

listed on the National Priorities List ("NPL") on April 25, 1995. 60 FR 20350 (April 25, 1995). Subject to review by the public pursuant to this document, the agreement has been approved by the United States Department of Justice. The party who has executed the proposed Administrative Order on Consent is Fog-Tite, Inc.

The EPA is entering into this agreement under the authority of sections 122(g), 106 and 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9622(g), 9606 and 9607. Section 122(g) authorizes settlements with de minimis parties to allow them to resolve their liabilities at Superfund sites without incurring substantial transaction costs. Under this authority, the agreement proposes to settle with a party in the Tulalip Landfill case who is responsible for less than 0.2% of the volume of hazardous substances at the site.

In February and March 1988, EPA contractor Ecology & Environment, Inc. ("E&E") performed a site inspection of the landfill for NPL evaluation. The inspection revealed groundwater contamination with unacceptably high levels of arsenic, barium, cadmium, chromium, lead, mercury, and silver. Water samples taken in the wetlands adjacent to the site showed exceedences of marine chronic criteria for cadmium, chromium, and lead, as well as exceedences in marine acute criteria for copper, nickel, and zinc. In addition, a variety of metals were found in on-site pools and leachate. The study concluded that contamination was migrating off site. On July 29, 1991, EPA proposed adding the Tulalip Landfill to the NPL, and on April 25, 1995, with the support of the Governor of the State of Washington and the Tulalip Tribes of Washington, EPA published the final rule adding the Site to the NPL.

EPA performed a Remedial Investigation ("RI") and Feasibility Study ("FS") in two parts pursuant to an Administrative Order on Consent with several potentially responsible parties. The first part evaluated various containment alternatives for the landfill source area, which includes approximately 147 acres in which waste was deposited. The second part evaluated the off-source areas, which include the wetlands and tidal channels that surround the landfill source area.

On March 1, 1996, EPA issued a Record of Decision that selected an interim remedial action for the source area. The selected interim remedy requires installation of an engineered, low-permeability cover over the source area of the landfill, at an estimated cost of \$25.1 million. On September 29, 1998, EPA issued a Record of Decision

that selected the final remedial action for the source and off-source areas. The selected final remedy requires completion of the cover over the source area and placement of signs in the off-source area. The estimated cost of the signs is approximately \$15,000.

The proposed settlement is based on the Final Allocation Report issued by the allocator in the allocation process conducted for the Site. Fog-Tite was the only de minimis party to actively participate in the allocation and the only de minimis party to accept a settlement based on the allocation report.

The proposed settlement requires the settling party to pay a fixed sum of money based on its volumetric share. The total amount to be recovered from the proposed settlement is \$2,471. The amount paid will be deposited in the Tulalip Landfill Special Account within the EPA Hazardous Substances Superfund to be used for the cover over the source area at the landfill. Upon full payment, the settling party will receive a release from further civil or administrative liabilities for the Site and statutory contribution protection under section 122(g)(5) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9622(g)(5).

EPA will receive written comments relating to this proposed settlement for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication.

The proposed agreement may be obtained from Cindy Colgate, Office of Environmental Cleanup (ECL-113), 1200 Sixth Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98101, (206) 553-1815. The Administrative Record for this settlement may be examined at the EPA's Region 10 office located at 1200 Sixth Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98101, by contacting Bob Phillips, Superfund Records Manager, Office of Environmental Cleanup (ECL-110), 1200 Sixth Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98101, (206) 553-6699.

Authority: The Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, as amended, 41 U.S.C. 9601-9675.

Jane Moore,

Acting Regional Administrator, Region 10.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6340-9]

New Jersey State Prohibition on Marine Discharges of Vessel Sewage; Receipt of Petition and Tentative Determination

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that a petition was received from the State of New Jersey on April 3, 1998 requesting a determination by the Regional Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), pursuant to section 312(f) of Public Law 92-500, as amended by Public Law 95-217 and Public Law 100-4 (the Clean Water Act), that adequate facilities for the safe and sanitary removal and treatment of sewage from all vessels are reasonably available for the waters of the Navesink River, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey.

This petition was made by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) in cooperation with the Navesink Regional Environmental Council. Members of the Council include the Borough of Fair Haven, the Township of Middletown, the Borough of Red Bank, the Borough of Rumson, the Borough of Tinton Falls, the Township of Holmdel, the Township of Colts Neck, the Township of Freehold and the Township of Marlboro. The Council worked in conjunction with Clean Ocean Action, Marine Development USA, Inc.; Marine Trade Association of New Jersey, Monmouth County Health Department, Monmouth County Planning Board, New Jersey Marine Sciences Consortium, New Jersey Sea Grant Advisory Service, New Jersey State Police Marine Division, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary and the U.S. Coast Guard. Upon receipt of an affirmative determination in response to this petition, NJDEP would completely prohibit the discharge of sewage, whether treated or not, from any vessel in Navesink River in accordance with section 312(f)(3) of the Clean Water Act and 40 CFR 140.4(a).

The Navesink River, located in central New Jersey, is part of the Hudson-Raritan Bay Estuary and drains approximately 95 square miles of urban/suburban residential development and agricultural lands. The Navesink River runs easterly from Red Bank, New Jersey and then joins the Shrewsbury River and empties into Sandy Hook Bay. The tidal waters of the Navesink River extend from the Shrewsbury River, near

Sea Bright, upstream to the Swimming River Reservoir dam. The Navesink River has been identified as a waterbody of national significance and is part of the New York-New Jersey Harbor Estuary Program. The proposed No Discharge Area (NDA) would include all tidal waters of the Navesink River which extend from the Shrewsbury River, near Sea Bright, upstream to the Swimming River Reservoir dam. The eastern boundary of the NDA is a line from Lat./Long. 73°58'45", 40°22'40" to Lat./Long. 73°58'58", 40°23'04". The western boundary of the NDA is at Lat./Long. 74°06'48", 40°19'12".

