

**Background:** The Board was reestablished to provide advice and recommendations to the Secretary on the Department's basic and applied research, economic and national security policy, educational issues, operational issues and other activities as directed by the Secretary.

**Purpose of the Meeting:** The meeting will provide briefings to the Board and an opportunity for the subcommittees to report on their progress, to the parent Board. The Technology Transition Subcommittee will make recommendations to the parent Board.

**Tentative Agenda:** The meeting will start at 8 a.m. on July 20th and will serve as an update meeting for the Board. The tentative meeting agenda includes a welcome, opening remarks from the Secretary, reports on planned activities from subcommittees and an opportunity for public comment. The meeting will conclude at 5 p.m.

**Public Participation:** The meeting is open to the public. Individuals who would like to attend must RSVP to Amy Bodette no later than 5 p.m. on Monday, July 18, 2011 at [seab@hq.doe.gov](mailto:seab@hq.doe.gov). Please provide your name, organization, citizenship and contact information. Anyone attending the meeting will be required to present government issued identification. Individuals and representatives of organizations who would like to offer comments and suggestions may do so at the end of the meeting on Wednesday, July 20, 2011. Approximately 30 minutes will be reserved for public comments. Time allotted per speaker will depend on the number who wish to speak but will not exceed 5 minutes. The Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Those wishing to speak should register to do so beginning at 8 a.m. on July 20, 2011.

Those not able to attend the meeting or have insufficient time to address the Board are invited to send a written statement to Amy Bodette, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington DC 20585; e-mail to: [seab@hq.doe.gov](mailto:seab@hq.doe.gov).

**Minutes:** The minutes of the meeting will be available on the SEAB Web site <http://www.energy.gov/SEAB> or by contacting Ms. Bodette. She may be reached at the postal address or e-mail address above.

Issued at Washington, DC, on June 28, 2011.

**LaTanya Butler,**

*Acting Deputy Committee Management Officer.*

[FR Doc. 2011-16590 Filed 6-30-11; 8:45 am]

**BILLING CODE 6450-01-P**

## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy

#### Availability of the Geothermal Technologies Program Blue Ribbon Panel Report and Request for Public Comment

**AGENCY:** Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability and request for public comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Energy's (DOE) Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) Geothermal Technologies Program (the Program) assembled a geothermal Blue Ribbon Panel (the Panel) on March 22/23, 2011 in Albuquerque, New Mexico for a guided discussion on the future of geothermal energy in the United States and the role of the DOE Program. The Geothermal Blue Ribbon Panel Report captures the discussions and recommendations of the experts and can be accessed at: <http://geothermal.energy.gov/brp>.

**DATES:** Submit electronic or written comments on or before July 29, 2011.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments may be submitted by e-mail to: [DOE.Geothermal@ee.doe.gov](mailto:DOE.Geothermal@ee.doe.gov). Please include "Geothermal Blue Ribbon Panel Report" in the subject line. Please put the full body of your comments in the text of the e-mail and as an attachment. Please include your name, title, organization, postal address, telephone number, and e-mail address in the text of the message.

Comments may also be submitted by surface mail to: Department of Energy, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, JoAnn Milliken (6A-067), 1000 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20585.

Respondents are encouraged to submit comments electronically to ensure timely receipt. The Geothermal Blue Ribbon Panel Report can be accessed at: <http://geothermal.energy.gov/brp>.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

JoAnn Milliken, Acting Geothermal Program Manager, at (202) 586-2480 or [joann.milliken@ee.doe.gov](mailto:joann.milliken@ee.doe.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The majority of geothermal energy growth occurred prior to 1990. In recent years, the growth of geothermal capacity in the U.S. has lagged that of solar and wind energy. The purpose of the Blue Ribbon Panel meeting was to identify the obstacles to geothermal energy growth, discuss the appropriate role of DOE in enabling geothermal energy, and recommend priority research and development areas. The 15 panelists included experts from the geothermal and oil/gas industries, finance institutions, utilities, universities, and national laboratories.

This notice requests public comment on the recommendations and discussions captured in the Geothermal Blue Ribbon Panel Report.

#### Public Participation Policy

It is the policy of the Department to ensure that public participation is an integral and effective part of DOE activities, and that decisions are made with the benefit of significant public input and perspectives.

The Department recognizes the many benefits to be derived from public participation for both stakeholders and DOE. Public participation provides a means for DOE to gather a diverse collection of opinions, perspectives, and values from the broadest spectrum of the public, enabling the Department to make more informed decisions. Public participation benefits stakeholders by creating an opportunity to provide input on decisions that affect their communities and our nation.

Issued in Washington, DC, on June 14, 2011.

