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Dear Mr. Castner:

The County has recently amended the Ocean County District Solid Waste Management Plan to include Suffolk Recycling Center as a Class B Recycling Center to process asphalt, concrete, brick and block. Attached is a Resolution that was adopted by the Ocean County Board of Chosen Freeholders on February 3, 1999, incorporating Suffolk Recycling into the County Plan. In addition, on January 27, 1999, I forwarded to Sukhdev Bhalla several letters of concern about operational issues related to Suffolk Recycling Corporation that I wanted the Department to consider during the permitting process.

During this process there was discussion by the Solid Waste Advisory Council about the status of facilities in the County Plan. A number of facilities previously included in the County Plan have either never obtained a state permit to operate or have not been in operation for a period of two or more years. Therefore, the County is deleting the following list of facilities from the Ocean County District Solid Waste Management Plan as an administrative action according to N.J.A.C. 7:26-6.11.

1. John Kummings Stump Reduction Center a proposed Class B Recycling Center to process stumps. The facility is located on Old Country Road, Block 34, Lot 1 in Eagleswood Township. The applicant has never obtained a Solid Waste Facility Permit and has a long history of enforcement problems with the NJDEP, Ocean County Health Department and Ocean County Prosecutor's Office.



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- 2. Longview Recycling Center (formerly the proposed Rosetto Recycling Center) a proposed 300 ton per day Material Processing Facility to process type 10, 13, 27 solid waste and designated recyclable materials. The site is Block 411 Lot 1.2 in Dover Township. The facility was included in the County Plan in 1991 but never filed a complete permit application with the NJDEP.
- 3. <u>Longview Recycling Center</u> (formerly Rosetto Recycling Center) a Class A Recycling Center; also processing wood waste and asphalt shingles. The site is 1301 Route 37 West, Block 506-1, Lots 1-7 in Dover Township. The facility has not operated for more than two years.
- 4. Pinelands Recycling, Inc. A Class B Recycling Center to process vegetative waste, tree parts, concrete, asphalt, masonry products and unpainted wood. The site is Block 25, Lots 79, 81, 85, 86 in Stafford Township. The facility obtained a state permit in April of 1996, but the facility has not been built. The applicant had a long history of litigation with Stafford Township culminating in a failed appeal to the New Jersey Supreme Court. The applicant cannot acquire the permitted site.
- 5. South Jersey Recycling Center a Class B Recycling Center to process stumps, tree trunks and tree parts. The site is on Whiting/Hornerstown Road, Block 79, Lot 28 in Plumsted Township. The NJDEP revoked the facility's permit on January 18, 1998 and the facility has not been built.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (732) 506-5047.

Very truly yours,

Alan W. Avery, Jy.

Director

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c: Ernest J. Kuhlwein, Jr., Assistant Director
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Dear Mr. Avery:

The Department of Environmental Protection's Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste is in receipt of an Administrative Action dated February 17, 1999 which deletes from the Ocean County District Solid Waste Management Plan (County Plan) five facilities which either (a) have been included within the County Plan for more than two years but for which a complete permit application has not been made to the Department or (b) have been included in the County Plan but have not been in operation for a period of two or more years. The facilities to be deleted are:

John Kummings Stump Reduction Center Class B Recycling Center Block 34, Lot 1 Old Country Road Eagleswood Township

Longwood Recycling Center (a/k/a Rosetto Recycling Center)
Materials Recovery Facility
Block 411, Lot 1.2
Dover Township

Longwood Recycling Center (a/k/a Rosetto Recycling Center)
Class A Recycling Center
Block 506-1, Lots 1-7
1301 Route 37 West
Dover Township

Pinelands Recycling, Inc. Class B Recycling Center Block 25, Lots 79, 81, 85, 86 Stafford Township South Jersey Recycling Center Class B Recycling Center Block 79, Lot 28 Whiting-Hornerstown Road Plumsted Township

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:26-6.11(b)7., the Department considers this request to be an approvable Administrative Action. Therefore, this request is hereby approved as an Administrative Action pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:26-6.11(f).

If you have any questions relative to this action, please contact Gil Mueller of my staff at (609) 984-3438.

Sincerely,

Guy Watson Bureau Chief

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