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The Draft EIS will also soon be available on the Internet at <http://www.pn.usbr.gov/>

Hearing Process Information

Requests to make oral comments at the public hearings may be made at each hearing. Comments will be recorded by a court reporter. Speakers will be called in the order of their requests. In the interest of available time, each speaker will be asked to limit oral comments to five (5) minutes. Longer comments should be summarized at the public hearing and submitted in writing either at the public hearing or identified as hearing comments and mailed to be received by Mr. Blanchard no later than March 27, 2001 (the end of the public comment period).

Dated: February 1, 2001.

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Deputy Regional Director, Pacific Northwest Region.

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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, notice is hereby given that a consent decree in *United States v. Berks Associates et al.*, Civil Action No. 91-4868 (E.D. Pa.) was lodged on January 19, 2001, with the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. The consent decree resolves the claims of the United States under section 107(a) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9607(a), for reimbursement of response costs incurred by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") in connection with the Douglassville Disposal Superfund Site located in Douglassville, Berks County,

Pennsylvania. The settling defendants are Conrail, Cabot Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., the Glidden Company, Lehigh Valley Railroad, American Premier Underwriters, Inc., Kimberly Clark Corporation, Shell Oil Company, Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority, Chevron, and A&A Waste Oil, and Lester Schurr d/b/a Berks Associates, Inc.

In addition, the consent decree resolves counterclaims of the settling defendants against 8 federal agencies including the Departments of Defense, Army, Air Force, Navy, U.S. Coast Guard, U.S. Mint, U.S. Post Office, and the U.S. Government Printing Office.

Under the terms of the consent decree, EPA would receive reimbursement of \$13.85 million in costs incurred by EPA at the Site. In addition, the settling defendants (with the exception of Lester Schurr, Berks Associates, and A&A Waste Oil) agree to implement a soil stabilization remedy at the Site. The settling federal agencies will pay \$5,366,922 toward reimbursement of EPA's past response cost and \$978,712 toward reimbursement of private party defendant response costs. In addition, the settling federal agencies will pay \$3,255,029 toward the implementation of the soil stabilization remedy.

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, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Berks Associates et al.* DOJ # 90-11-2-303. The proposed consent decree may be examined at the offices of the United States Attorney, 615 Chestnut Street, Suite 1250, Philadelphia, PA 19106-4476. A copy of the consent decree may also be obtained by mail from the U.S. 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 \$35.50 (25 cents per page reproduction cost exclusive of exhibits), payable to the Consent Decree Library.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Under the Clean Air Act

Notice is hereby given that on January 18, 2001, a proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. CENCO Refining Co.*, Civil Action No. CV 01-00512-RSWL (AIJx) was lodged with the United States District Court for the Central District of California.

This consent decree represents a settlement of claims brought against CENCO Refining Co. ("CENCO") under 28 U.S.C. 2201(a) and Section 113(b) of the Clean Air Act ("the Act"), 42 U.S.C. 7413(b), for a declaratory judgment that CENCO's building, erecting installing, altering and/or replacing of any equipment at its oil refining facility that may cause the issuance of air contaminants without first obtaining all pre-construction permits required under the Act and the California State Implementation Plan, violates the Act and the California State Implementation Plan, entitling the United States to injunctive relief and civil penalties against CENCO.

Under the proposed settlement, CENCO will undertake significant injunctive measures designed to limit the facility's emissions of nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides and volatile organic compounds.

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication comments relating to the Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, PO Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611, and should refer to *United States v. CENCO Refining Co.*, D.J. Ref. 90-5-2-1-07306. A copy of all comments should also be sent to Matthew A. Fogelson, U.S. Department of Justice, Environment and Natural Resources Division, Environmental Enforcement Section, 301 Howard Street, San Francisco, CA 94105.

The Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, 300 North Los Angeles Street, Room 7516, Federal Building, Los Angeles, California, and at U.S. EPA Region 9, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, California. A copy of the Consent Decree may also be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, PO Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$5.25 (25 cents