

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY****[ER-FRL-6622-6]****Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability**

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 or [www.epa.gov/ocea/ofa](http://www.epa.gov/ocea/ofa)  
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Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

*EIS No. 010372, Draft EIS, AFS, ID,* Garnet Stars and Sands Project, To Test and Develop Future Recreational Garnet, Idaho Panhandle National Forests, St. Joe Ranger District, Latah, Shoshone and Benewah Counties, ID, Comment Period Ends: November 26, 2001, Contact: Tracy Gravelle (208) 765-7223. This document is available on the Internet at: <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/htm>.

*EIS No. 010373, Draft EIS, AFS, AZ,* Buck Springs Range Allotment Rangeland Management, Implementation, Blue Ridge Coconino National Forest, Coconino County, AZ, Comment Period Ends: November 26, 2001, Contact: Larry G. Sears (928) 477-2255.

*EIS No. 010374, Final EIS, NPS, MN,* Voyageurs National Park General Management, Visitor Use and Facilities Plans, Implementation, Koochiching and St. Louis Counties, MN, Wait Period Ends: November 13, 2001, Contact: Michael Madell (608) 441-5600.

*EIS No. 010375, Draft EIS, NPS, AZ,* Sunset Crater Volcano National Monument, General Management Plan, Implementation, Flagstaff Area, Coconino County, AZ, Comment Period Ends: November 26, 2001, Contact: Sam Henderson (520) 526-1157.

*EIS No. 010376, Draft EIS, NPS, AZ,* Wupatki National Monument, General Management Plan, Implementation, Flagstaff Area, Coconino County, AZ, Comment Period Ends: November 26, 2001, Contact: Sam Henderson (520) 526-1157.

*EIS No. 010377, Draft EIS, NPS, AZ,* Walnut Canyon National Monument, General Management Plan, Implementation, Flagstaff Area, Coconino County, AZ, Comment Period Ends: November 26, 2001, Contact: Sam Henderson (520) 526-1157.

*EIS No. 010378, Final EIS, AFS, CO,* Forest Development Trail (FDT) 1135 (Arapho Ridge Trail), Forest Development Road (FDR) 711.1 and

FDR 711.1A Motorized or Non-Motorized Determination and Trailhead Parking Areas Creation at both ends of the Trail, Routt National Forest, Jackson County, CO, Wait Period Ends: November 13, 2001, Contact: Melissa Martin (307) 745-2371.

*EIS No. 010379, Final EIS, FRC, PA, NJ,* NY, Millennium Pipeline Project, Construct and Operate an Interstate Natural Gas Pipeline from United States to Canada, including PA, NY and NJ, Wait Period Ends: November 13, 2001, Contact: Paul McKee (202) 208-1611.

*EIS No. 010380, Final EIS, AFS, NM,* Santa Fe National Forest, Santa Fe Municipal Watershed Project, Severe Crown Fire Reduction and Sustainable Forest and Watershed Conditions Restoration, Implementation, Pecos Wilderness to Cochiti Lake, Santa Fe National Forest, Santa Fe County, NM, Wait Period Ends: November 13, 2001, Contact: John Bruin (505) 438-7872.

*EIS No. 010381, Draft Supplement, COE, FL,* Cape Sable Seaside Sparrow Protection, Interim Operating Plan (IOP), Updated Information on a New Alternative 7 for Emergency Sparrow Protection Actions, Implementation, Everglades National Park, Miami-Dade County, FL, Comment Period Ends: November 26, 2001, Contact: Jon Moulding (904) 232-2286.

*EIS No. 010382, Final EIS, AFS, OR,* Deep Vegetation Management Project, Implementation, Ochoco National Forest, Paulina Ranger District, Crook and Wheeler Counties, OR, Wait Period Ends: November 13, 2001, Contact: Lori Blackburn (541) 477-6900.

*EIS No. 010383, Draft EIS, NOAA, CA,* Goat Canyon Watershed Enhancement Project, Design, Construction Operation and Long-Term Maintenance, Tijuana River Estuary, City and County of San Diego, CA, Comment Period Ends: November 26, 2001, Contact: Steve Kokkinakis (202) 482-5181.

*EIS No. 010384, Final EIS, FAA, KY,* Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport, Construction and Operation of a New 8,000-foot Runway 17/35 (Future 18R/36L); 2,000-foot Extension of Runway 9/27, Funding and Airport Layout Plan, (ALP) Boone County, KY, Wait Period Ends: November 13, 2001, Contact: Peggy S. Kelly (901) 544-3495.

**Amended Notices**

*EIS No. 010305, Draft Supplement, FAA, MN,* Flying Cloud Airport,

Substantive Changes to Alternatives and New Information, Extension of the Runways 9R/27L and 9L/27R, Long-Term Comprehensive Development, In the City of Eden Prairie, Hennepin County, MN, Comment Period Ends: October 9, 2001, Contact: Glen Orcutt (612) 713-4354. Revision of FR Notice Published on 8/24/2001: CEQ Comment Period Ending 10/9/2001 has been extended to 11/5/2001.

