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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: During the meeting, the Subcommittee may also hear progress reports from some of its workgroups as well as updates and announcements on activities of general interest to attendees.

Dated: August 26, 2005.

Karl J. Simon,

Acting Director, Office of Transportation and Air Quality.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Notice of Final Decision To Grant Vickery Environmental, Incorporated a Modification of an Exemption From the Land Disposal Restrictions of the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments of 1984 Regarding Injection of Hazardous Wastes

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of final decision on a request to modify an exemption from the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA or Agency) that a modification of an exemption to the land disposal restrictions under the 1984 Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) has been granted to Vickery Environmental, Inc. (VEI) of Vickery, Ohio. This modification allows VEI to continue to inject RCRA-regulated hazardous wastes designated as K181 wastes which will be banned from land disposal on August 23, 2005, as a result

of regulations promulgated in the **Federal Register** (FR) on February 24, 2005 (70 FR 9138 *et seq.*) into four Class I injection wells at the Vickery, Ohio, facility. As required by 40 CFR part 148, VEI has demonstrated, to a reasonable degree of certainty, that there will be no migration of hazardous constituents from the injection zone utilized by VEI's waste disposal facility located near Vickery, Ohio, for as long as the newly-exempted waste remains hazardous. This decision constitutes a final Agency action for which there is no administrative appeal.

DATES: This action is effective as of August 23, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Harlan Gerrish, Lead Petition Reviewer, USEPA, Region 5, telephone (312) 886-2939. Copies of the petition and all related pertinent information are on file and are part of the Administrative Record. It is recommended that you contact the lead reviewer prior to reviewing the Administrative record.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

Chemical Waste Management (CWM), the predecessor of VEI, submitted a petition for an exemption from the restrictions on land disposal of hazardous wastes on January 19, 1988. Revised documents were received on December 4, 1989, and several supplemental submittals were subsequently made. The exemption was granted on August 7, 1990. On September 12, 1994, CWM submitted a petition to modify the exemption to include wastes bearing 23 additional RCRA wastes codes. Region 5 reviewed documents supporting the request and granted the modification of the exemption on May 16, 1995. A notice of the modification appeared on June 5, 1995, at 60 FR 29592 *et seq.* On April 9, 1996, CWM submitted a petition to again modify the exemption to allow 91 additional RCRA waste codes. Region 5 reviewed documents supporting the request and granted the modification on the exemption on June 24, 1996. A notice of the modification appeared on July 15, 1996, at 61 FR 36880 *et seq.* Again on May 13, 1997, CWM submitted a request to add 11 waste codes to the list. Region 5 reviewed the evidence submitted by CWM and granted the request. Notice of the approval appeared on August 12, 1997 (63 FR 43109). On October 13, 1997, CWM notified the EPA that the name of the operator of the Vickery facility would become Waste Management of Ohio (WMO). This change was acknowledged by EPA through a letter added to the

Administrative Record on November 10, 1997. On August 28, 1998, WMO requested that two additional wastes codes be approved for injection. Notice of the approval appeared on December 10, 1998 (63 FR 68284). In the same year, on November 5, 1998, WMO submitted a petition to exempt four additional waste codes. Approval of this petition appeared on February 10, 1999 (64 FR 6650). On January 24, 2000, Waste Management of Ohio informed EPA of a corporate reorganization and subsequent name change from Waste Management of Ohio to Vickery Environmental, Inc. This change was acknowledged by EPA through a letter added to the Administrative Record on March 9, 2000. On March 20, 2001, VEI requested that two wastes, designated as K174 and K175, be added to the list of wastes exempted for injection at VEI. This request was approved on May 23, 2001, and notice of the request appeared in the **Federal Register** on April 25, 2001 (66 FR 28464-28466). On January 31, 2002, WMO requested that four additional wastes codes be approved for injection. Notice of the approval appeared on April 29, 2004 (67 FR 20971).

The rule promulgated on February 24, 2005, bans K181 from injection after August 23, 2005, unless VEI's exemption is modified to allow injection of this waste. As a K-coded waste, the code represents a number of chemicals. Some of these have already been approved for injection at Vickery under other waste codes. VEI estimated diffusion rates for constituents not previously approved for injection using a method which Region 5 has previously accepted. The diffusion rates are lower than that of the chloride ion, the diffusion rate of which was used to define the edge of the waste plume at VEI. After review of the material submitted and verification of the calculations of diffusion rate, the EPA has determined, as required by 40 CFR 148.20(f), that there is a reasonable degree of certainty that the hazardous constituents contained in the waste bearing the code to be banned will behave hydraulically and chemically like wastes for which VEI was granted its original exemption and will not migrate from the injection zone in hazardous concentrations within 10,000 years. The injection zone is the Mt. Simon Sandstone and the Rome, Conasauga, Kerbel, and Knox Formations. The confining zone is comprised of the Wells Creek and Black River Formations.

