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**PUBLIC NOTICE FOR TERMINATION OF CORRECTIVE ACTION
AT D/K ENVIRONMENTAL FACILITY, VERNON, CA
45-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: MAY 10TH, 2012 THROUGH JUNE 25TH, 2012**

What Is Being Proposed? The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) is accepting public comments of its proposed intent to terminate corrective action at the D/K Environmental (DKE) facility, located at 3650 E. 26th Street, in Vernon. DKE recycled, treated, and transferred hazardous waste received from off-site generators under permit by DTSC. The intent of the permit is to ensure the facility operates in a manner that protects human health and the environment. DTSC required the removal of about 1,208 tons of lead-contaminated soil from the former wastewater pond during the closure of their hazardous waste management units. The wastewater pond is related to former detinning operations conducted by the previous owner (Vulcan) prior to DKE's ownership of the site. The lead impacted soil was excavated, removed and transported to an approved hazardous waste landfill and concludes the corrective action requirement by DTSC. DTSC prepared a Statement of Basis document explaining its proposed decision to make a determination of "Corrective Action Complete". This would mean that no further action is to be required at the DKE facility in Vernon.

How to Submit Public Comments: You may submit public comments during the **45-day public comment period beginning May 10th, through June 25th, 2012. Please direct all public comments by mail, or e-mail no later than June 25th, 2012 to: William Jeffers, P.E., Project Manager, Department of Toxic Substances Control, 9211 Oakdale Avenue, Chatsworth, CA, 91311-6520, e-mail: wjeffers@dtsc.ca.gov.** *Please Note: There are no plans for a public hearing for DTSC's intent to terminate corrective action unless requested by the public.* DTSC will consider and respond to all public comments received during the public comment period. The Response to Comments document is DTSC's formal responses to public comments received.

Where Do I Get More Information: The Statement of Basis and other site related documents are available for public review at the following Information Repository locations:

Robert Louis Stevenson Library
803 Spence Street
Los Angeles, CA 90023-1727
(323) 268-4710
Call for Hours

Department of Toxic Substances Control
Regional Records Office
9211 Oakdale Avenue
Chatsworth, CA 91311-6520
(818) 717-6521 (Please contact Ms. Vivien Tutaan
For an appointment if viewing documents at DTSC)

For Additional Information: If you have questions please contact the following DTSC staff:

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Notice to Hearing Impaired: You can obtain additional information by using the California State Relay Service at 1-888-877-5378 (TDD) or send a request to contact Stacey Lear at the number above regarding the DKE facility.