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DEQ postpones public hearings until further notice

BATON ROUGE – Due to Hurricane Gustav, the following hearings have been postponed until further notice. The public comment period is also continued until further notice:

The hearing scheduled to receive comments on the draft hazardous waste operating renewal permit for The Dow Chemical Company (Dow) previously scheduled for Monday, September 8, 2008, beginning at 6:00 p.m., at the Iberville Parish Council Meeting Room for the Plaquemine Facility located at 21255 LA Highway 405, Plaquemine, Iberville Parish, is postponed until further notice.

The public hearing scheduled to receive comments on a draft hazardous waste operating renewal permit for Rhodia Inc., previously scheduled for Tuesday, September 9, 2008, beginning at 6:00 p.m., at the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality, Galvez Building Conference Center, Pensacola Room, 602 North 5th Street, Baton Rouge for the facility located at 1275 Airline Highway, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish is postponed until further notice.

The public hearing scheduled to receive comments on a draft hazardous waste operating permit renewal for Clean Harbors Baton Rouge, LLC, previously scheduled to be held on Monday, September 15, 2008, beginning at 6:00 p.m., at the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality, Galvez Building Conference Center, Pensacola Room, 602 North 5th Street, Baton Rouge for the operations of Tanks, Container Storage Areas and a Landfill located at 13351 Scenic Highway, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, East Baton Rouge Parish is postponed until further notice.