

NOTICE OF INTENT TO REISSUE A HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT STORAGE PERMIT TO SAFETY-KLEEN SYSTEMS, INC

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) has tentatively decided to reissue a hazardous waste storage permit to Safety-Kleen Systems, Inc. (SKS) for the storage of hazardous waste. The SKS (EPA ID TND000614321) is located at 3536 Fite Road, Millington, Shelby County, Tennessee 38053. **TDEC invites the public to submit comments on this proposal during a 45-day comment period ending on Sunday, June 22, 2025.** A public hearing is scheduled for Thursday, June 12, 2025, to provide an additional opportunity for public comments.

The current permit, TNHW-141 was issued on September 30, 2009, and was effective for ten years. Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Regulations require that the facility submit the permit renewal application at least 180 days before the current permit expires. The facility submitted their Part A and Part B renewal applications on April 2, 2019 with subsequent revisions dated June 24, 2019, August 17, 2020, July 10, 2023, April 9, 2024, and August 21, 2024, thus enabling the facility to continue to operate under the current permit until the new permit is issued or denied. If renewed, the new permit will allow the facility to continue to operate and maintain the hazardous waste storage permit for an additional ten years. A public notice announcing receipt of the application was published on August 8, 2019. As part of the pre-application process, SKS conducted a pre-application public meeting on May 22, 2019, as announced in the May 7, 2019, edition of The Millington Star newspaper and a radio announcement on May 16-17, 2019, iHeart Media. SKS held a pre-application public meeting on May 22, 2019, as announced May 7, 2019, in The Millington Star newspaper. No members of the public attended the meeting, and no oral or written comments were received.

SKS activities include waste management operations within permitted container and tank storage, and two miscellaneous units. Under the renewed permit, SKS has hazardous waste stored in these units include petroleum naphtha parts washer solvent, aqueous solvent, immersion cleaner, dry cleaning waste and paint waste collected from customers or generated on-site.

The renewed permit will allow the facility to store a maximum quantity of 10,000 gallons in an aboveground storage tank, 17,690 gallons in a container storage area, and two miscellaneous units (return and fill) with a capacity of 326 gallons that is emptied daily.

The permit renewal application provides information on all solid waste management units (SWMUs) and areas of concern (AOCs) at the facility, including previous or ongoing investigations or corrective actions for all releases of hazardous wastes or hazardous constituents. The conditions of this permit will require that any future and existing SWMUs or AOCs be evaluated for potential releases and remediation, as necessary.

Based on the review of the application and as authorized pursuant to Tennessee Rule 0400-12-01-.07(7), DSWM has determined the application to be complete and has prepared a draft permit. DSWM proposes to issue the permit under the authority of the Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Act of 1977, as amended, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-212-101 et seq., and Rule Chapter 0400-12-01, Hazardous Waste Management. In accordance with Rule 0400-12-01-.07(7)(e), this notice requires a 45-day comment period, beginning on the date of this publication. A fact sheet has been prepared that provides additional information about the site and the proposed permit. A public hearing is scheduled for Thursday, June 12, 2025, to provide an additional opportunity for public comments. Pending consideration of any contrary information received, it is the present intent of DSWM to issue this permit. If issued, the permit would be effective for ten years.

A public hearing will be held on Thursday, June 12, 2025, at the Baker Community Center located at 7942 Church Street, Millington, TN 38053, as well as via video teleconference. Information on how to join online is provided below. An information session will be held from 5:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. CDT for the public to inspect and discuss the permit application, draft permit, fact sheet, plans, and other materials with representatives of Safety-Kleen and DSWM. The formal hearing will begin at 6:00 p.m., CDT with a presentation from DSWM on the tentative

decision to issue the permit followed by a presentation by Safety-Kleen describing the activities at the facility. After the presentations, DSWM will receive oral comments on the draft permit from the public that will be recorded. The public may submit written comments at the meeting.

Those who wish to join the public hearing virtually can do so by using the following link: <http://tn.gov/environment/notices/sks-millington-intent/hearing>. Information regarding how to join by computer will be posted to this website at least three (3) days prior to the public hearing. Online participants will be able to view maps, pictures, and other content that will be shared.

Electronic copies of the draft permit and fact sheet are available online at <http://tn.gov/environment/notices/sks-millington-intent> and at the DSWM Central Office located at the Davy Crockett Tower 7th Floor; 500 James Robertson Parkway; Nashville, TN 37243 (615-532- 0780) and at the TDEC Memphis Environmental Field Office, 8383 Wolf Lake Drive, Bartlett, TN 38133 (901-371-3000). A paper copy of the draft permit is available for public inspection at the available for public inspection at the Millington Public Library, 4858 Navy Road, Millington, TN (901-872-1585).

