must be filed with the Environmental Hearing Board within 30 days of receipt of written notice of this action unless the appropriate statute provides a different time period. Copies of the appeal form and the Board's rules of practice and procedure may be obtained from the Board at (717) 787-3483. This paragraph does not, in and of itself, create any right of appeal beyond that permitted by applicable statutes and decisional law.

Actions on applications filed under the Dam Safety and Encroachments Act (32 P. S. §§ 693.1—693.27) and section 302 of the Flood Plain Management Act (32 P. S. § 679.302) and sections 5 and 402 of The Clean Streams Law (35 P. S. §§ 691.5 and 691.402) and notice of final action for certification under section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C.A. § 1341(a)). (Note: Permits issued for Small Projects do not include 401 Certification, unless specifically stated in the description.)

Southeast Regional Office: Program Manager, Water Management Program, Lee Park, Suite 6010, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428.

E23-371. Encroachment Permit. **Borough of Ridley Park**, 105 East Ward Street, Ridley Park, PA 19078. To modify and maintain the following miscellaneous work activities at Eastlake Park: 1) remove accumulated sediments from the bed of Eastlake to elevation 29.00; 2) install a floating barrier system adjacent to the upstream side of the dam structure; 3) place rip-rap to control storm sewer outfall scour at various locations; 4) install a fountain aerator; 5) replacement of an existing foot bridge with a 5-foot wide pedestrian bridge across the upstream end of Eastlake; 6) partially relocate a park walkway; 7) repair and partially remove an existing retaining wall; 8) regrade stream banks and Eastlake side slopes to approximately 3H:1V; 9) repair approximately 950 linear feet of existing gabion bank stabilization, and perform other minor maintenance activities; 10) excavate a forebay desiltation basin at the upstream end of Eastlake. The work area is located in and along Little Crum Creek and Eastlake from 80 feet to 2,000 feet upstream of Ridley Park Dam (Lansdowne USGS Quadrangle N: 0.30 inch; W: 11.30 inches) in Ridley Park Borough, **Delaware County**. This permit was issued under section 105.13(e) "Small Projects." This permit also includes 401 Water Quality Certification.

E46-790. Encroachment Permit. **Gambone Brothers Construction Company**, 1030 W. Germantown Pike, P. O. Box 287, Fairview Village, PA 19409. To install and maintain 80 linear feet of triple 12-foot by 4.66-foot roadway box culverts in and along a tributary to the Schuylkill River (WWF). This work is located just southeast of the intersection of Henderson Road and Shoemaker Road and is associated with the Gulp Mills Business Park (Norristown, PA Quadrangle N: 14.7 inches; W: 14.8 inches) in Upper Merion Township, **Montgomery County**.

Northeast Regional Office: Soils and Waterways Section, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-0790, (570) 826-5485.

E40-500. Encroachment. **Robert Cook**, R. R. 3, Box 3054, Harveys Lake, PA 18618. To modify and maintain an existing pile-supported dock in Harveys Lake, increasing the areal coverage from approximately 900 square feet to approximately 1,680 square feet. As modified, the dock will have dimensions of approximately 40 feet (lakeward) by 42 feet. The project is located at Pole No. 281 (Harveys Lake, PA Quadrangle N: 18.2 inches; W: 6.5 inches), in Harveys Lake Borough, **Luzerne County**.

E40-507. Encroachment. **Caradon Mideast Aluminum, Inc.**, Crestwood Industrial Park, P. O. Box 93, 330 Elmwood Road, Mountaintop, PA 18707-0098. To excavate in 0.31 acre of wetlands, within the drainage basin of Big Wapwallopen Creek, for the purpose of expanding the Caradon Mideast Aluminum Manufacturing facility. The project is located to the south of the existing facility, along Elmwood Road in the Crestwood Industrial Park (Wilkes-Barre West, PA Quadrangle N: 2.2 inches; W: 3.2 inches), in Wright Township, **Luzerne County**. The permittee is required to provide for 0.31 acre of replacement wetlands by participating in the Pennsylvania Wetland Replacement Project.

E40-509. Encroachment. **Pennsylvania American Water Company**, 20 East Union Street, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701. To modify and maintain an existing aerial utility line crossing of Monument Creek, with work consisting of replacing 30-inch cast iron pipe sections with 30-inch ductile iron pipe, removing the existing concrete piers, and constructing steel trusses with concrete footings to support the two 30-inch water mains. The project includes bank rehabilitation/protection within a 90-foot channel reach utilizing R-7 riprap. The project is located approximately 100 feet north of S. R. 0502 (Avoca, PA Quadrangle N: 14.1 inches; W: 8.9 inches), in Pittston Township, **Luzerne County**.

E45-360. Encroachment. **Mid-Monroe Development Corporation, c/o Resorts USA, Inc.**, P. O. Box 447, Bushkill, PA 18324. To construct and maintain (1) a 3-span bridge (known as Encroachment No. 20) having a total span of 200 feet and a minimum underclearance of approximately 24 feet; (2) 12 road crossings; and (3) a golf clubhouse parking lot (known as Encroachment No. 38) in and across tributaries to Pond Creek and associated wetlands, including placement of fill in 0.11 acre of wetlands for Phase 2 and 3 of the Country Club of the Poconos planned residential development and 18-hole golf course and country club. The project is located north of U. S. Route 0209 between S. R. 1016 and Township Road T-540 (Bushkill, PA Quadrangle N: 13.3 inches; W: 13.6 inches) in Middle Smithfield Township, **Monroe County**. The permittee is required to provide 0.31 acre of replacement wetlands. The Environmental Assessments for two

stormwater management facilities (nonjurisdictional dams identified as Encroachment Nos. 32 and 33) have been approved.

Northcentral Region: Water Management—Soils and Waterways, F. Alan Sever, Chief, 208 West Third St., Williamsport, PA 17701.

E14-330. Encroachment. **Millheim Borough**, P. O. Box 421, Millheim, PA 16854-0421. To remove the existing structure and to construct and maintain an 84 inch by 32 foot long corrugated pipe arch culvert in an unnamed tributary to Elk Creek on Long Lane Road approximately 0.5 mile south of the intersection of Long Lane Road with Rt. 45 (Millheim, PA Quadrangle N: 1.5 inches; W: 14.7 inches) in Millheim Borough, **Centre County**. This permit was issued under section 105.13(e) "Small Projects." This permit also includes 401 Water Quality Certification.

E17-324. Encroachment. **Thomas A. Lingle**, R. R. 1, Box 319, Clearfield, PA 16830. To maintain fill, approximately 24 feet by 40 feet by 8 feet deep, in the floodway of an unnamed tributary to the West Branch of the Susquehanna River for a mobile home located on T-210 about 800 feet west of T-521 (Clearfield, PA Quadrangle N: 5.6 inches; W: 11.8 inches) in Lawrence Township, **Clearfield County**. This permit was issued under section 105.13(e) "Small Projects."

E49-221. Encroachment. **PENN DOT District 3-0**, 715 Jordan Avenue, Montoursville, PA 17754. To replace and maintain an existing 6.25' x 5' reinforced concrete box culvert with a 10' x 8' precast reinforced concrete box culvert and to construct a temporary diversion dam in an unnamed tributary to the Susquehanna River located 1 mile north of the intersection of SR-147 and SR-405 along SR-405, section 068 (Northumberland, PA Quadrangle N: 12.5 inches; W: 15.95 inches) in West Chillisquaque Township, **Northumberland County**.

E59-378. Encroachment. **Pa. Dept. of Transportation**, 715 Jordan Avenue, Montoursville, PA 17754. To remove an existing single structure and to construct, operate and maintain a two span prestressed concrete adjacent box beam bridge to carry SR 1032, Sect. 002 Segment/Offset 0010-0004 across Crooked Creek. The bridge shall be constructed so that each span will have a clear normal span of 95.1 feet. The average underclearance of each span shall be a minimum of 15.7 feet. The bridge shall be constructed at a skew of 75 degrees. As proposed, the construction will not impact wetlands while impacting 113.3 feet of waterway. The proposed bridge is located along the western right-of-way of SR 0287 approximately 1,000 feet west of the intersection of SR 1032 and SR 0287 (Tioga, PA Quadrangle N: 8.5 inches; W: 1.0 inch) in Tioga Township, **Tioga County**.

E59-379. Encroachment. **PA Dept. of Transportation, District 3-0**, 715 Jordan Avenue, Montoursville, PA 17754. To construct and maintain an 8-span steel multi-girder bridge having a span of 1,507 feet, a minimum underclearance of 85 feet, a skew of 90° and seven reinforced concrete piers and two reinforced concrete abutments in Mill Creek and Tioga Reservoir located 6 miles North of Mansfield along SR-15 (Tioga, PA Quadrangle N: 1.2 inches; W: .2 inch) in Tioga Township, **Tioga County**. This permit was issued under section 105.13(e) "Small Projects." This permit also includes 401 Water Quality Certification.

