

The proposed Settlement Agreement may be examined at the office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois, 60604, and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 4th floor, Washington, D.C. 20005, 202-624-0892. A copy of the proposed Settlement Agreement may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$3.25 for the Agreement (25 cents per page reproduction costs) payable to the Consent Decree Library. When requesting a copy, please refer to *In re: The Parson's Company*, D.J. Ref. No. 90-11-2-891.

Bruce S. Gelber,

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

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Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980

In accordance with Departmental policy, notice is hereby given that a proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. Pesses, et al.*, Civil Action No. 90-654 (W.D. Pa.), was lodged on August 19, 1996 with the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania. This proposed Consent Decree will, if entered, settle a complaint filed against twenty-six defendants by the United States on behalf of the Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"), pursuant to Section 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA") 42 U.S.C. § 9607, in connection with the Metcoa Radiation Superfund Site, in Pulaski, Pennsylvania. Certain defendants in turn sued over two hundred (200) third party defendants and brought counterclaims against various federal agencies, the counterclaim defendants.

The proposed Consent Decree provides for reimbursement of past response costs incurred by the United States in the amount of \$1,950,000.00 and payment of future response costs, and for performance of response actions at the Metcoa Radiation Superfund Site. The proposed Consent Decree also provides for payment of response costs by the counterclaim defendants in the amount of \$291,000.00.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication,

comments relating to the proposed Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Pesses, et al.*, DOJ Ref. # 90-11-3-613.

The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney for the Western District of Pennsylvania, 633 Post Office and Courthouse, Seventh and Grant Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219; the Region III Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 841 Chestnut Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107; and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW, 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005, 202-624-0892. A copy of the proposed Consent Decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW, 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. In requesting a copy, please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$50.00 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library. Walker Smith,

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

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Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act

Notice is hereby given that a proposed consent decree in *United States versus Rohm and Haas Company, et al.*, Civil Action No. 85-4386, was lodged on August 21, 1996, with the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, Camden Vicinage. The proposed decree resolves the United States' claims under CERCLA against defendants Manor Care, Inc., Manor Healthcare Corp., and Portfolio One, Inc. (the "Manor Defendants") with respect to the Lipari Landfill Superfund Site, in Mantua Township, New Jersey. The Manor Defendants are the alleged successors to a transporter that disposed of hazardous substances at the Site. Under the terms of the proposed decree, the Manor Defendants will pay \$2,100,000 in reimbursement of past and future response costs incurred and to be incurred by the United States and the State of New Jersey.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments relating to the proposed

consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530, and should refer to *United States versus Rohm and Haas Company, et al.*, DOJ Ref. #90-11-3-86.

The proposed consent decree may be examined at the office of the United States Attorney, 402 East State Street, Trenton, New Jersey; the Region II Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 26 Federal Plaza, New York, New York; and at the consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 4th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005. In requesting a copy please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$11.25 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library.

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Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, Michigan Materials and Processing Institute

Notice is hereby given that, on August 13, 1996, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), the Michigan Materials and Processing Institute ("MMPI") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. The following companies were recently accepted as a Class A Shareholders in MMPI: Applied Sciences, Inc., Cedarville, OH; Brennan Recycling, Inc., St. Claire, Shores, MI; Quantum Consultants, Inc., East Lansing, MI; and Nanocor, Inc., Arlington Heights, IL. Lincoln Composites, Inc., is no longer a Class A Shareholder in MMPI.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or the planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and MMPI intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.