

Site Register

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY TOXICS CLEANUP PROGRAM



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The Site Register is published every two weeks to inform you about public comment periods, public meetings, hearings, and other information related to the study and cleanup of hazardous waste sites under the Model Toxics Control Act, Chapter 70.105D RCW.

You may also find information about public hearings, meetings, workshops, and open public comment periods on Ecology's web page. Go to www.ecy.wa.gov and click on the Public Involvement Calendar.

If you have questions or want to be added to the mailing list (electronic or paper) for the Site Register, contact Linda Thompson at 360/407-6069 or e-mail Ltho461@ecy.wa.gov. Specific regional contacts are listed after each entry.

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FORMAL CLEANUPS

Ecology oversees complex cleanup sites to ensure that your health and that of the environment are protected.

KITSAP COUNTY

Wyckoff/Eagle Harbor Site, 5350 Creosote Place NE, Bainbridge Island

**Public comment period extended:
6/3/2006 – 8/2/2006**

Agreed Order

The City of Bainbridge Island proposes to enter into an Agreed Order (Order) with the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) for the Wyckoff/Eagle Harbor Site - Phase III Acquisition Area (Site). This Order is issued by Ecology through the Model Toxics Control Act (Chapter 70.105D RCW, Chapter 173-340 WAC). The Site is a portion of a larger site cleanup called the Wyckoff/Eagle Harbor Superfund Site. Historic wood-treating activities resulted in the soil, groundwater and subtidal sediments being polluted with chemicals contained in creosote and pentachlorophenol (PCP).

The Order requires the City of Bainbridge Island to perform work at the Wyckoff/Eagle Harbor Site – Phase III Acquisition Area by undertaking certain remedial actions consisting of construction, redevelopment and maintenance of the Park. The objective of the work is the development of the Pritchard Park Remediation and Redevelopment Plan (PPRRP). The work must be conducted by the City of Bainbridge Island so as not to conflict with the EPA remedy.

You may review the agreed order at the following locations:

- City of Bainbridge Island Planning Department, 280 Madison Avenue N, Bainbridge Island;

- Bainbridge Island Library, 1270 Madison Avenue N, Bainbridge Island;

- Ecology Headquarters Office, 300 Desmond Drive, Lacey 360/407-7224 (Please call for an appointment.)

- Ecology's website at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/wyckoff/wyckoff_hp.html.

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Chung Ki Yee** at 360/407-6991 or e-mail Cyee461@ecy.wa.gov.

PIERCE COUNTY

Thermafiber/USG Interiors, Inc. Site, 2301 Taylor Way, Tacoma

**Public comment period:
7/31/06 - 8/30/06**

Agreed Order; Supplemental Remedial Investigation and Feasibility Study

The Department of Ecology, USG Interiors, Inc. (USG - former site operator/owner) and the Port of Tacoma (Port - current site owner) propose to enter into an Agreed Order (Order) with Ecology for completing remedial investigations at the Thermafiber/USG Interiors site.

The site is located on the southwest shore of Hylebos Waterway, which is included within the Commencement Bay Nearshore/Tideflats Federal Superfund site.

The former plant on the site produced mineral fiber insulation. Between 1959 and 1973, ASARCO slag was used as one of the raw materials. The slag contained high concentrations of heavy metals such as arsenic, antimony, lead, copper and zinc. By-products and wastes from production were deposited on the site, resulting in contaminated soils and ground water.

In the late 1990's, several interim actions were completed at the site to control sources of pollution to Hylebos Waterway. These included some site characterization efforts, removal of piles of contaminated soils mixed with wastes, excavation of contaminated soils, and excavation of soils along the shoreline. Between 2002 and 2005, USG and the Port of Tacoma performed additional interim actions including excavating additional soils and removal of two underground storage tanks. A large warehouse and trucking facility was recently built on the site, which is leased to a trucking company by the Port of Tacoma.

This Order requires the USG and the Port to conduct additional soil and groundwater sampling and evaluation of groundwater hydrology to supplement the original Remedial Investigation from 1995. The study is needed to determine the types and extent of remaining site contamination, and to determine its effect on the surrounding environment, including Hylebos Waterway. After Ecology approves the RI/FS, a draft cleanup action plan may be required under an additional order or amendment.

