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To New Jersey Ewaste Stakeholder;

The "Electronic Waste Management Act" P.L.2007, c.347 as amended by P.L. 2008 c.130 (N.J.S.A. 13:1E-99.94 et seq.) establishes collection and recycling requirements for manufacturers and consumers of "covered electronic devices". The Act defines "covered electronic devices" as televisions; portable, desktop or personal computers; and computer monitors. The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has drafted rules to establish the regulatory requirements for the electronic waste management program as defined by the Act. The Department will be publishing the rule proposal in the New Jersey Register however, prior to finalizing the proposal for publication, the Department is soliciting informal comments on the current draft.

The Department invites you to review the attached draft proposal of amendments to N.J.A.C. 7:26-2.8(s), N.J.A.C. 7:26A-1.1, and 1.3 and new rules to be proposed at N.J.A.C. 7:26A-13. Although the Department will not formally reply, we ask that you provide comments on the draft rule proposal, as we will take your suggestions under consideration and we will use the comments to inform a final draft of the rule proposal for publication.

Please label the subject of your email as "INFORMAL COMMENTS TO DRAFT EWASTE RULE" and send them to ecycle@dep.state.nj.us Comments must be provided to the Department by November 15, 2010 for consideration prior to the publication of the rule proposal.

Thank you for taking the time to review and comment on the draft rule proposal, your input and experience is invaluable.

Sincerely,

(original signed by)

Guy Watson, Chief

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