

Environmental Protection Agency, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604-3590. A copy of the proposed consent decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Department of Justice Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044-7611. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$6.00 (25 cents per page reproduction costs) payable to the Consent Decree Library. When requesting a copy, please refer to *United States v. Clean Harbors, Inc., et al.*, DJ# 90-7-1-06612.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decrees Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act and the Clean Air Act

In accordance with 28 CFR § 50.7 and Departmental policy, notice is hereby given that on December 5, 2001, a proposed consent decree in the case captioned *United States v. Cohen, et al.*, Civil Action No. 96 C 7801 (N.D. Ill.), was lodged with the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois. The proposed consent decree relates to the Standard Scrap Metal/Chicago International Exporting Site located at 4004-4020 South Wentworth and 4000-4027 South Wells Streets in Chicago, Illinois. The proposed consent decree would resolve civil claims of the United States for recovery of past response costs under Section 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 9607 ("CERCLA"), as well as claims for civil penalties under section 104 of CERCLA, and for civil penalties and injunctive relief under section 113 of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 7413, against Steven Cohen, Lawrence A. Cohen, Chicago International Chicago, Inc., and Chicago International Exporting ("Settling Defendants"). Under the proposed consent decree, the Settling Defendants paid the United States \$500,000 in partial reimbursement of past response costs: \$105,000 in civil penalties for violations of section 104 of CERCLA; and \$105,000 in civil penalties for violations of the Clean Air Act. The Settling Defendants also certified that they had removed from their property the metal sorting lines and metal

shredding lines that were the subject of the CAA violations.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments relating to the proposed comment decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General of the Environment and Natural Resource Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Cohen, et al.*, Civil Action No. 96 C 7801 (N.D. Ill.), and DOJ Reference No. 90-11-3-1414A.

The proposed consent decree may be examined at: (1) the Office of the United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, 219 South Dearborn St., Chicago, Illinois, 60604; and (2) the United States Environmental Protection Agency (Region 5), 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604-3590. Copies of the proposed consent decree may be obtained by mail from the Department of Justice Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044. In requesting copies, please refer to the above-referenced case and DOJ Reference Number and enclose a check for \$6.50 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) made payable to the Consent Decree Library.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR § 50.7, 38 FR 19029, and consistent with 42 U.S.C. 9622, notice is hereby given that on December 10, 2001, a proposed consent decree in *United States and California Department of Toxic Substances Control v. Del Norte County*, Civil Action No. 01-4847 JCS, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Northern District of California. The proposed consent decree resolves claims under Section 106 and 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607, regarding the release and/or threat of release of hazardous substances at and from the Del Norte County Pesticide Storage Area Superfund Site near

Crescent City, California. The settler is the owner/operator of the site which was centralized storage area for pesticide and herbicide containers. The accumulated containers, exposed to the elements, released hazardous substances.

Pursuant to the proposed settlement, the County shall continue to perform the remaining response action for the Site consisting of groundwater monitoring and implementation of land use restrictions. The County also shall reimburse the United States and the State in the amount of \$50,000 apiece for certain past response costs. The settlement amount is based on the County's representation as to its financial condition.

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 sent simultaneously to the following: (1) By facsimile (202) 514-2583 and U.S. mail addressed to the Assistant Attorney General of the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, P.O. Box 7611, Benjamin Franklin Station, Washington, DC 20044; (2) Charles O'Connor, Assistant U.S. Attorney, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102; and (3) Rose Fua, Deputy Attorney General, 1515 Clay Street, Oakland, CA 94612. Comments should refer to *United States and California Dept. of Toxic Substances Control v. Del Norte County*, Civil Action No. 01-4847 JCS, D.J. Ref. 90-11-3-836.

The proposed consent decree may be examined at either of the following locations: (1) The Office of the United States Attorney, Northern District of California; or (2) Region 9, Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, California. A copy of the consent decree can be obtained (without attachments) by facsimile request ((202) 514-0997) sent to the Department of Justice Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044. To receive a copy of the consent decree (without attachments), a party will be required to provide a check in the amount of \$15.00 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the Consent Decree Library.

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