

date. Licenses, permits, cooperative agreements, or discretionary land use authorizations of a temporary nature which would not impact the bighorn sheep winter range or impair the existing values of the area may be allowed with the approval of an authorized officer of the BLM during the segregative period.

Dated: July 25, 1997.

Alan R. Pierson,

State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1998, as Amended

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR 50.7 and pursuant to section 122 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622, notice is hereby given that a proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. Akzo Nobel Coatings Inc., et al.*, Civil Action No. 97-1564-CIV-T-99A, was lodged on June 20, 1997, with the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida, Tampa Division.

This case concerns the Peak Oil and Bay Drums Superfund Sites, located in north central Hillsborough County, on State Road 574, in Tampa, Florida (the "Site"). In 1986, the Peak Oil and Bay Drums Superfund Sites were jointly placed on the National Priorities List as a result of the release or threatened release of hazardous substances. Pursuant to Sections 106 and 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607, the Complaint in this action seeks recovery of past and future costs incurred and to be incurred by the United States at the Site, and injunctive relief with respect to the Site, namely, implementation of remedies selected by EPA in Records of Decision ("ROD") for the Peak Oil/Bay Drums Operable Unit ("OU") Two, dated August 9, 1993, which addresses the area-wide ground water in the Southern Surficial and Floridian Aquifers underlying the Site, and OU Four, dated June 28, 1994, which requires monitoring and sampling of the North Wetland. The Settling Defendants and the Settling Federal Agencies have agreed in the proposed Consent Decree to implement

the remedies selected by EPA for OUs Two and Four.

The Consent Decree includes a covenant not to sue by the United States under Sections 106 and 107 of CERCLA and under section 7003 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act ("RCRA"), 42 U.S.C. 6973.

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 v. Akzo Nobel Coatings, Inc., et al.*, DOJ Ref. #90-11-2-897(H). Commenters may request an opportunity for a public meeting in the affected area, in accordance with section 7003(d) of RCRA.

The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the office of the United States Attorney, Middle District of Florida, 500 Zack St. Room 410, Tampa, Florida 33602; the Office of the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 4, 61 Forsyth Street, S.W., Atlanta, Georgia, 30303; and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 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, N.W., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. In requesting a copy, please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$84.00 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library for a copy of the Consent Decree with attachments or a check in the amount of \$54.75, for a copy of the proposed Consent Decree without those attachments.

Joel M. Gross,

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR 50.7 and pursuant to section 122 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622, notice is hereby given that a

proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. Akzo Nobel Coatings, Inc., et al.*, Civil Action No. 97-1565-CIV-T-24E, was lodged on June 20, 1997, with the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida, Tampa Division.

This case concerns the Bay Drums Superfund Site, located in north central Hillsborough County, on State Road 574, in Tampa, Florida (the "Site"). In 1986, the Peak Oil and Bay Drums Superfund Sites were jointly placed on the national Priorities List as a result of the release or threatened release of hazardous substances. Pursuant to Sections 106 and 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607, the Complaint in this action seeks recovery of past and future costs incurred and to be incurred by the United States with respect to the Site, and injunctive relief for the Site, namely, implementation of the source control remedy selected by EPA in Record of Decision ("ROD") for the Peak Oil/Bay Drums Operable Unit ("OU") Three, dated March 31, 1993. The ROD provides for excavation of approximately 16,500 cubic yards of contaminated soils and sediments at the Site, backfilling of those excavated areas with clean fill, solidification and stabilization of contaminated soils and sediments, disposal of the solidified material above the water table, installation of a low permeability cap over the solidified material, disposal of shingle debris. The Settling Defendants and Settling Federal Agencies have agreed in the proposed Consent Decree to perform the remedy selected by EPA for OU Three. Settling Defendants have also agreed to pay the United States \$3,275,522.02 for past response costs incurred with respect to the Site, and to reimburse future costs associated with implementation of the Consent Decree.

The Consent Decree includes a covenant not to sue by the United States under sections 106 and 107 of CERCLA and under Section 7003 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act ("RCRA"), 42 U.S.C. 6973.

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. Akzo Nobel Coatings, Inc., et al.*, DOJ Ref. #90-11-2-897(D). Commenters may request an opportunity for a public meeting in