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Legal Department  
Attention: Bernadettee Ortiz  
P.O. Drawer J-T  
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109

Dear Ms Ortiz:

Please publish the enclosed legal notice in your March 26, 1993 newspaper. Please return a copy of the notice as published with a certificate of date published. Address the bill to:

Ms. Suzanne Lopez  
Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau  
New Mexico Environment Department  
P.O. Box 26110  
525 Camino de los Marquez  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Marc Sides at (505) 327-4308.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara Hoditschek".

Barbara Hoditschek, RCRA Permit Program Manager  
Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau

Enclosure

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LEGAL NOTICE

NEW MEXICO ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT  
HAZARDOUS AND RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS BUREAU  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502

March 26, 1993

NOTICE OF INTENT TO CLOSE A HAZARDOUS WASTE  
UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEM

The State of New Mexico is authorized to operate a hazardous waste management program in lieu of the Federal program for those portions of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) in effect prior to the enactment of the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments of 1984 (HSWA). The HSWA imposes additional requirements on hazardous waste management facilities which will be administered by the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) until the State of New Mexico receives additional authorization for those requirements.

Under authority of the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Act (Section 74-4-1 et. seq. NMSA 1978, as amended, 1989) and the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Management Regulations (HWMR-7), the New Mexico Environment Department can approve or disapprove closure plans. The Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau (HRMB) of the New Mexico Environment Department proposes that the Department approve the closure plan submitted by Safety Kleen Corp. (SK), Albuquerque, New Mexico EPA I.D. No. NMD000804294, for the hazardous waste underground storage tank (UST) system. The HRMB proposes to include specific conditions with the document submitted by SK for closure plan approval. The unit proposed for closure is presently under RCRA interim status.

SK operates a branch service center at 2720 Girard NE in Albuquerque. The facility functions as a service center for distribution of mineral spirits, and storage of spent mineral solvents, other parts-cleaning solvents, spent dry cleaning waste, and paint waste. The service center is an integral part of a distribution/recycling network and does not include treatment or disposal facilities. The UST system proposed for closure consists of one 12,000 gallon steel tank for storage of spent mineral spirits and sludge, associated piping and appurtenances; one 12,000 gallon steel tank used for storage of product mineral spirits, associated piping and appurtenances; and a two-bay return and fill station with two wet dumpsters (capacity 375 gallons each).

The proposed closure plan calls for the decontamination and removal

of all system components. Wastes removed will be properly packaged, labelled, and transported to an approved disposal facility. Additionally, the closure plan requires an investigation of the extent of any soil and subsurface contamination, associated with the unit. Contamination will be removed or decontaminated to concentrations that will not harm human health and the environment. SK must demonstrate that no contamination is left at the site above NMED-Approved Health-Based Limit Criteria before clean closure will be accepted and interim status terminated.

The administrative record for this proposed decision consists of the closure plan, a fact sheet, and related correspondence. The administrative record may be viewed at the NMED Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau, Marquez Place, 525 Camino de los Marquez, P.O. Box 26110, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502. The closure plan and fact sheet may be viewed at the Albuquerque Main Public Library, 501 Copper Avenue NW, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102. To obtain a copy of the administrative record or any part thereof, at 35 cents per page, please contact Mr. Marc Sides at the Santa Fe address given above or call (505) 827-4308.

Any person who wishes to comment upon the proposed plan or to request a public hearing should submit written comments or requests, along with the commentor's name and address, to the Santa Fe address. Requests for a public hearing shall state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. Only comments and/or requests received by April 26, 1993 will be considered.

All written comments submitted on the proposed plan will be considered in formulating a final decision. NMED may modify the closure plan based on the comments received. The NMED will notify SK, and each person who submitted a written comment during the public comment period, of the final decision or of any public hearing which may be scheduled.

If, after consideration of all written comments this proposed action becomes the final decision, NMED will issue SK final approval for the proposed closure plan. The final approval will require that the closure activities be conducted in accordance with applicable State and Federal laws, as well as with the terms approved in the closure plan. Interim status will be terminated if SK demonstrates clean closure of the unit.