Southwest Regional Office: Soils and Waterways Section, 400 Waterfront Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4745.

E11-267. Encroachment. **Barnesboro Borough**, 101 Tenth Street, Barnesboro, PA 15714. To construct and

maintain a pedestrian bridge having a clear span of 145 feet and an underclearance of 11.75 feet across West Branch of Susquehanna River (CWF) located on Susquehanna Street approximately 500 feet upstream of the confluence of said river with Walnut Run (Barnesboro, PA Quadrangle N: 6.55 inches; W: 4.75 inches) in the Borough of Barnesboro, **Cambria County**. This permit was issued under section 105.13(e) "Small Projects." This permit also includes 401 Water Quality Certification.

E11-268. Encroachment. **Highland Sewer and Water Authority**, 120 Tank Drive, Johnstown, PA 15904. To remove the existing structure and to construct and maintain a single span bridge having a normal span of 49.5 feet and an average underclearance of 6.1 feet across South Fork Little Conemaugh River for the purpose of providing access to the Lloydell Reservoir for on site monitoring as required by the Dam Safety Emergency Action Plan. This permit also authorizes the placement and maintenance of fill in a de minimis area of wetlands equal to 0.02 acre. The project is located on the Lloydell Reservoir Access Road, approximately 1 mile south of its conjunction with Szalat Avenue (Beaverdale, PA Quadrangle N: 9.0 inches; W: 8.2 inches) in Adams and Summerhill Townships, **Cambria County**.

E26-248. Encroachment. **Albert Gallatin Area School District**, 10 West Church Street, Masontown, PA 15461-1800. To operate and maintain a 240 foot long, 24 inch ADS pipe stream enclosure in an unnamed tributary to Monongahela River (WWF) located at Albert Gallatin Elementary School (Masontown, PA Quadrangle N: 17.8 inches; W: 4.0 inches) in Masontown Borough, **Fayette County**. This permit was issued under section 105.13(e) "Small Projects." This permit also includes 401 Water Quality Certification.

E56-285. Encroachment. **Borough of Confluence**, P. O. Box 99, Confluence, PA 15424-0099. To convert and maintain an existing Truss/girder bridge having four spans of 65.4 feet each and an underclearance of 14.5 feet across Youghiogheny River (HQ-CWF) for the purpose of constructing a pedestrian/bikeway bridge. Also, during rehabilitation, to construct and maintain two temporary causeways in said stream. The project is located on Old S. R. 281, at a point 325 feet downstream of the S. R. 281 bridge (Confluence, PA Quadrangle N: 10.45 inches; W: 16.00 inches) in Confluence Borough and Addison Township, **Somerset County** and Henry Clay Township, **Fayette County**. This permit was issued under section 105.13(e) "Small Projects." This permit also includes 401 Water Quality Certification.

Northwest Regional Office: Soils and Waterways Section, 230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335-3481, (814) 332-6942.

E10-284. Encroachment. **Cabot Resources Corp.**, 700 Ekastown Road, Sarver, PA 16055. To maintain fill placed within the left 50-foot floodway of a tributary to Little Buffalo Creek having a 2:1 (H:V) slope and extending approximately 400 feet upstream from the entrance driveway to Jack's Mountain View Inn approximately 1,200 feet northwest of the intersection of S. R. 0356 and S. R. 2017 at Nolf Corners (Freeport, PA Quadrangle N: 12.25 inches; W: 12.75 inches) in Buffalo Township, **Butler County**.

E20-461. Encroachment. **Cambridge Springs Borough**, 26 Federal Street, Cambridge Springs, PA 16403. To construct and maintain the following improvements at the existing Cambridge Springs Borough Drinking Water Treatment Facility within the 100-year-floodplain of

French Creek south of Snow Alley between Kearney Avenue and North Main Street (Cambridge Springs, PA Quadrangle N: 10.3 inches; W: 8.0 inches) in Cambridge Springs Borough, **Crawford County**:

1. A 32-foot-long by 17-foot-wide addition onto the back (stream) side of the existing Water Treatment Plan buildings for use as a chemical storage room.

2. A chlorine contact tank and associated underground piping along Snow Alley.

3. A 17.5-foot-long by 23.5-foot-wide filter backwash discharge flow equalization basin adjacent to an existing flow equalization basin between the Water Treatment Plant building and French Creek.

E61-217. Encroachment. **National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation**, P. O. Box 2081, Erie, PA 16512. To operate and maintain an 8-inch diameter natural gas pipeline installed by directional drilling under DEP Emergency Permit No. EP6198602 issued on September 10, 1998, across French Creek approximately 800 feet downstream of the S. R. 322 bridge (Franklin, PA Quadrangle N: 4.75 inches; W: 10.75 inches) in the City of Franklin, **Venango County**.

WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION

Final Actions Under Section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has taken the following actions on previously received permit applications, requests for Environmental Assessment approval and requests for Water Quality Certification under section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C.A. § 1341(a)).

These actions of the Department may be appealed to the Environmental Hearing Board, Second Floor, Rachel Carson State Office Building, 400 Market Street, P. O. Box 8457, Harrisburg, PA 17105-8457, (717) 787-3483, by aggrieved persons under the Environmental Hearing Board Act (35 P. S. § 7514) and 2 Pa.C.S. §§ 501—508 and 701—704 (relating to the Administrative Agency Law). Appeals must be filed with the Environmental Hearing Board within 30 days from the date of this issue of the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* unless the appropriate statute provides a different time period. Copies of the appeal form and the Department's regulations governing practice and procedure before the Board may be obtained from the Board.

Responsible Office: Southeast Regional Office, Regional Water Management Program Manager, Lee Park, Suite 6010, 555 North Lane, Conshohocken, PA 19428-2233, (610) 832-6130.

Certification Request Initiated By: Dames and Moore, 2325 Maryland Road, Willow Grove, PA 19090.

Project Description: This activity involves low-pressure water cleaning prior to painting of the Betsy Ross Bridge. The request was submitted on behalf of the Delaware River Port Authority (DRPA), operator of the bridge which spans the Delaware Estuary-Zone 3 between Philadelphia, PA and Pennsauken, NJ. Best Management Practices for bridge painting projects are proposed. Potable wash water will be used without additives, at a flow rate of approximately 4 gpm from two spray wands and an average approximately 8,000 gpd over the 10-month project. Less than half of the cleaning is expected to occur over the Delaware Estuary-Zone 3.

Final Action on Request: Certification Granted.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Recycling Grant Awards Under the Municipal Waste Planning, Recycling and Waste Reduction Act

The Department of Environmental Protection announces the following grants to municipalities for recycling programs under the Municipal Waste Planning, Recycling and Waste Reduction Act (Act 101) (53 P. S. § 4000.902).

Grant funds are used to develop and implement recycling programs. Municipalities and counties are eligible for up to 90% funding of approved recycling program

costs. Municipalities considered financially distressed under the Municipalities Financial Recovery Act (53 P. S. §§ 11701.101—11701.501), are eligible to receive funding for an additional 10% of approved costs. All grant awards are predicated on the receipt of recycling fees required by Sections 701 and 702 of Act 101, and the availability of in the Recycling Fund.

Inquiries regarding the grant offerings should be directed to Carl Hursh, Chief of Recycling and Markets, Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Land Recycling and Waste Management, Division of Waste Minimization and Planning, Rachel Carson State Office Building, P. O. Box 8472, Harrisburg, PA 17105-8472.

