



# **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 each of the following proposed project:

***Rickey Trucking – Transportation of Hazardous & Non-hazardous Waste*** within Region 4 and based (parking) at Lot 91 Hague Back, West Coast Demerara

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 this decision are as follows:

1. The risk of spills will be negligible since the project's design will include embedded controls/mitigation measures such as the use of appropriate and sealed containers (Cargo Carrying Units (CCUs)) and strapping and securing containers during transport.
2. Impacts on surface water quality will be negligible since chemicals will be stored and transported in approved, durable containers, i.e., sealed CCUs.
3. Impacts on air quality will be negligible given the scale of the project, i.e., one hauler truck, and the proposed mitigation measures, i.e., sealed CCUs, the regular servicing of the truck, and the truck 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.

The reasons for our decision are available at the following links on our website:

### **Project Summary Tab**

<https://epaguyana.org/download/rickey-trucking-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:

The Chairman  
The Environmental Assessment Board



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