

# Former Tyco Electronics Corporation (TEC) facility

## Public Notice

**DATE OF THIS NOTICE:** August 1, 2016

**PURPOSE OF THIS NOTICE:** The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is announcing its proposed Explanation of Significant Differences (ESD) for the former TEC facility located in Glen Rock, Pennsylvania. The proposed ESD describes EPA's proposed modifications to the 1991 Corrective Measures that EPA selected for the Facility.

**FACILITY DESCRIPTION:** TEC owned and operated the Facility from the late 1950s to 2001. The Facility consisted of two buildings, the Material Development Laboratory Building and the Plastics Building. During its period of operation, TEC conducted research on contact adhesives and lubricants and manufactured injection-molded plastic and polyester parts used in connector systems and applications. In 2001, TEC sold the property to Penn-Mar Corporation, who has since converted the former TEC facility into an administrative office and warehouse.

**INFORMATION AVAILABILITY:** Information regarding EPA's proposed ESD is available on EPA's website at <https://www3.epa.gov/reg3wcmd/ca/pa/webpages/pad041421223.html>. The Administrative Record, which contains all the information considered in EPA's proposed ESD, is available at U.S. EPA Region 3, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA. 19103. Office hours are: Mon-Fri, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM. For additional information, contact Khai M. Dao, Project Manager, at Mail Code: 3LC30, at EPA Region 3's address listed above; Phone: 215-814-5467; Fax: 215-814-3113, or Email: [dao.khai@epa.gov](mailto:dao.khai@epa.gov).

**COMMENT PROCESS:** Persons wishing to comment on EPA's proposed ESD must submit comments to EPA within the 30 day comment period ending August 30, 2016. All comments must be submitted in writing via mail, fax, or email to the EPA Project Manager, Khai M. Dao, as listed above, and must be received by August 30, 2016. All comments will be considered in making a final decision.

**FINAL DECISION:** EPA will make a final decision after considering all comments, consistent with applicable RCRA requirements and regulations. If the ESD is substantially unchanged from the one in this notice, EPA inform all persons who submitted written comments or requested notice of EPA's final decision. If the ESD is significantly different from the one proposed based on comments received, EPA will issue a public notice explaining the new ESD and will reopen the comment period.