Act 101
§ 902 Recycling Development and Implementation Grants
Bureau of Land Recycling and Waste Management

	<i>Municipal Applicant</i>	<i>Project Type</i>	<i>Grant Award</i>
1	Richlandtown Borough Bucks County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 17,055
2	Caln Township Chester County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 14,078
3	Chester County	Home Composting Program	\$ 43,307
4	City of Coatesville Chester County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 28,261
5	Downingtown Borough Chester County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 25,580
6	Modena Borough Chester County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 20,413
7	City of Chester Delaware County	Recycling Education	\$ 4,557
8	Delaware County	Recycling Education	\$ 2,686
9	East Lansdowne Borough Delaware County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 9,383
10	Springfield Township Delaware County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 67,500
11	Swarthmore Borough Delaware County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 8,300
12	Abington Township Montgomery County	Yardwaste Composting	\$184,500
13	Douglass Township Montgomery County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 34,616
14	Hatfield Borough Montgomery County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 55,789
15	Springfield Township Montgomery County	Curbside Recycling	\$166,500
16	Upper Merion Township Montgomery County	Recycling Education	\$ 7,621
17	Whitemarsh Township Montgomery County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 40,811
18	Carbon County	Recycling Education	\$ 18,354
19	Mayfield Borough Lackawanna County	Recycling Education	\$ 639
20	City of Allentown Lehigh County	Curbside, Drop-off and Yardwaste Program	\$446,778
21	Emmaus Borough Lehigh County	Recycling Education	\$ 16,650

	<i>Municipal Applicant</i>	<i>Project Type</i>	<i>Grant Award</i>
22	South Whitehall Township Lehigh County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 17,865
23	Upper Milford Township Lehigh County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 3,218
24	Dorrance Township Luzerne County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 38,020
25	Wright Township Luzerne County	Drop-off Recycling & Home Composting	\$ 36,630
26	Monroe County	Recycling Education	\$ 41,692
27	Polk Township Monroe County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 47,191
28	Stroud Township Monroe County	Yardwaste Composting	\$183,189
29	City of Bethlehem Northampton County	Recycling Education	\$ 29,891
30	East Allen Township Northampton County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 5,607
31	Williams Township Northampton County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 70,002
32	Schuylkill County	Drop-off Recycling	\$884,326
33	Schuylkill Haven Borough Schuylkill County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 15,744
34	Susquehanna County	Recycling Education	\$ 7,071
35	Honesdale Borough Wayne County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 15,885
36	Wayne County	Drop-off Recycling & Home Composting	\$ 12,933
37	Wyoming County	Recycling Center	\$499,950
38	Berks County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 7,200
39	Cumru Township Berks County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 13,725
40	Exeter Township Berks County	Curbside Recycling & Yardwaste Composting	\$ 42,336
41	Spring Township Berks County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 18,331
42	Bellwood Borough Blair County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 45,000
43	Blair County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 42,645
44	East Pennsboro Township Cumberland County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 8,326
45	Hampden Township Cumberland County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 62,294
46	Mechanicsburg Borough Cumberland County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 34,650
47	Newville Borough Cumberland County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 14,311
48	Dauphin County	Recycling Education	\$ 826
49	Lower Swatara Township Dauphin County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 26,324
50	Penbrook Borough Dauphin County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 15,862
51	Franklin County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 81,000
52	Greencastle Borough Franklin County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 31,500

	<i>Municipal Applicant</i>	<i>Project Type</i>	<i>Grant Award</i>
53	Earl Township Lancaster County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 27,000
54	East Cocalico Township Lancaster County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 46,122
55	Eden Township Lancaster County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 20,700
56	Elizabeth Township Lancaster County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 24,367
57	Lancaster County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 19,948
58	West Earl Township Lancaster County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 66,110
59	Lebanon County	Recycling Education	\$ 33,519
60	Mt. Gretna Borough Lebanon County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 34,020
61	N. Londonderry Township Lebanon County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 63,675
62	Carrol Township York County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 793
63	Fairview Township York County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 26,730
64	Glen Rock Borough York County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 24,885
65	Hellam Township York County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 19,723
66	Penn Township York County	Curbside Recycling & Yardwaste Composting	\$ 52,072
67	Red Lion Borough York County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 10,060
68	Bellefonte Borough Centre County	Yardwaste Composting	\$174,737
69	Centre County	Recycling Center	\$252,133
70	Millheim Borough Centre County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 19,795
71	Chest Township Clearfield County	Newsprint to Animal Bedding	\$ 1,094
72	Clearfield County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 49,140
73	Clinton County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 43,977
74	Town of Bloomsburg Columbia County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 64,870
75	Lycoming County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 67,500
76	Danville Borough Montour County	Curbside Recycling & Yardwaste Composting	\$ 29,700
77	Mahoning Township Montour County	Recycling Education	\$ 7,200
78	Northumberland County	Curbside Recycling & Yardwaste Composting	\$ 92,700
79	Snyder County	Home Composting	\$ 23,368
80	Sullivan County	Curbside Recycling	\$141,066
81	Hartleton Borough Union County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 49,062
82	Allegheny County	Commercial Recycling	\$ 45,000
83	City of Clairton Allegheny County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 86,845
84	Municipality of Fox Chapel Allegheny County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 17,995

	<i>Municipal Applicant</i>	<i>Project Type</i>	<i>Grant Award</i>
85	City of McKeesport Allegheny County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 48,378
86	Municipality of Monroeville Allegheny County	Curbside Recycling & Yardwaste Composting	\$ 33,926
87	O'Hara Township Allegheny County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 24,227
98	City of Pittsburgh Allegheny County	Recycling Education	\$ 88,000
89	Leechburg Borough Armstrong County	Recycling Center	\$ 15,937
90	Brighton Township Beaver County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 69,300
91	Monaca Borough Beaver County	Curbside Recycling & Yardwaste Composting	\$ 51,363
92	Rochester Township Beaver County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 36,053
93	Vanport Township Beaver County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 4,014
94	Cambria County	Drop-off Recycling	\$299,196
95	City of Johnstown Cambria County	Recycling Education	\$ 10,000
96	Fayette County	Recycling Education	\$ 8,487
97	South Union Township Fayette County	Curbside Recycling	\$145,290
98	Washington Township Fayette County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 10,102
99	Windber Borough Somerset County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 21,240
100	Cecil Township Washington County	Curbside Recycling	\$ 9,225
101	Charleroi Borough Washington County	Yardwaste Composting	\$ 28,516
102	City of New Kensington Westmoreland County	Curbside Recycling	\$120,482
103	Crawford County	Organics Composting	\$ 82,998
104	City of Erie Erie County	Institutional Recycling	\$ 30,000
105	Fairview Township Erie County	Institutional Recycling	\$ 39,321
106	Franklin Township Erie County	Home Composting & Recycling Education	\$ 26,712
107	Millcreek Township Erie County	Curbside Recycling & Yardwaste Composting	\$ 77,207
108	Venango Township Erie County	Recycling Center	\$ 57,870
109	Jefferson County	Recycling Education	\$ 11,052
110	Lawrence County	Curbside Recycling & Recycling Education	\$ 80,640
111	Kane Borough McKean County	Yardwaste Composting	\$104,999
112	Rockland Township Venango County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 6,660
113	Tidioute Borough Warren County	Drop-off Recycling	\$ 11,400

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Medical Assistance Program Fee Schedule Revisions; 1999 HCPCS Updates

The Department of Public Welfare announces effective January 1, 1999, that changes have been made to the Medical Assistance Program Fee Schedule as a result of implementing the 1999 updates to the Health Care Financing Administration Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS). The Federally required updates add new procedure codes which are compensable beginning January 1, 1999.

Changes to the Medical Assistance Program Fee Schedule for Provider Types 01, 03, 04, 05, 07, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 23, 30, 43, 49 and 50.

Additions Effective January 1, 1999

<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>	<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>	<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>	<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>	<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>
AE	A4614	86	82139	60	90291	60	90393	60	90675
9P, 9R	K0456	86	82247	60	90296	60	90396	60	90676
9P, 9R	K0457	86	82248	60	90371	60	90585	60	90680
AM	L8195	86	82731	60	90375	60	90632	60	90690
10, 20, 40	57106	86	88142	60	90376	60	90633	60	90691
10, 20, 40	57111	86	88164	60	90379	60	90634	60	90692
10, 20, 40	57112	60	90281	60	90384	60	90645	60	90693
25	69990	60	90283	60	90385	60	90646	25	95970
RD, 54, 57	76977	60	90287	60	90386	60	90647	25	95971
86	82136	60	90288	60	90389	60	90648	60, PT	97140

End—Dated March 31, 1999

The procedure codes being deleted from the fee schedule as a result of those updates will not be compensable for services provided after March 31, 1999.

<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>	<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>	<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>	<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>	<i>TOS</i>	<i>Procedure Code</i>
AM, 55	L4390	20	61712	86	82130	60	90714	60, PT	97122
10, 20, 27, 40	16040	25	63690	86	82250	60	90726	60	97250
10, 20, 27, 40	16041	25	63691	86	83717	60	90728	60	97260
10, 20, 40	16042	20, 27, 40	64830	86, 89	88156	60	90730	60	97261
10, 20, 27, 40	57108	54, 57, RD	71038	86	88250	60	90737		
10, 20, 40	61106	54, 57, RD	74405	86	88260	60	90741		
10, 20, 40	61130	53, 58, RN	78017	60	90711	60	90742		

The fiscal note was prepared under section 612 of The Administrative Code of 1929 (71 P. S. § 232).

Price changes made to the Medical Assistance Fee Schedule are routinely included in carry forward budget estimates.

Contact Person

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments to this notice within 30 days of this publication. Comments should be sent to the Department of Public Welfare, Office of Medical Assistance Programs, c/o Regulations Coordinator, Room 515, Health and Welfare Building, Harrisburg, PA 17120.

Persons with a disability may use the AT&T Relay Services by calling (800) 654-5984 (TDD users) or (800) 654-5988 (voice users). Persons who require another alternative should contact Thomas Vracarich at (717) 783-2800.