List of RCRA Waste Codes Approved for Injection:

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|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| D001 | F009 | K033 | K112 | P011 | P070 | P191 | U042 | U095 | U148 | U203 | U375 |
| D002 | F010 | K034 | K113 | P012 | P071 | P192 | U043 | U096 | U149 | U204 | U376 |
| D003 | F011 | K035 | K114 | P013 | P072 | P194 | U044 | U097 | U150 | U205 | U377 |
| D004 | F012 | K036 | K115 | P014 | P073 | P196 | U045 | U098 | U151 | U206 | U378 |
| D005 | F019 | K037 | K116 | P015 | P074 | P197 | U046 | U099 | U152 | U207 | U379 |
| D006 | F020 | K038 | K117 | P016 | P075 | P198 | U047 | U101 | U153 | U208 | U381 |
| D007 | F021 | K039 | K118 | P017 | P076 | P199 | U048 | U102 | U154 | U209 | U382 |
| D008 | F022 | K040 | K123 | P018 | P077 | P201 | U049 | U103 | U155 | U210 | U383 |
| D009 | F023 | K041 | K124 | P020 | P078 | P202 | U050 | U105 | U156 | U211 | U384 |
| D010 | F024 | K042 | K125 | P021 | P081 | P203 | U051 | U106 | U157 | U213 | U385 |
| D011 | F025 | K043 | K126 | P022 | P082 | P204 | U052 | U107 | U158 | U214 | U386 |
| D012 | F026 | K044 | K131 | P023 | P084 | P205 | U053 | U108 | U159 | U215 | U387 |
| D013 | F027 | K045 | K132 | P024 | P085 | U001 | U055 | U109 | U160 | U216 | U389 |
| D014 | F028 | K046 | K136 | P026 | P087 | U002 | U056 | U110 | U161 | U217 | U390 |
| D015 | F032 | K047 | K140 | P027 | P088 | U003 | U057 | U111 | U162 | U218 | U391 |
| D016 | F034 | K048 | K141 | P028 | P089 | U004 | U058 | U112 | U163 | U219 | U392 |
| D017 | F035 | K049 | K142 | P029 | P092 | U005 | U059 | U113 | U164 | U220 | U393 |
| D018 | F037 | K050 | K143 | P030 | P093 | U006 | U060 | U114 | U165 | U221 | U394 |
| D019 | F038 | K051 | K144 | P031 | P094 | U007 | U061 | U115 | U166 | U222 | U395 |
| D020 | F039 | K052 | K145 | P033 | P095 | U008 | U062 | U116 | U167 | U223 | U396 |
| D021 | K001 | K060 | K147 | P034 | P096 | U009 | U063 | U117 | U168 | U225 | U400 |
| D022 | K002 | K061 | K148 | P036 | P097 | U010 | U064 | U118 | U169 | U226 | U401 |
| D023 | K003 | K062 | K149 | P037 | P098 | U011 | U066 | U119 | U170 | U227 | U402 |
| D024 | K004 | K069 | K150 | P038 | P099 | U012 | U067 | U120 | U171 | U228 | U403 |
| D025 | K005 | K071 | K151 | P039 | P101 | U014 | U068 | U121 | U172 | U234 | U404 |
| D026 | K006 | K073 | K156 | P040 | P102 | U015 | U069 | U122 | U173 | U235 | U407 |
| D027 | K007 | K083 | K157 | P041 | P103 | U016 | U070 | U123 | U174 | U236 | U408 |
| D028 | K008 | K084 | K158 | P042 | P104 | U017 | U071 | U124 | U176 | U237 | U409 |
| D029 | K009 | K085 | K159 | P043 | P105 | U018 | U072 | U125 | U177 | U238 | U410 |
| D030 | K010 | K086 | K160 | P044 | P106 | U019 | U073 | U126 | U178 | U239 | U411 |
| D031 | K011 | K087 | K161 | P045 | P108 | U020 | U074 | U127 | U179 | U240 | |
| D032 | K013 | K088 | K169 | P046 | P109 | U021 | U075 | U128 | U180 | U243 | |
| D033 | K014 | K093 | K170 | P047 | P110 | U022 | U076 | U129 | U181 | U244 | |
| D034 | K015 | K094 | K171 | P048 | P111 | U023 | U077 | U130 | U182 | U246 | |
| D035 | K016 | K095 | K172 | P049 | P112 | U024 | U078 | U131 | U183 | U247 | |
| D036 | K017 | K096 | K174 | P050 | P113 | U025 | U079 | U132 | U184 | U248 | |
| D037 | K018 | K097 | K175 | P051 | P114 | U026 | U080 | U133 | U185 | U249 | |
| D038 | K019 | K098 | K176 | P054 | P115 | U027 | U081 | U134 | U186 | U271 | |
| D039 | K020 | K099 | K177 | P056 | P116 | U028 | U082 | U135 | U187 | U277 | |
| D040 | K021 | K100 | K178 | P057 | P118 | U029 | U083 | U136 | U188 | U278 | |
| D041 | K022 | K101 | K181 | P058 | P119 | U030 | U084 | U137 | U189 | U279 | |
| D042 | K023 | K102 | P001 | P059 | P120 | U031 | U085 | U138 | U190 | U280 | |
| D043 | K024 | K103 | P002 | P060 | P121 | U032 | U086 | U139 | U191 | U328 | |
| F001 | K025 | K104 | P003 | P062 | P122 | U033 | U087 | U140 | U192 | U353 | |
| F002 | K026 | K105 | P004 | P063 | P123 | U034 | U088 | U141 | U193 | U359 | |
| F003 | K027 | K106 | P005 | P064 | P127 | U035 | U089 | U142 | U194 | U364 | |
| F004 | K028 | K107 | P006 | P065 | P128 | U036 | U090 | U143 | U196 | U365 | |
| F005 | K029 | K108 | P007 | P066 | P185 | U037 | U091 | U144 | U197 | U366 | |
| F006 | K030 | K109 | P008 | P067 | P188 | U038 | U092 | U145 | U200 | U367 | |
| F007 | K031 | K110 | P009 | P068 | P189 | U039 | U093 | U146 | U201 | U372 | |
| F008 | K032 | K111 | P010 | P069 | P190 | U041 | U094 | U147 | U202 | U373 | |

