



Environmental Protection Agency

Notice to the Public

Pursuant to Section 11(2) of the Environmental Protection Act, Cap. 20:05, Laws of Guyana, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has screened the application for the grant of an environmental permit for the following proposed project:

Halliburton Guyana Inc. – Transportation of Oil & Gas Chemicals, Equipment, and Tools Across Regions 3, 4, 5, & 6 with parking base at Block 'X' Portion H3 Rear Plantation, Houston, Georgetown.

The EPA has determined that this project will not significantly affect the environment and is therefore exempt from the requirement to conduct an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA). The reasons for its decision include:

1. The risk of spills will be negligible since the project's design will include embedded controls/mitigation measures such as the securing of hazardous materials and tools to the trailers using ratchet straps; chemical packaging will be inspected before transport to ensure that it is leak-tight, and all drivers and banksmen will undergo training in HAZMAT handling, transport, and emergency preparedness and response before transporting hazardous materials.
2. Impacts on air quality will be negligible given that dry chemicals are transported in enclosed sacks, according to their respective safety data sheets; the trucks will be maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications, and will be turned off when not in use.

Please be advised that this decision is in no way an indication that this project is approved.

Project Summary Tab

<https://epaguyana.org/download/halliburton-guya...-project-summary/>

Any person who may be affected by the proposed project may lodge an appeal against the Agency's decision (EIA not required) within thirty (30) days of the publication of this Notice. *Appeals against the EPA's decision should be addressed to:*

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