FEATHER O. HOUSTOUN,
Secretary

Fiscal Note: 14-NOT-190. No fiscal impact; (8) recommends adoption.

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 99-165. Filed for public inspection January 29, 1999, 9:00 a.m.]

Response to Comments Received Regarding Public Notice Published on December 26, 1998 (28 Pa.B. 6350)

On December 26, 1998, the Department of Public Welfare (Department) published a public notice entitled *Public Notice of the Department's Intent to Revise Community Access Disproportionate Share Payments (28 Pa.B. 6350)*. In response to that public notice, the Department received several comments. The commentators expressed concern that: 1) the Department's database as it related to children's hospitals may be flawed; 2) the method of using a Statewide average discriminates against small facilities; 3) the Department inappropriately includes out-of-State (OOS) facilities in the Community Access Fund (CAF) charity care component; and 4) the CAF is intended to offset the financial impact of Act No. 1996-35 (Act 35) and OOS facilities were not adversely impacted by this Act.

Departmental response:

1) The database used in the CAF methodology was drawn from the 1995-96 inpatient hospital cost reports as submitted by the hospitals. These cost reports are certified by the hospitals as true and accurate. Any issues with the data therefore are the result of errors made by the hospitals submitting this information to the Department.

2) The concept of using a Statewide average is not new. In calculating Medical Assistance reimbursement for inpatient services, the Department utilizes Statewide averages in a number of instances, including the computation of relative values and the prospective capital add-on. Recognizing that several large volume hospitals incur the bulk of charity care costs, the Department limited payments under this component to \$750,000 to prevent a handful of hospitals from consuming all available funds. The Department disagrees with the assertion that small hospitals have been discriminated against. Of the 42 hospitals which qualify for the charity care component of the CAF, 21 of them have less than 350 beds. Of those 21 facilities, 14 have less than 300 beds.

3) There are only two OOS facilities which qualify for CAF payments. Since these facilities serve a large number of Pennsylvania MA recipients and in some instances more Pennsylvania MA recipients than some in-State hospitals, they should not be eliminated from the CAF proposal based solely on geography.

4) The assertion that the original CAF was intended to ease the financial impact of Act 35 on certain hospitals is correct. The CAF was developed in April 1997 and at that time criteria were developed to provide additional payments to certain hospitals which rendered uncompensated care and which the Department projected would have experienced a significant discontinuation of revenue as a result of MA program revisions.

The Fiscal Year 1998-99 General Appropriations Act had no requirement that the funds be allocated based on previously existing criteria. Although the Department included the previous criteria, the Department expanded the CAF to include a charity care component. The Department felt that continuing to strive to offset the financial impact of charity care was a logical and appropriate method of expanding the CAF.

While the Department appreciates and values the comments received on this public notice, the comments do not merit the elimination of a program that will greatly

benefit hospitals and ultimately, MA recipients. Therefore, the Department intends to proceed with the distribution of the CAF as proposed on December 26, 1998.

FEATHER O. HOUSTOUN,
Secretary

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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

Interest Rate

An error occurred in the notice that was published at 28 Pa.B. 6351 (December 26, 1998). The new interest rate of 7% is effective for the year commencing January 1, 1999. The affected text is reprinted as follows:

Under section 806 of the act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 343, No. 176), known as the Fiscal Code, the Secretary of Revenue announces that, for the year commencing January 1, 1999, all unpaid taxes which became due and payable to the Commonwealth on and after January 1, 1982, shall bear interest at the rate of 7% per annum. This rate will remain constant until December 31, 1999. Under the provisions of section 6621(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, this rate has been established by the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, to be effective January 1, 1999. This rate will be codified under 61 Pa. Code § 4.2(a) (relating to rate of interest).

Although the Tax Reform Act of 1986 amended Internal Revenue Code section 6621, by requiring that the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States establish quarterly rates of interest to become effective for Federal purposes on the first month of each calendar quarter, these amendments do not affect Pennsylvania law. The Fiscal Code, as herein cited, requires that the interest rate be established effective January 1 of each calendar year without regard to any change in the Federal interest rate during the calendar year.

ROBERT A. JUDGE, SR.,
Secretary

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 99-167. Filed for public inspection January 29, 1999, 9:00 a.m.]

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Finding

Chester County

Pursuant to the provisions of 71 P. S. Section 2002(b), The Secretary of Transportation makes the following written finding:

The Department of Transportation plans to replace the existing single span, concrete encased steel I-beam bridge which carries Westbourne Road (S.R. 2006) over Goose Creek in Westtown Township, Chester County. The bridge is to be replaced on the existing alignment with an adjacent box beam bridge. Roadway approaches will be improved approximately 70 meters (200 ft.) east and west

of the bridge. The approach work is primarily to provide transition to the new structure.

The proposed project will require acquisition of 125.4 square meters (1,350 square feet) of right-of-way from the Twin Brook Farm property adjacent to the existing roadway. The Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission (PHMC) has determined that this project will have "No Effect" on the Twin Brook Farm property, a property eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. This resource is protected by Section 2002 of Pennsylvania Act 120.

Mitigation measures will be taken to minimize harm as stipulated in the Categorical Exclusion/Section 2002 Evaluation Report.

The environmental, economic, social, and other effects of the proposed project as enumerated in Section 2002 of the Administrative Code, have been considered. It has been concluded that there is no prudent and feasible alternative to the project as designed and all reasonable steps have been taken to minimize such effects.

No adverse environmental effect is likely to result from the replacement of the bridge.

BRADLEY L. MALLORY,
Secretary

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Retention of Engineering Firms

Crawford County

Project Reference No. 08430AG2290

The Department of Transportation will retain an engineering firm to provide supplementary construction inspection staff of approximately eight (8) inspectors, under the Department's Inspector(s)-in-Charge for construction inspection and documentation services on S. R. 0079, Section A05, Crawford County, Interstate 79, Restoration from Mercer County Line to PA 285 (Exit 35). This project involves rehabilitation and resurfacing (SUPERPAVE) 11.69km of existing roadway and shoulders. Also, waterproofing and overlaying of four (4) structures, drainage and guide rail updates.

The Department will establish an order of ranking of a minimum of three (3) firms for the purpose of negotiating an Engineering Agreement based on the Department's evaluation of the acceptable letters of interest received in response to this solicitation. The ranking will be established directly from the letters of interest. Technical proposals will not be requested prior to the establishment of the ranking.

The following factors, listed in order of importance, will be considered by the Department during the evaluation of the firms submitting letters of interest:

- a. Ability to package and present the Letter of Interest in accordance with the "General Requirements and Information" section.
- b. Review of inspectors' resumes with emphasis on construction inspection capabilities and specialized experience in the Maintenance and Protection of Traffic, soils, structures, concrete, asphalt paving, and drainage.
- c. Number of NICET certified inspectors in each payroll classification.

- d. Understanding of Department's requirements, policies and specifications.
- e. Past performance.
- f. Number of available inspectors in each payroll classification.

The qualifications and experience required of the firm's inspectors will be established by the Department, and the qualifications of the firm's proposed employees will be reviewed and approved by the Department.

It is anticipated that the supplementary construction inspection staff for this assignment will consist of the following number of inspectors who meet the requirements for the following inspection classifications:

<i>Classification</i>	<i>No. of Inspectors</i>
Transportation Construction Ins. Super. (TCIS) (NICET Highway Construction Level 3 or equivalent)	2 (1)
Transportation Construction Inspector (TCI) (NICET Highway Construction Level 2 or equivalent)	5 (3)
Technical Assistant (TA) (NICET Highway Construction Level 1 or equivalent)	1 (1)

The number(s) in parenthesis above indicate the number of inspectors in each Classification that must meet at least one of the following requirements:

- 1. Be certified by the National Institute for Certification in Engineering Technologies (NICET) in the field of Transportation Engineering Technology, subfield of Highway Construction, or subfield of Highway Materials, at the Level required for the Inspection Classification.
- 2. Be registered as a Professional Engineer by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
- 3. Be certified as an Engineer-in-Training by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
- 4. Hold a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering or a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering Technology with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
- 5. Hold an Associate Degree in Civil Engineering Technology with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.

The maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection for each Department Payroll Classification for calendar year of 1999:

<i>Payroll Classification</i>	<i>Maximum Straight Time Reimbursement Per Hour Of Inspection</i>
(TCIS)	\$40.54
(TCI)	\$35.47
(TA)	\$24.39

The maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection includes all costs for providing construction inspection services at the project site during the normal work week.

Maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection for subsequent calendar years, if applicable, will be established at the scope of work meeting.

The firm selected may be required to attend a pre-construction conference with the Department and the

construction contractor for this project. Under the supervision and direction of the Department, the selected firm will be required to keep records and document the construction work; prepare current and final estimates for payment to the construction contractor; assist the Department in obtaining compliance with the labor standards, safety and accident prevention, and equal opportunity provisions of the contract item; and perform other duties as may be required.

