Dated: January 22, 1996.
Shelley H. Metzenbaum,
Associate Administrator, Office of Regional
Operations and State/Local Relations.
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[FRL-5406-2]

Public Water Supply Supervision Program, Program Revision for the States of Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the States of Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas are revising their approved State Public Water Supply Supervision Primacy Program. These States have adopted drinking water regulations for Lead and Copper, and National Primary Drinking Water Regulation Implementation promulgated by EPA on June 7, 1991 (56 FR 26460). EPA has determined that these State program revisions are no less stringent than the corresponding Federal regulations. Therefore, EPA has tentatively decided to approve these State program revisions.

All interested parties are invited to request a public hearing. A request for a public hearing must be submitted by February 28, 1996 to the Regional Administrator at the address shown below. Frivolous or insubstantial requests for a hearing may be denied by the Regional Administrator. However, if a substantial request for a public hearing is made by February 28, 1996, a public hearing will be held. If no timely and appropriate request for a hearing is received and the Regional Administrator does not elect to hold a hearing on his own motion, this determination shall become effective on February 28, 1996.

A request for a public hearing shall include the following: (1) The name, address, and telephone number of the individual, organization, or other entity requesting a hearing. (2) A brief statement of the requesting person's interest in the Regional Administrator's determination and of information that the requesting person intends to submit at such hearing. (3) The signature of the individual making the request; or, if the request is made on behalf of an organization or other entity, the signature of a responsible official of the organization or other entity.

ADDRESSES: All documents relating to this determination are available for inspection between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the following offices:

Arkansas Department of Health, Engineering Division, 4815 West Markham Street, Little Rock, AR 72205

Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of Public Health— Engineering, 325 Loyola Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70112

New Mexico Environment Department, Drinking Water Bureau, 525 Camino de los Marquez, Suite 4, Santa Fe, NM 87502

Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality, Water Quality Division, 1000 N.E. 10th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117

Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, Water Utilities Division, 12015 Park 35 Circle, Bldg F, Suite 3202, Austin, TX 78753

Regional Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6, 1445 Ross Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75202–

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Oscar Cabra Jr., P.E., Chief, EPA, Region 6, Source Water Protection Branch, at the Dallas address given above; telephone (214) 665–7150.

(Sec. 1413 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, as amended, (1986) and 40 CFR 142.10 of the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations)

Dated: December 14, 1995.
A. Stanley Meiburg,
Acting Regional Administrator.
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[OPPTS-140241; FRL-4995-6]

Access to Confidential Business Information by Contractors; Extension of Contracts and Access to Confidential Information

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Due to the lack of authorized funding (i.e. a Fiscal Year 1996 Appropriations Bill or Continuing Resolution) and the resultant furlough of EPA employees, EPA is extending the contracts and access to confidential business information of four state agencies serving as contractors to EPA, the State of New York Department of **Environmental Conservation (Contract** Number 68-W5-0040), Illinois **Environmental Protection Agency** (Contract Number 68-W5-0039), Georgia Department of Natural Resources (Contract Number 68-W5-0038), and Wisconsin Department of Natural

Resources (Contract Number 68-W5-0037).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Susan B. Hazen, Director, Environmental Assistance Division (7408), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, Rm. E-545, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460, (202) 554-1404, TDD: (202) 554-0551, e-mail: TSCA-Hotline@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the fall of 1995, the State of New York Department of Environmental Conservation (Contract Number 68-W5-0040), Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Contract Number 68-W5-0039), Georgia Department of Natural Resources (Contract Number 68-W5-0038), and Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (Contract Number 68-W5-0037), each were retained as EPA contractors to review information directed to EPA under the authority of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), including confidential business information (CBI). The purpose of the contracts is to have the states determine the value of TSCA derived information to their respective toxics programs. By the terms of the contracts, access to TSCA CBI could be as long as 120 days after the date of contract commencement.

As a result of the furlough of EPA personnel and the closure of the Federal government for significant portions of the contract period, the state contractors were not able to access data or secure necessary Agency personnel assistance so as to adequately perform the contracts.

For this reason, the Agency has determined that access to TSCA CBI should be extended another 60 days, to insure that the state contractors have sufficient time to address the issue of the utility of TSCA data to state programs. Additional information may be secured from Scott Sherlock, the EPA staffer assigned to this project, at telephone number (202) 260-1536; e-mail: sherlock.scott@epamail.epa.gov.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Access to confidential businesss information.

Dated: January 23, 1996.

