

RECIPIENT:TPI Composites, Incorporated			STATE: RI		
PROJECT Ultra-Lig	Litra-Light Hybrid Composite Light Light Manufacturing and Lightness and Compositation				
Funding Opportunity Announcement Number DE-FOA-0001201		Procurement Instrument Number DE-EE0007296	NEPA Control Number	er CID Number	
Based on my review of the information concerning the proposed action, as NEPA Compliance Officer (authorized under DOE Order 451.1A), I have made the following determination:					
CX, EA, EIS APPENDIX A Description:	ND NUMBER:				
A9 Information gathering, analysis, and dissemination	Information gathering (including, but not limited to, literature surveys, inventories, site visits, and audits), data analysis (including, but not limited to, computer modeling), document preparation (including, but not limited to, conceptual design, feasibility studies, and analytical energy supply and demand studies), and information dissemination (including, but not limited to, document publication and distribution, and classroom training and informational programs), but not including site characterization or environmental monitoring. (See also B3.1 of appendix B to this subpart.)				
B3.6 Small-scale research and development, laboratory operations and pilot projects	Siting, construction, modification, operation, and decommissioning of facilities for smallscale research and development projects; conventional laboratory operations (such as preparation of chemical standards and sample analysis); and small-scale pilot projects (generally less than 2 years) is, frequently conducted to verify a concept before demonstration actions, provided that construction or modification would be within or contiguous to a previously disturbed or developed area (where active utilities and currently used roads are readily accessible). Not included in this category are demonstration actions, meaning actions that are undertaken at a scale to show whether a technology would be viable on a larger scale and suitable for commercial deployment.				
Rationale for determination:					
NEPA PROVISION Note to Specialist :					
None Given.					
No Provision has been selected!					
SIGNATURE OF THIS MEMORANDUM CONSTITUTES A RECORD OF THIS DECISION.					
NEPA Compliance Officer Si	gnature:	NEPA Compliance Officer	Date:	10/5/2015	
FIELD OFFICE MANAGER DETERMINATION					
☐ Field Office Manager review required					
NCO REQUESTS THE FIELD OFFICE MANAGER REVIEW FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON:					
 □ Proposed action fits within a categorical exclusion but involves a high profile or controversial issue that warrants Field Office Manager's attention. □ Proposed action falls within an EA or EIS category and therefore requires Field Office Manager's review and determination. 					
BASED ON MY REVIEW I CONCUR WITH THE DETERMINATION OF THE NCO:					
Field Office Manager's Signature: Date:					