The firm selected will be required to supply the following equipment at no direct cost to the Department:

- 1 Base Radio Station
- 8 Two-Way Radios
- 1 Cellular Phone
- 1 Survey Equipment (Rod, Level, Tapes, etc.)

The goal for Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation in this Agreement shall be fifteen percent (15%) of the total contract price. Additional information concerning DBE participation in this Agreement is contained in the General Requirements and Information Section after the advertised project(s).

Letters of interest for this project must include a letter, signed by the individuals you propose for all TCIS positions, giving their approval to use their name in your letter of interest for this specific project.

The maximum number of resumes to be included in the letter of interest shall be as follows:

<i>Classification</i>	<i>No. of Resumes</i>
TCIS	3
TCI	6

No resumes are required for the TA Classification.

The second copy of the letter of interest and required forms, (see general requirements and information section) shall be sent to: Mr. John L. Baker, P.E., District Engineer, District 1-0, 1140 Liberty Street, Franklin, PA 16323.

Any technical questions concerning the requirements for this project should be directed to: Mr. David W. Ruhlman, P.E., District 1-0 at (814) 437-4311.

Any questions concerning the submittal of the letter of interest can be directed to the Consultant Agreement Division at (717) 783-9309.

Venango County

Project Reference No. 08430AG2291

The Department of Transportation will retain an engineering firm to provide supplementary construction inspection staff of approximately eight (8) inspectors, under the Department's Inspector(s)-in-Charge for construction inspection and documentation services on S. R. 0080, Section A01, Venango County, Interstate 80 Restoration from Mercer County Line to PA 308 (Exit 4). This project involves rehabilitation and resurfacing (SUPERPAVE) for 11.69km of existing roadway and shoulders, drainage and guide rail updates.

The Department will establish an order of ranking of a minimum of three (3) firms for the purpose of negotiating an Engineering Agreement based on the Department's evaluation of the acceptable letters of interest received in response to this solicitation. The ranking will be established directly from the letters of interest. Technical proposals will not be requested prior to the establishment of the ranking.

The following factors, listed in order of importance, will be considered by the Department during the evaluation of the firms submitting letters of interest:

- a. Ability to package and present the Letter of Interest in accordance with the "General Requirements and Information" section.
- b. Review of inspectors' resumes with emphasis on construction inspection capabilities and specialized experience in the Maintenance and Protection of Traffic, soils, structures, concrete, asphalt paving, and drainage.
- c. Number of NICET certified inspectors in each payroll classification.
- d. Understanding of Department's requirements, policies and specifications.
- e. Past performance.
- f. Number of available inspectors in each payroll classification.

The qualifications and experience required of the firm's inspectors will be established by the Department, and the qualifications of the firm's proposed employees will be reviewed and approved by the Department.

It is anticipated that the supplementary construction inspection staff for this assignment will consist of the following number of inspectors who meet the requirements for the following inspection classifications:

<i>Classification</i>	<i>No. of Inspectors</i>
Transportation Construction Ins. Super. (TCIS) (NICET Highway Construction Level 3 or equivalent)	2 (1)
Transportation Construction Inspector (TCI) (NICET Highway Construction Level 2 or equivalent)	5 (3)
Technical Assistant (TA) (NICET Highway Construction Level 1 or equivalent)	1 (1)

The number(s) in parenthesis above indicate the number of inspectors in each Classification that must meet at least one of the following requirements:

- 1. Be certified by the National Institute for Certification in Engineering Technologies (NICET) in the field of Transportation Engineering Technology, subfield of Highway Construction, or subfield of Highway Materials, at the Level required for the Inspection Classification.
- 2. Be registered as a Professional Engineer by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
- 3. Be certified as an Engineer-in-Training by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
- 4. Hold a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering or a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering Technology with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
- 5. Hold an Associate Degree in Civil Engineering Technology with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.

The maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection for each Department Payroll Classification for calendar year of 1999:

<i>Payroll Classification</i>	<i>Maximum Straight Time Reimbursement Per Hour Of Inspection</i>
(TCIS)	\$40.54
(TCI)	\$35.47
(TA)	\$24.39

The maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection includes all costs for providing construction inspection services at the project site during the normal work week.

Maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection for subsequent calendar years, if applicable, will be established at the scope of work meeting.

The firm selected may be required to attend a pre-construction conference with the Department and the construction contractor for this project. Under the supervision and direction of the Department, the selected firm will be required to keep records and document the construction work; prepare current and final estimates for payment to the construction contractor; assist the Department in obtaining compliance with the labor standards, safety and accident prevention, and equal opportunity provisions of the contract item; and perform other duties as may be required.

The firm selected will be required to supply the following equipment at no direct cost to the Department:

- 1 Base Radio Station
- 8 Two-Way Radios
- 1 Cellular Phones
- 1 Survey Equipment (Rod, Level, Tapes, etc.)

The goal for Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation in this Agreement shall be fifteen percent (15%) of the total contract price. Additional information concerning DBE participation in this Agreement is contained in the General Requirements and Information Section after the advertised project(s).

Letters of interest for this project must include a letter, signed by the individuals you propose for all TCIS positions, giving their approval to use their name in your letter of interest for this specific project.

The maximum number of resumes to be included in the letter of interest shall be as follows:

<i>Classification</i>	<i>No. of Resumes</i>
TCIS	3
TCI	6

No resumes are required for the TA Classification.

The second copy of the letter of interest and required forms, (see general requirements and information section) shall be sent to: Mr. John L. Baker, P.E., District Engineer, District 1-0, 1140 Liberty Street, Franklin, PA 16323.

Any technical questions concerning the requirements for this project should be directed to: Mr. David W. Ruhlman, P.E., District 1-0 at (814) 437-4311.

Any questions concerning the submittal of the letter of interest can be directed to the Consultant Agreement Division at (717) 783-9309.

Venango County

Project Reference No. 08430AG2292

The Department of Transportation will retain an engineering firm to provide supplementary construction inspection staff of approximately five (5) inspectors, under the Department's Inspector(s)-in-Charge for construction

inspection and documentation services on S. R. 3008, Section B00, Venango County, Kennerdell Bridge Replacement Project. This project involves the replacement of a 740' long bridge over the Allegheny River.

The Department will establish an order of ranking of a minimum of three (3) firms for the purpose of negotiating an Engineering Agreement based on the Department's evaluation of the acceptable letters of interest received in response to this solicitation. The ranking will be established directly from the letters of interest. Technical proposals will not be requested prior to the establishment of the ranking.

The following factors, listed in order of importance, will be considered by the Department during the evaluation of the firms submitting letters of interest:

- a. Ability to package and present the Letter of Interest in accordance with the "General Requirements and Information" section.
- b. Review of inspectors' resumes with emphasis on construction inspection capabilities and specialized experience in the Maintenance and Protection of Traffic, soils, structures, concrete, asphalt paving, and drainage.
- c. Number of NICET certified inspectors in each payroll classification.
- d. Understanding of Department's requirements, policies and specifications.
- e. Past performance.
- f. Number of available inspectors in each payroll classification.

The qualifications and experience required of the firm's inspectors will be established by the Department, and the qualifications of the firm's proposed employees will be reviewed and approved by the Department.

It is anticipated that the supplementary construction inspection staff for this assignment will consist of the following number of inspectors who meet the requirements for the following inspection classifications:

<i>Classification</i>	<i>No. of Inspectors</i>
Transportation Construction Ins. Super. (TCIS) (NICET Highway Construction Level 3 or equivalent)	1 (1)
Transportation Construction Inspector (TCI) (NICET Highway Construction Level 2 or equivalent)	3 (2)
Technical Assistant (TA) (NICET Highway Construction Level 1 or equivalent)	1 (1)

The number(s) in parenthesis above indicate the number of inspectors in each Classification that must meet at least one of the following requirements:

- 1. Be certified by the National Institute for Certification in Engineering Technologies (NICET) in the field of Transportation Engineering Technology, subfield of Highway Construction, or subfield of Highway Materials, at the Level required for the Inspection Classification.
- 2. Be registered as a Professional Engineer by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
- 3. Be certified as an Engineer-in-Training by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.

4. Hold a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering or a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering Technology with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.

5. Hold an Associate Degree in Civil Engineering Technology with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.

The maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection for each Department Payroll Classification for calendar year of 1999:

<i>Payroll Classification</i>	<i>Maximum Straight Time Reimbursement Per Hour Of Inspection</i>
(TCIS)	\$40.54
(TCI)	\$35.47
(TA)	\$24.39

The maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection includes all costs for providing construction inspection services at the project site during the normal work week.

Maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection for subsequent calendar years, if applicable, will be established at the scope of work meeting.