To comment on the proposed storage permit renewal, contact Mr. Brett Harris, Hazardous Waste Permitting Manager, Division of Solid Waste Management; Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation; Davy Crockett Tower; 7th Floor; 500 James Robertson Parkway; Nashville, Tennessee 37243 (615-393-9221), or Brett.Harris@tn.gov. Comments must be received by 4:30 p.m. CDT, June 22, 2025, to assure consideration.

After considering all comments, DSWM will make a final decision to either issue or deny the permit. Notice will be given to the applicant and each person who has submitted written comments or requested notice of the final decision. At the time a final decision is issued, a Response to Comments document addressing all significant input received on the draft permit will be made available to the public. The final decision shall become effective upon signing by the Director of DSWM.

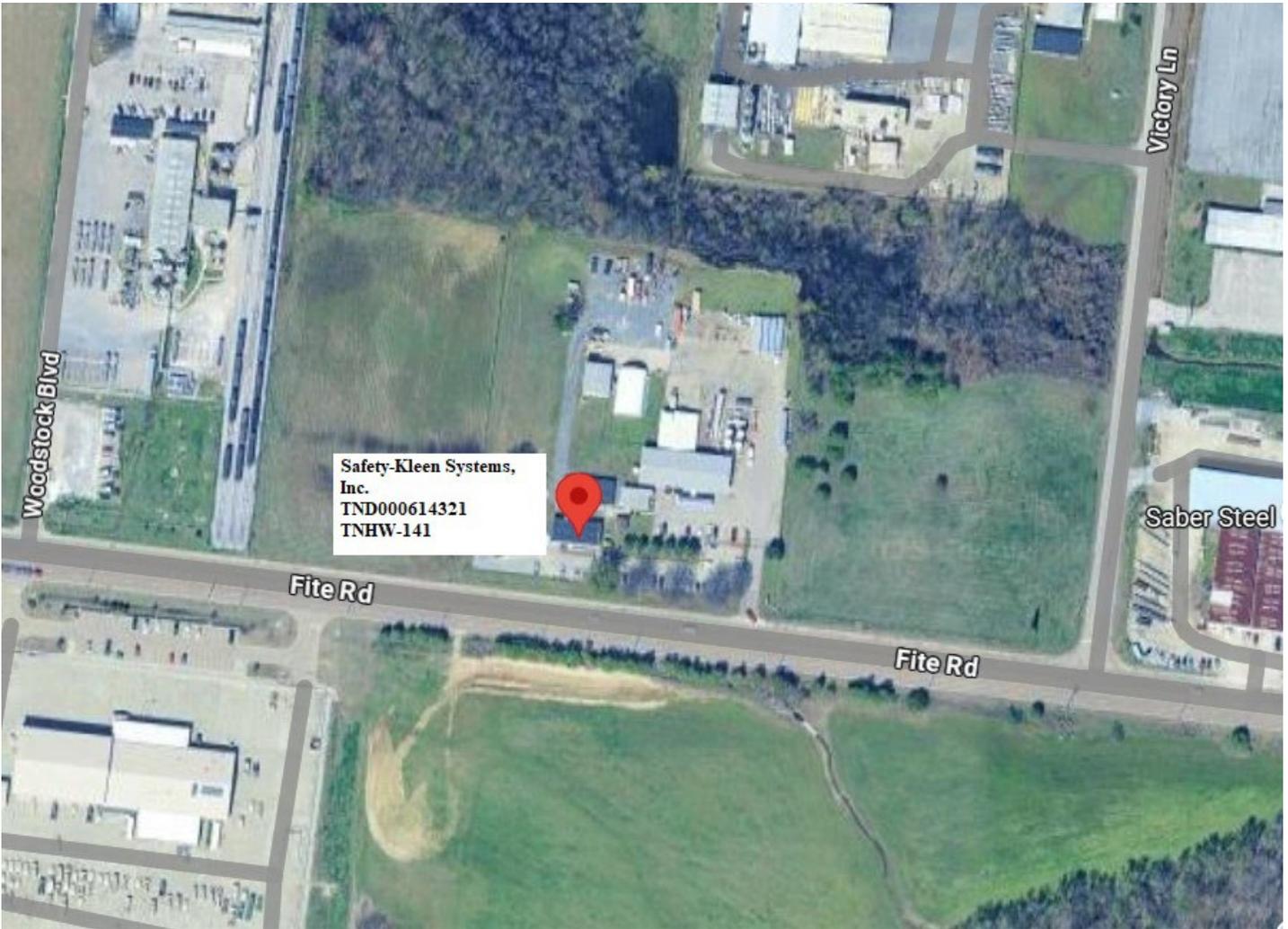
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