You may review the agreed order at the following locations:

- Tacoma Public Library, 1102 Tacoma Ave., Tacoma **253/591-5666**
- Citizens for A Healthy Bay, 917 Pacific Ave. Suite 100, Tacoma **253/383-2429**
- Ecology SWRO Toxics Cleanup Program, 300 Desmond Drive, Lacey **360/407-6365**, Sfle461@ecy.wa.gov. (Please call for appointment.)
- Ecology's website at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/thermafiber/thermafiber_hp.html.

For more information or to submit comments, please contact **Joyce Mercuri** at **360/407-6260** or e-mail Jmer461@ecy.wa.gov.

SPOKANE COUNTY

Upriver Dam PCBs Sediments Site, Spokane

**Public comment period:
6/30/06 – 7/31/06**

Engineering Design Report available for review and comment

This site is made up of two projects located between Upriver Dam and the Centennial Trail Footbridge. Deposit 1 is immediately behind the dam in the city of Spokane, and Deposit 2 is near Donkey Island in an unincorporated area. Both projects are in Spokane County.

The Engineering Design Report provides necessary engineering construction details to clean up polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) in sediments. PCBs are a group of manufactured chemicals historically used as insulating fluids or coolants and lubricants in transformers, capacitors or other electrical equipment. Heavy metals and organic materials co-mingled with PCBs will also be cleaned up.

Deposit 1 is located approximately 150 feet directly behind Upriver Dam and covers 3.6 acres moving in an easterly direction. Cleanup focuses on placing a protective cap on top of sediments containing PCBs.

Deposit 2 is a small 0.25-acre area near Donkey Island. This cleanup region is found in a wetland area in the backwater channels on the north bank of the river. Cleanup focuses on removing PCBs in sediments in two locations and restoring those areas with clean sand. Precautions will be taken to minimize impacts to the neighborhood, wetlands, and Centennial Trail.

Avista Development, Inc., is leading the cleanup with partial funding coming from Kaiser Aluminum and

Chemical Corporation as a result of an earlier settlement. Liberty Lake Sewer and Water District and Inland Empire Paper Company are also identified as potentially liable parties, but have chosen not to participate in the cleanup. It is anticipated the work will be completed approximately two months after construction begins. Cleanup will comply with all applicable state and federal laws as well as essential permit requirements.

Access routes, construction staging areas and other engineering details may be found in the fact sheet and design documents.

Documents may be reviewed at the following locations:

- Argonne County Library, 4322 N. Argonne Road, Spokane, WA 99206;
- Spokane Valley Library, 12004 E. Main, Spokane Valley, WA 99216;
- Spokane Public Library, 906 W. Main, Spokane, WA 99202;
- Ecology Eastern Regional Office, 4601 N. Monroe, Spokane, WA 99205-1295;
- Ecology's website at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/spo_riv/spo_riv.htm.

For more information see the following links:

- PCBs details: <http://www.atsdr.cdc.gov/tfacts17.html>;
- Spokane River Sediments and Fish Meal Advisories: http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/spo_riv/Spokane_River_hp.htm.

Written comments may be submitted to **Mr. Zach Hedgpeth** at the Ecology address above or e-mail Zahe461@ecy.wa.gov or at **509/329-3484**.

Para asistencia en Espanol: **Gretchen Newman** at **360/407-6097**.

Если вам нужно помощь по русский, звоните: **Tatyana Bistrevsky** at **509/477-3881**.

WHATCOM COUNTY

**Intalco (Alcoa) Aluminum Corporation,
4050 Mt. View Rd., Ferndale**

**Public comment period:
7/26/06 – 8/25/06**

*Proposed Consent Decree and Cleanup
Action Plan*

*Public Meeting August 16 at 7:00 p.m.,
at Ferndale Senior Center, Pioneer Park,
Ferndale*

Ecology proposes to enter into a Consent Decree with Alcoa - Intalco Aluminum Corporation (Intalco). The Consent Decree lists actions Intalco must perform to cleanup and close four of five landfills found on its property (site) in Blaine, Washington.

Intalco Aluminum smelting facility has three inactive landfills. They are Beach I, Beach II and the Construction Debris landfill. They are located west of the smelter overlooking the Strait of Georgia. The two on-site active landfills are located on the north side of the facility. There is no direct public access to this property.