The firm selected may be required to attend a pre-construction conference with the Department and the construction contractor for this project. Under the supervision and direction of the Department, the selected firm will be required to keep records and document the construction work; prepare current and final estimates for payment to the construction contractor; assist the Department in obtaining compliance with the labor standards, safety and accident prevention, and equal opportunity provisions of the contract item; and perform other duties as may be required.

The firm selected will be required to supply the following equipment at no direct cost to the Department:

- 1 Nuclear Densometer Gauge/License
- 1 Vehicle for the Transportation of Nuclear Gauges
- 1 Base Radio Station
- 3 Two-Way Radios
- 1 Survey Equipment (Rod, Level, Tapes, etc.)

The goal for Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation in this Agreement shall be fifteen percent (15%) of the total contract price. Additional information concerning DBE participation in this Agreement is contained in the General Requirements and Information Section after the advertised project(s).

Letters of interest for this project must include a letter, signed by the individuals you propose for all TCIS positions, giving their approval to use their name in your letter of interest for this specific project.

The maximum number of resumes to be included in the letter of interest shall be as follows:

<i>Classification</i>	<i>No. of Resumes</i>
TCIS	2
TCI	4

No resumes are required for the TA Classification.

The second copy of the letter of interest and required forms, (see general requirements and information section) shall be sent to: Mr. John L. Baker, P.E., District Engineer, District 1-0, 1140 Liberty Street, Franklin, PA 16323.

Any technical questions concerning the requirements for this project should be directed to: Mr. David W. Ruhlman, P.E., District 1-0 at (814) 437-4311.

Any questions concerning the submittal of the letter of interest can be directed to the Consultant Agreement Division at (717) 783-9309.

Berks County

Project Reference No. 08430AG2293

The Department of Transportation will retain an engineering firm to provide supplementary construction inspection staff of approximately twelve (12) inspectors, under the Department's Inspector(s)-in-Charge for construction inspection and documentation services on S. R. 0222, Section 003, Wyomissing Borough and Spring Township, Berks County, Warren Street Extension North. This project involves the construction of approximately 6,430 linear feet of divided roadway with plain cement concrete pavement, RPS; a construction of approximately 1,970 linear feet of bituminous concrete base course with bituminous binder course and bituminous wearing course; various side road bituminous construction; a 180-foot single span composite steel multi-girder bridge; a 115-foot single span composite prestressed concrete I-beam bridge; a 218-foot single span composite steel multi-girder bridge; and a twin 10' x 3' cell precast reinforced concrete box culvert, or alternative designs; retaining walls; MSE walls; sound barriers; guide rail; drainage; traffic signals; lighting; erosion control; planting; signing; and pavement marking within a length of 14,121 linear feet (2,675 miles).

The Department will establish an order of ranking of a minimum of three (3) firms for the purpose of negotiating an Engineering Agreement based on the Department's evaluation of the acceptable letters of interest received in response to this solicitation. The ranking will be established directly from the letters of interest. Technical proposals will not be requested prior to the establishment of the ranking.

The following factors, listed in order of importance, will be considered by the Department during the evaluation of the firms submitting acceptable letters of interest:

- a. Ability to package and present the Letter of Interest in accordance with the "General Requirements and Information" section.
- b. Review of inspectors' resumes with emphasis on construction inspection capabilities and specialized experience in the Maintenance and Protection of Traffic, soils, structures, concrete, asphalt paving, drainage, retaining walls, MSE walls, sound barriers, guide rail, traffic signals, lighting, signing, erosion control, planting and pavement markings. Two (2) of the TCI's shall be PennDOT CDS certified. Two (2) of the TCI/TCIS's shall be nuclear gauge certified.
- c. Understanding of Department's requirements, policies, and specifications.
- d. Past Performance.
- e. Number of available inspectors in each payroll classification.
- f. Number of NICET certified inspectors in each payroll classification.

The qualifications and experience required of the firm's inspectors will be established by the Department, and the qualifications of the firm's proposed employees will be reviewed and approved by the Department.

It is anticipated that the supplementary construction inspection staff for this assignment will consist of the following number of inspectors who meet the requirements for the following inspection classifications:

<i>Classification</i>	<i>No. of Inspectors</i>
Transportation Construction Manager 1 (TCM-1) (NICET Highway Construction Level 4 or equivalent)	1 (1)
Transportation Construction Ins. Super. (TCIS) (NICET Highway Construction Level 3 or equivalent)	3 (3)
Transportation Construction Inspector—Materials (TCI-Materials) (NICET Highway Materials Level 2 or equivalent)	1 (1)
Transportation Construction Inspector (TCI) (NICET Highway Construction Level 2 or equivalent)	5 (3)
Technical Assistant (TA) (NICET Highway Construction Level 1 or equivalent)	2 (0)

The number(s) in parenthesis above indicate the number of inspectors in each Classification that must meet at least one of the following requirements:

1. Be certified by the National Institute for Certification in Engineering Technologies (NICET) in the field of Transportation Engineering Technology, subfield of Highway Construction, or subfield of Highway Materials, at the Level required for the Inspection Classification.
2. Be registered as a Professional Engineer by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
3. Be certified as an Engineer-in-Training by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
4. Hold a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering or a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering Technology with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.
5. Hold an Associate Degree in Civil Engineering Technology with the required highway experience specified for the Inspection Classification.

The maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection for each Department Payroll Classification for calendar year of 1999:

<i>Payroll Classification</i>	<i>Maximum Straight Time Reimbursement Per Hour Of Inspection</i>
(TCM-1)	\$46.27
(TCIS)	\$40.54
(TCI-Materials)	\$36.55
(TCI)	\$35.47
(TA)	\$24.39

The maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection includes all costs for providing construction inspection services at the project site during the normal work week.

Maximum reimbursement per hour of inspection for subsequent calendar years, if applicable, will be established at the scope of work meeting.

The firm selected may be required to attend a pre-construction conference with the Department and the construction contractor for this project. Under the supervision and direction of the Department, the selected firm

will be required to keep records and document the construction work; prepare current and final estimates for payment to the construction contractor; assist the Department in obtaining compliance with the labor standards, safety and accident prevention, and equal opportunity provisions of the contract item; and perform other duties as may be required. Firms applying must have qualified personnel capable of climbing structures during painting, rehabilitation, or construction.

The firm selected will be required to supply the following equipment at no direct cost to the Department:

- 1 Nuclear Densometer Gauges/License
- 1 Vehicle for the Transportation of Nuclear Gauges
- 1 Base Radio Station
- 12 Two-Way Radios
- 1 Two-Way Radio Repeater Station
- 1 Camera (type 35mm, and film)

The goal for Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation in this Agreement shall be fifteen percent (15%) of the total contract price. Additional information concerning DBE participation in this Agreement is contained in the General Requirements and Information Section after the advertised project(s).

Letters of interest for this project must include a letter, signed by the individuals you propose for all TCM-1 and TCIS positions, giving their approval to use their name in your letter of interest for this specific project.

The maximum number of resumes to be included in the letter of interest shall be as follows:

<i>Classification</i>	<i>No. of Resumes</i>
TCM-1	2
TCIS	4
TCI-M	2
TCI	6

No resumes are required for the TA Classification.

The second copy of the letter of interest and required forms, (see general requirements and information section) shall be sent to: Mr. Walter E. Bortree, P.E., District Engineer, District 5-0, 2460 Parkwood Drive, Allentown, PA 18103, Attention: Mr. Brian H. Graver.

Any technical questions concerning the requirements for this project should be directed to: Mr. Brian H. Graver, District 5-0, at (610) 791-6022.

Any questions concerning the submittal of the letter of interest can be directed to the Consultant Agreement Division at (717) 783-9309.

General Requirements and Information

Firms interested in providing the above work and services are invited to submit two copies of a Letter of Interest with required information for each Project Reference Number for which the applicant wishes to be considered.

The first copy of the Letter of Interest and required information must be submitted to:

Mr. Charles W. Allwein, P.E., Chief
 Consultant Selection Committee
 7th Floor, Forum Place
 555 Walnut Street
 P. O. Box 3060
 Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17105-3060

Note: The Zip Code for express Mailing is 17101-1900

The Letter of Interest and required information must be received within twenty (20) calendar days of this Notice. The Deadline for receipt of a Letter of Interest at the above address is 4:30 p.m. prevailing time of the twentieth day.

The second copy of the letter of interest and required information must be submitted to the appropriate District Engineer/Administrator or the Bureau Director as indicated in the individual advertisement. This copy must be postmarked or delivered on or before the deadline indicated above.

If an individual, firm, or corporation not authorized to engage in the practice of engineering desires to submit a Letter of Interest, said individual, firm, or corporation may do so as part of a Joint Venture with an individual, firm, or corporate which is permitted under the state law to engage in the practice of engineering.

