## U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY -- REGION III 1650 Arch Street

### Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103

# NOTICE OF INTENT TO ASSESS ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY AND OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Date of Notice: June 7, 2016

**Comment Period:** Forty (40) days from date of publication: 6/7/2016 - 7/820/2016

**Action:** Notice of Proposed Assessment of Clean Water Act Section 309(g) Class I Penalty and Opportunity to Comment.

**NOTICE** The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region III, is hereby giving notice that it proposes to enter into a Consent Agreement and issue a Final Order (jointly "CAFO"), which commences and concludes an administrative action for violations of Section 301 of the Clean Water Act, against Arlington County, Virginia. The CAFO proposes to assess an administrative penalty of \$3,000. EPA is authorized to enter into CAFOs and assess administrative penalties under Section 309(g) of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. Section 1319(g). The following further identifies the cases and should be included in any written comments submitted:

### Name of Case:

Arlington County, Virginia 2100 Clarendon Boulevard Suite 900 Arlington, Virginia 22201

#### **Docket Number:**

EPA Docket No.: CWA-03-2016-0137

**OPPORTUNITY FOR COMMENT** Section 309(g) of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. Section 1319(g) requires that interested persons be given notice of the proposed penalty and a reasonable opportunity to comment on the proposed issuance of the order. Procedures by which the public may submit written comments or participate in the proceedings are described in the *Consolidated Rules of Practice Governing the Administrative Assessment of Civil Penalties, Issuance of Compliance or Corrective Action Orders, and the Revocation, Termination or Suspension of* 

*Permits*, (Consolidated Rules), 40 C.F.R. Part 22. The deadline for submission of written public comments is forty (40) days after issuance of the public notice. **Comments should be made to:** 

Regional Hearing Clerk (3RC00) U.S. EPA, Region III 1650 Arch Street Philadelphia, PA 19103-2029

Pursuant to 40 C.F.R. Section 22.18(b)(2), the CAFO simultaneously commences and concludes this proceeding. Pursuant to Section 22.45(b), EPA must notify the public no less than 40 days before the issuance of the CAFO.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION** Interested parties may contact the following EPA representatives to learn more about this action:

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