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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

MAY 15, 1980

THE ADMINISTRATOR

Your organization has been identified as one which may possibly handle hazardous waste. This mailing is designed to assist you in determining whether you are affected by new hazardous waste regulations and, if so, to assist you in complying with the law.

The Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) provides for a national program to protect public health and the environment by requiring proper management of hazardous waste. Under that law, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has developed standards and procedures that must be followed by all persons that generate, transport, treat, store, or dispose of hazardous waste. The regulations called for by RCRA were published in the Federal Register on February 26 and on May 19, 1980.

The law requires anyone who handles a hazardous waste--whether as a generator, transporter, treater, storer, or disposer--to notify EPA. This notification must be submitted within 90 days after the date that EPA identifies the waste as being hazardous. Persons who do not notify may be subject to civil penalties. This packet is designed to assist you in complying with this legal requirement.

Over the next few months EPA will be identifying hazardous waste in two sets. The regulations published by EPA in the May 19, 1980 Federal Register identify and list the first set of hazardous wastes. All persons who handle those wastes must submit a notification by August 18, 1980.

In early June, EPA will publish an additional set of hazardous wastes. Notifications covering these additional hazardous wastes are required by early September. The additional list of hazardous wastes is included in this packet. If you handle wastes that are included on this additional list, you are encouraged to include these hazardous wastes in the notification due by August 18. This will eliminate the need for you to file two separate notifications.

In addition to submitting proper notification, existing hazardous waste treatment, storage, and disposal facilities must submit a permit application in order to continue treating, storing, or disposing of hazardous waste. This permit application must be submitted within six months after the date that EPA identifies a waste as being hazardous. Therefore, persons who own or operate existing treatment, storage, and disposal facilities handling wastes included in the first set of hazardous wastes published on May 19 must apply for a permit by November 19, 1980. Applications covering wastes included in the second set of hazardous wastes are required by early December. If you handle wastes included in the second set of hazardous wastes you are encouraged to include these hazardous wastes in the first application due by November 19, in order to eliminate the need for filing two separate permit applications.

Some existing hazardous waste disposal facilities may stop handling hazardous waste, or may even close, because they will be unable to comply with EPA's standards. Generators and transporters served by such facilities may find that they will have to store hazardous waste until they find another disposal facility that will accept the waste. In some cases, storage may be required for more than 90 days. In these cases a RCRA permit will be required for the storage facility. Generators and transporters who expect that they will have to store hazardous waste at some time in the future should file a permit application to cover the storage activity.

EPA will send an acknowledgement to each notifier indicating that their notification has been received. The acknowledgement will include the notifier's EPA Identification Number. This number must be used on shipping manifests for transporting hazardous waste, on reports that must be filed with EPA, on applications for a Federal Hazardous Waste Permit, and on all other communications with EPA regarding hazardous waste.

Because thousands of firms will be filing notifications, it will take four to eight weeks for the Agency to issue acknowledgements. If you do not receive an acknowledgement within eight weeks after your notification is submitted, you should contact the appropriate EPA Regional Notification Contact listed in the enclosed instruction sheet entitled "How To Notify."

Several State governments have a notification requirement similar to EPA's. Even if you have filed a notification in your State, you must file a RCRA notification with EPA.

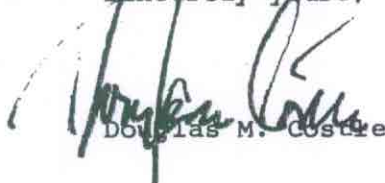
EPA has identified many organizations which may possibly handle hazardous waste and hence may have to file a notification. Receipt of this packet does not necessarily mean that you must notify. In order to determine whether you need to notify, you should refer to the enclosed instruction sheet "How to Notify."

This packet also includes:

- ° Notification Forms and instructions,
- ° A copy of the EPA regulations identifying and listing hazardous waste,
- ° A list of the additional hazardous wastes which will be published officially in June,
- ° A list of general definitions to help you complete the Notification Form,
- ° Two labels with your EPA Identification Number (one for use on the Notification Form and one to be used if you file a permit application),
- ° Two envelopes and two pre-addressed mailing labels (one to send the Notification Form and one to be used if you file a permit application form), and
- ° A post card which treatment, storage, and disposal facilities may use to request a RCRA permit application.

