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VIA EMAIL

Brad Kischnick, Environmental Specialist
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Dear Brad Kischnick:

SUBJECT: Determination of Technical Adequacy for Hazardous Waste Facility
Operating License Renewal Application; Dow Silicones Corporation;
Midland, Michigan; MID 000 809 632, Waste Data System Number 392821

The Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Materials Management Division (MMD) has completed a technical review of the Dow Silicones Corporation Hazardous Waste Facility Operating License renewal application, submitted March 30, 2022 (Application), for its facility located at 3901 South Saginaw Road, Midland, Michigan. The review was conducted under the administrative rules promulgated pursuant to Part 111, Hazardous Waste Management, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended. Based on this review, the Application is technically adequate to begin drafting an operating license.

With this determination of technical adequacy, the MMD can begin drafting an operating license. The MMD currently expects to use the following schedule for a final licensing decision:

- Mid-April 2023: Hold a virtual public informational meeting regarding the Application's technical adequacy and open the formal public comment period for a draft licensing decision.
- End of May 2023: Hold a public hearing regarding the draft licensing decision.
- By September 29, 2023: Make a final licensing decision.

If significant comments are received during the public comment period on the draft licensing decision, or during a formal public hearing, this schedule may be updated to account for any additional time needed to address comments.

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If you have any questions, please contact Dan Dailey, Environmental Engineering Specialist, Engineering and Program Support Unit, Hazardous Waste Section, MMD, at 517-242-7261; DaileyD@Michigan.gov; EGLE, MMD, P.O. Box 30241, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7741; or you may contact me.

Sincerely,

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