

Mr. Robert J. Longo
Environmental Protection & Improvement Company (EPIC)
305 Palmer Road
Denville, New Jersey

RE: Reissuance of Approval of Intermodal Container Facility

Dear Mr. Longo:

As a result of the Bureau of Hazardous Waste & Transfer Facilities' approval of a revision of the corporate name for the above noted facility, the Department of Environmental Protection is hereby reissuing the Intermodal Container Facility approval that was issued to your firm on March 19, 1996.

The approved revision involves a change in the corporate name of the permittee from the R.J. Longo Construction Company, Inc. to Environmental Improvement Company d/b/a EPIC. Also, it is noted that on June 22, 2000 McCarter & English, LLP notified the Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste that Compost America Holding Corporation sold all stock of EPIC to Synagro Technologies, Inc. (Synagro). As such, EPIC became a wholly owned subsidiary of Synagro.

The facility number that had been previously assigned to your registration package, under N.J.A.C. 7:26-3.6 is 0714001348 and is not affected by the reissuance of this approval.

Be advised that all correspondence pertaining to this filing package must refer to the assigned facility number. The site is located on Block 5030, Lots 80 and 104; Block 1020, Lots 110, 120, 108, 98; and Block 5025, Lot 1 in the City of Newark, Essex County , New Jersey

The reissued authorization continues your authority to construct and operate your Intermodal Container Facility provided that the operation of the facility complies with the performance standards set forth at N.J.A.C. 7:26.

The construction and operation of the Intermodal Container Facility shall be conducted in conformance with the following application documents. These documents are:

- (a) Application for an Intermodal Container Facility dated March 7, 1995 and submitted by Robert J. Longo on behalf of R.J. Longo Construction Co., Inc.;
- (b) Site Plan for intermodal container facility (EPIC-Brills Yard signed and sealed by James V. DeMurfo, P.E. N.J.P.E. License No. 21886 on February 24, 1995 and submitted on March 7, 1995;
- (c) Letter dated June 12, 2000 and submitted on June 19,2000 by Mr. Jay Waxenbaum, Vice President of EPIC;

- (d) Letter dated June 21, 2000 and submitted on June 22, 2000 by Mr. Vito L. Pinto of McCarter & English, LLP to Tom Byrne, Bureau of Hazardous Waste & Transfer Facilities.

The reissued approval continues the authorization for a Intermodal Container Facility for Environmental Protection and Improvement Company, Inc. d/b/a EPIC, to accept 3,400 tons per day of solid waste in sealed containers and to utilize rail transportation for carrying the waste to out-of-state approved landfills.

The reissued approval continues to authorize the Intermodal Container Facility to accept waste ID 10,, 12, 13, 23, 25, 27, 72, 73 and 74. The combined total for all categories of waste accepted at the facility shall not exceed 3,400 tons per day as mentioned above. You are informed that Department approval shall be obtained prior to any expansion, enlargement or other modification to the approved operations.

Eligibility for this reissued authorization shall terminate and the facility shall cease operations if any of the following occur:

- 1) The owner or operator fails to obtain any applicable permits or approvals required by Federal, State, county and local statute, rule and ordinance, including, but not limited to: Green Acres Program, Stream Encroachment, Wetlands, NJPDES/DGW, Sanitary Landfill Closure/Post Closure, Soil Conservation District approval, etc,
- 2) The owner or operator fails to comply with N.J.A.C. 7:26-3.6 or;
- 3) The Department determines that the facility poses a threat to public health safety, or the environment.

You should be aware that N.J.A.C. 7:26-4.3 requires a \$260.00 compliance monitoring fee and N.J.A.C. 7:26 4.7 requires an annual fee of \$150.00 for the costs of reviewing and maintaining the quarterly reports. Both fees are due on January 1 of each year.

If you have any questions regarding the Department's decision, please contact Mr. Tom Byrne of my staff at (609) 292-9880 or at our e-mail address: tbyrne@dep.state.nj.us.

Sincerely,

Signed by Thomas Sherman, Assistant Director

Thomas Sherman
Assistant Director
Office of Permitting &
Technical Programs

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