If after reading the instructions you have any questions regarding the notification process, please contact the EPA Regional Notification Contact in your area for assistance.

Sincerely yours,



Douglas M. Coste

Enclosure

"How To Notify"

Step 1 - Determine If You Handle A Hazardous Waste

Persons who generate, transport, treat, store, or dispose of a solid waste must determine if this solid waste is a hazardous waste subject to regulation. That determination should be made as follows:

- a) First, determine if the solid waste handled is excluded from regulation as a hazardous waste. The list of exclusions can be found in "Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste", Sections 261.4 and 261.5. If the solid waste handled is excluded, persons handling such waste need not notify on these wastes.
- b) If the solid waste handled is not excluded by Sections 261.4 and 261.5, determine if the waste is listed in Subpart D of "Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste". Persons handling listed hazardous wastes are subject to regulation and must notify.

(Note: In the Fall of 1980, EPA is planning to publish under Subpart D a list of infectious wastes from hospitals, veterinary hospitals, medical and research laboratories. In anticipation of this, space has been provided on the Notification Form. It is not necessary to provide information on these wastes at this time).

- c) If the waste handled is not listed in Subpart D of "Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste", the waste may still be hazardous because it possesses certain characteristics or contains certain contaminants. These characteristics and contaminants are contained in Subpart C of "Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste". A determination that a waste possesses these characteristics or contaminants may be made either based on: 1) your knowledge of the hazard characteristic of the waste in light of the materials or the processes used, or 2) the results of testing the waste according to the methods in Subpart C of "Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste".

Step 2 - Procedures For Filing A Notification

If your waste is a hazardous waste you must notify by:

- a) Completing the enclosed Notification Form. Instructions for completing the form are also enclosed.
- b) Signing the Notification Form. This is to be done by the authorized representative of the installation.
- c) Inserting the Notification Form into the return envelope.
- d) Affixing the EPA preaddressed mailing label to the envelope. (If an EPA preaddressed mailing label is not enclosed, refer to the general instructions to the Notification Form for the mailing address of the EPA Regional Office serving your area).
- e) Mailing the envelope containing the Notification Form to EPA no later than August 18, 1980.

Step 3 - Requesting A Permit Application

Owners and operators of treatment, storage, and disposal facilities should also complete and mail the enclosed post card to request Part A of the permit application.

EPA Regional Notification Contacts

<u>Area Served</u>	<u>Notification Contact and Telephone Number(s)</u>
Connecticut, Maine, ----- Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Vermont, New Hampshire	Rich Cavagnero EPA Region I (617) 223-0240
New Jersey, New York, ----- Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico	Harry Ruisi EPA Region II (212) 264-0503
Delaware, District of Columbia,----- Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia	Shirley Bulkin EPA Region III (215) 597-8751
Alabama, Florida, Georgia, ----- Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee	Ray Cozart EPA Region IV (404) 881-3446
Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, ----- Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin	Y. J. Kim EPA Region V 800-572-3176 (IL) 800-621-3192 (IN, MI, MN, OH, WI)
Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, ----- Oklahoma, Texas	Fred Woods EPA Region VI (214) 767-2765
Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, ----- Nebraska	Dennis Degner EPA Region VII 800-892-3837 (MO) 800-821-3714 (IA, KS, NE)
Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, ----- South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming	Jim Rakers EPA Region VIII (303) 837-2221 800-332-3321 (CO) 800-525-3022 (MT, ND, SD, UT, WY)

Arizona, California, Hawaii, ----- Bill Wilson
Nevada, Guam, American Samoa, EPA Region IX
Commonwealth of the Northern (415) 556-1407
Marianas

Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, ----- Betty Wiese
Washington EPA Region X
(206) 442-1260
800-542-0841 (WA)
800-426-0663 (AL, ID, OR)

HAZARDOUS WASTES SCHEDULED FOR JUNE PROMULGATION

EPA HAZARDOUS
WASTE NUMBER

HAZARDOUS WASTES FROM NON-SPECIFIC SOURCES

- F017 Paint residues generated from industrial painting.
F018 Wastewater treatment sludges from industrial painting.

