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ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD REGARDING AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE AN AIR POLLUTION-EMITTING SOURCE

PROPOSED ACTION: Nu-West Industries, Inc., Soda Springs, Idaho, applied to the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) for a permit to construct and operate an air pollution-emitting source located at 3010 Conda Road. DEQ has determined that construction and operation according to the proposed permit will not cause or significantly contribute to a violation of any ambient air quality standard and will not injure or unreasonably affect human or animal life or vegetation. DEQ has reviewed the application and completed an analysis of the information submitted by the applicant to install and operate a new super phosphoric acid evaporation system. Based on this analysis, DEQ proposes to issue the permit to construct to Nu-West Industries, Inc., Soda Springs.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: Notice is given that DEQ has scheduled a period to receive public comments under Docket No. AQ-1304 concerning the air quality aspects of the project application and the proposed permit in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.209. The application materials, the proposed permit, and Statement of Basis are available for public review on DEQ's Web site at http://www.deq.idaho.gov.

SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS–ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS: Anyone may submit written comment regarding the project and proposed permit. To be most effective, comments should address air quality considerations and include supporting materials where available. Comments, requests, and questions regarding the public comment process should be directed to Tessa Stevens, Department of Environmental Quality, 1410 N. Hilton, Boise, Idaho 83706-1255; tessa.stevens@deq.idaho.gov; or to the DEQ Web site at http://www.deq.idaho.gov. Please reference the company name and docket number when sending comments or questions. All information regarding this matter, including the issuance of the final permit and Statement of Basis, will be available on DEQ's Web site.

For technical assistance on questions concerning this project or the permitting process, please contact Kelli Wetzel at (208) 373-0502.

All written comment and data concerning this proposal must be directed to and received by the undersigned on or before 5:00, p.m., MST/MDT, May 13, 2013.

DATED this 11th day of April, 2013.

Tessa Stevens
Air Quality Division