

date of this publication comments relating to the Partial 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, D.C. 20044-7611, and should refer to *United States v. IBP, Inc.*, Civil Action No. 8:00-CV-28, D.J. Ref. 90-11-3-06517/3.

The Partial Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, 487 Federal Building, 100 Centennial Mall North, Lincoln, NE 68508, and at U.S. EPA Region 7, 901 N. 5th St., Kansas City, Kansas 66101. A copy of the Partial Consent Decree may also be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C., 20044-7611. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$34.50 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the Consent Decree Library. In requesting a copy exclusive of exhibits please enclose a check in the amount of \$15.25 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) 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

Pursuant to Section 122(d)(2) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622(d)(2), and 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed consent decree embodying a settlement in *United States v. ITT Industries, Inc., et al.*, No. CV 99-00552 MRP (ANx), was lodged on May 17, 2000, with the United States District Court for the Central District of California, Western Division.

In an amended complaint filed concurrently with the lodging of the consent decree, the United States and the State of California seek injunctive relief for performance of response actions and reimbursement of response costs incurred by the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") and by the California Department of Toxic Substances Control ("DTSC"), pursuant to Sections 106 and 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9606, 9607, in response to releases of hazardous

substances at the Glendale North and South Operable Units ("OUs") of the San Fernando Valley Basin Superfund Site, in Southern California.

Under the proposed consent decree, the settling defendants have agreed to fund and perform future response actions at the Glendale OUs. Future work includes construction, operation and maintenance of a groundwater extraction and treatment system. After four months of operation and maintenance by the settling defendants, the City of Glendale, a party to the consent decree although not a defendant in the complaint, shall assume responsibility for future operation and maintenance of the extraction and treatment system, as well as of certain other facilities.

In addition, the consent decree requires the settling defendants to pay \$13,226,949 in EPA past costs, together with \$38,053 in Department of Justice costs, to the United States and \$83,550 in DTSC past costs to the State of California.

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, Box 7611, Ben Franklin Station, Washington, DC 20044-7611, and should refer to *United States v. ITT Industries, Inc., et al.*, DOJ Ref. #90-11-2-442A. Commenters may request a public hearing in the affected area, pursuant to Section 7003(d) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. 6973(d).

The proposed consent decree may be examined at the EPA Region 9 Superfund Records Center, 75 Hawthorne Street, Fourth Floor, San Francisco, California 94105, and at the Office of the United States Attorney for the Central District of California, Federal Building, Room 7516, 300 North Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles, California 90012. A copy of the proposed consent decree may also be obtained by mail from the Department of Justice Consent Decree Library, Box 7611, Ben Franklin Station, Washington, DC 20044-7611. In requesting a copy, please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$110.50 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library. A copy of the decree, exclusive of the defendants' signature pages and

the attachments, may be obtained for \$26.25.

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Notice of Lodging Consent Decree Under the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300f et seq.

Notice is hereby given that on May 11, 2000, two proposed Consent Decrees ("Decrees") in the *United States v. Natural Gas Processing Company and KCS Resources, Inc. d/b/a/ Mountain Resources, Inc.*, Civ. Action No. CV 00-65-RFC, were lodged with the United States District Court for the District of Montana, Great Falls Division. The United States filed this action pursuant to Section 1423(b) of the Safe Drinking Water Act ("SDWA"), 42 U.S.C. § 300h-2(b), seeking injunctive relief and civil penalties for the Defendants' violation of various provisions of Part C of the SDWA and of 40 CFR part 144.

The proposed Consent Decree with the Natural Gas Processing Company ("NGP") requires NGP to pay a civil penalty of \$54,000, including interest. The proposed Consent Decree with KCS Resources, Inc. d/b/a/ Mountain Resources, Inc. ("KCS") requires KCS to pay a civil penalty of \$25,000, including interest, and to perform a Supplemental Environmental Project involving the plugging of one or more abandon Class II Underground Injection Control wells in Montana.

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication comments relating to the Decrees. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General of the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Natural Gas Processing Company and KCS Resources Inc. d/b/a Mountain Resources, Inc.*, Civ. Action No. CV 00-65-RFC, and D.J. Ref. #90-5-1-1-4401.

The Decree may be examined at the United States Department of Justice, Environment and Natural Resources Division, Denver Field Office, 999 18th Street, North Tower Suite 945, Denver, Colorado 80202 and the U.S. EPA Region VIII, 999 18th Street, Denver, Colorado 80202. Copies of the Decrees may be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, Department of Justice, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC