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Re: American Zinc Recycling Corp (Illinois EPA BOA ID# 031600AFV)
Construction Permits 19110013, 18050025, 19110018, and 24080020

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In accordance with the Illinois EPA's Environmental Justice Policy, the Office of Environmental Justice wants to provide you with information about a potential action. The Illinois EPA is sending this letter to notify you of an application received by the Bureau of Air (BOA).

The Illinois EPA has received four applications for construction permits for American Zinc Recycling Corp (formerly known as Horsehead Corp.) located at 2701 East 114th Street in Chicago. The construction permits are for enhancements required by a [federal consent decree](#). Construction Permit 19110013 will address enhanced monitoring and testing requirements for Kiln 1. Construction Permit 18050025 will address enhanced monitoring, testing, and particulate material capture and control requirements for the iron material transfer and discharge areas and associated baghouse. Construction Permit 19110018 addresses enhanced monitoring, testing, and particulate matter capture and control requirements regarding material transfer from coke conveyor BC-1 to Belt EB-5 and associated baghouse. Finally, Construction Permit 24080020 will address enhanced monitoring, testing, and particulate material capture and control requirements for the feed transfer tower and associated baghouse, the curing and blending building and associated baghouses, and rotary kiln.

The application is currently under review by the BOA.

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If you have questions about the application, please contact Chris Pressnall, Manager of the Office of Environmental Justice at (217) 524-1284, EPA.OEJ@Illinois.gov.

Sincerely,

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