



NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD



Hazardous Waste Facility Closure Certainteed Corporation 17775 Avenue 23 1/2 Chowchilla, California 93610

Public Comment Period: December 30, 2009, to February 1, 2010

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) invites you to review and comment on the proposed Closure Plan of February 27, 2009 for the closure of the Certainteed Corporation's hazardous waste management units. The Certainteed Corporation (facility) is located at 17775 Avenue 23 1/2 in Chowchilla, CA.

DTSC denied the facility's hazardous waste permit renewal application on February 18, 2009, and as result, the facility had to cease operation of the hazardous waste management units on March 1, 2009. Currently, the facility is only a hazardous waste generator, as a result of their manufacturing of fiberglass insulations for commercial and residential applications.

DTSC regulates facilities that process hazardous waste in the State of California. On March 8, 2008, DTSC instructed the Certainteed Corporation to complete a disclosure statement requirement in accordance with Health and Safety Code Sections 25122.5, 25200.4, and 25358.3. for their hazardous waste permit renewal application which was revised on July 2, 2008. Certainteed did not comply with the disclosure requirements, and as a result, DTSC denied the hazardous waste application for permit renewal on February 18, 2009. Certainteed no longer has a hazardous waste facility permit as of February 18, 2009. Certainteed ceased operation on March 1, 2009 and will close the hazardous waste management units in accordance with the proposed closure plan of February 27, 2009.

To view electronic versions on the proposed Closure Plan and related documents, please visit DTSC's EnviroStor website:
<http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/>. Enter "Madera" as the City Click on the link "Report" Certain Teed Corporation.
the documents can also be reviewed at the:

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121 North G Street
Madera, CA 93637

Department of Toxic Substances Control
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Please direct your comments or questions before the end of the public comment period to Farshad Vakili, P.E., DTSC Treatment and Storage Team Leader at 8800 Cal Center Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826, phone, (916) 255-3142 or e mail FVakili@dtsc.ca.gov. For information on Public Participation call Jesus Cruz, DTSC Public Participation Specialist, at (916) 255-3315, e mail, JCruz@dtsc.ca.gov. For media questions, contact Ron Baker at (916) 324-3142 or e mail, RBaker@dtsc.ca.gov.