HAZARDOUS WASTES FROM SPECIFIC SOURCES

- K070 Woven fabric dyeing and finishing wastewater treatment sludges.
K071 Mercury bearing sludges from brine treatment and mercury bearing brine purification muds from the mercury cell process in chlorine production.
K072 Wastewater treatment sludge from the diaphragm cell process using graphite anodes in the production of chlorine.
K073 Chlorinated hydrocarbon bearing wastes from the diaphragm cell process using graphite anodes in chlorine production.
K074 Wastewater treatment sludges from the production of TiO₂ pigment using chromium bearing ores by the chloride process.
K075 Wastewater treatment sludges from the production of TiO₂ pigment using chromium bearing ores by the sulfate process.
K076 Arsenic bearing sludges from the purification process in the production of antimony oxide.
K077 Antimony bearing wastewater treatment sludge from the production of antimony oxide.
K078 Solvent cleaning wastes from paint manufacturing.
K079 Water cleaning wastes from paint manufacturing.
K080 Caustic cleaning wastes from paint manufacturing.
K081 Wastewater treatment sludges from paint manufacturing.
K082 Air pollution control sludges from paint manufacturing.
K083 Still bottoms from aniline production.
K084 Arsenic or organo-arsenic containing wastewater treatment sludges from the production of veterinary pharmaceuticals.
K085 Distillation residue from the separation of chlorobenzenes in the production of chlorobenzenes.
K086 Sludges, wastes from tub washers (*ink formulation*).
K087 Coking: Decanter tank tar/pitch/sludge.
K088 Spent potliners (*cathodes*) from primary aluminum production.
K089 Lead bearing wastewater treatment sludges from gray iron foundries.
K090 Emission control dust/sludge from ferro-chromium-silicon production.
K091 Emission control dust/sludge from ferro-chrome production.
K092 Emission control dust/sludge from ferro-manganese production.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING NOTIFICATION OF HAZARDOUS WASTE ACTIVITY – EPA Form 8700-12

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Who Must File

The Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976 (RCRA) requires anyone who generates or transports hazardous waste, or who owns or operates a facility for treating, storing, or disposing of hazardous waste to notify EPA of their activity. This includes individuals, trusts, firms, joint stock companies, corporations (including government corporations), partnerships, associations, States, municipalities, commissions, interstate bodies and Federal Agencies. If you transport, treat, store, or dispose of hazardous waste without filing a notification, you may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

Hazardous waste generators and owners and operators of facilities for treating, storing, or disposing of hazardous waste who operate underground injection wells must notify EPA using the Notification Form under RCRA. You do not have to submit a separate Notification Form under the Safe Drinking Water Act, however, you are still required to fill out inventory and other forms required under the Safe Drinking Water Act. For further information, owners and operators of underground injection wells should consult the Chief, Water Supply Branch at the nearest EPA Regional Office.

What Information Should Be Filed

When filing a notification, you must identify the hazardous wastes that you handle and give a general description of your activity including its location. You can submit all this information by completing the enclosed EPA Form 8700-12, Notification of Hazardous Waste Activity.

How Many Forms Should Be Filed

You need submit only one Notification Form per site or location, provided that you describe all the activities at that site or location. If you conduct hazardous waste activity at more than one site or location, you must submit a separate form for each site or location.

If you transport hazardous waste, and do not generate, treat, store, or dispose of hazardous waste, you may submit one form which covers all the transportation activities your company conducts. This form should be submitted to the EPA Regional Office that serves the area where your company has its headquarters or principal place of business. However, if you are a transporter who generates, treats, stores or disposes of hazardous waste, you will have to complete and submit separate Notification Forms to cover each installation.

When To File

1. WITHIN 90 DAYS OF PUBLICATION OF REGULATIONS UNDER SECTION 3001 OF RCRA: Anyone who conducts hazardous waste activity must file a notification within 90 days after EPA publishes regulations under Section 3001 of RCRA. These regulations define which solid wastes are hazardous wastes and are published under Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 261.

Owners or operators of facilities that treat, store, or dispose of hazardous waste must submit a notification within 90 days after the 3001 regulations are published in order to qualify for "Interim Status" – that is, temporary authority to continue their operations until a final permit is issued.

2. WITHIN 90 DAYS OF ANY AMENDMENTS TO THE SECTION 3001 REGULATIONS: From time to time, EPA may change its procedures for identifying hazardous waste, or may revise the list of hazardous waste which it has published. If you handle any wastes which are identified or listed as hazardous by an amendment to the Section 3001 regulations, you must file a notification covering these wastes within 90 days after the amendment is published.

