

State Environmental Policy Act DETERMINATION OF SEPA EXEMPTION 23-022

Description of proposal:

Solvay Chemical submitted Air Discharge Permit (ADP) Application CO-1071 to the Southwest Clean Air Agency in which the facility is seeking approval to install and operate an additional carbon bed.

Proponent:

Stewart Larsen, Longview Site Manager

Location of proposal, including street address if any:

3500 Industrial Way Longview, WA 98632

Lead agency:

Southwest Clean Air Agency

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that the proposed project is exempt from the requirements of the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) under Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 197-11-800(3) as follows: "The repair, remodeling, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing private or public structures, facilities or equipment, including utilities, recreation, and transportation facilities involving no material expansions or changes in use beyond that previously existing." The proposed project is identified a minor alteration of existing equipment and as such it does not have a probable significant impact on the environment. Neither an environmental checklist nor an Environmental Impact Statement is required under Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made by SWCAA after review of the proponent's proposal and the information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

□ This project/permitting action by SWCAA is SEPA exempt.

Responsible official: Clinton Lamoreaux, P.E. **Position/title**: Chief Engineer

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