Information submitted by the State of New Jersey and the Navesink Regional Environmental Planning Council states that there are five existing pump-out facilities available to service vessels which use the Navesink River. Sea Land Marina, located at 261 West Front Street, Red Bank, operates a portable pumpout. The pumpout is available from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. beginning April 15 until October 15 and is operated by the marina staff. A \$5.00 fee is charged for the use of the pumpout. Irwin's Boat Works, located at 1 Marine Park, Red Bank, operates a stationary pumpout. The pumpout is available from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. beginning May until October 31 and is operated by the marina staff. A fee of \$5.00 is charged for the use of the pumpout. Red Bank Municipal Basin, located at Marine Park, Red Bank, operates a stationery pumpout. The pumpout is available 24 hours a day year round and is self-operated. No fee is charged for use of the pumpout. Fair Haven Yacht Works, located at 75 DeNormandie Avenue, Fair Haven, operates a portable pumpout. The pumpout is available from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and is operated by the marina staff. A \$5.00 fee is charged for the use of the pumpout. Molly Pitcher Inn and Marina, located at 88 Riverside Avenue, Red Bank, operates a stationary pumpout. The pumpout is available upon request for customers of the marina. One facility, Sea Land Marina, located in Red Bank has a restriction which would exclude boats greater than 26 feet in length. This restriction impacts approximately 18% of the vessel fleet and there are three facilities available for their needs.

Vessel waste generated from the pump-out facilities within the proposed NDA is discharged into municipal sewer lines and is conveyed to the Northeast Monmouth Regional Sewage Authority (NJPDES Permit No. NJ0024520) at 1 Highland Avenue in Monmouth Beach for treatment.

According to the State's petition, the maximum daily vessel population for

the waters of Navesink River is approximately 1,122 vessels. This estimate is based on (1) vessels docked at marinas and yacht clubs (866 vessels), (2) vessels docked at non-marina facilities (227 vessels) and (3) transient vessels (29 vessels). The vessel population based on length is 915 vessels less than 26 feet in length, 193 vessels between 26 feet and 40 feet in length and 14 vessels greater than 40 feet in length. Based on number and size of boats, and using various methods to estimate the number of holding tanks, it is estimated that one pumpout is needed for the Navesink River. As previously stated, five pumpout facilities are currently available to service the boating population. Additionally, four marinas have applied for pumpout grants to install a total of five new pumpouts.

The EPA hereby makes a tentative affirmative determination that adequate facilities for the safe and sanitary removal and treatment of sewage from all vessels are reasonably available for the Navesink River in the county of Monmouth, New Jersey. A final determination on this matter will be made following the 30-day period for public comment and will result in a New Jersey State prohibition of any sewage discharges from vessels in Navesink River.

Comments and views regarding this petition and EPA's tentative determination may be filed on or before June 11, 1999. Comments or requests for information or copies of the applicant's petition should be addressed to Walter E. Andrews, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region II, Water Programs Branch, 290 Broadway, 24th Floor, New York, New York 10007-1866. Telephone: (212) 637-3880.

Dated: April 27, 1999.

William J. Muszynski,

Acting Regional Administrator, Region 2.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

DATE & TIME: Tuesday, May 18, 1999 at 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: 999 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

STATUS: This meeting will be closed to the public.

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED:

Compliance matters pursuant to 2 U.S.C. § 437g.

Audits conducted pursuant to 2 U.S.C. § 437g, § 438(b), and Title 26, U.S.C.

Matters concerning participation in civil actions or proceedings or arbitration.

Internal personnel rules and procedures or matters affecting a particular employee.

DATE & TIME: Thursday, May 20, 1999 at 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: 999 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. (Ninth Floor).

STATUS: This meeting will be open to the public.

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED:

Correction and Approval of Minutes.

Advisory Opinion 1999-9: Bill Bradley for President, Inc., by Robert F. Bauer, counsel.

Advisory Opinion 1999-11: Mary Kay Scullion, Counsel for Ms. Dianne Byrum.

Proposed Final Rules on Matching Credit Card and Debit Card Contributions in Presidential Campaigns.

Administrative Matters.

PERSON TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION:

Mr. Ron Harris, Press Officer,
Telephone: (202) 694-1220.

Marjorie W. Emmons,

Secretary of the Commission.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Notice of Agreement(s) Filed

The Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreement(s) under the Shipping Act of 1984. Interested parties can review or obtain copies of agreements at the Washington, DC offices of the Commission, 800 North Capitol Street, NW, Room 962. Interested parties may submit comments on an agreement to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573, within 10 days of the date this notice appears in the **Federal Register**.

Agreement No.: 202-010168-013.

Title: New Caribbean Service Rate Agreement.

Parties: Thos. & Jas. Harrison, Ltd., Compagnie Generale Maritime, Hapag-Lloyd Container Linie GmbH, P&O Nedlloyd B.V., Columbus Line.

Synopsis: The proposed amendment restates the Agreement and makes revisions consistent with the Ocean Shipping Reform Act of 1998 and applicable European Union directives. The parties request expedited review.

Agreement No.: 202-011259-017.

Title: United States/Southern Africa Conference Agreement.

Parties: A.P. Moller-Maersk Line
Lykes Lines Limited, LLC