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May 14, 2018

MEPA Unit Executive Office of Environmental Affairs 100 Cambridge Street, Boston, MA 02202

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is a legal notice announcing the public comment period for the Solutia Inc. draft operating permit renewal. This notice should appear in the Environmental Monitor by Wednesday, May 23, 2018.

If you have any questions please contact Amy Stratford at (413) 755-2144.

Sincerely,

This final document copy is being provided to you electronically by the Department of Environmental Protection. A signed copy of this document is on file at the DEP office listed on the letterhead.

Marc Simpson Air Quality Permit Chief Western Regional Office

cc: facility file

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> PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Department of Environmental Protection, acting in accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. chapter 111, Section 142A through 142E, will offer for public comment the following draft Operating Permit Renewal issued pursuant to 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C.

The draft Operating Permit Renewal for Solutia Inc. is being issued in accordance with 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C(6). The purpose of the Operating Permit is to codify all of the facility's applicable requirements under the state and federal Clean Air Act, including monitoring, record keeping requirements and emission limitations, into a renewable Operating Permit. This action is required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency as stated in its final rule approving the Department's Operating Permit program (Federal Register Vol. 61, No. 95 Wednesday May 15, 1996).

The draft Operating Permit Renewal is for:

Solutia Inc.	Application	#1-0-09-020
730 Worcester Street	Transmittal	#X229245
Springfield, MA 01151		

The public comment period will extend until June 22, 2018. Under the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 30A and 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C(6)(f), a public hearing may be requested by any person by submitting a written request to the Regional Office, stating the nature of the issues to be raised at a public hearing. Based on the written request, the Department will determine if a public hearing will be held and a 30 day written notice will be given. The duration of the public comment period shall automatically extend to the close of the public hearing as provided for at 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C(6)(g).

Comments may be presented in writing until 5:00 PM on June 22, 2018. Please submit three copies of any written testimony. Written testimony shall be submitted to:

Department of Environmental Protection Western Regional Office 436 Dwight Street-5<sup>th</sup> floor Springfield, Massachusetts 01103 Attention: Marc Simpson, Section Chief

A copy of the draft Operating Permit Renewal and the background information will be available for inspection at the Western Regional Office. Please contact Amy Stratford at (413) 755-2144 for further information.

By Order of MassDEP Martin Suuberg Commissioner