Linda A. Travers,

Director, Information Management Division, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics. [FR Doc. 96–1539 Filed 1–26–96; 8:45 am]

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[FRL-5405-8]

Notice of Proposed Administrative Cost Recovery Agreement Under Section 122(h)(1) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, Regarding the GE/Moreau Site, Moreau, New York

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of proposed administrative agreement and opportunity for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Section 122(i) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622(i), the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") Region II announces a proposed administrative settlement pursuant to Section 122(h)(1) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9622(h)(1) relating to the GE/Moreau Site (the "Site"), Moreau, Saratoga County, New York. This Site is on the National Priorities List established pursuant to Section 105(a) of CERCLA. This notice is being published to inform the public of the proposed settlement and of the opportunity to comment.

The settlement, memorialized in an Administrative Cost Recovery Agreement ("Agreement"), is being entered into by EPA and the General Electric Company (the "Respondent"). Under the Agreement, the Respondent shall pay EPA the sum of \$600,000 in reimbursement of past response costs incurred by EPA with respect to the Site.

DATES: EPA will accept written comments relating to the proposed settlement for a period of thirty days from the date of publication of this notice.

ADDRESSES: Comments should reference the GE/Moreau Superfund Site and EPA Index No. II–CERCLA–95–0205.
Comments and any requests for further information, including requests for a copy of the Agreement, should be sent to: Paul Simon, New York/Caribbean Superfund Branch, Office of Regional Counsel, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 290 Broadway, 17th Floor, New York, New York 10007–1866.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paul Simon at telephone: (212) 637–3172.

Dated: December 1, 1996.
William J. Muszynski,
Acting Regional Administrator.
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[FRL-5409-1]

Proposed Settlement; J & A Enterprises Site

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of proposed settlement.

SUMMARY: Under Section 122(h) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has proposed to settle claims for response costs at the J & A Enterprises Site (Site) located in Huntsville, Alabama, with Ms. Addie Atkinson, owner/operator of the Site, J & A Enterprises Leasing, and J & A Finishing Corporation, Inc. EPA will consider public comments on the proposed settlement for thirty days. EPA may withdraw from or modify the proposed settlement should such comments disclose facts or considerations which indicate the proposed settlement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate. Copies of the proposed settlement are available from: Ms. Paula V. Batchelor, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Region IV, Waste Programs Branch, Waste Management Division, 345 Courtland Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30365: (404) 347-5059 ext. 6169.

Written comment may be submitted to Mr. Greg Armstrong at the above address within 30 days of the date of publication.

Dated: January 17, 1996. Richard D. Green, Acting Director, Waste Management Division. [FR Doc. 96–1549 Filed 1–26–95; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6560–50–M

[FRL-5404-4]

Notice of Proposed Administrative Settlement Pursuant to Section 122(h)(1) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act Regarding the Kin-Buc Landfill Superfund Site

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of proposed administrative settlement and opportunity for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Section 122(i) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622(i), the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"), Region II announces an

administrative settlement pursuant to Section 122(h)(1) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9622(h)(1) regarding the Kin-Buc Landfill Superfund Site (the "Kin-Buc Site").

The Kin-Buc Site is located in Edison Township, Middlesex County, New Jersey and is listed on the National Priorities List established under Section 105 of CERCLA. This notice is being published pursuant to Section 122(i) of CERCLA to inform the public of the proposed settlement and of the opportunity to comment. EPA will consider any comments received during the comment period and may withdraw or withhold consent to the proposed settlement if comments disclose facts or considerations which indicate that the proposed settlement is inappropriate, improper or inadequate.

The administrative settlement would resolve the claims of the United States against I.S.A. In New Jersey, Inc. ("ISA") and Round Lake Sanitation Corporation ("Round Lake") with respect to their potential liability for past costs incurred by EPA pursuant to CEPCIA in responding to the release

CERCLA in responding to the release and threatened release of hazardous substances at the Kin-Buc Site. The settlement is memorialized in an Administrative Cost-Recovery Agreement ("Agreement"). Under the Agreement, ISA and Round Lake are obligated to pay \$5,000 to the Hazardous Substances Superfund. The payment is to be made from an escrow account established for ISA and Round Lake as stated below. The settlement is based on the ability to pay of ISA and Round Lake in that these corporations are defunct and have no assets other than the monies in escrow.

In 1991, ISA, Round Lake, and other entities and individuals were indicted by a grand jury empaneled in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York on numerous federal felony charges. According to a subsequent plea agreement, the assets of ISA and Round Lake, and other entities, were required to be sold to unrelated third parties. In 1994, the United States entered into an Agreement and Covenant Not To Sue under CERCLA with Browning-Ferris Industries of New York, Inc.; Browning-Ferris Industries of Paterson, N.J., Inc.; and Browning-Ferris Industries of South Jersey, Inc. (collectively "BFI") regarding BFI's prospective purchase of the assets of ISA, Round Lake, and the other entities. BFI paid \$250,000 to the United States for an Agreement and Covenant Not To Sue, of which \$1,250 was allocated to the Kin-Buc Site, and the balance of which was allocated to three other Superfund sites: The Warwick Landfill