If a Joint Venture responds to a project advertisement, the Department of Transportation will not accept separate Letters of Interest from the Joint Venture constituents. A firm will not be permitted to submit on more than one (1) Joint Venture for the same Project Reference Number. Also a firm that responds to a project as a prime may not be included as a designated subcontractor to another firm that responds as a prime to the project. Multiple responses under any of the foregoing situations will cause the rejection of all responses of the firm or firms involved. The above does not preclude a firm from being set forth as a designated subcontractor to more than one (1) prime responding to the project advertisement.

If a goal for Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation is established for an advertised project, firms expressing interest in the project must agree to ensure that Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) firms as defined in the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21) and currently certified by the Department of Transportation shall have the maximum opportunity to participate in any subcontracting or furnishing supplies or services approved under Form 442, Section 1.10(a). The TEA-21 requires that firms owned and controlled by women (WBEs) be included, as a presumptive group, within the definition of Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE). The goal for DBE participation shall be as stated in the individual project advertisement. Responding firms shall make good faith efforts to meet the DBE goal using DBEs (as they are defined prior to the act, WBEs or combinations thereof).

Proposing DBE firms must be certified at the time of submission of the Letter of Interest. If the selected firm fails to meet the established DBE participation goal, it shall be required to demonstrate its good faith efforts to attain the goal.

Responses are encouraged by small firms, Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) firms, and other firms who have not previously performed work for the Department of Transportation.

The Department requests that each Letter of Interest include the following information and that the information be packaged and presented in the order indicated below to facilitate the Department's review and evaluation.

The firm's ability and willingness to package and present the requested information in the above order to facilitate the Department's review and evaluation will be the first factor considered in the evaluation process.

1. Transmittal Letter (Maximum of two (2) 8 1/2 x 11" typed pages, one side)

2. A fact sheet that includes the project reference number for which the applicant wishes to be considered, the firm's legal name, fictitious name (if applicable), and the firm's federal identification number. If the project advertisement indicated the Department will retain an engineering firm for the project, the applicant should indicate on this fact sheet the names and Professional Engineer License Number of Individuals who are directing heads or employees of the firm who have responsible charge of the firm's engineering activities, and whose names and seals shall be stamped on all plans, specifications, plats, and reports issued by the firm. If the project advertisement indicated the Department will retain a Land Surveying firm for the project, the applicant should indicate on this fact sheet the names and Professional Land Surveyor Registration Number of individuals who are directing heads or employees of the firm who have responsible charge of the firm's land surveying activities, and whose names and seals shall be stamped on all plans, plats, and reports issued by the firm.

3. Project Organizational Chart (one page, one side, maximum size 11" x 17")

This Chart should show key staff from the prime and each subconsultant and their area of responsibility.

4. Standard Form 255, "Architect-Engineer and Related Services Questionnaire for Specific Project" (one Form 255 for the project team)

The Standard Form 255 should be signed, dated, and filled out in its entirety, including Item No. 6 listing the proposed subconsultants and the type of work and service they will perform on the project.

Under Item 4 of this form, Column A must specify only the number of subconsultant personnel and Column B should specify only the number of prime consultant personnel to be assigned to work on this project reference number. Do not include the total personnel for either the subconsultant or prime consultant under Item 4 unless the total personnel are necessary to provide the required work and services.

The prime and each subconsultant should not include more than one page each for Items 10 and 11.

If a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal is specified for the project, the DBE must be currently certified by the Department of Transportation, and the name of the DBE and the work to be performed must be indicated in Item No. 6. If a Woman Business Enterprise (WBE) firm is substituted for the DBE, the WBE firm must also be presently certified by the Department of Transportation and indicated in Item 6.

5. Standard Form 254, "Architect-Engineer for Related Services Questionnaire"

A Standard Form 254, not more than one (1) year old as of the date of this advertisement, should accompany each Letter of Interest for the firm, each party to a Joint Venture, and for each subconsultant the firm or Joint Venture is proposing to use for the performance of professional services regardless of whether the subconsultant is an individual, a college professor, or a Company, unless an acceptable Standard Form 254 for the prime and each subconsultant/subcontractor is on file in both the Bureau of Design and the Engineering District Office or Central Office Bureau identified in the individual project advertisement.

These Forms should be assembled with the prime's form first, followed by the form for each subconsultant in the same order as the subconsultants appear in Item 6 of Standard Form 255.

6. Authorization Letters (if required)

If the advertisement requires a letter signed by individuals giving their approval to use their name in the Letter of Interest, the letters from proposed prime employees should be first, followed by subconsultant employees, in the same order as shown in Item 6 of Standard Form 255.

7. Registration To Do Business

Firms with out-of-state headquarters or corporations not incorporated in Pennsylvania must include, with each Letter of Interest, a copy of their registration to do business in the Commonwealth as provided by the Department of State. Firms who are not registered to do business in Pennsylvania at the time of this advertisement must document that they have applied for registration to the Department of State, Corporation Bureau. The telephone number for the Corporation Bureau is (717) 787-1057 or (717) 787-2004.

8. Overhead Rates (one page)

A single page summary should indicate the latest audited overhead rate developed in accordance with Federal Acquisition Regulations (FAR) for the prime consultant and each subconsultant. If a FAR rate is not available, the latest rate available from a Certified Public Accountant must be indicated. New firms should indicate how long the firm has been in existence and when an audited overhead rate would be available.

The single page summary of the latest audited overhead rate for the prime consultant and each subconsultant is optional for construction inspection services.

9. Additional Information

Additional information, not to exceed ten (10) one sided 8 1/2 x 11" pages or five (5) double sided 8 1/2 x 11" pages may be included at the discretion of the submitting firm.

Letters of Interest will be rejected for the following reasons:

1. Received after the cut-off time and date specified above.
2. Failure to identify a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) if a DBE participation goal is identified in the advertised project.
3. Failure to include a copy of the registration to do business in the Commonwealth.

The assignment of the agreement/contract for the above advertisement(s) will be made to one of the firms who submitted an acceptable Letter of Interest in response to the project advertisement. The assignment will be made based on the Department's evaluation of the firm's qualification and capabilities. The Department reserves the right to reject all letters submitted, to cancel the solicitations requested under this Notice, and/or to readvertise solicitation for the work and services.

BRADLEY L. MALLORY,
Secretary

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INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Donald M. Dunlap; Hearing; Doc. No. AG99-01-007

A hearing shall occur on March 3, 1999, at 10 a.m. in Room 200, Administrative Hearings Office, Capitol Associates Building, 901 North Seventh Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102. The proceedings in this matter will be governed by the Administrative Agency Law, 2 Pa.C.S. §§ 501—508 and 701—704 and the General Rules of Administrative Practice and Procedure, 1 Pa. Code § 31.1 et seq.

Motions preliminary to those at hearing, protest petitions to intervene or notices of intervention, if any, must be filed with the Docket Clerk on or before February 10, 1999.

Persons with a disability who wish to attend the above-referenced administrative hearing and require an auxiliary aid service or other accommodation to participate in the hearing, should contact Tracey Pontius, Agency Coordinator at (717) 787-4298.

M. DIANE KOKEN,
Insurance Commissioner

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John D'Ohavi; Hearing

Appeal of John D'Ohavi under The Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Law Catastrophic Loss Benefits Continuation Fund; Doc. No. CF98-12-019

A telephone prehearing conference initiated by this office shall be conducted on February 11, 1999, at 10 a.m. The parties shall have exchanged and filed prior to February 4, 1999, all exhibits intended for use at the hearing, a witness list identifying the names, addresses and telephone numbers for the proposed witnesses, the identity of all experts along with their curriculum vitae and proposed testimony, an estimate of time for the respective party's case-in-chief, a listing of all legal issues and the supportive citation for the respective party's position pertaining to the legal issues and all joint factual stipulations.

The hearing shall occur on February 24, 1999, at 10 a.m. in Room 200, Administrative Hearing Office, Capitol Associates Building, 901 North Seventh Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102.

A written request for continuance of the scheduled hearing, for good cause, will be considered by the Presiding Officer. Prior to requesting a continuance, a party must contact the opposing party. All continuance requests must indicate whether the opposing party objects to a continuance.

Persons with a disability who wish to attend the above-referenced administrative hearing and require an auxiliary aid service or other accommodation to participate in the hearing, should contact Tracey Pontius, Agency Coordinator at (717) 787-4298.

M. DIANE KOKEN,
Insurance Commissioner

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Pennsylvania Compensation Rating Bureau; Workers' Compensation Loss Cost Filing

The Insurance Department has received from the Pennsylvania Compensation Rating Bureau (PCRB) a filing for a loss cost level change for workers' compensation insurance. This filing is made in accordance with section 705 of Act 44, which amended the Pennsylvania Workers' Compensation Act. The PCRB requests an overall 5.26% decrease. The PCRB has calculated the employer assessments to be 4.07%, compared to 3.19% last year. This results in a net effect of 4.45% decrease. Updates to a variety of other rating values and Manual rules to reflect the most recent experience and terminology are also being submitted for approval.

