Declaration of Reporting Status Instrument

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Privacy Notice

Authority: The Protecting and Securing Chemical Facilities from Terrorist Attacks Act of 2014, Pub. L. No. 113-254 which is also codified at 6 U.S.C. § 621 et seq., as amended by Pub. L. No. 116-136, Sec. 16007 (2020) and the Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Standards (CFATS), 6 C.F.R. Part 27 authorize the collection of this information.

Purpose: The primary purpose of this collection is to obtain information regarding why a potential chemical facility of interest is not required to register in the CSAT system or to submit a Top-Screen to CISA.

Routine Uses: This information will be used by and disclosed to Department of Homeland Security (DHS) personnel, contractors, or other agents to process a facility's declaration of their reporting status. This information may also be required in order to contact the facility, if necessary.

Disclosure: Providing this information is voluntary. If you choose not to provide this information, then CISA may require on-site verification by a chemical security Inspector.

Basic Reporting Fields

CISA may collect the following basic information:

- Name of the Submitter: (Last, First, MI)
- Phone Number of the Submitter
- Facility Name
- Facility's Address (Street, City, State, Zip)
- Date Submitted

Compliance Assistance

In this section, the instrument will collect the facility's declaration and a reason supporting its declaration that it is not required to register in the CSAT system or to submit a Top-Screen to CISA:

- The facility does not possess a chemical of interest (COI) that meets or exceeds the screening threshold quantity (STQ) described in Appendix A to CFATS;
- The facility is regulated under the Maritime Transportation Security Act of 2002.
 See 6 U.S.C. § 621(4)(A). **Note: If only a portion of the facility is exempt, the facility must still file a Top-Screen for the portion of the facility that is not regulated;

- The facility constitutes a wastewater or drinking water facility regulated under authorities administered by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. See 6 U.S.C. §§ 621(4)(B) and (C);
- The facility is owned or operated by the Department of Defense or the Department of Energy See 6 U.S.C. § 621(4)(D);
- The facility is subject to regulation by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), or by a State that has entered into an agreement with the NRC to protect against unauthorized access of any material, activity, or structure licensed by the NRC. See 6 U.S.C. § 621(4)(E);
- The facility is an agricultural production facility covered under the extension to the Top Screen requirements detailed in 73 Fed. Reg. 1640 (Jan. 9, 2008);
- The facility only possesses a COI present in a gasoline mixture. See 81 Fed. Reg. 47002:
- Other (The facility will provide a narrative).