

WORK NOTICE Zeneca/Former Stauffer Chemical Site Richmond, California



December 2005

Removal Action Work being conducted in East Stege Mash between December 5, 2005 and December 31, 2005

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) is distributing this notice to inform the community about upcoming work at the Zeneca/Former Stauffer Chemical Site,1349 South 49th Street, Richmond, CA. This work will include the excavation of 500 cubic yards of sediments contaminated with metals, pesticides, and polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) from East Stege Marsh, the solidification of this sediment with cement, and the hauling of the solidified sediments to an offsite permitted landfill. Concurrently, onsite grading of the clean fill in East Stege Marsh and re-vegetation activities will be occurring. The attached map shows the traffic flow, staging areas, and air monitoring locations for this work.

The work will occur between December 5, 2005 and December 31, 2005 weather permitting. Excavation and cement mixing will occur from 7:30 am through 2:00 pm. Other work activities will occur from 7:30 am through 4:30 pm. The excavation and cement mixing work will take about one week to complete. The following work activities will occur:

- Excavation of sediments in East Stege Marsh.
- Mixing cement and sediment in bins with an excavator bucket in the cement mixing area.
- Trucks moving bins first from East Stege Marsh to the cement mixing area and then to the bin staging area.
- Trucks moving clean backfill soil into areas where sediment was excavated.
- Continuous air monitoring and dust control measures at various locations.
- Trucks hauling covered bins containing excavated material for disposal at an offsite permitted landfill.
- Seeding and planting of vegetation in the marsh.

This work will be done according to the 2005 Final Removal Action Workplan, for the Remaining Portions of East Stege Marsh. This document and other information can be found at:

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If you have any questions or concerns, please contact DTSC's Project Scientist, Lynn Nakashima, at (510) 540-3839 or DTSC's Public Participation Specialist, Nancy Cook, at (510) 540-3923, or DTSC's Public Participation Supervisor, Diane Fowler at (916) 255-6682. For media inquiries, please contact DTSC's Public Information Officer, Angela Blanchette, at (510) 540-3732.

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