II. Conditions

General conditions of this exemption are found at 40 CFR part 148. The exemption granted to VEI on August 7, 1990, included a number of specific conditions. Conditions numbered (1), (2), (3), (4), and (9) remain in force. Construction of a monitoring well required under condition 5 has been completed, and the required monitoring will continue through the life of the facility. Conditions numbered (6), (7), and (8) have been fully satisfied. The results of the work carried out under these conditions confirms that the model used to simulate fluid movement within the injection zone for the next 10,000 years is valid and results of the simulation bound the region of the injection zone within which the waste will be contained.

Jo Lynn Traub,

Director, Water Division, Region 5.

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EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES

Notice of Open Special Meeting of the Advisory Committee of the Export-Import Bank of the United States (Ex-Im Bank)

Summary: The Advisory Committee was established by Pub. L. 98-181, November 30, 1983, to advise the Export-Import Bank on its programs and to provide comments for inclusion in the reports of the Export-Import Bank of the United States to Congress.

Time and Place: Tuesday, September 20, 2005, from 9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Ex-Im Bank in the Main Conference Room 1143, 811 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20571.

Agenda: Agenda items include discussion of renewable energy exports and related export financing trends.

Public Participation: The meeting will be open to public participation, and the last 10 minutes will be set aside for oral questions or comments. Members of the public may also file written statement(s) before or after the meeting. If you plan to attend, a photo ID must be presented, and you may contact Teri Stumpf to be placed on the attendee list. If any person wishes auxiliary aids (such as a sign language interpreter) or other special accommodations, please contact, prior to September 16, 2005, Teri Stumpf, Room 1203, 811 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20571, Voice: (202) 565-3502 or TDD (202) 565-3377.

Further Information: For further information, contact Teri Stumpf, Room 1203, 811 Vermont Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20571, (202) 565-3502.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The application also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than September 23, 2005.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (W. Arthur Tribble, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. *First Financial Bankshares, Inc.*, Abilene, Texas; to merge with Bridgeport Financial Corporation, Bridgeport, Texas, and indirectly acquire Bridgeport Bancshares, Inc., Dover, Delaware, and The First National Bank of Bridgeport, Bridgeport, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, August 26, 2005.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

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A. Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond (A. Linwood Gill, III, Vice President) 701 East Byrd Street, Richmond, Virginia 23261-4528:

1. *FNB Corp.*, Asheboro, North Carolina; to merge with United Financial, Inc., Graham, North Carolina, and thereby indirectly acquire Alamance Bank, Graham, North Carolina.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Donna J. Ward, Assistant Vice