

PUBLIC NOTICE

Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department (LLCHD)

Notice is given to the public according to Section 14 of the Lincoln- Lancaster County Air Pollution Control Program Regulations and Standards (LLCAPCPRS) of the preliminary determination by the Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department (LLCHD) to approve the issuance of a Class II Synthetic Minor operating permit to the University of Nebraska – Lincoln’s East Campus, located at 1901 N. 37th Street, Lincoln, Nebraska. The proposed permit allows for continued operation of the existing air pollutant emission sources under conditions that provide for operation of the facility within Federal, State and Local requirements. Listed below is information about emissions from the facility and points of contact for obtaining more information about the proposed permit.

(1) The air contaminant emission source Class II operating permit for University of Nebraska – Lincoln addresses activities and operations included in North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) category 611310: Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools.

(2) At the actual annual production rates allowed by the proposed permit, the facility’s emissions are estimated as follows in units of tons per year (tpy):

Criteria Pollutants

Particulate matter below ten microns in diameter	10.60 tpy
Oxides of sulfur reported as sulfur dioxide	93.10 tpy
Oxides of nitrogen reported as nitrogen dioxide	99.70 tpy
Volatile organic compounds	5.00 tpy
Carbon monoxide	71.80 tpy
Lead	0.02 tpy

Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAP)

Greatest Single HAP	0.29 tpy
Total Combined HAP	1.95 tpy

(3) The University of Nebraska – Lincoln East Campus qualifies for a Class II Synthetic Minor permit because the facility engages in activities and/or operations which have the emissions identified in (1) above, but has accepted emission controls and production limits bringing potential emissions to below Class I thresholds. As such, they will be classified as a Synthetic Minor source of emissions.

(4) The proposed permit as well as emission information on Novartis Consumer Health, Inc. are available for inspection during business hours at the office of the LLCHD at 3140 "N" Street, Lincoln, NE 68510. Information may also be obtained on the World Wide Web at:

<http://www.ci.lincoln.ne.us/city/health/environ/pollu/pn/index.htm>

Telephone inquiries may be made of Gary Bergstrom at (402) 441-6202. Please notify the Department if alternate formats of materials are needed. Contact phone number is (402) 441-8040 or (402) 441-6284 for TDD users.

(5) The Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, or any interested agency, person, or group, may request or petition the Director of the LLCHD, in writing, within the 30 day comment period of the public notice, for a public hearing, and state the nature of the issues to be raised and all arguments and factual grounds supporting their position. The Director may hold a public hearing if the comments, requests, or petitions raise legal, policy or discretionary questions of general application not pertaining solely to a particular party and significant public interest exists with respect to the application.

- (6) Comments may be submitted in writing, to the LLCHD prior to the close of the 30-day public notice period. Comments received during the 30-day public notice period, on or before February 16, 2009, will be considered prior to the final decision to issue the proposed permit. Comments should be mailed to:

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