

20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of these filings are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the Internet at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

David P. Boergers,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP01-56-000]

Transwestern Pipeline Company; Notice of Technical Conference

December 13, 2000.

In the Commission's order issued on November 22, 2000, the Commission directed that a technical conference be held to address issues raised by the filing.

Take notice that the technical conference will be held on Tuesday, January 9, 2001, at 10 a.m., in a room to be designated at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426.

All interested parties and Staff are permitted to attend.

David Boergers,
Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6918-8]

Draft EPA Guidelines for Management of Onsite/Decentralized Wastewater Systems and Guidance Manual Outline

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: The EPA published a document in the **Federal Register** on

October 6, 2000, concerning a request for comments on the draft EPA Guidelines for Management of Onsite/Decentralized Wastewater Systems and Guidance Manual Outline. With this notice, EPA is reopening and extending the comment period from December 5, 2000, to January 19, 2001.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before January 19, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Comments can be submitted online at <http://www.epa.gov/owm/smallc/guidelines.htm>, emailed to decentralized@epa.gov, via U.S. mail to Joyce Hudson, US EPA, Office of Wastewater Management (4204), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460, or faxed to (202) 564-2397.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Joyce Hudson, 202-564-0657

Dated: December 8, 2000.

J. Charles Fox,

Assistant Administrator for Office of Water.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6918-7; MM-HQ-2001-0005]

Clean Water Act Class II: Proposed Administrative Settlement, Penalty Assessment and Opportunity To Comment Regarding Saputo Cheese USA, Inc.

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: EPA has entered into a consent agreement with Saputo Cheese USA, Inc. to resolve violations of the Clean Water Act ("CWA"), and its implementing regulations. Saputo Cheese USA, Inc. failed to prepare Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure ("SPCC") plans for four facilities where they stored diesel oil in above ground tanks and failed to prepare and implement Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plans ("SWPPP") as required by its National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for ten facilities. EPA, as authorized by CWA section 311(b)(6), 33 U.S.C. 1321(b)(6), and CWA section 309(g), 33 U.S.C. 1319(g) has assessed a civil penalty for these violations. The Administrator, as required by CWA section 311(b)(6)(C), 33 U.S.C. 1321(b)(6)(C), and CWA section 309(g)(4)(A), 33 U.S.C. 1319(g)(4)(A), is hereby providing public notice of, and an opportunity for interested persons to

comment on, this consent agreement and proposed final order.

DATES: Comments are due on or before January 18, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Mail written comments to the Enforcement & Compliance Docket and Information Center (2201A), Docket Number EC-2000-013, Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Mail Code 2201A, Washington, DC 20460. (Comments may be submitted on disk in WordPerfect 8.0 or earlier versions.) Written comments may be delivered in person to: Enforcement and Compliance Docket Information Center, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Rm. 4033, Ariel Rios Bldg., 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC. Submit comments electronically to doCKET.oeca@epa.gov. Electronic comments may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

The consent agreement, the proposed final order, and public comments, if any, may be reviewed at the Enforcement and Compliance Docket Information Center, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Rm. 4033, Ariel Rios Bldg., 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC. Persons interested in reviewing these materials must make arrangements in advance by calling the docket clerk at 202-564-2614. A reasonable fee may be charged by EPA for copying docket materials.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beth Cavalier, Multimedia Enforcement Division (2248-A), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone (202) 564-3271; fax: (202) 564-9001; e-mail: cavalier.beth@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Electronic Copies: Electronic copies of this document are available from the EPA Home Page under the link "Laws and Regulations" at the **Federal Register**—Environmental Documents entry (<http://www.epa.gov/fedrgrstr>).

I. Background

Saputo Cheese USA, Inc., a cheese manufacturing company incorporated in the State of Delaware and located at 25 Tri-State International Office Center, Suite 250, Lincolnshire, Illinois 60069 failed to prepare SPCC plans for four facilities. Saputo Cheese USA, Inc. disclosed, pursuant to the EPA "Incentives for Self-Policing: Discovery, Disclosure, Correction and Prevention of Violations" ("Audit Policy"), 60 FR 66,706 (December 22, 1995), that it failed to prepare SPCC plans for four