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Date Stamped March 26, 2014

Mr. Samuel B. Solomon  
Northeastern University  
360 Huntington Avenue  
Boston, MA 02115

RE: **BOSTON** - Metropolitan  
Boston/Northeast Region  
310 CMR 7.00 - Appendix C  
Application No. MBR-95-OPP-095R2  
Transmittal No. X259267  
**Draft Operating Permit Renewal**

Dear Mr. Solomon:

The Department of Environmental Protection ("MassDEP") has determined that the Operating Permit Application for Northeastern University located at 360 Huntington Avenue in Boston is administratively and technically complete and hereby issues the enclosed Draft Operating Permit Renewal for the subject facility.

This Draft Operating Permit Renewal is being issued in accordance with 310 CMR 7.00 - APPENDIX C of the Air Pollution Control Regulations ("the Regulations"), as adopted pursuant to M.G.L. c. 111, §§ 142 A through E inclusive.

Public notice of this Draft Operating Permit Renewal will be published by MassDEP in accordance with the requirements of 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C. As such, the public comment period shall end on May 9, 2014. During that period, a public hearing may be requested pursuant to 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C(6)(f). You shall be notified under a separate letter if a public hearing has been requested.

Please review the entire Draft Operating Permit Renewal carefully. It lists the applicable Federal and State Air Pollution Control Requirements and what is required of the facility in order for it to be considered in compliance with such applicable requirements. It also includes requirements that were promulgated or approved by the United States Environmental Protection Agency through rule making at the time of issuance but have future effective compliance dates.

Should you have any questions concerning this Draft Operating Permit Renewal, please contact Mr. Mun Wong, your Permitting Point of Contact, at (978) 694-3286.

Sincerely,

This final document copy is being provided to you electronically by the Department of Environmental Protection. A signed copy of this document is on file at the DEP office listed on the letterhead.

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James E. Belsky  
Regional Permit Chief  
Bureau of Waste Prevention

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205B Lowell Street, Wilmington, MA 01887  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP), acting in accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. chapter 111, Section 142A through 142E, will offer for public comment the following Draft Operating Permit Renewal issued pursuant to 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C.

The Draft Operating Permit Renewal is being issued in accordance with 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C(6). The purpose of the Draft Operating Permit Renewal is to codify all of the facility's applicable requirements under the state and federal Clean Air Act, including monitoring, record keeping requirements and emission limitations, into a renewable Operating Permit. This action is required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency as stated in its final rule approving MassDEP's Operating Permit program (Federal Register Vol. 61, No. 95 Wednesday May 15, 1996).

The Draft Operating Permit Renewal is for:

FACILITY NAME: Northeastern University  
APPLICANT: Mr. Samuel B. Solomon  
ADDRESS: 360 Huntington Avenue  
Boston, Massachusetts 02115  
TRANSMITTAL NO.: X259267

The public comment period will extend until May 9, 2014. Under the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 30A and 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C(6)(f), a public hearing may be requested by any person who submits a written request to the Regional Office, stating the nature of the issues to be raised at a public hearing. Based on the written request, MassDEP will determine if a public hearing will be held and a 30-day written notice will be given. The duration of the public comment period shall automatically extend to the close of the public hearing as provided for at 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C(6)(g).

Comments may be presented in writing until 5:00 PM on May 9, 2014. Please submit three copies of any written testimony. Written testimony shall be submitted to the:

Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP)  
Metropolitan Boston/Northeast Regional Office  
205B Lowell Street, Wilmington, MA 01887  
ATTENTION: James E. Belsky, Regional Permit Chief, Bureau of Waste Prevention

A copy of the Draft Operating Permit Renewal and the background information will be available for inspection at the Regional Office listed above by calling Mun Wong at (978) 694-3286.

By Order of MassDEP

Kenneth Kimmell  
Commissioner