

FACILITY INCLUDING AT LEAST ITS ANTICIPATED SIZE, EFFLUENT LOAD, AND PRODUCTION LEVEL.

(4) AN ASSESSMENT OF THE PROBABLE INDIVIDUAL AND CUMULATIVE IMPACT OF THE PROJECT UPON THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT OF THE PROJECT SITE AND THE SURROUNDING REGION.

(5) AN ASSESSMENT OF THE PROBABLE SHORT AND LONG TERM ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL IMPACT OF THE PROJECT ON THE PROJECT SITE AND THE SURROUNDING REGION.

(6) A LISTING AND ASSESSMENT OF WAYS TO MINIMIZE OR ALLEVIATE ANY ADVERSE ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, OR ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS.

(7) RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MINIMIZING ANY ADVERSE ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, OR ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS.

(8) IN THE CASE OF FACILITIES HAVING A SUBSTANTIAL IMPACT, AN EVALUATION OF THE NEED FOR THE FACILITY AND THE RELATIVE MERIT OF OTHER POSSIBLE SITES, WITHIN OR WITHOUT THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

(C) STATEMENTS UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES AS TO CONTENT AS PROMULGATED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

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(A) FURTHER ACTION MAY NOT BE TAKEN UNDER THIS SUBTITLE WITHOUT COMPLETION OF THE STATEMENT REQUIRED UNDER § 6-505 OF THIS SUBTITLE, AND ITS BEING MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC, AND UNTIL THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT, WHERE THE PROPOSED FACILITY IS TO BE LOCATED HAS CERTIFIED TO THE DEPARTMENT THAT ALL NECESSARY LOCAL APPROVAL HAS BEEN EXTENDED FOR COMMENCEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION.

(B) WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (A) HAVE BEEN MET, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL HOLD AT LEAST ONE PUBLIC HEARING. PRIOR TO THE HEARING THE DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE THE STATEMENT AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC. IN ADDITION, ANY COMMENTS ON THE STATEMENT PREPARED BY THE DEPARTMENT OR ANY OTHER STATE DEPARTMENT, ANY PROPOSED PERMITS TO BE ISSUED BY ANY STATE AGENCY TO THE APPLICANT, ANY CONDITIONS PROPOSED BY THE DEPARTMENT PRIOR TO GRANTING A PERMIT, AND ANY OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION SHALL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC PRIOR TO THE HEARING.

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