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Re: Sterling Steel Co LLC (Illinois EPA BOA ID#195818AAI)

Clean Air Act Permit Program (96010019)

To Distribution List:

In accordance with the Illinois EPA 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 an application for a Clean Air Act Permit Program (CAAPP) for Sterling Steel Co LLC located at 101 Avenue K in Sterling. The application requests a renewal of the facility's existing CAAPP permit for five years.

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The application is currently under review by the BOA. CAAPP renewals require public notice. Once ready for public review, the Illinois EPA will post a notice and draft permit on its website (https://epa.illinois.gov/public-notices/boa-notices.html) and will accept comments during the public notice period. The procedures for public participation in the Air Pollution Control Permit Program can be found at 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 252. Inquiries concerning the availability of public comment or hearing in this matter may be addressed to Sarah Brubaker, Community Relations, at (217) 786-0790, sarah.brubaker@illinois.gov.

If you would like to sign up to receive notifications by email, please visit the Illinois EPA Environmental Justice webpage: https://epa.illinois.gov/topics/environmental-justice.html

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

Sincerely,

Chris Pressnall

Environmental Justice Coordinator

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