The New Jersey State Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) is seeking public comment on its intent to approve an air pollution control Operating Permit Significant Modification for this facility pursuant to the provisions of Title V of the Federal Clean Air Act, the federal rules promulgated at 40 CFR 70, and the state regulations promulgated at N.J.A.C. 7:27-22.

FACILITY INFORMATION
Transco Compressor Station 505 is located at 623 Case Rd., Neshanic Station, Somerset County, NJ and consists of a natural gas pipeline compressor station. The facility is owned and operated by Transcontinental Gas Pipeline Corporation.

FACILITY PROCESSES AND AIR EMISSIONS INFORMATION
For information about the facility’s processes and their air emissions please refer to the Statement of Basis available on this webpage at http://www.state.nj.us/dep/aqpp/publicnotices.htm.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND CONTACT INFORMATION
This public notice, the statement of basis, and the draft permit have been posted at the Department’s website: http://www.state.nj.us/dep/aqpp/publicnotices.htm. The draft permit is generally available for inspection at NJDEP/Air Permits, 401 E State Street, Trenton, NJ 08625 and at the Northern Regional Enforcement Office located at 7 Ridgedale Ave., Cedar Knolls, NJ, (973) 656-4444. However, due to the COVID-19 emergency, the Department has temporarily suspended in-person visits for reviewing air permit information. Instead, any person who cannot obtain a copy of the permit application and any supporting materials from the website above can call 609-292-6722 for further assistance.

All persons, including the applicant, who believe that any condition of the draft Air Pollution Operating Permit or the Department's tentative decision to approve this permit is inappropriate, must raise all reasonable issues of concern and submit all arguments and factual grounds or materials supporting their position during the public comment period.

A Public hearing will be held on August 11, 2022, at Raritan Valley Community College, 118 Lamington Rd, in Branchburg, NJ, and phone number (908) 526-1200 x8801. The public hearing will start at 6:00 PM. If there are persons wishing to comment, the meeting will be continued until all persons present have had the opportunity to present their comments. At the public hearing, written and oral comments will be accepted by the Department.

Any comments on this draft permit must be received by 5:00 PM on August 15, 2022 by either (1) email addressed to Joel Leon at joel.leon@dep.nj.gov or (2) by mail and addressed to Joel Leon, NJDEP, 401 E State Street, 2nd Floor, PO Box 420, Mail Code 401-02, Trenton, NJ 08625-0420.

The Department will consider and respond to all written and timely submitted comments. The applicant, and each person, who submitted written comments, will receive a notice of the Department’s final decision regarding the Operating Permit modifications and a copy of the Response to Comment document.