3. NEW GENERATORS AND TRANSPORTERS: If you begin to generate hazardous waste and have not previously filed a notification, you must comply with the regulations for obtaining an EPA Identification Number published under Section 3002 of RCRA (40 CFR Part 262) before you transport hazardous waste or offer your hazardous waste to a transporter.

Similarly, if you desire to transport hazardous waste and have not previously filed a notification, you must comply with the regulations for obtaining an EPA Identification Number published under Section 3003 of RCRA (40 CFR Part 263) before you move any hazardous waste.

Persons applying for an EPA Identification Number under Section 3003 of RCRA need not complete the reverse side of the Notification Form as they may not know which wastes they will be handling.

4. TREATMENT, STORAGE, AND DISPOSAL FACILITIES: If you own or operate a facility where hazardous waste is treated, stored, or disposed, and you do not file a notification during the 90 day period following the initial publication of the Section 3001 regulations, you will not be allowed to continue your hazardous waste activities until you obtain a hazardous waste permit. Similarly, if you plan to open a new hazardous waste treatment, storage, or disposal facility, you must obtain a hazardous waste permit before commencing operations. Owners or operators of new facilities need not submit a notification, since your permit application will fulfill your notification requirements.

Confidential Information

All information you submit in a notification can be disclosed to the public, according to the Freedom of Information Act and EPA Freedom of Information Regulations. Because notification information is very general, EPA believes that it is unlikely that any information in your notification could qualify to be protected from disclosure.

However, if you wish, you may make a claim of confidentiality by printing the word "confidential" on both sides of the Notification Form and on any attachments. In addition, at the time of notification, you must submit written answers to each of the following questions:

1. Which portions of the information do you claim are entitled to confidential treatment?
2. How long do you want this information treated confidential?
3. What measures have you taken to guard against undesired disclosure of the information to others?
4. To what extent has the information been disclosed to others, and what precautions have you taken in connection with that disclosure?
5. Has EPA or any other Federal Agency made a pertinent confidentiality determination? (If so, include a copy of this determination or reference to it, if available).
6. Will disclosure of the information be likely to substantially harm your competitive position? If so, what would the harm be, and why should it be viewed as substantial? What is the relationship between disclosure and the harm?

Where To File

Notification should be sent to the EPA Regional Office that serves the area where your hazardous waste activity is located. If you received a notification packet from EPA that contains two preaddressed mailing labels, you should use one of the envelopes (included in this packet) and one of the mailing labels to send your notification to EPA (the other envelope and mailing label should be used if you submit a permit application to EPA). If you do not have a preaddressed mailing label, mail your notification to the EPA Regional Office that serves the area where your hazardous waste activity is located. The mailing addresses for the EPA Regional Offices are listed below:

EPA REGION	AREA SERVED	NOTIFICATION MAILING ADDRESS
I	Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Vermont, New Hampshire	EPA Region I Permits Branch P.O. Box 8748 Boston, MA 02114
II	New Jersey, New York, Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico	EPA Region II Information Service Center 26 Federal Plaza New York, NY 10007

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS (continued)

Where To File (continued)			Where To File (continued)		
EPA REGION	AREA SERVED	NOTIFICATION MAILING ADDRESS	EPA REGION	AREA SERVED	NOTIFICATION MAILING ADDRESS
III	Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia	EPA Region III P.O. Box 1480 Philadelphia, PA 19107	VII	Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska	EPA Region VII P.O. Box 15606 Kansas City, MO 64106
IV	Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee	EPA Region IV RCRA Activities 345 Courtland, N.E. Atlanta, GA 30308	VIII	Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming	EPA Region VIII 8AH-WM (ON) 1860 Lincoln Street Denver, CO 80295
V	Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin	EPA Region V RCRA Activities P.O. Box 7861 Chicago, IL 60680	IX	Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada, Guam, American Samoa, Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas	EPA Region IX Attn: A-3-2 215 Fremont Street San Francisco, CA 94105
VI	Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas	EPA Region VI Attn: 6 AEP 1201 Elm Street First International Bldg. Dallas, TX 75270	X	Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, Washington	EPA Region X M/S 530-A 1200 Sixth Avenue Seattle, WA 98101

LINE - BY - LINE INSTRUCTIONS FOR EPA Form 8700-12

How To Complete This Form

Type using ELITE type or print in ink all items except X(A), "Signature", leaving a blank box between words. When typing (with elite type), hit the space bar once between characters and three times between words. If you must use additional sheets, indicate clearly the number of the item on the form to which the information on the separate sheet applies.