**JoAnn Milliken,**

*Acting Program Manager, Geothermal Technologies Program, Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy.*

[FR Doc. 2011-16579 Filed 6-30-11; 8:45 am]

**BILLING CODE 6450-01-P**

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OAR-2007-0595; FRL-9324-8]

### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to OMB for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Fuels and Fuel Additives: Detergent Gasoline (Renewal)

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document

announces that an Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval. This is a request to renew an existing approved collection. The ICR, which is abstracted below, describes the nature of the information collection and its estimated burden and cost.

**DATES:** Additional comments may be submitted on or before August 1, 2011.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments, referencing Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OAR-2007-0595, to (1) EPA online using <http://www.regulations.gov> (our preferred method), by e-mail to [a-and-r-Docket@epa.gov](mailto:a-and-r-Docket@epa.gov), or by mail to: EPA Docket Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Mail Code: 28221T, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460, and (2) OMB by mail to: Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Attention: Desk Officer for EPA, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Jaimee Dong, Office of Transportation and Air Quality, (Mail Code: 6406), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (202) 343-9672; fax number: (202) 343-2802; e-mail address: [dong.jaimee@epa.gov](mailto:dong.jaimee@epa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** EPA has submitted the following ICR to OMB for review and approval according to the procedures prescribed in 5 CFR 1320.12. On February 16, 2011 (76 FR 9013), EPA sought comments on this ICR pursuant to 5 CFR 1320.8(d). EPA received no comments. Any additional comments on this ICR should be submitted to EPA and OMB within 30 days of this notice.

EPA has established a public docket for this ICR under Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OAR-2007-0595, which is available for online viewing at <http://www.regulations.gov>, or in person viewing at the Air and Radiation Docket in the EPA Docket Center (EPA/DC), EPA West, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC. The EPA/DC Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Reading Room is 202-566-1744, and the telephone number for the Air and Radiation Docket is 202-566-1742.

Use EPA's electronic docket and comment system at <http://www.regulations.gov>, to submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the docket, and to access those documents in the docket that are available electronically. Once in

the system, select "docket search," then key in the docket ID number identified above. Please note that EPA's policy is that public comments, whether submitted electronically or in paper, will be made available for public viewing at <http://www.regulations.gov> as EPA receives them and without change, unless the comment contains copyrighted material, confidential business information (CBI), or other information whose public disclosure is restricted by statute. For further information about the electronic docket, go to <http://www.regulations.gov>.

**Title:** Regulation of Fuels and Fuel Additives: Detergent Gasoline (Renewal).

**ICR numbers:** EPA ICR No. 1655.07, OMB Control No. 2060-0275.

**ICR Status:** This ICR is scheduled to expire on June 30, 2011. Under OMB regulations, the Agency may continue to conduct or sponsor the collection of information while this submission is pending at OMB. An Agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations in title 40 of the CFR, after appearing in the **Federal Register** when approved, are listed in 40 CFR part 9, and are displayed either by publication in the **Federal Register** or by other appropriate means, such as on the related collection instrument or form, if applicable. The display of OMB control numbers in certain EPA regulations is consolidated in 40 CFR part 9.

**Abstract:** Gasoline combustion results in the formation of engine deposits that contribute to increased emissions. Detergent additives deter deposit formation. The Clean Air Act requires gasoline to contain a detergent additive. The regulations at 40 CFR part 80, subpart G specify certification requirements for manufacturers of detergent additives, recordkeeping and reporting requirements for blenders of detergents into gasoline or post-refinery component (any gasoline blending stock or any oxygenate which is blended with gasoline subsequent to the gasoline refining process), and recordkeeping and reporting requirements for manufacturers, transferors, or transferees of detergents, gasoline, or post-refinery component (PRC). These requirements ensure that (1) a detergent is effective before it is certified by EPA, (2) a certified detergent, at the minimum concentration necessary to be effective (known as the lowest additive concentration (LAC)), is blended into gasoline, and (3) only gasoline which contains a certified detergent at its LAC

is delivered to the consumer. The EPA maintains a list of certified gasoline detergents, which is publicly available. As of April 2011 there were 423 certified detergents and 19 detergent manufacturers.

**Burden Statement:** The annual public reporting and recordkeeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 3 hours per response. Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements which have subsequently changed; 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, transferors and transferees, and blenders into gasoline or post-refinery component of detergent additives; and detergent additive researchers.

**Estimated Number of Respondents:** 1354.

**Frequency of Response:** Once, occasionally annually.

**Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden:** 220,181.

**Estimated Total Annual Cost:** \$18,854,168 including \$335,040 annualized capital or O&M costs.

**Changes in the Estimates:** There is a decrease of 427 hours in the total estimated burden currently identified in the OMB Inventory of Approved ICR Burdens. This decrease is due to an estimated decrease in annual certification applications from 10 to 3.

Dated: June 21, 2011.

**John Moses,**

*Director, Collection Strategies Division.*

[FR Doc. 2011-16036 Filed 6-30-11; 8:45 am]

**BILLING CODE 6560-50-P**