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Elizabeth H. Bocon
Hercules Incorporated
1111 Grattan Street
Chicopee, MA 01013

RE: Chicopee
Western Region
BWP IW 38
Draft Permit for Industrial Sewer User
M.G.L Ch 21, Section 43
314 CMR 7.00 and 2.06
Transmittal No. W202610

Dear Ms Bocon:

Enclosed is a copy of the Draft Industrial Wastewater Discharge Permit and Public Notice regarding **Hercules Incorporated,** located at **1111 Grattan Street, Chicopee, Massachusetts.** The Department of Environmental Protection ("MassDEP"), Bureau of Waste Prevention, has reviewed your application identified with Transmittal Number W202610 and proposes to issue a Final Industrial Wastewater Discharge Permit for your subject facility.

Pursuant to 314 CMR 2.06, the issuance of the Final Industrial Wastewater Discharge Permit is subject to the public review process.

Please have the attached Public Notice published in a newspaper of general circulation in the municipality where the project is proposed. It is the applicant's responsibility to forward proof of publication to the attention of Saadi Motamedi, Section Chief, Bureau of Waste Prevention, at the address shown on this letterhead. Please do so within seven (7) days of the date of publication to avoid delays in processing your application.

The mandatory thirty (30) day public comment period will commence with the date of publication of the Public Notice. It is in the applicant's interest to publish this notice upon receipt and forward proof of publication to MassDEP as soon as possible to avoid delays in processing your application.

This information is available in alternate format Call Donald M. Gomes, ADA Coordinator at 617-556-1057. TDD# 866-539-7622 or 617-574-6868.

DEP on the World Wide Web: http://www mass gov/dep
Printed on Recycled Paper

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Timothy McElroy at 413-755-2271.

Sincerely,

Timothy McElroy
Environmental Engineer
Bureau of Waste Prevention

Saadi Motamedi
Section Chief
Bureau of Waste Prevention

1/22/08

cc: Pretreatment Coordinator, Chicopee POTW
DEP, Boston (e-copy): Sanh Tran & John Reinhardt

Enclosures: Transmittal Form
Public Notice Form
BWP IW38 Application
Attachment A

PUBLIC NOTICE

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

BUREAU OF WASTE PREVENTION

Western Regional Office
436 Dwight Street, Springfield, Massachusetts 01103
(413) 784-1100

Pursuant to Chapter 21, Section 43 of the General Laws, and 314 CMR 7.00 and 2.06, notice is given of the following application for a sewer connection permit and proposed actions thereon:

CITY/TOWN: Chicopee

PROJECT NAME: Hercules Sewer Connection

APPLICANT: Hercules, Incorporated

LOCATION: 1111 Grattan Street, Chicopee, MA 01013

PURPOSE: Permit for Industrial Sewer User, BWP IW 38

TRANSMITTAL NO.: W202610

PROPOSED ACTION: Tentative Determination to Issue

The above application, and applicable laws, regulations, and procedures are available for inspection at the above address and on the MassDEP website http://www.mass.gov/dep/public/publiche.htm. Comments on the proposed actions or requests for a public hearing on the proposed actions must be sent in writing to the MassDEP address listed at the top of this notice within thirty (30) days of the date of publication of this PUBLIC NOTICE.

Saadi Motamedi
Section Chief
Bureau of Waste Prevention

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INSTRUCTION TO APPLICANT:

The above must be printed as a Legal Notice only once <u>at your expense</u> and a copy of the newspaper clip must be sent by you to the above address. You must submit an electronic copy of the Public Notice as published in the newspaper. The date and the name of a Newspaper must also be visible on the image of the newspaper that is sent to MassDEP. The image can be no larger than 20MB in the following file extensions: doc, xml, txt, xsl, jpeg, jpg, rtf, html, gif. The above Legal Notice may be printed in a newspaper of your choice but it must appear in a newspaper that has general circulation where your facility is located. You must also file a copy of the notice with the State Secretary for publication in the Central Register.

Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Waste Prevention – Industrial Wastewater

BWP IW 38 & BWP IW 39

Permit for Industrial Sewer User

W202610
Transmittal Number

Facility ID# (if known)

PERMIT NO. W202610

ATTACHMENT A

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. **Hercules Incorporated** located at **1111 Grattan Street, Chicopee, Massachusetts** (the "permittee") is authorized to discharge pretreated industrial wastewater to the City of Chicopee sewer system.

2. This Permit expires five (5) years from the date of issuance. The permittee shall apply for a renewal of this Permit at least 90 days prior to the expiration date in accordance with 314 CMR 7.09 (3)(b).

3. This Permit is subject to obtaining approval of any other applicable federal, state or local authority that may have jurisdiction.

4. The permittee shall comply with the City of Chicopee Pretreatment Program, Local Limits and Sewer Use Regulations.

5. Concentrated chemicals and hazardous materials/wastes are prohibited from being discharged to the sewer.

6. No person owning, maintaining or using a sewer connection shall discharge or allow the discharge of wastewater through such connection which would result in a hazard to the public health or safety or a violation of the provisions of 314 CMR 7.00 or 12.00.