EXAMPLE:

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Items I Through III

NAME, MAILING ADDRESS, AND LOCATION OF INSTALLATION: If you received a preprinted label from EPA, attach it in the space provided and leave items I, II, and III blank. If there is an error or omission on the label, cross out the incorrect information and fill in the appropriate item(s). If you did not receive a preprinted label, complete items I, II, and III. If the mailing address and location of the installation are the same, print "SAME" in the "Street or Route No." boxes of item III.

Item IV

INSTALLATION CONTACT: Enter the name, title, and business telephone number of the person who should be contacted regarding information submitted on this form.

Item V

OWNERSHIP: (A) Enter the name of the legal owner of the installation. Use additional sheets if necessary to list more than one owner.
(B) Enter an "F" in the box if the installation is owned by a Federal Agency. Enter an "M" if the installation is not owned by a Federal Agency. An installation is Federally owned if the owner is

the Federal Government, even if it is operated by a private contractor.

Item VI

TYPE OF HAZARDOUS WASTE ACTIVITY: Mark "X" in the appropriate box(es) to indicate the hazardous waste activity or activities at the installation. If you mark item C, you are reminded that you should mail the enclosed postcard to request a RCRA Permit Application. Hazardous waste generators and owners and operators of facilities for treating, storing, or disposing of hazardous waste must mark item D if an injection well is located at their installation. An injection well is defined as any hole in the ground that is deeper than it is wide and that is used for the subsurface placement of fluid, including septic tanks.

Item VII

MODE OF TRANSPORTATION: Complete this item only if you are a transporter of hazardous waste to indicate the mode(s) of transportation you use.

LINE - BY - LINE INSTRUCTIONS (continued)

Item VIII

FIRST OR SUBSEQUENT NOTIFICATION: If you handle any hazardous waste that is identified in an amendment to Part 261 you will have to file a notification on that waste within 90 days after the amendment is published. Place an "X" in the appropriate box to indicate whether this is your first or a subsequent notification. If you have filed a previous notification, enter your EPA Identification Number in the boxes provided.

NOTE: If you have filed a notification before, you only need enter the four-digit numbers of those wastes that were identified in the amendment to Part 261.

Item IX

DESCRIPTION OF HAZARDOUS WASTE: You need to read Title 40, Code of Federal Regulations Part 261 in order to complete this item. Part 261 identifies those solid wastes that EPA defines to be hazardous wastes. Part 261 identifies hazardous wastes in two ways:

- (1) A number of hazardous wastes are listed by name in various tables and appendices. EPA has assigned a four-digit number to each waste that is listed to make it easier to identify the wastes.
- (2) Part 261 also lists the general characteristics of hazardous wastes. EPA has also assigned a four-digit number to these characteristics.

As you will note, item IX on the form is divided into five sections. You should use Sections A through D to identify any listed hazardous wastes which you handle; use Section E to identify those characteristics of the non-listed hazardous wastes which you handle.

You should include in Sections A through E all hazardous wastes you handled during the three-month period preceding the date of notification. If you occasionally handle a hazardous waste but did not handle that waste during the three-month period preceding the date of notification, you may also include that waste (or wastes) in Section A through E.

If you are a new generator applying for an EPA Identification Number under the provisions of 40 CFR Part 262, you should describe the wastes which you believe you will be generating.

If you are a new transporter applying for an EPA Identification Number under the provisions of 40 CFR Part 263, you are not required to complete item IX.

The specific instructions for Sections A through E are:

SECTION A: If you handle hazardous wastes from the non-specific sources listed in Part 261.31, enter the appropriate four-digit numbers in the boxes provided.

SECTION B: If you handle hazardous wastes from the specific industrial sources listed in Part 261.32, enter the appropriate four-digit numbers in the boxes provided.

SECTION C: If you handle any of the commercial chemical products or manufacturing intermediate or material listed in Part 261.33 as wastes, enter the appropriate four-digit numbers in the boxes provided. Manufacturers may include the products or raw materials that can be reasonably anticipated to require treatment, storage, or disposal as wastes from time to time even though you may not have handled them in the past three months.

