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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Participation in the Investigation and Service List

Persons wishing to participate in the investigation as parties must file an entry of appearance with the Secretary to the Commission not later than 2 business days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.² The Secretary will prepare a service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to this investigation upon the expiration of the period for filing entries of appearance.

Conference

The Commission has scheduled a hearing in the form of a staff conference in connection with this investigation for 9:30 a.m. on August 8, 2001, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC. Parties wishing to participate in the conference should contact Debra Baker (202-205-3180) not later than August 6, 2001, to arrange for their appearance. Parties in support of the request in this investigation and parties in opposition to the request will each be collectively allocated one hour within which to make an oral presentation at the conference. A nonparty who has testimony that may aid the Commission's deliberations may request permission to present a short statement at the conference.

Written Submissions

Each party is encouraged to submit a preconference brief to the Commission. The deadline for filing such briefs is August 6, 2001. Parties may also file postconference briefs, which shall not exceed 15 pages in length. The deadline for filing postconference briefs is August 10, 2001. In addition, any person who has not entered an appearance as a party to the investigation may submit a written statement of information pertinent to the subject of the investigation on or before August 10, 2001. On August 17, 2001, the Commission will make available to parties a public version of the staff report. Parties may submit final comments on or before August 20, 2001, on the basis of this report and other information on which they have not had an opportunity to comment; such comments shall not exceed 15 pages in

length. All written submissions must conform with the provisions of section 201.8 of the Commission's rules; any submissions that contain confidential business information must also conform with the requirements of section 201.6 of the Commission's rules. The Commission's rules do not authorize filing of submissions with the Secretary by facsimile or electronic means.

The Commission may wish to use in this investigation the information provided in investigation No. TA-204-6, Certain Steel Wire Rod: Monitoring Developments in the Domestic Industry. Any confidential business information submitted in that investigation will be afforded the protection provided under the appropriate statutory authority. Respondents to questionnaires in investigation No. TA-204-6 will be contacted to assure they do not object to use of their data in this investigation. Any U.S. producer, importer, or purchaser that did not provide a questionnaire response in investigation No. TA-204-6 is urged to provide equivalent information in this investigation. If convenient, this may be done by completing the appropriate questionnaire(s) which are available on the Commission's web site at <http://info.usitc.gov/OINV/INVEST/OINVINVEST.NSF>; questionnaires should be returned to the Commission by August 8, 2001.

Authority: This investigation is being conducted under the authority of section 312(c) of the Act; this notice is published pursuant to section 206.3 of the Commission's rules.

Issued: August 1, 2001.

By order of the Commission.

Donna R. Koehnke,
Secretary.

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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 Department of Justice policy codified at 28 CFR 50.7 and Section 122 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622, notice is hereby given that on July 24, 2001, a proposed consent decree in *United States v. Dayton Power & Light Co., et al.*, No. C-3-98-451, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio. The proposed

consent decree would settle the United States' claims against eleven Settling Defendants under CERCLA section 107(a)(3), 42 U.S.C. 9607(a)(3), for the recovery of response costs incurred or to be incurred by the United States in connection with the Sanitary Landfill (IWD) Superfund Site ("Site") in Moraine, Ohio. The proposed consent decree would also resolve the potential liability of the U.S. Department of Energy ("DOE") for Site response costs. Each of the Settling Defendants is a generator of waste disposed at the Site, which was operated as a licensed landfill by Sanitary Landfill Company and its successor corporations from 1971 to 1980. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") incurred costs of approximately \$1.2 million in responding to the release or threatened release of hazardous substances at the Site.

Under the terms of the consent decree, the Settling Defendants and DOE agree to pay \$303,971 and \$5,335, respectively, within thirty (30) days of entry of the consent decree, as reimbursement of response costs. In consideration for these payments, the Settling Defendants will receive a covenant not to sue for Site response costs, DOE will receive a covenant that EPA will not take administrative action against it related to the Site, and both the Settling Defendants and DOE will receive contribution protection for Site response costs. The settlement amounts to be paid by the Settling Defendants and DOE are based on allocation percentages of waste contributed to the Site.

