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PUBLIC NOTICE

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West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection (WVDEP) Homeland Security Emergency Response Unit (HSER) Facility 4994 Elk River Road South Elkview, WV 25071 EPA Facility ID#: WVR000502815

PURPOSE OF THIS NOTICE: WVDEP is announcing its proposed decision in a Statement of Basis (SB) for environmental remediation at the WVDEP-HSER Unit Facility (WVR00050815). The proposed remedy decision is that no further corrective action or land use controls are necessary at this time.

FACILITY DESCRIPTION: WVDEP's HSER unit is on a 1.16 acre parcel in Elkview, Kanawha County, in West Virginia. It is situated on the west bank of the floodplain of the Elk River, about 9.5 miles northeast of the City of Charleston, the State Capital. The Facility is located in a mixed industrial/residential area.

INFORMATION AVAILABLE: The SB containing background information about the Facility including its environmental history and the WVDEP's proposed remedy decision is available online at: https://dep.wv.gov/pio/Pages/Settlements,Ordersouttopublicnotice.aspx

The Administrative Record (Index of Information Repository Documents), which contains all the information considered in DEP's proposed decision, is also available. Persons who wish to review copies of the documents included in the Administrative Record or have a need for additional information should contact Kenan Cetin, DEP Project Manager, either by e-mail: <u>Kenan.Cetin@wv.gov</u>; or by phone at 304-238-1220; or by postal mail at the address: 131A Peninsula Street Wheeling WV, 26003.

COMMENT PROCESS: Persons wishing to comment on the proposed decision must submit comments to WVDEP within the 30-day comment period ending on **July 17, 2023**. Interested persons may also request a public hearing on this proposed remedy. All comments and/or requests for a hearing must be submitted in writing via e-mail or surface mail to the Project manager, Kenan Cetin, as listed above. All comments will be considered in making a final decision on the proposed remedy.