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Special Barge Unloading Operations Ohio River, Left Bank, Mile 30.5

1. TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: To support activities of an existing project on the NOVA Chemicals site, the Corps of Engineers has granted permission to Nova Chemicals to make temporary site modifications at the PF Environmental Technologies property located along the left descending bank of the Ohio River, River Mile 30.5. Temporary mooring lines and dead men will be installed that will allow the mooring of a transport deck barge (65' x 250 ') perpendicular to the shoreline for offloading of eight modules from the barge. Minor modifications to the shoreline will be restored after the work is completed. Module unloading is anticipated to begin December 9, 2005 and be completed December 16, 2005.
2. As a result of this perpendicular mooring operation, navigators are requested to exercise extreme caution when transiting this area. Projection into the river by the perpendicularly moored transport barge is estimated to be 250 feet while the module unloading is underway. A locally operated helper tow will also be present area during the entire operation for initial mooring, barge ballasting, and general assistance.
3. Questions can be directed to Mr. Fred Pozzuto, Chief, Permit Enforcement and Surveillance Section, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Pittsburgh District at (412)395-7275.

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