

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

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**OFFICE OF NATURAL RESOURCE RESTORATION**

**Notice of Extension of Period to Receive Interested Party Comments on Proposed Consent**

**Decree in the Matter of *New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, et al. v.***

***Atlantic Richfield Co., et al.*, No. 08-CIV-00312**

**Take notice** that the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is extending the comment period on the proposed Consent Decree concerning a settlement with Duke Energy Merchants, LLC. The Department published notice of the proposed Consent Decree in the New Jersey Register on October 19, 2015. The Department is extending the public comment period from November 18 to November 28, 2015.

A copy of the proposed Consent Decree is available for inspection via the Internet at <http://www.nj.gov/dep/srp/legal/> and <http://www.nj.gov/dep/nrr/settlements/> and at the Department's Office of Record Access office at 401 East State Street, Trenton, New Jersey. Requests to inspect a paper copy of the proposed Consent Decree should be directed to [records.custodian@dep.nj.gov](mailto:records.custodian@dep.nj.gov).

Written comments on the entry of this Consent Decree may be submitted electronically to [MTBESettlement@dep.nj.gov](mailto:MTBESettlement@dep.nj.gov), referencing "MTBE Duke Settlement" in the subject line of the e-mail. Electronically submitted comments must be provided as portable document format (PDF) files. Alternatively, comments may be submitted in hard copy to:

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