

providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

Respondents/Affected Entities: Manufacturers, distributors, retailers, importers, and recyclers/reclaimers of class I and class II ozone-depleting substances.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 48.

Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden: 3024 hours.

Estimated Total Annualized Cost Burden: \$0.

Send comments on the Agency's need for this information, the accuracy of the provided burden estimates, and any suggested methods for minimizing respondent burden, including through the use of automated collection techniques to the following addresses. Please refer to EPA ICR No. 1757.02 and OMB Control No. 2060-0342 in any correspondence.

Ms. Sandy Farmer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, OPPE Regulatory Information Division (2137), 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460.
and
Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Attention: Desk Officer for EPA, 725 17th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: September 23, 1997.

Joseph Retzer,

Director, Regulatory Information Division.
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-5484-6]

Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information, (202) 564-7167 OR (202) 564-7153.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements filed September 15, 1997 through September 19, 1997, pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 970365, Draft EIS, FHW, NM, New Mexico Highway 126 (NM-126), Cuba-La Cueva Road (also Known as Forest Highway 12) Improvement, COE Section 404 Permit and NPDES Permit, Sandoval and Rio Arriba Counties, NM, Due: November 14,

1997, Contact: Richard J. Cushing (303) 969-5910.

EIS No. 970366, Final EIS, AFS, AK, Swan Lake-Lake Tyee Intertie Project, Electrical Transmission Line and Associated Facilities Construction and Operation, Northwestern Portion of Revillagigedo Island from Upper Carroll Inlet to Behm Canal and the Northeastern Portion of Cleveland Peninsula from Spacious Bay to Bradfield Canal, Special-Use-Permit Issuance, Tongass, AK, Due: October 27, 1997, Contact: Bill Angelus (907) 225-2148.

EIS No. 970367, Final EIS, BLM, CA, Soledad Mountain Open Pit Leap Leach Gold Mine Project, Construction and Operation, Plan-of-Operations Approval, Mojave, Kern County, CA, Due: October 27, 1997, Contact: Ahmed Mohsen (760) 384-5421.

EIS No. 970368, Final EIS, BLM, NM, Little Rock Open-Pit Mine Project, Construction and Operation, Plan of Operations Approval, and Several Permits Issuance, Grant County, NM, Due: October 27, 1997, Contact: Juan Padilla (505) 525-4376.

EIS No. 970369, Draft EIS, AFS, MT, Wayup Mine/Fourth of July Road Access, Right-of-Way Grant, Kootenai National Forest, Libby Ranger District, Lincoln County, MT, Due: November 10, 1997, Contact: Jon Jeresek (406) 293-7773.

EIS No. 970370, Draft EIS, AFS, MT, Meadow Timber Sales, Implementation, Timber Harvesting, Road Construction and Prescribed Burning, Fortine Ranger District, Kootenai National Forest, Lincoln County, MT, Due: November 25, 1997, Contact: Joleen Dunham (406) 882-4451.

EIS No. 970371, Final EIS, USN, PR, VA, Relocatable over the Horizon Radar (ROTHR) System Construction and Operation, New and Updated Information on Fort Allen as Potential Site, Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and Chesapeake, VA, Due: October 27, 1997, Contact: Ms. Linda Blount (757) 322-4892.

Dated: September 23, 1997.

B. Katherine Biggs,

Associate Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-5484-7]

Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared August 25, 1997 through August 29, 1997 pursuant to the Environmental Review Process (ERP), under Section 309 of the Clean Air Act and Section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act as amended. Requests for copies of EPA comments can be directed to the Office of Federal Activities at (202) 564-7167.

An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in FR dated April 11, 1997 (62 FR 16154).

Draft EISs

ERP No. D-FRC-E02006-MS Rating EC2, Destin Natural Gas Pipeline Project, Construction and Operation, Six Major Interstate Pipelines in the Gulf of Mexico, Southern Natural Gas, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, Right-of-Way and Special-Use Permits.

Summary: EPA expressed concerns over the loss of forested wetlands, the need for numerous water body crossings, the need to address potential environmental justice concerns, and the need for documentation of annual nitrogen oxide emissions of the proposed new compressors.

ERP No. D-MMS-E02009-00 Rating EC2, Central Planning Area, Gulf of Mexico Outer Continental Shelf Oil and Gas Lease Sales 169, 172, 175, 178 and 182, Lease Offering, Offshore Marine Environment and Coastal Counties/Parishes of AL, MS, LA and TX.

Summary: EPA expressed concerns regarding inadequate protection of benthic marine habitats and MMS allowing pipeline projects to be reviewed independent of production projects. EPA prefers the Alternative B.

ERP No. DS-COE-K67020-CA Rating EO2, Syar Mining Operation and Reclamation Plan, Six Sites Selected along the Russian River, New and Updated Information, Construction, Mining-Use-Permit and COE Section 404 Permit, City of Healdsburg, Sonoma County, CA.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental objections with the proposed Project because it appears to be the alternative which is most damaging to the aquatic environment, especially in terms of adverse impacts to riffle-pool complexes and anadromous fisheries, including Federally-listed

species. EPA was also concerned that the SDEIS did not propose mitigation for direct and indirect impacts to Section 404 regulated resources, including wetlands and riffle-pool complexes, over the life of the project.

