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Innovative Technology Notice Application Submitted Pursuant to Title 5, 310 CMR 15.000 Department of Environmental Protection Wastewater Management Program Transmittal Number: X280580 Application Filing Date: May 14, 2018

Public Notice is hereby given of the application by Eljen Corporation to the Department of Environmental Protection requesting Modification of Alternative System Certification for General Use for an alternative subsurface Soil Absorption System (SAS) for Eljen Geotextile Sand Filter (GSF) System, models B43 and A42 pursuant to 310 CMR 15.288 of Title 5. This provision of Title 5 describes the approval process for General Use of innovative/ alternative technologies for the treatment and subsurface disposal of sewage from facilities regulated under Title 5.

The application proposes the use of alternative standards for the following provision in Title 5:

The Eljen Geotextile Sand Filter (GSF) System, models B43 and A42 are likely to provide a level of environmental protection at least equivalent to that of a system designed and constructed in accordance with 310 CMR 15.100 through 15.255.

The Department welcomes any interested parties to provide any relevant information concerning the performance of this technology to be considered in the review process. The Department will consider all data and written comments submitted within **21 days** after the publication of this notice in order to decide whether to grant approval pursuant to 310 CMR 15.000. To schedule a time to review the application or to obtain further information regarding this application please contact the Wastewater Management Program at (617) 556-1168. All written comments should be submitted to: Department of Environmental Protection, Wastewater Management Program, One Winter Street, 5th Floor, Boston, MA 02108.

If you wish notification of the Department's preliminary determination concerning this application, please send to the Department a written request with your comments, if any, within 21 days from the publication date of this Environmental Monitor.

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