The proposed Consent Decree will require Intalco to complete the removal of Beach I and II landfills, and to close the Construction Debris landfill using a cap with an impermeable liner. It would also require the existing on-site solid waste landfill in 2006/7 in accordance with the site solid waste permit. The solid waste landfill closure plan calls for a double lined cover. Intalco must complete the construction work defined in the Consent Decree by 2008.

You are invited to a public meeting to learn about cleanup that has already occurred and about what work is still needed. The public meeting is scheduled for Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m., August 16, 2006 at Ferndale Senior Center, located in Pioneer Park, Ferndale.

Ecology invites you to read and comment the proposed Consent Decree

and Cleanup Action Plan by the close of business August 25, 2006.

Documents related to the cleanup are available for public review at:

- Ferndale Public Library, 2222 Main Street, Ferndale
- Ecology Headquarters Office, Industrial Section, 300 Desmond Drive, Lacey **Paul Skyllingstad, Psky461@ecy.wa.gov.** (Please call for appointment.)
- Ecology Bellingham Field Office, 1204 Railriad, Suite 200, Bellingham **360/738-6250.** (Please call for appointment.)
- Ecology's website at **www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/intalco_hp.htm**.

For more information or to submit comments, please contact **Paul Skyllingstad** at **360/407-6949** or e-mail **Psky461@ecy.wa.gov**.

YAKIMA COUNTY

**Gilbert and Robertson Elementary
Schools, Yakima**

**Public comment period:
6/28/06 – 7/28/06**

*Interim Remedial Action and SEPA
Determination of Non-Significance*

Gilbert Elementary School is located at 4400 Douglas Drive and Robertson Elementary School is located at 2807 West Lincoln Avenue. Both are in Yakima.

Ecology is providing an opportunity for the public to comment on the Interim Remedial Action Plan and the issuance of a Determination of Non-Significance (DNS) for the soil cleanup at these two elementary schools.

Soil beneath the grass on the playgrounds at the two elementary schools contains lead and arsenic. The lead and arsenic likely comes from the use of these chemicals as orchard pest sprays in the early and mid 20th century.

Sampling and analysis indicate that contamination exceeds state cleanup levels for lead and arsenic. Ecology has considered several alternatives for cleanup. The alternative preferred by Ecology at both schools consists primarily of excavating and hauling some soil away for disposal at a permitted landfill, mixing remaining soil to reduce peak lead and arsenic levels, placing clean soil on top of the existing soil,

and establishing new grass in this clean soil. Ecology has determined that this alternative will provide the necessary barrier to prevent human exposure to lead and arsenic. At each school, the plan includes installation of an irrigation system to maintain the turf grass cover.

After reviewing the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) environmental checklist, Ecology has determined that the cleanup action will not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment and an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is not required. The checklist may be reviewed at the locations listed below:

- Yakima Valley Regional Library, 102 N 3rd St.
- Ecology Central Regional Office, 15 W Yakima Ave., Suite 200, Yakima, **509/454-7841, Fsmi461@ecy.wa.gov.** (Please call for appointment.)
- Ecology's website at **http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/gil_rob_schools/gil_rob_hp.htm**.

Please address any written comments or questions you may have on the soil cleanup or the DNS to **Bob Swackhamer** at **509/454-7840, Rswa461@ecy.wa.gov.**

Para asistencia bilingue, favor de hablar a: **Gregory Bohn** **509/454-4174, Gboh461@ecy.wa.gov.**

For more information, other questions or to be placed on the site mailing list, please contact **Frosti Smith** at **509/454-7841** or e-mail **Fsmi461@ecy.wa.gov.**

YAKIMA COUNTY

Naches Intermediate School, 101 Shafer Ave, Naches

**Public comment period:
6/28/06 – 7/28/06**

Interim Remedial Action and SEPA Determination of Non-Significance

Ecology is providing an opportunity for the public to comment on the Interim Remedial Action Plan and the issuance

of a Determination of Non-Significance (DNS) for the soil cleanup at Naches Intermediate School and adjacent fields in Naches, Washington.

Soil beneath the grass on the playground at Naches Intermediate School and adjacent soccer, softball and baseball fields is contaminated with lead and arsenic. The contamination likely comes from the use of these chemicals as orchard pest sprays in the early and mid 20th century.

Sampling and analysis indicate that contamination exceeds state cleanup levels for lead and arsenic. This site's hazard ranking has been determined to be a 5, where 1 represents the highest relative risk and 5 the lowest.

Ecology has considered several alternatives for cleanup. The alternative preferred by Ecology consists primarily of excavating and hauling some soil away for disposal at a permitted landfill, mixing remaining soil to reduce contamination levels, placing clean soil on top of the existing soil, and establishing new grass in this clean soil. Ecology has determined that this alternative will reduce contamination levels and prevent inadvertent contact with contaminated soils. The plan includes installation of an irrigation system to maintain the turf grass cover.

After reviewing the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) environmental checklist, Ecology has determined that the cleanup action will not have a probable significant adverse impact on

the environment and an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is not required. The checklist may be reviewed at the locations listed below.

- Naches Valley School District, Administration Office, 24 Shafer Avenue, Naches
- Ecology Central Regional Office, 15 W Yakima Ave., Suite 200, Yakima, **509/454-7841, Fsmi461@ecy.wa.gov.** (Please call for appointment.)

Please address any written comments or questions you may have on the soil cleanup or the DNS to **Bob Swackhamer** at **509/454-7840, Rswa461@ecy.wa.gov.**

Para asistencia bilingue, favor de hablar a: **Gregory Bohn** **509/454-4174, Gboh461@ecy.wa.gov.**

For more information, other questions or to be placed on the site mailing list, please contact **Frosti Smith** at **509/454-7841** or e-mail **Fsmi461@ecy.wa.gov.**

INDEPENDENT CLEANUPS

A property owner may conduct an independent cleanup of contamination and submit reports to Ecology. When a property owner applies to Ecology for review of their independent cleanup, the site enters the Voluntary Cleanup Program. After review, Ecology sends a letter to the property owner stating either that additional work is required to be removed from the list of hazardous waste sites or that no further action is needed.

Central Regional Office Contact:
509/575-2490 or e-mail Rjoh461@ecy.wa.gov

Eastern Regional Office Contact: Patti Carter 509/329-3522

Northwest Regional Office Contact:
425/649-7000

Southwest Regional Office Contact:
360/407-6300

BENTON COUNTY

Central Regional Office Contact:
509/575-2490 or e-mail Rjoh461@ecy.wa.gov

7-Eleven 25821, 1824 George Washington Wy - Report received: Quarterly Report

DOUGLAS COUNTY

Central Regional Office Contact:
509/575-2490, e-mail Rjoh461@ecy.wa

Desert Canyon Golf Course, 1201 Desert Canyon Blvd, Orondo - Report received: Remedial Report and Request for No Further Action.

GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY

Southwest Regional Office Contact:
360/407-6300

Montesano 76 Deli Mart, 405 S Main St, Montesano - Report received: Second Quarter 2006 Monitoring

KING COUNTY

Northwest Regional Office Contact:
425/649-7000

UNOCAL Station 6382, 12805 - 1st Ave S, Seattle - Report received: Subsurface Investigation December 2005

7-Eleven (Chevron), 13923 SE Petrovitsky Rd, Renton - Report received: Groundwater Status March 2006

7-Eleven, 711 Washington N, Kent - Report received: Remediation Progress February 2006

7-Eleven Food Store, 14207 Pacific Hwy S, Seattle - Report received:

Groundwater Status March 2006

7-Eleven Store, 9436 Rainier Ave S, Seattle - Report received: Remediation Progress March 2006

Group Health Cooperative of Puget Sound, 801 SW 16th St, Renton - Report received: Request for Modification to Rest Covenant

The Southland Corp., 2353 140th Ave NE, Bellevue - Report received: Remediation Progress March 2006

PSE Spill, 23620 108th Place SE, Kent - Report received: Puget Sound Energy Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 4808 D Street NE, Kent - Report received: Puget Sound Energy Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 4808 D Street NE, Auburn - Report received: Puget Sound Energy Remedial Action Summary.

KITTITAS COUNTY

Central Regional Office Contact:
509/575-2490 or e-mail Rjoh461@ecy.wa.gov

Chevron 95012, 800 W University Wy, Ellensburg - Report received: Groundwater Monitoring & Sampling Report Event of May 19, 2006.

Chevron 95179, 1710 Canyon Rd, Ellensburg - Report received: Groundwater Monitoring & Sampling Report

Ken's Texaco, 101 E University Wy, Ellensburg - Report received: Limited Underground Storage Tank Assessment

Chevron 95179, 1710 Canyon Rd, Ellensburg - Report received: Groundwater Monitoring & Sampling Report

Ken's Texaco, 101 E University Wy, Ellensburg - Report received: Limited Underground Storage Tank Assessment.

PIERCE COUNTY

Southwest Regional Office Contact:
360/407-6300

BP # 5568, 11202 Pacific Ave, Tacoma - Report received: 1st & 2nd Quarters 2005 Groundwater Monitoring

Conan Fuel - Daniel H. Root Ltd., 10320 Burnham Dr NW, Gig Harbor - Report received: Groundwater Monitoring Report

SAN JUAN COUNTY

Northwest Regional Office Contact:
425/649-7000

Orcus Power & Light Spill, 145 Rhone St, Friday Harbor - Report received: Orcus Power & Light Oil Spill Final Report.

SKAGIT COUNTY

Northwest Regional Office Contact:
425/649-7000

Anacortes Marine Enterprises, 2417 T Ave, Anacortes - Report received: Cleanup Action April 2006

SNOHOMISH COUNTY

Northwest Regional Office Contact:
425/649-7000

Nel/Son Distributing, Inc., 9826 7th Ave SE, Everett - Report received: Results of 2005 EFR Program

Shell Oil Products, 17924 State Rt 9 SE, Snohomish - Report received: Groundwater Status February 2006

Village By Creek Shopping Center, 824 164th St SE, Mill Creek - Report received: Phase I, Groundwater Monitoring & Sampling

Snohomish PUD Spill, 135th Ave SE, Snohomish - Report received: Snohomish PUD Interim Cleanup Report.

Snohomish PUD Spill, 300th St NW, Stanwood - Report received: Snohomish PUD Final Cleanup Report.

City of Snohomish, 4th St & Maple Ave, Snohomish - Report received: Phase II ESA & Geotechnical Engineering Evaluation.

WHATCOM COUNTY

Northwest Regional Office Contact:
425/649-7000

PSE Spill, 1130 Paradise Road, Ferndale - Report received: Puget Sound Energy Remedial Action Summary.

YAKIMA COUNTY

Central Regional Office Contact:
509/575-2490

Powerhouse Rd Bridge, 2871 Powerhouse Rd, Yakima - Report received: UST Closure and Site Assessment.

VOLUNTARY CLEANUP PROGRAM

Under Ecology's Voluntary Cleanup Program (VCP), a property owner cleaning up a contaminated site pays a fee for Ecology review. When a cleanup is determined to be sufficient, Ecology issues a no further action decision.

There is a VCP contact person for each of Ecology's 4 regional offices.

Central Regional Office (CRO) VCP
Contact: Mark Dunbar, 509/454-7836
or e-mail Mdun461@ecy.wa.gov

Eastern Regional Office (ERO) VCP
Contact: Patti Carter, 509/329-3522 or
e-mail Paca461@ecy.wa.gov

Northwest Regional Office (NW) VCP
Contact: Joe Hickey, 425/649-7202 or
e-mail Jhic461@ecy.wa.gov

Southwest Regional Office (SW) VCP
Contact: Chuck Cline, 360/407-6267 or
e-mail Chcl461@ecy.wa.gov

KING COUNTY

NW VCP Contact: Joe Hickey, 425/649-
7202 or e-mail Jhic461@ecy.wa.gov

**US DOE NRO Hauser Property Site,
26th PI S & S 244th St, Des Moines**
- Submitted 7/11/06, Site status: Independent
remedial action

