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DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY
UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
PUBLIC NOTICE OF REISSUANCE OF THE
GENERAL MULTI-SECTOR PERMIT FOR STORM WATER DISCHARGES
ASSOCIATED WITH INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY

PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE

THE PURPOSE OF THIS PUBLIC NOTICE IS TO DECLARE THE STATE OF UTAH'S INTENTION TO REISSUE A UTAH POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (UPDES) PERMIT UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE UTAH WATER QUALITY ACT, SECTION 19-5-104 AND 107, UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1953, AS AMENDED.

PERMIT INFORMATION

NAME: GENERAL PERMIT FOR STORM WATER DISCHARGES ASSOCIATED INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITIES
PERMIT NO: UTR000000, COVERING INDUSTRIAL SECTORS J, K, L, N, O, Q, S, V, X, Y, AND Z.

BACKGROUND

Storm water drainage areas covered by this permit include, but are not limited to discharges from industrial plant yards; immediate access roads and rail lines used or traveled by carriers of raw materials, manufactured products, waste material, or by-products used or created by the facility; material handling sites; refuse sites; sites used for the application or disposal of process waste waters; sites used for the storage and maintenance of material handling equipment; sites used for residual treatment, storage, or disposal; shipping and receiving areas; manufacturing buildings; storage areas (including tank farms) for raw materials, and intermediate and finished products; and areas where industrial activity has taken place in the past and significant materials remain and are exposed to storm water. Areas on industrial sites which are not regulated and need not be included in this permit (providing the storm water from these areas do not mix with storm water from regulated areas) are any undisturbed areas, office complexes not immediately connected with other industrial areas, and parking lots for office complexes (unless industrial materials or equipment travel over these parking lots).

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comments are invited any time prior to of the close of business on December 5, 2012. Written public comments can be submitted to: Mike George, UPDES IES Section, Utah Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: mmgeorge@utah.gov. After considering public comment the Utah Water Quality Board may execute the permit issuance, revise it, or abandon it.

The permit and associated documents are available for public review under "Public Participation" at www.waterquality.utah.gov/. If internet access is not available, a copy may be obtained by calling Mike George at 801-536-4393.