Superfund Site from the National Priorities List (NPL).

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) announces the deletion of a portion of the Joslyn Manufacturing and Supply Superfund Site in Brooklyn Center, Minnesota from the National Priorities List (NPL). The NPL is Appendix B of 40 CFR part 300 which is the National Oil and Hazardous Substances Contingency Plan (NCP), which EPA promulgated pursuant to Section 105 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), as amended. This action is being taken by EPA because it has been determined that Responsible Parties have implemented all appropriate response actions required for this portion of the Site. Moreover, EPA has determined that remedial actions conducted at this portion of the site to date remain protective of public health, welfare, and the environment.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 19, 2002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gladys Beard at (312) 886–7253, State NPL Deletion Process Manager, Superfund Division, U.S. EPA—Region V, 77 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL 60604. Information on the site is available at the local information repository located at: the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, 520 Lafayette Rd. North, St. Paul, Minnesota 55155–4194, (651) 296–6300, Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30. Requests for comprehensive copies of documents should be directed formally to the

Regional Docket Office. The contact for the Regional Docket Office is Jan Pfundheller (H–7J), U.S. EPA, Region V, 77 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL 60604, (312) 353–5821.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The site to be partially deleted from the NPL is: Joslyn Manufacturing and Supply Superfund Site located in Brooklyn Center, Minnesota. A Notice of Intent to Delete for this site was published February 19, 2002 (67 FR 7326). The closing date for comments on the Notice of Intent to Delete was March 21, 2002. EPA received comments and therefore a Responsiveness Summary was prepared. The Responsiveness Summary was placed in the repository and with the Regional Docket Office.

Å direct final notice of deletion was published on February 19, 2002 (67 FR 7279) which included the details of the partial deletion. While the direct final notice amendment is being removed in today's **Federal Register**, the details contained in the February 19, 2002 direct final deletion amendment describe the portion of the site being deleted by this notice.

The EPA identifies sites which appear to present a significant risk to public health, welfare, or the environment and it maintains the NPL as the list of those sites. Sites on the NPL may be the subject of Hazardous Substance Response Trust Fund (Fund-) financed remedial actions. Any site deleted from the NPL remains eligible for Fund-financed remedial actions in the unlikely event that conditions at the site warrant such action. Section

300.425(e)(3) of the NCP states that Fund-financed actions may be taken at sites deleted from the NPL in the unlikely event that conditions at the site warrant such action. Deletion of a site from the NPL does not affect responsible party liability or impede agency efforts to recover costs associated with response efforts.

List of Subjects in 40 CFR Part 300

Environmental Protection, Air pollution control, Chemicals, Hazardous substances, Hazardous Waste, Intergovernmental relations, Penalties, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Superfund, Water pollution control, Water supply.

Dated: August 6, 2002.

Bharat Mathur,

 $\label{eq:conditional} Administrator, \textit{U.S. EPA}, \\ \textit{Region V.}$

40 CFR part 300 is amended as follows:

PART 300—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 300 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 33 U.S.C. 1321(c)(2); 42 U.S.C. 9601–9657; E.O. 12777, 56 FR 54757, 3 CFR, 1991 Comp.; p. 351; E.O. 12580, 52 FR 2923, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp.; p. 193.

Appendix B [AMENDED]

2. Table 1 of Appendix B to part 300 is amended by revising the entry for "Joslyn Manufacturing and Supply Co, Brooklyn Center, Minnesota" to read as follows:

TABLE 1.—GENERAL SUPERFUND SECTION

State		Site name		City/County			Notes 1
	*	*	*	*	*	*	
MN	Joslyn Manufacturing and Supply Co			Brooklyn Center			Р
	*	*	*	*	*	*	

¹ P=Sites with partial deletion(s).

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 300

[FRL-7259-3]

National Oil and Hazardous Substance Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Removal of direct final notice of deletion amendment.

SUMMARY: On February 19, 2002, EPA published a notice of intent to delete (67 FR 7326) and a direct final notice of deletion (67 FR 7279) for a portion of the Joslyn Manufacturing and Supply Superfund Site from the National Priorities List. The EPA is removing the direct final notice of deletion amendment due to adverse comments that were received during the public comment period. After consideration of the comments received, EPA is publishing today a notice of deletion in the Federal Register based on the

parallel notice of intent to delete. EPA will place a copy of the final deletion package, including a response to the comments (Responsiveness Summary) in the Site repositories.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This removal of the direct final notice of deletion amendment is effective as of August 16, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Comprehensive information on the Site, as well as the comments that were received during the comment period can be obtain from Dave Novak, Community Involvement Coordinator, U.S. EPA, P19J, 77 W. Jackson, Chicago, IL, (312) 886–7478 or 1–800–621–8431.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Gladys Beard, NPL Deletion Process Manager, U.S. EPA (SR–6J), 77 W. Jackson, Chicago, IL 60604, (312) 886– 7253 or 1–800–621–8431.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Information Repositories: Repositories have been established to provide detailed information concerning this decision at the following address: U.S. EPA Region V Library, 77 W. Jackson, Chicago, IL 60604, (312) 353–5821, Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Minnesota Pollution Control Agency 520 Lafayette, Saint Paul, Minnesota, Monday Through Friday, 8:00 to 4:30 p. m., (651) 296–6300.

