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I certify this to be a true and accurate copy of the official documents as filed in the records of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency.

August 7, 2012

By: Scott J. Nally Date: 8-7-12

Mr. Matthew Montag  
AK Steel Corporation – Coshocton Works  
17400 State Route 16  
Coshocton, Ohio 43812

**Re: Amended Post-Closure Plan Approval  
AK Steel Corporation – Coshocton Works  
OHD 004294567**

**Dear Mr. Montag:**

On March 26, 2012, AK Steel Corporation – Coshocton Works located at 17400 State Route 16, Coshocton, Ohio submitted to the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) an amended post-closure plan to revise the Alternate Concentration Limits (ACLs). The amended post-closure plan was submitted pursuant to the December 31, 2007 Director's Final Findings and Orders in order to demonstrate that AK Steel Corporation's proposal for post-closure complies with the substantive requirements of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rules 3745-55-11, 3745-55-12, and 3745-55-18.

The owner or operator and the public were given the opportunity to submit written comments regarding the amended post-closure plan in accordance with the hazardous waste rule requirements. No public comments were received by Ohio EPA.

Based upon review of AK Steel Corporation's submittal, I conclude that the amended post-closure plan for the hazardous waste facility at 17400 State Route 16, Coshocton, Ohio, as modified herein, meets the performance standard contained in OAC rule 3745-55-11, and complies with the pertinent parts of OAC rules 3745-55-12 and 3745-55-18.

The amended post-closure plan submitted to Ohio EPA on March 26, by AK Steel Corporation is hereby approved with the following modifications:

- Table 5.1 needs to be revised to update the Regional Screening Levels (RSLs) to

be from the most recent U.S. EPA RSL table. The current RSL table can be found at <http://www.epa.gov/region9/superfund/prg/index.html>. Based on OEPA's review of the April 2012 U.S. EPA RSL table, and considering the series of steps being used to calculate ACLs, it appears that only the ACL for vanadium will change as a result of updating Table 5.1.

Compliance with the approved post-closure plan, including the modifications specified herein, is expected. Ohio EPA will monitor such compliance. Ohio EPA expressly reserves the right to take action, pursuant to chapters 3734. and 6111. of the Ohio Revised Code, and other applicable law, to enforce such compliance and to seek appropriate remedies in the event of noncompliance with the provisions and modifications of this approved plan. Please be advised that approval of this amended post-closure plan does not release AK Steel Corporation from any responsibilities regarding corrective action for all releases of hazardous waste or constituents from any waste management unit, regardless of the time at which waste was placed in the unit.

You are hereby notified that this action of the director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Section 3745.04 of the Ohio Revised Code. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the Commission within 30 days after notice of the director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00 (made payable to "Ohio Treasurer of State ") which the Commission, in its discretion, may reduce if by affidavit you demonstrate that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the director within three days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission  
77 South High Street, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

When post-closure is completed, OAC rule 3745-55-20 requires the owner or operator of a facility to submit to the director of Ohio EPA, certification by the owner or operator and an independent, registered professional engineer that the facility has completed the post-closure care period in accordance with the approved post-closure plan. The certification by the owner or operator shall include the statement found in OAC rule 3745-50-42(D). These certifications should be submitted to:

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency  
Division of Environmental Response and Revitalization  
P.O. Box 1049  
Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049  
Attn: Edwin Lim, Engineering Section

A copy should also be sent to:

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency  
Division of Environmental Response and Revitalization  
Southeast District Office  
2195 Front Street  
Logan, Ohio 43138.  
Attn: Laura Hughes

If you have any questions about implementing this post-closure plan, contact Laura Hughes at 740-380-5253.

Sincerely,



Scott J. Nally  
Director

cc: Laura Hughes, DERR, SEDO  
Ed Lim, Manager, Engineering, DERR, CO  
Connie Livchak, FARU-DMWM, CO  
Brad Hauser, RADMU-DMWM, CO



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# PUBLIC NOTICE RECORD

**Notification Type:** HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY POST-CLOSURE ACTION

**Entity Info**

**Name:** AK Steel Corporation

**Address:** 703 Curtis Street

**City/Township/Zip:** Middleton, OH 45403

**County:** Coshocton

**Description:** Hazardous Waste

**Notice Info**

**Weekly Review**

**Public Notice**

**Date Of Action:** 08/07/2012

**Notification Number:** OHD004294567

**Receiving Waters:**

**Meeting Details:**

**Standard Remark:**

**Other Remark:**

On August 7, 2012, the director of Ohio EPA , pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code rule 3745-55-18, approved an Amended Post Closure Plan with modifications for revised alternate concentration limits at the Coshocton facility located at 17400 Route 16, Coshocton, Ohio 43812, Ohio EPA ID No. OHD004294567. The Amended Post Closure Plan was received on March 27, 2012. This final action was not preceded by a proposed action and is appealable to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission..