

8. Annex A of this Participation Agreement may be modified only if EPA and Participating Company agree and consent to such modification in writing.

9. This Agreement does not modify or affect in any way Participating Company's responsibility to achieve and maintain compliance with all other applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations and permits.

10. Each party shall bear its own costs, attorney's fees and disbursements in this matter.

11. This document, including its Annex A, encompasses the entire agreement of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and totally supersedes all prior agreements and understandings, whether oral or in writing.

Reservation of Rights

12. By entering into the Agreement, EPA understands that Participating Company neither agrees nor concedes that its use of slotted guidepoles without the controls specified in Appendix I violate or violated any Clean Air Act requirement. Similarly, Participating Company understands that EPA neither agrees nor concedes that Participating Company's prior use of slotted guidepoles without such controls was acceptable or excused in any way or on any basis whatsoever. With respect to any tank(s) other than a Tank identified in Annex A, each party reserves all rights they may have to contest or otherwise litigate any issue arising out of any use of slotted guidepoles.

Effective Date

13. This Participation Agreement shall be effective when signed by both Participating Company and EPA.

By: _____

[Participating Company]

Date: _____

By: _____

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Date: _____

Attachment 1

Operating and Maintenance Requirements for Slotted Guidepole Controls Under the Storage Tank Emissions Reduction Partnership Program

The sliding cover shall be in place over the slotted guidepole opening through the floating roof at all times except when the sliding cover must be removed for access. If the control technology used includes a guidepole float, the float shall be floating within the guidepole at all times except when it must be removed for access to the stored liquid or when the tank is empty.

Visually inspect the deck fitting for the slotted guidepole at least once every 10 years and each time the vessel is emptied and degassed. If the slotted guidepole deck fitting or control devices have defects, or if a gap of more than 0.32 centimeters (1/8 inch) exists between any gasket required for control of the slotted guidepole deck fitting and any surface that it is intended to seal, such items shall be repaired before filling or refilling the storage vessel with regulated material.

Tanks taken out of hydrocarbon service, for any reason, do not have to have any controls

in place during the time they are out of service.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Lyman Dyeing and Finishing Superfund Site; Notice of Proposed Settlement

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of proposed settlement.

SUMMARY: The United States Environmental Protection Agency is proposing to enter into a settlement for the partial reimbursement of past response costs with Springs Industries, Inc. pursuant to section 122 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA), 42 U.S.C. 9622(h)(1) concerning the Lyman Dyeing and Finishing Superfund Site (Site) located in Lyman, Spartanburg County, South Carolina. EPA will consider public comments on the proposed settlement for thirty (30) days. EPA may withdraw from or modify the proposed settlement should such comments disclose facts or considerations which indicate the proposed settlement is inappropriate, improper or inadequate. Copies of the proposed settlement are available from: Ms. Paula V. Batchelor, U.S. EPA, Region 4, (WMD-CPSB), 61 Forsyth Street, SW., Atlanta, Georgia 30303, (404) 562-8887. Written comments may be submitted to Ms. Batchelor within 30 calendar days of the date of this publication.

Dated: March 29, 2000.

Franklin E. Hill,

Chief, CERCLA Program Services Branch, Waste Management Division.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket No. 92-237; DA 00-734]

Next Meeting of the North American Numbering Council

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On April 7, 2000, the Commission released a public notice announcing the April 25 and 26, 2000,

meeting and agenda of the North American Numbering Council (NANC). For reasons described below, a portion of the meeting will be closed to the public on Wednesday, February 23, from 8:30 a.m. until 11 a.m. The intended effect of this action is to make the public aware of the NANC's next meeting and its agenda.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Jeannie Grimes at (202) 418-2320 or jgrimes@fcc.gov. The address is: Network Services Division, Common Carrier Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, The Portals, 445 12th Street, S.W., Suite 6A320, Washington, DC 20554. The fax number is: (202) 418-2345. The TTY number is: (202) 418-0484.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Released: April 7, 2000.

The North American Numbering Council (NANC) has scheduled a meeting to be held Tuesday, April 25, 2000, from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., and on Wednesday, April 26, from 8:30 a.m. until 12 noon. The meeting will be held at the Federal Communications Commission, Portals II, 445 Twelfth Street, SW, Room TW-C305, Washington, DC.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is open to members of the general public. The FCC will attempt to accommodate as many participants as possible. The public may submit written statements to the NANC, which must be received two business days before the meeting. In addition, oral statements at the meeting by parties or entities not represented on the NANC will be permitted to the extent time permits. Such statements will be limited to five minutes in length by any one party or entity, and requests to make an oral statement must be received two business days before the meeting. Requests to make an oral statement or provide written comments to the NANC should be sent to Jeannie Grimes at the address under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**, stated above.

Proposed Agenda—Tuesday, April 25, 2000

1. Approval of March 21-22, 2000 meeting minutes.
2. Review FCC Numbering Resource Optimization Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, CC Docket 99-200, released March 31, 2000.

A. NANC action items: Uniform definitions for secondary categories of number usage within 120 days (paragraphs 14 and 36). Work with NANP administration to develop reporting form within 15 days