

California Air Resources Board,  
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Evaluation Section, 2020 "L" Street,  
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**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
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Region 9, 75 Hawthorne Street, San  
Francisco, CA 94105-3901, Telephone:  
(415) 744-1226.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This  
document concerns Mojave Desert Air  
Quality Management District Rule 1115,  
Miscellaneous, Metal Part and Products  
Coating Operations, submitted to EPA  
on July 23, 1996 by the California Air  
Resources Board. For further  
information, please see the information  
provided in the Direct Final action that  
is located in the Rules Section of this  
**Federal Register**.

**Authority:** 42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.

Dated: September 27, 1997.

**Felicia Marcus,**  
*Regional Administrator.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

### 40 CFR Part 52

[CO-44-1-6866(b); FRL-5930-2]

#### Clean Air Act Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plan for Colorado; Carbon Monoxide Contingency Measures for Colorado Springs and Fort Collins

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection  
Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** EPA proposes to approve the  
State Implementation Plan (SIP)  
revisions submitted by the State of  
Colorado with a letter dated February  
18, 1994. This submittal addresses the  
Federal Clean Air Act requirement to  
submit contingency measures for carbon  
monoxide (CO) for the Colorado Springs  
and Fort Collins areas in Colorado  
designated as nonattainment for the CO  
National Ambient Air Quality Standards  
(NAAQS).

In the Final Rules Section of this  
**Federal Register**, the EPA is approving  
the State's SIP revision as a direct final  
rule without prior proposal because the  
Agency views this as a noncontroversial  
revision amendment and anticipates no  
adverse comments. The rationale for the  
approval is set forth in the direct final  
rule. If no adverse comments are  
received in response to this proposed

rule, no further activity is contemplated  
in relation to this rule. If the EPA  
receives adverse comments, the direct  
final rule will be withdrawn, and all  
public comments received during the  
30-day comment period set forth below  
will be addressed in a subsequent final  
rule based on this proposed rule. Any  
parties interested in commenting on this  
action should do so at this time.

**DATES:** Comments on this proposed rule  
must be received in writing by January  
22, 1998.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments on this  
action should be addressed to Jeff Houk  
at the EPA Regional Office listed below.  
Copies of the State's submittal and  
documents relevant to this proposed  
rule are available for inspection during  
normal business hours at the following  
location: Air Programs, Environmental  
Protection Agency, Region VIII, 999  
18th Street, Suite 500, Denver, Colorado  
80202-2405.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jeff  
Houk at (303) 312-6446.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** See the  
information provided in the Direct Final  
action which is located in the Rules  
Section of this **Federal Register**.

Dated: September 28, 1995.

**Editorial note:** This document was  
received at the Office of the Federal Register  
December 17, 1997.

**Jack W. McGraw,**

*Acting Regional Administrator, Region VIII.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

### 40 CFR Parts 144 and 146

[FRL-5939-1]

#### Federal Register Notice of Stakeholders Meeting on Revisions to the Underground Injection Control Regulations for Class V Injection Wells

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection  
Agency.

**ACTION:** Announcement of stakeholders  
meetings.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Environmental  
Protection Agency (EPA) will hold  
public meetings on January 20, 1998 in  
Washington, DC and January 27 in  
Chicago, IL. The purpose of these  
meetings will be to gather information  
and collect opinions from parties who  
will be affected by or are otherwise  
interested in the Revisions to the  
Underground Injection Control (UIC)  
Regulations for Class V Injection Wells.  
Typically, Class V wells are shallow

wells which inject a variety of fluids  
directly below the land surface. The  
Class V wells under consideration for  
new requirements include motor vehicle  
waste disposal wells, cesspools, and  
industrial waste disposal wells in  
ground water-based source water  
protection areas. EPA will consider the  
comments and views expressed in these  
meetings in developing the proposed  
regulation. EPA is especially interested  
in seeking input from small entities and  
small entity representatives. EPA  
encourages the full participation of all  
stakeholders throughout this process.

**DATES:** The stakeholder meetings  
regarding the Revisions to the  
Underground Injection Control  
Regulations for Class V Injection Wells  
will be held on:

1. January 20, 1998, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30  
p.m. EST in Washington, DC

2. January 27, 1998, 9:30 am to 3:30  
pm EST in Chicago, IL

**ADDRESSES:** To register for the meeting,  
please contact the EPA Safe Drinking  
Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791, or  
Jennifer Greenamoyer of EPA's Office of  
Ground Water and Drinking Water at  
(202) 260-7829. Participants registering  
in advance will be mailed a packet of  
materials before the meeting. Interested  
parties who cannot attend the meeting  
in person may participate via  
conference call and should register with  
the Safe Drinking Water Hotline.  
Conference lines will be allocated on  
the basis of first-reserved, first served.  
Members of the public who cannot  
participate via conference call or in  
person may submit comments in writing  
by January 30, 1998 to Jennifer  
Greenamoyer, U.S. Environmental  
Protection Agency, 401 M Street, S.W.  
(4606), Washington, DC 20460 or E-mail  
to  
greenamoyer.jennifer@epamail.epa.gov.  
The stakeholder meetings will be held  
in the following locations:

1. Washington Information Center,  
401 M Street, S.W., Room 3,  
Washington, DC 20460

2. EPA, Region V, Ralph Metcalfe  
Federal Building, Lake Michigan Room  
(12th Floor), 77 West Jackson Blvd.,  
Chicago, IL 60604

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For  
general information on meeting  
logistics, please contact the Safe  
Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-  
4791. For information on the activities  
related to this rulemaking, contact:  
Jennifer Greenamoyer, U.S. EPA at (202)  
260-7829.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The  
Environmental Protection Agency is  
developing revisions to the  
Underground Injection Control

Regulations for Class V Injection Wells (40 CFR parts 144 and 146) to address the risk posed by Class V injection wells to drinking water supplies. EPA is considering changes to the Class V Underground Injection Control regulations that would add new requirements for relatively high-risk Class V wells in areas near drinking water supplies. Under consideration is a ban on Class V motor vehicle waste disposal wells and large-capacity cesspools located in ground water-based source water protection areas being delineated by States under the 1996 Amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act. In addition, fluids released in Class V industrial waste disposal wells in ground water-based source water protection areas could be required to meet certain standards of quality.

