

WASHINGTON GEOLOGICAL SURVEY 1111 WASHINGTON ST SE MAIL STOP 47007 OLYMPIA, WA 98504-7007

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: The proposal is for a new Surface Mine Reclamation Permit (#70-013301) for a 66.5 acre mine. The proposal will remove aggregate material to a depth of 90 feet below pre-mining topographic grade. The site will be reclaimed to a rangeland and agricultural subsequent use.

Proponent: Versatile Industries, Inc.

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: The proposed site is located near milepost 115.5 on Washington State Route 25 north of Northport, WA within a portion of Sections 24 and 25, Township 40 North, Range 39 East and within a portion of Sections 19 and 30, Township 40 North, Range 40 East Willamette Meridian, in Stevens County.

Lead agency: Department of Natural Resources

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21c.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

- [] There is no comment period for this DNS
- [X] This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from October 17, 2024. Comments must be submitted by October 31, 2024.

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There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.