KITSAP COUNTY

NW VCP Contact: Joe Hickey, 425/649-
7202 or e-mail Jhic461@ecy.wa.gov

**Sebring Property, 11627 SE Sebring
Dr, Southworth** - Decision: No further
action.

PIERCE COUNTY

SW VCP Contact: Chuck Cline,
360/407-6267 or e-mail Chcl461@ecy.
wa.gov

**Dominion Auto Sales, 3801 6th Ave,
Tacoma** - Decision: Further action needed.

**Eddon Boat Park, 3805 Harborview Dr,
Gig Harbor** - Decision: Opinion letter.

**PSE Buckley Debris Pile Fill Terrace
Bur, NE of Buckley Near Diversion
Dam, Buckley** - Decision: Withdrawn.

**Cit Group Property, 7401 Canyon Rd
E, Puyallup** - Submitted 7/10/06, Site
status: Independent remedial action

WHATCOM COUNTY

NW VCP Contact: Joe Hickey, 425/649-
7202 or e-mail Jhic461@ecy.wa.gov

WHITMAN COUNTY

ERO VCP Contact: Patti Carter,
509/329-3522 or e-mail Paca461@ecy.
wa.gov

YAKIMA COUNTY

CRO VCP Contact: Mark Dunbar,
509/454-7836 or e-mail Mdun461@ecy.
wa.gov

**Western Recreational Vehicles Inc,
3401 W Washington Ave, Yakima** -
Decision: Withdrawn.

SITE HAZARD ASSESSMENTS

An initial investigation is conducted
when a suspected release of hazardous
materials has occurred. If additional
work is required, a site hazard
assessment may be conducted. These
sites are ranked on a scale from 1 to
5, with 1 being the highest risk to
human health and the environment. The
following sites are scheduled for an
assessment.

BENTON COUNTY

Contact: Kay Rottell, Benton-Franklin
Health District, 509/582-7761, ext.
250.

**Chevron Chemical Co., Bowles Road
East of Finely Road, Kennewick**

**General Chemical Corp. Kennewick,
East Perkins Road, Kennewick**

CHELAN COUNTY

Contact: Tom Guthrie, Chelan -
Douglas Health District, 509/886-6466.

**Rock Island Elementary School, 5645
Rock Island Rd., Rock Island**

OKANOGAN COUNTY

Contact: Doug Hale, Okanogan Health
District, 509/422-7141.

**Dale's Texaco UST 11865, 1620 Main
St. Oroville**

SPOKANE COUNTY

Contact: Michael LaScuola, Spokane
Regional Health District, 509/324-
1574.

**Progress Elementary, 710 N Progress
Rd, Veradale**

THURSTON COUNTY

Contact: Gerald Tousley, Thurston
County Health Department, 360/754-
4111, ext. 6509.

**Olympia City Sewer Pump Station, 220
Water Street NW, Olympia**

OTHER DEPARTMENT NOTICES

Notice of Miscellaneous Filing

Ecology's Toxics Cleanup Program, has
replaced Policy 500C with Policy 550C
to reflect current practice and update the
format.

Policy 550C Prepaid Cleanup Oversight,
provides Ecology employees guidance for
implementation of WAC 173-340-550(7).
This provision of the Model Toxics
Control Act rule provides for prepayment
of Ecology's oversight costs to enable
resources to be dedicated to the oversight
of cleanup at lower priority sites.

To obtain a copy of updated Policy 550C, please contact **Carol Dorn**, 360/407-7224 or email Cesg461@ecy.wa.gov.

Cleanup Regulation

Public comments accepted until 7/28/06

Ecology is initiating rulemaking to amend the Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA) Cleanup Regulation (Chapter

173-340 WAC). The purpose of the rulemaking is to clarify the policies and procedures for establishing cleanup levels for mixtures of polychlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxins/polychlorinated dibenzofurans (dioxins/furans), polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) and polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs).

Ecology has established a schedule for amending the rule by the end of 2006. During the summer months, Ecology will be preparing draft rule language and performing analyses required under the State Environmental Policy Act, the Administrative Procedures Act and the Regulatory Fairness Act. Ecology plans to publish the proposed rule amendments for public review and comment by the end of August with public hearings being held in September. Ecology will then review the public comments and make final determinations on the rule amendment. Ecology plans to complete the rulemaking process and adopt the final rule amendments by the end of December 2006.

Ecology filed a proposal statement of inquiry (CR 101) with the Office of the Code Reviser on June 7, 2006. A copy of this statement may be obtained at: <http://www.ecy.wa.gov/laws-rules/wac173340/d0610.pdf>.

A copy of the draft rule amendments and other related materials can be obtained through the following web site:

http://aww.ecydev/programs/tcp/regs/amendment_2006/amend.htm.

General information on the rule-making process can be obtained by contacting **Dan Koroma**, at 360/407-7187 or e-mail Dkor461@ecy.wa.gov, or by mail at the following address: Department of Ecology, Toxics Cleanup Program, P.O. Box 47600, Olympia, Washington 98504-7600.

Comments or questions on the draft rule language should be directed to:

Pete Kmet, at 360/407-7199 or e-mail Pkme461@ecy.wa.gov, or by mail at the following address: Department of Ecology, Toxics Cleanup Program, P.O. Box 47600, Olympia, Washington 98504-7600.