*EIS No. 010354, Final EIS, FHW, VA,* Coalfields Expressway Location Study, Improvements from Route 23 near Pound, VA to the WV State Line east of Slate, VA, Funding and COE Section 404 Permit, Wise, Dickerson and Buchanan Counties, VA, Comment Period Ends: November 5, 2001, Contact: Roberto Fonseca-Martinez (804) 775-3320. Revision of FR notice published on 09/28/2001: CEQ Comment Period Ending 10/29/2001 has been Corrected to 11/5/2001.

*EIS No. 010366, Draft EIS, AFS, OR,* Umpqua National Forest, Land and Resource Management Plan, Implementation, Lane, Douglas and Jackson Counties, OR, Comment Period Ends: November 19, 2001, Contact: Patrick S. William (541) 498-2531. Revision of FR notice published on 10/5/2001: CEQ Due Date Corrected from 11/19/2001 to 11/26/2001.

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY****[ER-FRL-6622-7]****Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments**

Availability of EPA comments prepared 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) 260-5076.

An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in FR dated May 18, 2001 (97 FR 27647).

**Draft EISs**

*ERP No. D-DOE-L08055-WA Rating* EO2, Kangley—Echo Lake Transmission

Line Project, Construct a New 500-kilovolt (kV) Transmission Line, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, (DOE/EIS-0317), King County, WA.

#### Summary

EPA expressed objections regarding the project's potential impacts to the Cedar River watershed and to endangered species. EPA requested that the final EIS provide information to fully evaluate these impacts, that it consider a broader range of alternatives, and that it discuss compliance with the Clean Water Act's antidegradation requirement.

*ERP No. D-DOE-L09815-00 Rating LO*, Fish and Wildlife Implementation Plan, To Implement and Fund a Policy Directions for Fish and Wildlife Mitigation and Recovery, Pacific Northwest, AZ, CA, ID, MT, NV, NM, OR, UT, WY and British Columbia.

#### Summary

EPA has no objections to the draft EIS. It provides a framework for deciding policy directions, rather than describing the impacts of a particular action or set of actions that will result from the document. Agencies with jurisdiction in the Columbia River Basin will, however, have to individually address Fish and Wildlife recovery plans in stand alone NEPA documents in order to comply with the 2000 Biological Opinion for the Federal Columbia River Power System.

#### Final EISs

*ERP No. F-FHW-H59000-NB*, Antelope Valley Study, Implementation of Stormwater Management, Transportation Improvements and Community Revitalization, Major Investment Study, City of Lincoln, Lancaster County, NB.

#### Summary

No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

*ERP No. F-USA-D11031-MD*, Fort George G. Meade Future Development and Operations of a New Administrative and Support Buildings, Anne Arundel and Howard Counties, MD.

#### Summary

No formal comment letter was sent to preparing agency.

*ERP No. FS-JUS-G11010-00*, Programmatic—Final Supplemental EIS US Naturalization Service (INS) and US Joint Task Force-Six (JTF-6) Activities Along the US/Mexico Border from Brownsville Texas to San Diego, California.

#### Summary

EPA offered additional comments on the Final Programmatic EIS to

strengthen the NEPA document. EPA asked that its concerns be addressed in the Record of Decision Document or in any subsequent NEPA documents that are tiered to the Programmatic EIS.

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### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-00746; FRL-6806-8]

#### Association of American Pesticide Control Officials/State FIFRA Issues Research and Evaluation Group Working Committee on Pesticide Operations and Management

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Association of American Pesticide Control Officials (AAPCO)/the State FIFRA Issues Research and Evaluation Group (SFIREG) Working Committee on Pesticide Operations and Management (WC/POM) will hold a 2-day meeting, beginning on November 5, 2001 and ending November 6, 2001. This notice announces the location and times for the meeting and sets forth the tentative agenda topics.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on Monday, November 5, 2001, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Tuesday, November 6, 2001, from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon.

**ADDRESS:** This meeting will be held at the Double Tree Hotel, 300 Army Navy Drive, Arlington, VA, 22202.

Comments may be submitted by mail, electronically, or in person. Please follow the detailed instructions for each method as provided in Unit I. of the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number OPP-00746 in the subject line on the first page of your response.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### I. General Information

##### A. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general. This action may, however, be of interest to all parties interested in SFIREG's information exchange relationship with EPA regarding important issues related to human health, environmental exposure to pesticides, and insight into EPA's decision-making process are invited and encourage to attend the meetings and participate as appropriate. Since other entities may also be interested, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

##### B. How Can I Get Additional Information, Including Copies of this Document and Other Related Documents?

1. *Electronically.* You may obtain electronic copies of this document, and certain other related documents that might be available electronically, from the EPA Internet home page at <http://www.epa.gov/>. To access this document, on the home page select "Laws and Regulations," "Regulations and Proposed Rules," and then look up the entry for this document under the "Federal Register—Environmental Documents." You can also go directly to the **Federal Register** listings at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

2. *In person.* The Agency has established an official record for this action under docket control number OPP-00746. The official record consists of the documents specifically referenced in this action, any public comments received during an applicable comment period, and other information related to this action, including any information claimed as Confidential Business Information (CBI). This official record includes the documents that are physically located in the docket, as well as the documents that are referenced in those documents. The public version of the official record does not include any information claimed as CBI. The public version of the official record, which includes printed, paper versions of any electronic comments submitted during an applicable comment period, is available for inspection in the Public Information and Records Integrity Branch (PIRIB), Rm. 119, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.,