List of Subjects in 40 CFR Part 300

Environmental protection, Air pollution control, Chemicals, Hazardous substances, Hazardous Waste, Intergovernmental relations, Penalties, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Superfund, Water pollution control, Water Supply.

Dated: August 6, 2002.

Bharat Mathur,

Acting Regional Administrator, EPA Region V

For the reasons set out in this document, 40 CFR part 300 is amended as follows:

PART 300—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 300 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 33 U.S.C. 1321(c)(2); 42 U.S.C. 9601–9657; E.O. 12777, 56 FR 54757, 3 CFR, 1991 Comp., p. 351; E.O. 12580, 52 FR 2923; 3 CFR, 1987 Comp., p. 193.

Appendix B to Part 300—National Priorities List

2. Table 1 of Appendix B to Part 300 is amended under Minnesota "MN" by revising the entry for "Joslyn Manufacturing and Supply Co" to read as follows:

TABLE 1.—GENERAL SUPERFUND SECTION

State		Site nam	e	City/County			Notes
	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
MN	Joslyn Manufact	uring MN and Sup	oply Co	Brooklyn Cen	ter*	*	*

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR PART 25

[IB Docket 01-96; FCC 02-123]

Policies and Service Rules for the Non-Geostationary Satellite Orbit, Fixed Satellite Service in the Ku-Band

AGENCY: Federal Communications

Commission. **ACTION:** Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Federal Communications Commission has adopted licensing and service rules for entities to provide Fixed Satellite Service in the Ku-Band frequencies, specifically the 10.7–11.7 GHz, 11.7–12.2 GHz, 12.2–12.7 GHz, 12.75-13.25 GHz, 13.75-14.0 GHz, and 14.0-14.5 GHz frequency bands. System proponents currently on file are required to amend their proposals to comply with the adopted rules. Following a public comment period on the amendments, qualified systems will be authorized to operate. Upon launch, these new systems will provide a variety of data, video and telephony services in Ku-Band frequencies to U.S. consumers, for communications in the United States and around the world.

DATES: Effective August 16, 2002. Written comments by the public on the new information collections are due October 15, 2002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: J.

Mark Young, Attorney Advisor, Satellite Division, International Bureau, telephone (202) 418–0762 or via the Internet at *myoung@fcc.gov*. For additional information concerning the information collections contained in this document, contact Judith B. Herman at (202) 418–0214, or via the Internet at *jboley@fcc.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a summary of the Commission's Report and Order in IB Docket No. 01-96, FCC 02-123, adopted April 18, 2002 and released April 26, 2002. The complete text of this Report and Order is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Information Center, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-A257, Washington, DC. This document may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW. Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554, telephone (202) 863–2893, facsimile (202) 863–2898 or via e-mail qualexint@aol.com. It is also available on the Commission's Web site at http://www.fcc.gov.

Summary of the Report and Order

1. The Federal Communications Commission has adopted sharing and service rules for the non-geostationary satellite orbit, fixed satellite service (NGSO FSS) in the Ku-Band frequencies. These systems will provide a variety of data, video and telephone services to U.S. consumers, for communications in the United States and around the world.

- 2. The Commission adopted an innovative sharing technique that can accommodate all seven pending applications for this service in the available frequency bands. The Commission calls this technique avoidance of in-line interference events. Under this technique, each applicant, once licensed, will be authorized to operate its system in the entire available service spectrum, so long as it avoids causing harmful interference to other NGSO FSS systems.
- 3. The Commission anticipates that there will be predictable instances when the space station of one NGSO FSS system and the earth station of another system are arranged in a perfect line of communication, an occurrence called an in-line interference event. The sharing technique allows and encourages the two system operators to exchange space station orbit data in order to predict and avoid these events by any mitigation means preferred. In the event the systems cannot agree on a preferred avoidance method, the Commission requires that they split the available NGSO FSS service spectrum in the Ku-Band equally between the systems involved in the event, for the duration of the event. The Report and Order allows the first launched NGSO FSS system to choose its preferred equal portion of the spectrum to which its space station will resort when an in-line interference event arises.
- 4. The *Report and Order* adopts a technical definition of an in-line interference event so that systems can coordinate their orbits in advance. The Commission adopted an Earth-surface