

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING

REVISION TO THE CAPE MAY COUNTY WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN

TAKE NOTICE that on **SEP 13 1996**, pursuant to the provisions of the Water Quality Planning Act, N.J.S.A. 58:11A-1 et seq., and the Statewide Water Quality Management Planning rules, N.J.A.C. 7:15-3.5, a revision to the Cape May County Water Quality Management Plan (WQMP) was adopted by the Department. The revision corrects the Lower Township Wastewater Management Plan (WMP) with regard to the Schellengers Landing section of Lower Township, Cape May County. The Schellengers Landing area is located south of the Cape May Canal and was mistakenly identified in the Lower Township WMP as within the Lower Township Municipal Utilities Authority Wastewater Treatment Plant (WTP) sewer service area. Instead, this area is currently served by the Cape May County Municipal Utilities Authority (CMCMUA) Cape May Regional WTP which is located in Lower Township and discharges to the Atlantic Ocean. In addition, 201 facilities plans approved on January 25, 1979 and May 29, 1980 for the CMCMUA Cape May Regional WTP provided for sizing the wastewater collection and treatment facilities to address the existing and future flows from the Schellengers Landing area of Lower Township. Therefore, the Lower Township WMP is corrected to identify the Schellengers Landing area as within the CMCMUA Cape May Regional WTP sewer service area. The wastewater flows from this area amount to an annual average of approximately 43,000 gallons per day (gpd) and a summer (July/August) average of 68,000 gpd. The area contains approximately 75 units which include mainly residential units and some commercial development.