Copies of the filing are available for public inspection during normal working hours, by appointment, at the Insurance Department's offices in Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Erie.

Interested parties are invited to submit written comments, suggestions or objections to Nabila Audi, Actuary, Pennsylvania Insurance Department, Office of Rate and Policy Regulation, Bureau of Property and Casualty Insurance, Actuarial Review Division, 1311 Strawberry Square, Harrisburg, PA 17120, or by e-mail at naudi@ins.state.pa.us, within 30 days of publication of this notice in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*.

M. DIANE KOKEN,
Insurance Commissioner

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Review Procedure Hearings under the Unfair Insurance Practices Act

The following insureds have requested a hearing as authorized by section 8 of the Unfair Insurance Practices Act (40 P. S. § 1171.8) in connection with their company's termination of the insured's policies. All administrative hearings are held in the Insurance Department Offices in Harrisburg, PA. Failure by the appellant to appear at the scheduled hearing may result in dismissal with prejudice.

The hearing will be held in the Capitol Associates Building, 901 North Seventh Street, Second Floor Hearing Room, Harrisburg, PA 17102.

Appeal of Doris D. Dwin; file no. 98-181-08707; State Farm Fire and Casualty Ins. Co.; doc. no. P99-01-012; February 16, 1999, at 1 p.m.

Both parties may appear with or without counsel and offer relevant testimony or evidence to support their respective positions. The representative of the company must bring relevant claims files and other necessary evidence. The insured must bring all documents, photographs, drawings, witnesses and the like necessary to substantiate the case. The hearing will be held in accordance with the requirements of 2 Pa.C.S. §§ 501—508 and 701—704 (relating to the Administrative Agency Law); section 8 of the Unfair Insurance Practices Act (40 P. S. § 1171.8) and the regulations set forth at 31 Pa. Code § 59.7(e) (relating to appeal procedures). Under 31 Pa. Code § 59.7(e)(5), procedural matters will be in conformance with 1 Pa. Code Part II (relating to General

Rules of Administrative Practice and Procedure) unless specific exemption is given.

After the hearing, the Insurance Commissioner will issue a written order resolving the factual issues presented at the hearing and stating what remedial action, if any, is required. The Commissioner's Order will be sent to those persons participating in the hearing or their designated representatives. The order of the Commissioner is subject to judicial review by the Commonwealth Court.

Persons with a disability who wish to attend the above-referenced administrative hearing and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodation to participate in the hearing should contact Tracey Pontius, Agency Coordinator at (717) 787-4298.

M. DIANE KOKEN,
Insurance Commissioner

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PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Railroad
With Hearing

A-00114362. SEPTA. Application of Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA).

For exemption from the following provisions of Subchapter C of the 52 Pa. Code to permit the construction of new level platforms (33.122(F)) associated with the New Eastwick Station, located in the City of Philadelphia, PA.

An Initial Hearing on this matter will be held Wednesday, March 10, 1999 at 10 a.m., in an available hearing room, Philadelphia State Office Building, Broad and Spring Garden Streets, Philadelphia, PA when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard, if they so desire.

JAMES J. MCNULTY,
Secretary

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Service of Notice of Motor Carrier Applications

The following temporary authority and/or permanent authority applications for the right to render service as a common carrier or contract carrier in this Commonwealth have been filed with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission. Publication of this notice shall be considered as sufficient notice to all carriers holding authority from this Commission. Applications will be considered without hearing in the absence of protests to the application. Protests to the applications published herein are due on or before February 22, 1999, as set forth at 52 Pa. Code

§ 3.381 (relating to applications for transportation of property and persons). The protest shall also indicate whether it applies to the temporary authority application or the permanent application or both.

Applications of the following for approval of the beginning of the exercise of the right and privilege of operating as common carriers for transportation of persons as described under each application.

A-00115556. John Andrew McElroy, t/d/b/a Lake Harmony Wholesale (P. O. Box 204, Blakeslee, Carbon County, PA 18610) persons upon call or demand in the borough of Blakeslee, Carbon County, and within an airline radius of 12 statute miles of the limits of the borough of Blakeslee.

JAMES J. MCNULTY,
Secretary

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**Water Service
Without Hearing**

A-210082. C B Treat Water Company. Application of C B Treat Water Company for approval to begin to offer, render, furnish or supply water service to the public in Port Florence Development, Paupack Township, Wayne County, PA.

This application may be considered without a hearing. Protests or petitions to intervene can be filed with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, P. O. Box 3265, Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265, with a copy served on the applicant on or before February 16, 1999, under 52 Pa. Code (relating to public utilities).

Applicant: C B Treat Water Company.

Through and By Owner: Robert Treat, Box 26, White Mills, Pa. 18473.

JAMES J. MCNULTY
Secretary

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**STATE CONSERVATION
COMMISSION**

Dirt and Gravel Road Pollution Prevention Maintenance Program

As required by 25 Pa. Code § 83.604(f), the State Conservation Commission is providing public notice of FY98 apportionment of funds to participating County Conservation Districts for the Dirt and Gravel Road Pollution Prevention Maintenance Program that is authorized under 75 Pa.C.S. § 9106.

A. Effective Date

These allocations are effective upon publication in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*.

B. Background

The State Conservation Commission approved the following allocations at their public meeting on January 7, 1999: \$3,528,000 of FY98 funds are apportioned according to stipulations in 75 Pa.C.S. § 9106(c) and \$106,901 of uncommitted FY97 funds are divided evenly among the participating County Conservation Districts.

Copies of the referenced Statement of Policy contained in Chapter 83.604, as published in Pa. Bulletin, Vol. 28, No. 37, September 12, 1998, and 75 Pa.C.S. § 9106(c) are available from Woodrow J. Colbert at the State Conservation Commission Office, Rm. 407 Agriculture Building, 2301 N. Cameron Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110-9408, (717) 787-8821.

The following allocations are being made to County Conservation Districts participating in the program. Listed alphabetically, they are: Adams \$19,755; Allegheny \$19,511; Armstrong \$49,425; Beaver \$26,142; Bedford \$54,383; Berks \$19,958; Blair \$30,857; Bradford \$27,656; Bucks \$20,254; Butler \$22,573; Cambria \$25,593; Cameron \$57,898; Carbon \$19,827; Centre \$37,617; Chester \$31,215; Clarion \$60,896; Clearfield \$227,586; Clinton \$28,490; Columbia \$30,649; Crawford \$104,209; Cumberland \$19,622; Dauphin \$25,986; Elk \$35,156; Erie \$28,471; Fayette \$54,700; Forest \$38,223; Franklin \$25,273; Fulton \$29,049; Greene \$60,689; Huntingdon \$70,816; Indiana \$102,958; Jefferson \$54,068; Juniata \$43,840; Lackawanna \$47,294; Lancaster \$45,489; Lawrence \$27,598; Lebanon \$17,128; Lehigh \$34,695; Luzerne \$82,721; Lycoming \$36,613; McKean \$22,205; Mercer \$56,418; Mifflin \$33,932; Monroe \$26,522; Montgomery \$17,975; Montour \$16,837; Northampton \$19,862; Northumberland \$17,367; Perry \$48,839; Pike \$121,428; Potter \$455,377; Schuylkill \$37,300; Snyder \$18,927; Somerset \$25,998; Sullivan \$62,507; Susquehanna \$27,304; Tioga \$58,669; Union \$42,414; Venango \$44,021; Warren \$47,504; Washington \$68,852; Wayne \$417,548; Westmoreland \$36,535; Wyoming \$74,514; and York \$41,187.

JAMES M. SEIF,
Chairperson

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TURNPIKE COMMISSION

Request for Bids

The Turnpike Commission is requesting sealed bids for:

- 1) Equipment Rental, Vactor #2115 Catch Basin Cleaner or Equal

Bid Opening: February 11, 1999 at 11:30 a.m.

Bids will be received by the Purchasing Manager not later than the time indicated above. Bid proposal Forms and Conditions may be obtained, free of charge, by communicating with the Bid Clerk, Purchasing Dept., (717) 939-9551, Ext. 2830.

JAMES F. MALONE, III,
Chairperson

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Request for Bids

Used Computer Equipment to include Desktop CPU's, Portable PC's, Monitors, Keyboards, Printers, Modems, and Misc. Cable for sale by sealed bid by the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission. Bids open February 22, 1999.

Bids will be received by the Purchasing Manager not later than the time indicated above. Bid proposal Forms

and Conditions may be obtained, free of charge, by communicating with the Bid Clerk, Purchasing Dept., (717) 939-9551, Ext. 2830.

JAMES F. MALONE, III,
Chairperson

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