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PUBLIC NOTICE

NORTHWEST CLEAN AIR AGENCY

DRAFT AIR OPERATING PERMIT

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the Northwest Clean Air Agency (NWCAA) will take action on and seeks comments on a DRAFT Air Operating Permit (AOP) renewal for:

**MAAX US Corporation (MAAX)
2150 Division Street
Bellingham, Washington 98226**

The AOP compiles existing air quality requirements and permits into one comprehensive document and establishes monitoring, recordkeeping, and reporting procedures to assure compliance.

The AOP does not approve emission increases or require emission decreases. The AOP must be renewed every 5 years. This action is a renewal of the existing AOP.

MAAX is a fiberglass reinforced plastic bath-ware manufacturer. MAAX builds approximately 40,000 acrylic bath units per year in their Bellingham facility.

MAAX must obtain an AOP because it has the potential to emit 10 tons per year or more of a hazardous air pollutant (HAP), specifically styrene.

For more information, see <http://nwcleanairwa.gov/permits-and-services/major-sources-of-air-pollution/>. Copies of the draft AOP and supporting documents are available online at <https://nwcleanairwa.gov/> under "The Latest", and then, "Public Notices". If you need paper copies or digital media mailed to you, please contact Agata McIntyre at (360) 419-6848.

Submit written comments relating to issuance of this AOP by close of business July 25, 2022, to:

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NWCAA may hold a public hearing if the agency determines there is significant public interest. Requests for a public hearing must be received within the comment period. Any such requests must indicate the interest of the person or organization filing the request and describe why a public hearing is necessary.

NWCAA is publishing this notice pursuant to the Washington State Clean Air Act (RCW 70A.15). The AOP is issued pursuant to Chapter 173-401 WAC and Title V of the federal Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

Contact Robyn Jones or Agata McIntyre with any questions about this notice at 360-428-1617.