EPA is considering proposing these new requirements because available information shows that Class V motor vehicle waste disposal wells, cesspools, and industrial waste disposal wells pose a high risk of ground water contamination. Targeting the requirements to those wells near ground water-based drinking water supplies would achieve substantial protection of underground sources of drinking water. The rule addressed in this notification is being developed in response to a January 28, 1997 consent decree with the Sierra Club Legal Defense Fund and has a court deadline of June 18, 1997 for proposal and July 31, 1999 for final.

**Elizabeth Fellows,**

*Acting Director, Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

### 40 CFR Part 799

[OPPTS-42198A; FRL-5762-9]

RIN 2070-AC76

### Testing Consent Order and Export Notification Requirements for 1,1,2-Trichloroethane

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** On June 26, 1996, EPA proposed a test rule under section 4(a) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) to require manufacturers and processors of 21 hazardous air pollutants (HAPs) to test these substances for certain health effects. Included as one of these chemical

substances was 1,1,2-trichloroethane (CAS No. 79-00-5). EPA invited the submission of proposals for enforceable consent agreements (ECAs) for pharmacokinetics testing of the HAPs chemicals and received a proposal for testing 1,1,2-trichloroethane from the HAP Task Force. In a previous document EPA solicited interested parties to monitor or participate in negotiations on an ECA for 1,1,2-trichloroethane. EPA is proposing that if an ECA is successfully concluded for 1,1,2-trichloroethane, then the subsequent publication of the TSCA section 4 testing consent order (Order) in the **Federal Register** would add 1,1,2-trichloroethane to the table of testing consent orders for substances and mixtures with Chemical Abstract Service Registry Numbers. As a result of the proposed addition of 1,1,2-trichloroethane, all exporters of 1,1,2-trichloroethane, including persons who do not sign the ECA, would be subject to export notification requirements under section 12(b) of TSCA.

**DATES:** Written comments on this proposed rule must be received by EPA on or before January 27, 1998.

**ADDRESSES:** Each comment must bear the docket control number, OPPTS-42198A. All comments should be sent in triplicate to: OPPT Document Control Officer (7407), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Rm. G-099, East Tower, Washington, DC 20460.

Comments and data may also be submitted electronically to: oppt.ncic@epamail.epa.gov. following the instructions under Unit IV. of this document. No Confidential Business Information (CBI) should be submitted through e-mail.

All comments which contain information claimed as CBI must be clearly marked as such. Three sanitized copies of any comments containing information claimed as CBI must also be submitted and will be placed in the public record for this document. Persons submitting information any portion of which they believe is entitled to treatment as CBI by EPA must assert a business confidentiality claim in accordance with 40 CFR 2.203(b) for each such portion. This claim must be made at the time that the information is submitted to EPA. If a submitter does not assert a confidentiality claim at the time of submission, EPA will make the information available to the public without further notice to the submitter.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** *For additional information:* Susan B. Hazen, Director, Environmental Assistance

Division (7408), Rm. ET-543B, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone: (202) 554-1404, TDD: (202) 554-0551; e-mail address: TSCA-Hotline@epamail.epa.gov.

*For technical information:* Richard W. Leukroth, Jr., Project Manager, Chemical Information and Testing Branch (7405), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone: (202) 260-0321; e-mail address: leukroth.rich@epamail.epa.gov.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### I. Electronic Availability

*Internet:* Electronic copies of this document and various support documents are available from the EPA Home Page at the **Federal Register**—Environmental Documents entry for this document under "Laws and Regulations" (<http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/EPA-TOX/1997/>).

### II. Development of Enforceable Consent Agreement for 1,1,2-Trichloroethane

1,1,2-Trichloroethane was one of the chemicals proposed for health effects testing in a proposed HAPs test rule under section 4(a) of TSCA in the **Federal Register** of June 26, 1996 (61 FR 33178) (FRL-4869-1). In the proposed HAPs test rule, EPA invited the submission of proposals for pharmacokinetics (PK) testing for the chemicals included in the proposed HAPs test rule. These proposals could provide the basis for negotiation of ECAs, which, if successfully concluded, would be incorporated into Orders. The PK studies would be used to conduct route-to-route extrapolation of toxicity data from routes other than inhalation to predict the effects of inhalation exposure, as an alternative to testing proposed under the HAPs test rule. A proposal for PK testing for 1,1,2-trichloroethane was submitted by the HAP Task Force to EPA on November 25, 1996. The Agency reviewed this alternative testing proposal and prepared a preliminary technical analysis of the proposal which it sent to the HAP Task Force on June 26, 1997. The HAP Task Force responded on July 31, 1997, that it has a continued interest in pursuing the ECA process for 1,1,2-trichloroethane. EPA has decided to proceed with the ECA process for 1,1,2-trichloroethane. EPA has published a document soliciting interested parties to monitor or participate in negotiations on an ECA for PK testing of 1,1,2-trichloroethane in the **Federal Register** of December 19, 1997. The procedures