SECTION D: If you handle any of the hazardous wastes from hospitals, veterinary hospitals, or medical and research laboratories listed in Part 261.34, enter the appropriate four-digit numbers in the boxes provided.

SECTION E: If you handle hazardous wastes which are not listed in Subpart D of Part 261, you should describe these wastes by the characteristics in Subpart C of Part 261. For purposes of notification, it is not necessary to use the four-digit numbers for each characteristic. Rather, you should place an "X" in the box next to the characteristic of those non-listed wastes which you handle.

Item X

CERTIFICATION: This certification must be signed by the owner or operator or an authorized representative of your installation. An "authorized representative" is a person responsible for the overall operation of the facility - for example - a plant manager or superintendent, or a person of equivalent responsibility.

DEFINITIONS

The following definitions are provided to help clarify the notification requirements and to assist you in completing the Notification Form. If you need a more detailed discussion of the definitions you should obtain a copy of 40 CFR Part 260 from the EPA Region Office serving your area.

DISPOSAL means the discharge, deposit, injection, dumping, spilling, leaking, or placing of any solid waste or hazardous waste into or on any land or water so that such solid waste or hazardous waste or any constituent thereof may enter the environment or be emitted into the air or discharged into any waters, including ground waters.

DISPOSAL FACILITY means a facility or part of a facility at which hazardous waste is intentionally placed into or on any land or water, and at which waste will remain after closure.

EXISTING HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY or **EXISTING FACILITY** means a facility which was in operation or for which construction had commenced, as of October 21, 1976. Construction had commenced if:

- (1) The owner or operator had obtained all necessary Federal, State, and local preconstruction approvals or permits; and
- (2)
 - (i) A continuous physical, on-site construction program had begun, or
 - (ii) The owner or operator had entered into contractual obligations - which cannot be cancelled or modified without substantial loss - for construction of the facility to be completed within a reasonable time.

Note: This definition reflects the literal language of the statute. However, EPA believes that amendments to RCRA now in conference will shortly be enacted and will change the date for determining when a facility is an "existing facility". EPA has received a letter indicating that the Conference are considering establishing October 30, 1980 as the date for determining when a facility is an "existing facility". Accordingly, EPA encourages every owner or operator of a facility which was built or under physical construction as of the promulgation date of these regulations to file a notification and Part A of its permit application so that it can be quickly processed for interim status when the change in the law takes effect. When those amendments are enacted, EPA will amend this definition.

FACILITY means all contiguous land, and structures, other appurtenances, and improvements on the land, used for treating, storing, or disposing of hazardous waste. A facility may consist of several treatment, storage, or disposal operational units (e.g., one or more landfills, surface impoundments, or combinations of them).

GENERATOR means any person, by site, whose act or process produces hazardous waste identified or listed in Part 261 of this Chapter.

DEFINITIONS (continued)

INSTALLATION'S EPA IDENTIFICATION (I.D.) NUMBER means the number assigned by EPA to each generator, transporter, and treatment, storage, or disposal facility.

OPERATOR means the person responsible for the overall operation of a facility.

OWNER means the person who owns a facility or part of a facility.

RCRA or ACT means the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 56901 et seq.

STORAGE means the holding of hazardous waste for a temporary period, at the end of which the hazardous waste is treated, disposed of, or stored elsewhere.

TRANSPORTATION means the movement of hazardous waste by air, rail, highway, or water.

TRANSPORTER means a person engaged in the off-site transportation of hazardous waste by air, rail, highway, or water.

TREATMENT means any method, technique, or process, including neutralization, designed to change the physical, chemical, or biological character or composition of any hazardous waste so as to neutralize such waste, or so as to recover energy or material resources from the waste, or so as to render such waste non-hazardous, or less hazardous; safer to transport, store, or dispose of; or amenable for recovery, amenable for storage, or reduced in volume.

Please print or type with ELITE type (12 characters/inch) in the unshaded areas only.

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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
NOTIFICATION OF HAZARDOUS WASTE ACTIVITY

INSTRUCTIONS: If you received a preprinted label, affix it in the space at left. If any of the information on the label is incorrect, draw a line through it and supply the correct information in the appropriate section below. If the label is complete and correct, leave Items I, II, and III below blank. If you did not receive a preprinted label, complete all items. "Installation" means a single site where hazardous waste is generated, treated, stored and/or disposed of, or a transporter's principal place of business. Please refer to the INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING NOTIFICATION before completing this form. The information requested herein is required by law (Section 3010 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act).