ERP No. DS-NOA-K90025-CA Rating LO, Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary Management Plan, Updated Information, To Amend the Designation Document and Regulations to Allow Jade Collecting in the Sanctuary, San Mateo, Santa Cruz and Monterey Counties, CA.

Summary: EPA had no objection to the action as proposed.

Final EISs

ERP No. F-COE-E30037-FL, Brevard County Shore Protection Study, Implementation, Beach Restoration Project, Brevard County, FL.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns that given the magnitude of the coastal erosion rates in Brevard County, it is unclear whether the proposed project would have long-term benefits despite the adverse environmental impacts to the nearshore environment.

ERP No. F-COE-E30038-FL, Coast of Florida Erosion and Storm Effects Study Region III, Construction, Operation and Maintenance, Shore Protection Project, Palm Beach, Broward and Dade Counties, FL.

Summary: EPA had no additional comments regarding the Final EIS.

ERP No. F-FAA-E51044-NC, Initial Development of the North Carolina Global TransPark (NCGTP) Complex, Implementation, Airport Layout Plan Approval, COE Section 404 Permit, Kinston, Lenoir County, NC.

Summary: EPA's review found that the document addressed most environmental concerns adequately. A wetland mitigation proposal was not finalized, as had been requested.

ERP No. F-FHW-C40135-NY, I-287 Cross Westchester Expressway (CWE) Transportation Improvements, New York State Thruway Route 303 to Route 120, Funding, Right-of-Way Acquisition, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, Rockland and Westchester Counties, NY.

Summary: EPA had concluded that the proposed project would not result in significant adverse environmental impacts and had no objections to its implementation.

ERP No. F-FHW-K40197-CA, East Sonora Bypass Corridor Construction, CA-108 from Post Mile M1.8 to Post Mile R6.9 near Sonora, Funding and Right-of-Way, City of Sonora, Tuolumne County, CA.

Summary: Review of the Final EIS was not deemed necessary. No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

ERP No. F-NPS-L61213-00, Nez Perce National Historical Park and Big Hole National Battlefield General Management Plan, Implementation, Asotin and Okanogan Counties, WA; Wallowa County, OR; Idaho, Lewis, Nez Perce, Clearwater and Clank Counties, ID; and Blaine, Yellowstone and Beaverhead Counties, MT.

Summary: Review of the Final EIS was not deemed necessary. No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

ERP No. F-SCS-G36146-OK, Middle Deep Red Run Creek Watershed Plan, Implementation, Funding and Possible COE Section 404 Permit, Central Rolling Red Plains, Tillman, Comanche and Kiowa Counties, OK.

Summary: Review of the Final EIS has been completed and the project found to be satisfactory. No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

ERP No. F-UAF-G11032-TX, Reese Air Force Base (AFB) Disposal and Reuse, Implementation, NPDES Permit and COE Section 404 Permit, Lubbock and Terry Counties, TX.

Summary: Review of the Final EIS has been completed and the project found to be satisfactory. No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

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B. Katherine Biggs,

Associate Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5898-8]

Clean Air Act Advisory Committee

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) established the Clean Air Act Advisory Committee (CAAAC) on November 19, 1990 to provide independent advice and counsel to EPA on policy issues associated with implementation of the Clean Air Act of 1990. The Committee advises on economic, environmental, technical, scientific, and enforcement policy issues.

Open Meeting Notice

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. App. 2 Section 10(a)(2), notice is hereby given that the Clean Air Act Advisory Committee will hold its next open meeting on Friday

November 7, 1997, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Sheraton Grand Hotel, 4860 W. Kennedy Blvd., Tampa, Florida 33609. Seating will be available on a first come, first served basis. The Permits/NSR/Toxics Integration Subcommittee, the Economic Incentives and Regulatory Innovations Subcommittee, the Linking Transportation, Land Use and Air Quality Concerns Subcommittee will conduct meetings on Thursday November 6, 1997, from approximately 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the same hotel.

Inspection of Committee Documents

The committee agenda and any documents prepared for the meeting will be publicly available at the meeting. Thereafter, these documents, together with CAAAC meeting minutes, will be available for contacting Committee DFO Paul Rasmussen at (202) 260-6877.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Concerning this meeting of the CAAAC, please contact Paul Rasmussen, Officer of Air and Radiation, US EPA (202) 260-6877, Fax (202) 260-4185 or by mail at US EPA, Officer of Air and Radiation (Mail Code 6102), Washington, D.C. 20460. If you would like to receive an agenda for the CAAAC meeting, please leave your fax number on Mr. Rasmussen's voice mail and it will be forwarded to you.

Dated: September 18, 1997.

Robert D. Brenner,

Acting Assistant Administrator for Air and Radiation.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-00508; FRL-5748-4]

State FIFRA Issues Research and Evaluation Group (SFIREG) Water Quality and Pesticide Disposal Working Committee; Open Meeting

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The State FIFRA Issues Research and Evaluation (SFIREG) Water Quality and Pesticide Disposal Working Committee will hold a 2-day meeting, October 6, and 7, 1997. This notice announces the location and times for the meeting and sets forth the tentative agenda topics. The meetings are open to the public.

DATES: The SFIREG Working Committee on Water Quality and Pesticide Disposal