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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Notice of Lodging of Amendment to Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA)

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR § 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed Amendment to Consent Decree entered on February 7, 1992 in *United States v. Beazer East, Inc.*, Civil Action No. S-91-767, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California on July 24, 2003.

The Consent Decree involved the settlement of claims brought by the United States pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act. The complaint contained claims seeking injunctive relief and the recovery of response costs incurred by the United States in connection with the release and threatened release of hazardous substances from a facility known as the Koppers Superfund Site in Oroville, California. The proposed and agreed upon Amendment would modify the Consent Decree by updating the Decree to accommodate two changes in the remedy and the implementation of necessary institutional controls.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments relating to the proposed Amendment to Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611. Each communication should refer on its face to *United States*

*v. Beazer East, Inc.*, DOJ No. 90-11-3-461A.

The proposed Amendment to Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, Eastern District of California, 501 I Street, 10th Floor, Sacramento, California 95814, and at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9 Office, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, California 94105. During the public comment period, the proposed Amendment may also be examined on the following Department of Justice Web site, <http://www.usdoj.gov/enrd/open.html>.

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Notice of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Oil Pollution Act

In accordance with Departmental Policy, 28 CFR 50.7, 38 FR 19029, notice is hereby given that a proposed consent decree in *United States and State of Louisiana v. Marine Oil Trade 3, Ltd. and Ermis Maritime Corp.*, Civ. No. 03-2030, Section L, DOJ #90-5-1-1-07673, was lodged in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana on July 16, 2003. The Consent Decree resolves the liability of the named defendants to the United States and the State of Louisiana for natural resource damages with respect to the Westchester Oil Spill, pursuant to the Oil Production Act of 1990 (OPA), 33 U.S.C. 2702(b), and section 2480 of the Louisiana Oil Spill Prevention and Response Act (OSPRA), La. Rev. Stat. 30:2480. The claims arise from an oil spill in the Mississippi River at Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, on November 28, 2000, that resulted from an accident to the vessel WESTCHESTER. The United States and

the State share trusteeship of the injured resources and are coordinating restoration efforts.

Under the proposed Consent Decree, the Settlers will reimburse the state and federal trustees for 100% of unrecovered natural resource damage assessment costs and future monitoring costs. Also, they shall complete Restoration Projects to compensate the trustees for the natural resource damages. The Restoration Projects to be performed are the Splay Marsh Restoration Project and the Boat Dock Restoration Project.

The Damage 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, Environment and Natural Resources Division, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611, and should refer to the *United States and State of Louisiana v. Marine Oil Trader 3, Ltd. and Ermis Maritime Corp.*, DOJ #90-5-1-1-07673. The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, Eastern District of Louisiana, 501 Magazine Street, New Orleans, Louisiana 70130, and at U.S. EPA Region 6, 1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 1200, Dallas, Texas, 75202. During the public comment period, the proposed Consent Decree may also be examined on the following Department of Justice Web site, <http://www.usdoj.gov/enrd/open.html>. A copy of the proposed Consent Decree may also be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611 or by faxing or e-mailing a request to Tonia Fleetwood ([tonia.fleetwood@usdoj.gov](mailto:tonia.fleetwood@usdoj.gov)), fax no. (202) 514-0097, phone confirmation number (202) 514-1547. In requesting a copy from the Consent Decree Library, please enclose a check in the amount of \$29.75 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the U.S. Treasury.

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 50.7 and section 122 of the Comprehensive