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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION BUREAU OF WASTE PREVENTION BUSINESS COMPLIANCE DIVISION

NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE OF A DRAFT HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY LICENSE PURSUANT TO MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 21C AND MASSACHUSETTS HAZARDOUS WASTE REGULATIONS 310 CMR 30.000.

NAME AND LOCATION OF FACILITY:

Solutia, Inc. 730 Worcester Street Springfield, MA 01151-1089

FACILITY I.D. NUMBER: MAD001114818

PROPOSED:

Solutia, Inc. is a manufacturing company operating its hazardous waste storage facility under the terms of a Hazardous Waste License #15B/91 issued by the Department on September 19, 1991. The company proposes to continue its operation and has applied for a five-year license from the Department.

A Draft License has been issued by the Department. Pursuant to the public participation requirements in 310 CMR 30.800, the public has forty-five days to comment on the Draft License.

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PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC HEARING:

Any member of the public wishing to comment on the Draft License may file written comments during the public comment period that will extend from April 23, 2002 to June 6, 2002. Comments should be submitted to:

Al Nardone, Environmental Engineer Department of Environmental Protection Bureau of Waste Prevention Business Compliance Division One Winter Street, 9th Floor Boston, MA 02108

Pursuant to 310 CMR 30.837(1), if during the comment period or within 15 days of the close of the comment period, the Department receives written notice requesting an informal public hearing, or it determines on its own that there is significant public interest in the Draft License, the Department will schedule an informal public hearing on the proposed action. Written and oral comments will be accepted at the hearing.

A Fact Sheet that describes the licensing process, the company, its operation, and the Draft license is available at the Springfield Public Health Department, the Springfield Public Library, the Department's Springfield and Boston Offices and the USEPA New England - Region I Office in Boston. Anyone wishing to examine the Draft License may do so at these locations.

FINAL DECISION:

The Department will consider all written comments received during the comment period; all verbal comments received at a public hearing, if held, and the requirements of the Massachusetts Hazardous Waste Regulations 310 CMR 30.000. The Department will then make a final decision regarding the issuance of a hazardous waste license to Solutia, Inc. A notice of the final license decision will be sent to the applicant and to each person who has submitted written comments, or has otherwise requested notice of the final license decision. If no comments requesting a change in the Draft License are received, a final license decision will become effective twenty-one (21) days after the date of the notice of the decision. The final license decision will be postponed if a request for an adjudicatory hearing before the Department is made within the twenty-one (21) day period.

For additional information, contact Al Nardone at (617) 292-5580.

11/7/02 Date

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Steven A. DeGabriele, Director Business Compliance Division Bureau of Waste Prevention

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