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Date: 08/13/2009

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (the Department) is proposing to adopt a draft Scrap Metal Industrial Stormwater General Permit (NJ0163261) and a draft Vehicle Recycling Industrial Stormwater General Permit (NJ0163279). Notice is also given that the Department intends to move eligible facilities, previously authorized under the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) Scrap Metal Processing and Recycling General Permit (NJ0107671), into either the Scrap Metal Industrial Stormwater General Permit (NJ0163261) or the Vehicle Recycling Industrial Stormwater General Permit (NJ0163279), in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:14A, and by authority of the Water Pollution Control Act at N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 et seq.

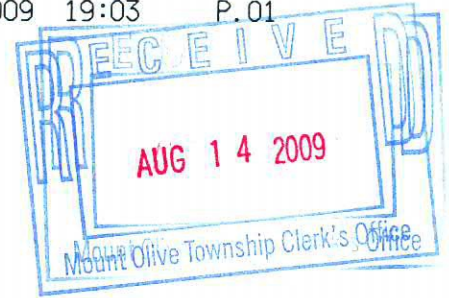
This notice is scheduled to appear in the *DEP Bulletin*, *Atlantic City Press*, *Trenton Times and the Star-Ledger*. The public comment period will begin on August 19, 2009. In accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:14A-15.10(c)1i, the public comment period will close forty-five (45) days after publication in either the DEP Bulletin or the last newspaper publication, whichever is later. Comments must be received by the end of the public comment period. A copy of each permit and background information is available for viewing on the Department's web page at www.state.nj.us/dep/dwq, under "What's New in Water?" and at the Camden Free Public Library, Ferry Avenue Branch (Centerville), located at 852 Ferry Avenue, Camden, New Jersey, 08104.

Written comments, or a request that the Department hold a non-adversarial public hearing on either draft permit must be submitted in writing by certified mail (return receipt requested), or by other means which provides verification of the date of delivery to the Department to Barry Chalofsky, P.P., Chief, or Attention: Comments on Public Notice NJ0163261 and/or NJ0163279, Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control, PO Box 029, Trenton, NJ, 08625-0029.

The Department will respond to all significant and timely comments upon issuance of the final permit decisions. Permittees and each person who requests notice or submits written comments will receive notice of the Department's final permit decisions.

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Re: NOTICE OF **DRAFT PERMIT ACTIONS**

Scrap Metal Industrial Stormwater General Permit (SM2)
NJPDES Permit No. NJ0163261

Vehicle Recycling Industrial Stormwater General Permit (RVR)
NJPDES Permit No. NJ0163279

Dear Interested Party:

This letter serves as notice that the **draft** New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) Scrap Metal Industrial Stormwater General Permit - NJ0163261 (SM2) and Vehicle Recycling Industrial Stormwater General Permit - NJ0163279 (RVR) have been issued. This NJPDES permits are being issued under the authority of the New Jersey Water Pollution Control Act, N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 *et seq.*

The initial Scrap Metal Processing and Recycling General Permit - NJ0107671 (SM) was issued on February 1, 1995 for facilities that engage in the dismantling and recycling of materials such as derelict automobiles and other metallic scrap under Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) code 5015 and 5093. Since the initial issuance, the Department has determined that scrap metal recycling and vehicle recycling are two significantly different industries and should be permitted as such. The Department has thus created the Scrap Metal Industrial Stormwater General Permit - NJ0163261 (SM2) and the Vehicle Recycling Industrial Stormwater General Permit - NJ0163279 (RVR). The SM2 regulates facilities either engaged in the scrap metal recycling business or engaged in the scrap metal recycling business and the wholesale or retail distribution of used vehicle parts, including the dismantling of motor vehicles. The RVR regulates facilities solely engaged in the wholesale or retail distribution of used vehicle parts, including the dismantling of motor vehicles.

Permitted facilities have been notified via Certified Mail that they may be subject to the terms and conditions of the SM2 or the RVR. If a misclassification has occurred, facilities must notify the Department in writing prior to the end of the public comment period. If the Department is not notified regarding a misclassification, facilities will be

automatically authorized under the appropriate permit. In accordance with N.J.A.C.7:14A 6.13(g), facilities may apply for an individual NJPDES permit at any time. Authorization under the SM2 or the RVR will remain in effect until the effective date of the individual NJPDES permit.

Major changes incorporated in the SM2 include:

- A requirement for the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SPPP) to include a Drainage Control Plan (DCP);
- The incorporation of Mandatory Performance Standards and Stormwater Control Measures (SCMs) with specific implementation schedules; and
- Quarterly monitoring requirements for both discharges to surface water and discharges to ground water.

Major changes incorporated in the RVR include:

- A requirement for the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SPPP) to include a Drainage Control Plan (DCP);
- The incorporation of Stormwater Control Measures (SCMs) with specific implementation schedules; and
- Quarterly monitoring requirements for both discharges to surface water and discharges to ground water.

Enclosed is the Public Notice, which will be published in the *DEP Bulletin*, *Atlantic City Press*, *Trenton Times*, and the *Star-Ledger*. The public comment period is scheduled to begin on August 19, 2009. The Department has decided to extend the standard thirty (30) day public comment period. Therefore, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:14A-15.10(c)1i, the public comment period will close forty-five (45) days after publication in either the DEP Bulletin or the last newspaper publication, whichever is later. Comments must be received by the end of the public comment period. A copy of each permit and background information is available on the Department's web page at www.state.nj.us/dep/dwq, under "What's New in Water?" and at the Camden Free Public Library, Ferry Avenue Branch (Centerville), located at 852 Ferry Avenue, Camden, New Jersey, 08104.

If you have any questions about the SM2 permit action, please contact Kerri Standowski of the Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control at (609) 633-7021 or Kerri.Standowski@dep.state.nj.us. If you have any questions about the RVR permit action, please contact Sheri Shifren of the Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control at (609) 633-7021 or Sheri.Shifren@dep.state.nj.us.

Sincerely,



Barry Chalofsky, P.P., Chief
Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control