INSTALLATION'S EPA I.D. NO.
I. NAME OF INSTALLATION
II. INSTALLATION MAILING ADDRESS
III. LOCATION OF INSTALLATION

PLEASE PLACE LABEL IN THIS SPACE

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

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II. INSTALLATION MAILING ADDRESS

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IV. INSTALLATION CONTACT

NAME AND TITLE (last, first, & job title)

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V. OWNERSHIP

A. NAME OF INSTALLATION'S LEGAL OWNER

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B. TYPE OF OWNERSHIP (enter the appropriate letter into box)

F = FEDERAL
M = NON-FEDERAL

VI. TYPE OF HAZARDOUS WASTE ACTIVITY (enter "X" in the appropriate box(es))

A. GENERATION B. TRANSPORTATION (complete item VII)
 C. TREAT/STORE/DISPOSE D. UNDERGROUND INJECTION

VII. MODE OF TRANSPORTATION (transporters only - enter "X" in the appropriate box(es))

A. AIR B. RAIL C. HIGHWAY D. WATER E. OTHER (specify):

VIII. FIRST OR SUBSEQUENT NOTIFICATION

Mark "X" in the appropriate box to indicate whether this is your installation's first notification of hazardous waste activity or a subsequent notification. If this is not your first notification, enter your Installation's EPA I.D. Number in the space provided below.

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C. INSTALLATION'S EPA I.D. NO.

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IX. DESCRIPTION OF HAZARDOUS WASTES

Please go to the reverse of this form and provide the requested information.

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IX. DESCRIPTION OF HAZARDOUS WASTES (continued from front)

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31	32	33	34	35	36
23 - 26	23 - 26	23 - 26	23 - 26	23 - 26	23 - 26
37	38	39	40	41	42
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D. LISTED INFECTIOUS WASTES. Enter the four-digit number from 40 CFR Part 261.34 for each listed hazardous waste from hospitals, veterinary hospitals, medical and research laboratories your installation handles. Use additional sheets if necessary.

49	50	51	52	53	54
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E. CHARACTERISTICS OF NON-LISTED HAZARDOUS WASTES. Mark "X" in the boxes corresponding to the characteristics of non-listed hazardous wastes your installation handles. (See 40 CFR Parts 261.21 - 261.24.)

1. IGNITABLE (D001)
 2. CORROSIVE (D002)
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 4. TOXIC (D000)

X. CERTIFICATION

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Please print or type with ELITE type (12 characters/inch) in the unshaded areas only.

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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
NOTIFICATION OF HAZARDOUS WASTE ACTIVITY

INSTRUCTIONS: If you received a preprinted label, affix it in the space at left. If any of the information on the label is incorrect, draw a line through it and supply the correct information in the appropriate section below. If the label is complete and correct, leave Items I, II, and III below blank. If you did not receive a preprinted label, complete all items. "Installation" means a single site where hazardous waste is generated, treated, stored and/or disposed of, or a transporter's principal place of business. Please refer to the INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING NOTIFICATION before completing this form. The information requested herein is required by law (Section 3010 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act).

INSTALLATION'S EPA I.D. NO.	PLEASE PLACE LABEL IN THIS SPACE
I. NAME OF INSTALLATION	
II. INSTALLATION MAILING ADDRESS	
III. LOCATION OF INSTALLATION	

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COMMENTS											
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INSTALLATION'S EPA I.D. NUMBER										APPROVED		DATE RECEIVED (yr., mo., & day)			
15	16									17	18	19	20	21	22
F											T/A	C			
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I. NAME OF INSTALLATION

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II. INSTALLATION MAILING ADDRESS

STREET OR P.O. BOX

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RETAIN THIS ENVELOPE IF YOU WILL BE FILING A RCRA HAZARDOUS WASTE PERMIT APPLICATION

USE THIS ENVELOPE TO MAIL NOTIFICATION FORM

If provided, affix a preaddressed EPA regional mailing label over the shaded area, otherwise, see "General Instructions" to the notification form for the appropriate EPA regional address and write it in.