

Response, Compensation, and Recovery Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9607, to recover costs incurred by the United States in connection with the Ohio Drum Superfund Site in Cleveland, Ohio (the "Site"). The United States also sought a civil penalty and punitive damages for noncompliance with a unilateral administrative order ("UAO") issued by the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("U.S. EPA"), and a declaratory judgment of liability for future response costs incurred by the United States in connection with the Site.

Under the Consent Decree, The Glidden Company ("Glidden") would reimburse the United States for \$343,000 of the approximately \$502,316 in unreimbursed response costs incurred by U.S. EPA relating to the Site. If such payment is not received when due, the Consent Decree provides for a stipulated penalty in the amount of \$500 per day. In addition, Glidden would covenant not to sue the United States: (a) With respect to Past Response Costs (as defined in the Consent Decree); (b) with respect to the UAO; or (c) with respect to the Consent Decree. In exchange, the United States would covenant not to sue Glidden: (a) Pursuant to Section 107(a) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9607(a), to recover Past Response Costs; and (b) pursuant to Section 106(b)(1) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9606(b)(1), for its alleged failure to comply with the UAO, with certain reservations. In addition, Glidden would receive protection for contribution actions or claims pertaining to Past Response Costs, as provided by Section 113(f)(2) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9613(f)(2).

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication comments relating to the Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611, and should refer to *United States v. Glidden Company*, D.J. Ref. 90-11-2-1300/3.

The Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, 1800 Bank One Center, 600 Superior Avenue, East, Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2600, and at U.S. EPA Region V, 77 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL 60604. During the public comment period, the Consent Decree, may also be examined on the following Department of Justice Web site, <http://www.usdoj.gov/enrd/open.html>. A copy of the Consent Decree may also be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, U.S.

Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611 or by faxing or e-mailing a request to Tonia Fleetwood (tonia.fleetwood@usdoj.gov), fax no. (202) 514-0097, phone confirmation number (202) 514-1547. In requesting a copy from the Consent Decree Library, please enclose a check in the amount of \$4.75 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the U.S. Treasury.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comments Requested

ACTION: 60-day notice of information collection under review: request for disposition of offense.

The Department of Justice (DOJ), Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), has submitted the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The proposed information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for "sixty days" until July 6, 2004. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

If you have comments especially on the estimated public burden or associated response time, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or additional information, please contact Scott Thomasson, Chief, Firearms Enforcement Branch, Room 7400, 650 Massachusetts Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20226.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

—Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

—Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

—Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

—Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or the technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of this information collection:

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Request for Disposition of Offense.

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection:* Form Number: ATF F 5020.29. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* *Primary:* Individuals or households. *Other:* Business or other for-profit. The form is used if an applicant applies for a license or permit and has an arrest record charged with a violation of Federal or State law and there is no record present of the disposition of the case(s). ATF F 5020.29 is sent to the custodian of records to ascertain the disposition of the case.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* It is estimated that 50 respondents will complete a 30 minute form.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* There are approximately 25 annual total burden hours associated with this collection.

If additional information is required contact: Brenda E. Dyer, Deputy Clearance Office, Policy and Planning Staff, Justice Management Division, Department of Justice, Patrick Henry Building, Suite 1600, 601 D Street, NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: May 3, 2004.

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