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Docket Number: CWA-05-2011-0001, Deere & Company, 501 River Drive, Moline, Illinois

Posted: October 20, 2010

Comment period end date: November 19, 2010

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Public Notice, Deere & Company (PDF), (3pp, 75K) posted October 20, 2010 Consent Agreement and Final Order (PDF), (14pp, 1.65MB) posted October 20, 2010

Description: The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA), Region 5, is providing this notice of its intent to file a Proposed Consent Agreement and Final Order (Proposed CAFO) against Deere & Company (Respondent) for violations of the Clean Water Act. In 2005, Deere self-disclosed to U.S. EPA potential violations of the permit requirements promulgated under the Clean Water Act. This Proposed CAFO will settle civil violations alleging that the Respondent exceeded daily maximum categorical limits and monthly average categorical limits for metals in the effluent discharged from its facility in Moline, Illinois. The Proposed CAFO further alleges that the Respondent failed to submit semi-annual reports that described completely the nature and concentration of pollutants contained in its effluent. The U.S. EPA and Respondent have agreed in principle that Respondent will pay a civil penalty of \$99,000 to resolve these violations.

Written comments may be submitted to the Regional Hearing Clerk electronically or by mail or delivery to: Docket No. CWA-05-2011-0001, Regional Hearing Clerk, Mail Code E-19J, U.S. EPA, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604

Your comments should include the case name, docket number, and your complete mailing address. If you plan to use FAX or a messenger service to deliver your comments or other documents, please call the Regional Hearing Clerk at (312) 886-3713 for further instructions to insure delivery. You may submit a <u>comment on-line</u> as well. Note that EPA requires your regular mailing address, since we must use the U.S. Postal Service to fulfill our response obligations.

RHC Docket No. SDWA-05-2010-000, Robert Christensen, owner Bob's Repair, 15455 County Road 25, Brainerd, Minnesota