For a period of thirty (30) days from the date of the publication, Department of Justice will receive comments related to the proposed consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, U.S. Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Dayton Power & Light Co., et al.*, Civil Action No. C-3-98-451; D.J. Ref. No. 90-11-2-1113A.

The consent decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, 602 Federal Building, 200 W. 2nd Street, Dayton, Ohio 45402, and at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604. A copy of the 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. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of

² The Commission waives the period for entering an appearance under section 201.11 of the Commission's rules in light of the time limits of this investigation.

\$8.75 (35 pages at 25 cents per page reproduction cost).

William Brighton,

Assistant Section 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, the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; and the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

Consistent with Departmental policy, 28 C.F.R. 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed Consent Decree *United States, et al. v. Montrose Chemical Corporation of California, et al.*, No. CV 90-3122-R (C.D. Cal), was lodged on July 19, 2001 with the United States District Court for the Central District of California. The consent decree resolves claims under Section 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. 9607, as amended, brought against defendants Montrose Chemical Corporation of California ("Montrose"), Aventis CropScience USA, Inc. ("Aventis"), Chris-Craft Industries, Inc. ("Chris-Craft"), and Atkemix Thirty Seven, Inc. ("Atkemix-37") (collectively, the "DDT Defendants"), for response costs incurred and to be incurred by the United States Environmental Protection Agency in connection with responding to the release and threatened release of hazardous substances at residential properties located in (1) the area of Los Angeles County bounded by Normandie Avenue, New Hampshire Avenue, Torrance Blvd., and Del Amo Blvd., and (2) the area of Los Angeles County bounded by Denker Avenue, Del Amo Blvd. Western Avenue and Torrance Blvd.

The proposed consent decree provides that the DDT Defendants will allow materials excavated from the above-described areas to be placed on their property in storage cells. Defendants also pay \$250,000, plus the actual costs of constructing the on-property storage cells (up to \$356,000), and will operate and maintain the storage cells for four years. The consent decree includes a covenant not to sue by the United States under Sections 106 and 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607, 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, U.S. Department of Justice, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044; and refer to *United States, et al. v. Montrose Chemical Corporation of California, et al.*, No. CV 90-3122-R (C.D. Cal), and DOF Ref #90-11-3-511\3.

The proposed settlement agreement may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, Central District of California, Federal Building, 300 North Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012; and the Region IX Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105. A copy 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 a copy please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$10.75 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library.

Ellen M. Mahan,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993; Advanced Lead-Acid Battery Consortium

Notice is hereby given that, on June 29, 2001, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Advanced Lead-Acid Battery Consortium ("ALABC") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership status. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Yuasa, Inc., Reading, PA is no longer a party to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and ALABC intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On June 15, 1992, ALABC filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on July 29, 1992 (57 FR 33522).

The last notification was filed with the Department on March 30, 2001. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on April 24, 2001 (66 FR 20685).

Constance K. Robinson,

Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Application Service Provider Industry Consortium, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on May 15, 2001, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Application Service Provider Industry Consortium, Inc. has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership status. The notifications were filed with the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, 360Networks, Seattle, WA; 3Plex, Cambridge, MA; Access Colo, Inc., Morristown, NJ; Afcomp, Dubai internet City, Dubai, United Arab Emirates; Alderan Consultores, Madrid, Spain; Anachron B.V., Amsterdam, The Netherlands; Anite Business Systems Ltd., Slough, Berkshire, United Kingdom; AppWired, Inc., Las Colinas, TX; Ascension Health Information, Evansville, IN; ASP Consortium e.V., Unterschleissheim, Germany; ASP-One, Inc., Skokie, IL; asset-management.com Ltd., London, United Kingdom; Avaya Inc., Basking Ridge, NJ; B2Biscom S.p.A., Milano, Italy; BellSouth, Atlanta, GA; Blixer S.p.A., Milan, Italy; Bright Sage, Inc., Chicago, IL; Carolinas Imaging, Durham, NC; Chemresult.Com,