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February 7, 2008

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Keith Hartman
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RE: Bishop Tube HSCA Site Request for Information

Mr. Hartman:

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is seeking information concerning a release and/or threat of release of hazardous substances into the environment from the former Bishop Tube Company in Frazier, East Whiteland Township, Chester County, now known as the Bishop Tube Hazardous Sites Cleanup Act site (Site). The Site is located on Malin Road just south of U.S. Route 30, Frazer, PA.

The Department's records indicate that you were an employee of the former Bishop Tube Company from 1973-1989. Because of your status as a former employee with the aforementioned company at the Site, you may have information relevant to the release of hazardous substances at the Site.

Therefore, pursuant to Section 503 of the Pennsylvania Hazardous Sites Cleanup Act, Act of October 18, 1988, P.L. 756, 35 P.S. §§ 6020.101-6020.1305 ("HSCA"), 35 P.S. § 6020.503, the Department requests that you furnish all the information and documents in your possession, custody or control, which concern, refer to or relate to hazardous substances, as that term is defined by Section 103 of HSCA, 35 P.S. Section 6020.103, which were generated, treated, stored, disposed, transported to, or released at the Site.

As used herein, the term "documents" includes, but is not limited to, writings (handwritten, typed, or otherwise produced or reproduced), any invoices, checks, receipts, bills of lading, weight receipts, toll receipts, correspondence, offers, contracts, agreements, deeds, leases, manifests, licenses, permits, bids, proposals, logs, books of original entry, minutes of meetings, memoranda, notes, calendar or diary entries, agendas, bulletins, notices, announcements, charts, maps, photographs, drawings, manuals, brochures, reports of scientific study or investigations, schedules, price lists, telegrams, teletypes, phone-records, magnetic voice or video records, tapes, summaries, magnetic tapes, punch cards, recordings, disks, computer printouts, or data compilations from which information can be obtained or translated.



Please be advised that, except as provided in Section 503(h) of HSCA, 35 P.S. § 6020.503(h), records, reports, or other information obtained under the Act may be made available to the public for inspection or copying during regular business hours. The Department may, upon request, designate records, reports or information as confidential, when the person providing such information demonstrates the need for confidentiality pursuant to the requirements under Section 503(h) of HSCA, 35 P.S. § 6020.503(h).

The above-requested information should be sent directly to Dustin A. Armstrong, Environmental Protection Specialist, within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

**Dustin A. Armstrong, Environmental Protection Specialist
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If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact either the project officer, Dustin A. Armstrong, Environmental Protection Specialist at 484-250-5723 or Lauren G. Rosen, Assistant Counsel at 484-250-5871.

Sincerely,



Stephan B. Sinding
Regional Manager
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