

# ENF Environmental Notification Form

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*Executive Office of Environmental Affairs*

EOEA No.: **13034**  
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The information requested on this form must be completed to begin MEPA Review in accordance with the provisions of the Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act, 301 CMR 11.00.

Project Name: General Mills Addition		
Street: 365 Beacham Street		
Municipality: Chelsea	Watershed: Boston Harbor	
Universal Transverse Mercator Coordinates:	Latitude: 42 23 34N Longitude: 71 2' 52" W	
Estimated commencement date: 7/1/03	Estimated completion date: 7/1/03	
Approximate cost: CONFIDENTIAL	Status of project design: 75%	%complete
Proponent: General Mills Operations, Inc		
Street: 1 General Mills Blvd.		
Municipality: Minneapolis	State: MN	Zip Code: 55426
Name of Contact Person From Whom Copies of this ENF May Be Obtained: Edward P. Dulski		
Firm/Agency: General Mills	Street: 365 Beacham Street	
Municipality: Chelsea	State: MA	Zip Code: 02150
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- Does this project meet or exceed a mandatory EIR threshold (see 301 CMR 11.03)?  
 Yes X No
- Has this project been filed with MEPA before?  
 Yes (EOEA No. \_\_\_\_\_) X No
- Has any project on this site been filed with MEPA before?  
 Yes (EOEA No. \_\_\_\_\_) X No
- Is this an Expanded ENF (see 301 CMR 11.05(7)) requesting:
- a Single EIR? (see 301 CMR 11.06(8))  Yes X No
  - a Special Review Procedure? (see 301 CMR 11.09)  Yes X No
  - a Waiver of mandatory EIR? (see 301 CMR 11.11)  Yes X No
  - a Phase I Waiver? (see 301 CMR 11.11)  Yes X No

Identify any financial assistance or land transfer from an agency of the Commonwealth, including the agency name and the amount of funding or land area (in acres): \_\_\_\_\_ none

Are you requesting coordinated review with any other federal, state, regional, or local agency?  
 Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_) X No

List Local or Federal Permits and Approvals:

Applied for air approval 3/4/03

Which ENF or EIR review threshold(s) does the project meet or exceed (see 301 CMR 11.03):

- |                                 |                                       |  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Land   | <input type="checkbox"/> Rare Species | <input type="checkbox"/> Wetlands, Waterways, & Tidelands      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water  | <input type="checkbox"/> Wastewater   | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Energy | X Air                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Solid & Hazardous Waste               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ACEC   | <input type="checkbox"/> Regulations  | <input type="checkbox"/> Historical & Archaeological Resources |

Summary of Project Size & Environmental Impacts	Existing	Change	Total	State Permits & Approvals
<b>LAND</b>				<input type="checkbox"/> Order of Conditions <input type="checkbox"/> Superseding Order of Conditions <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 91 License <input type="checkbox"/> 401 Water Quality Certification <input type="checkbox"/> MHD or MDC Access Permit <input type="checkbox"/> Water Management Act Permit <input type="checkbox"/> New Source Approval <input type="checkbox"/> DEP or MWRA Sewer Connection/Extension Permit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Permits <i>(including Legislative Approvals) – Specify:</i>  Non-Major Comprehensive Plan Approval - Air
Total site acreage	Approx. 6.0			
New acres of land altered		0		
Acres of impervious area	Approx. 5.5	0	Approx. 5.5	
Square feet of new bordering vegetated wetlands alteration		0		
Square feet of new other wetland alteration		0		
Acres of new non-water dependent use of tidelands or waterways		0		
<b>STRUCTURES</b>				
Gross square footage	131,429	0	131,429	
Number of housing units	0	0	0	
Maximum height (in feet)	30	0	38	
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>				
Vehicle trips per day	24		24	
Parking spaces	175	0	175	
<b>WATER/WASTEWATER</b>				
Gallons/day (GPD) of water use	33, 534	Est. 3,353	37,064	
GPD water withdrawal	12,534	Est 1253	13,787	
GPD wastewater generation/treatment	21,000	Est. 2100	23,100	
Length of water/sewer mains (in miles)	Approx 50 feet	0	Approx 50 feet	

**CONSERVATION LAND:** Will the project involve the conversion of public parkland or other Article 97 public natural resources to any purpose not in accordance with Article 97?

Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_ ) X No

Will it involve the release of any conservation restriction, preservation restriction, agricultural preservation restriction, or watershed preservation restriction?

Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_ )    X No

**RARE SPECIES:** Does the project site include Estimated Habitat of Rare Species, Vernal Pools, Priority Sites of Rare Species, or Exemplary Natural Communities?

Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_ )    X No

**HISTORICAL /ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES:** Does the project site include any structure, site or district listed in the State Register of Historic Place or the inventory of Historic and Archaeological Assets of the Commonwealth?

Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_ )    X No, MHC confirmed 4/10/03

If yes, does the project involve any demolition or destruction of any listed or inventoried historic or archaeological resources?

Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_ )    X No

**AREAS OF CRITICAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN:** Is the project in or adjacent to an Area of Critical Environmental Concern?

Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_ )    X No

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The project description should include (a) a description of the project site, (b) a description of both on-site and off-site alternatives and the impacts associated with each alternative, and (c) potential on-site and off-site mitigation measures for each alternative (*You may attach one additional page, if necessary.*)

(a) Project involves adding additional ovens to an existing bakery, no change to footprint. A 1000 sq. foot section of the roof will be raised 8 feet.

(b) On-site alternative, do not expand the bakery. Off site alternative, expand capacity at another General Mills location, not in MA.

(c) On-site mitigation would include adding pollution control equipment to ovens. As part of the Air approval process, General Mills completed an analysis of the addition of controls to the entire bakery (BACT analysis, submitted to MA DEP 3/4/03). The results of the BACT analysis indicate controls are economically unfeasible.