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By order of the Commission.

Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Justice Management Division; Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Reinstatement, without change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired; Certification of Identity.

This information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until (insert date of 60 days from date of publication in the **Federal Register**). This process is conducted in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

If you have additional comments, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, or additional information, please contact Ms. Patricia D. Harris, 301-436-1018, FOIA/PA Coordinator, Mail Management Services, Facilities and

Administrative Services Staff, Justice Management Division, United States Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530.

Overview of this information collection:

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* Reinstatement, without change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Certification of Identity.

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection:* Form: DOJ-361. Facilities and Administrative Services Staff, Justice Management Division, U.S. Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Individuals. The information collection will be used by the Department to identify individuals requesting certain records under the Privacy Act. Without this form an individual cannot obtain the information requested.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 34,390 respondents at 1 hour per response.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 34,390 annual burden hours.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: October 2, 1997.

Robert B. Briggs,

Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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

Notice is hereby given that on September 29, 1997, a proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. Case Corporation*, et al., Civil Action No. 97-4101, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Central District of Illinois.

The Consent Decree settles an action brought under Section 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental

Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. § 9601, et seq., ("CERCLA") for the recovery of past costs incurred by the United States in responding to releases or threatened releases of hazardous substances at the A.A. Waste Oil Site, located in Rock Island, Illinois. The proposed settlement set forth in the Consent Decree addresses the liability of twenty-eight defendants in this action, each of which has been named as a generator of hazardous substances sent to the Site. Under the terms of the proposed decree, the settling defendants will pay the United States a total of \$395,000 in settlement of the United States' past costs claims against them.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments relating to the Consent Decrees. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General of the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Case Corporation*, et al., D.J. Ref. 90-11-2-1261.

The Consent Decree may be examined at the office of the United States Attorney, Central District of Illinois, 100 N.E. Monroe Street, Room 216, Peoria, IL 61620, at United States Environmental Protection Agency Region V, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604, and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. In requesting copies of these three proposed settlements, please enclose a check in the amount of \$12.75 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the Consent Decree Library, and should refer to *United States v. Case Corporation*, et al., D.J. Ref. 90-11-2-1261.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Clean Water Act

In accordance with the policy of the Department of Justice, 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed consent decree in *United States v. Stone Container Corp.*, Civ. No. CIV-97-1971-PHX-EHC, was lodged with the United States District Court for the District of Arizona, on September 23, 1997. That action was brought against defendant pursuant to the Clean Water Act ("the