

states that these tariff sheets incorporate to the maximum extent possible the nomination flexibility previously included in Texas Eastern's Tariff.

Texas Eastern states that copies of the filing were mailed to all affected customers of Texas Eastern and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's rules and Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6206-3]

Agency Information Collection Activities OMB Responses

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notices.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) responses to Agency clearance requests, in compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*). 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 are listed in 40 CFR Part 9 and 48 CFR Chapter 15.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sandy Farmer at (202) 260-2740, or E-mail at

"farmer.sandy@epamail.epa.gov", and please refer to the appropriate EPA Information Collection Request (ICR) Number.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Responses To Agency Clearance Requests

OMB Approvals

EPA ICR No. 1591.10; Modifications to Standards and Requirements for Reformulated and Conventional

Gasoline; in 40 CFR Part 80, Subpart D, E, and F; was approved 12/01/98; OMB No. 2060-0277; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 1847.01; Federal Plan Record Keeping and Reporting Requirements for Large Municipal Waste Combustors Constructed on or Before September 20, 1994; in 40 CFR Part 62, Subpart FFF; was approved 12/02/98; OMB No. 2060-0390; expires 12/31/2001.

EPA ICR No. 0783.37; Motor Vehicle Emission Certification and Fuel Economy Compliance; in 40 CFR Parts 86 and 600; was approved 11/30/98; OMB No. 2060-0104; expires 11/30/1999.

OMB's Comments Filed

EPA ICR No. 1889.01; Findings of Significant Contribution and Rule Making Action on Section 126 Petitions for Purposes of Reducing Interstate Ozone Transport; in 40 CFR Parts 52, 75, and 97; OMB filed comments only.

EPA ICR No. 1883.01; Federal Implementation Plans to Reduce the Regional Transport of Ozone; in 40 CFR Parts 52, 97, and 98; OMB filed comments only.

Extensions of Expiration Dates

EPA ICR No. 0226.12; Application for NPDES Discharge Permit and the Sewage Sludge Management Permit; in 40 CFR Parts 122 and 501; OMB No. 2040-0086; on 11/23/98 OMB extended the expiration date through 03/31/99.

EPA ICR No. 0029.06; NPDES Modification and Variance Requests; in 40 CFR Part 122; OMB No. 2040-0068; on 11/23/98 OMB extended the expiration date through 02/28/99.

EPA ICR No. 0827.04; Construction Grants Program Information Collection Request; in 40 CFR Part 35, Subpart I; OMB No. 2040-0027; on 11/23/98 OMB extended the expiration date through 02/28/99.

Dated: December 15, 1998.

Joseph Retzer,

Director, Regulatory Information Division.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6206-4]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; NPDES Modification and Variance Requests

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the following Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval: National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Modification and Variance Requests, EPA ICR No. 0029.07, OMB Control No. 2040-0068, expires February 28, 1999. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected burden and cost; where appropriate, it includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before January 20, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY: Contact Sandy Farmer at EPA by phone at (202) 260-2740, by email at farmer.sandy@epamail.epa.gov, or download off the Internet at <http://www.epa.gov/icr> and refer to EPA ICR No. 0029.07.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: NPDES Modification and Variance Requests (OMB Control No. 2040-0068; EPA ICR No. 0029.07) expiring 02/28/99. This is a request for extension of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: This ICR calculates the burden and costs associated with modifications and variances made to NPDES permits and to the National Sewage Sludge Management Program permit requirements. The regulations specified at 40 CFR 122.62 and 122.63 specify information a facility must report in order for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to determine whether a permit modification is warranted. A NPDES permit applicant may request a variance from the conditions that would normally be imposed on the applicant's discharge. An applicant must submit information so the permitting authority can assess whether the facility is eligible for a variance, and what deviation from Clean Water Act (CWA) provisions is necessary. In general, EPA and authorized States use the information to determine whether: (1) the conditions or requirements that would warrant a modification or variance exist, and (2) the progress toward achieving the goals of the (CWA) will continue if the modification or variance is granted. Other uses for the information provided include: updating records on permitted facilities, supporting enforcement actions, and overall program management, including policy and budget development and responding to Congressional inquiries. 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 are listed in 40 CFR Part 9 and 48 CFR Chapter 15. The **Federal Register** Notice required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on 4/30/98 (63 FR 23781); no comments were received.

Burden Statement: The annual public reporting and recordkeeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 4.16 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; 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: NPDES permit applicants that request a variance or modification of the NPDES or sewage sludge management conditions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 15,594.

Frequency of Response: varies

Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden: 293,323 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. 0029.07 and OMB Control No. 2040-0068 in any correspondence.

Ms. Sandy Farmer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, OP 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: December 15, 1998.

Joseph Retzer,

Director, Regulatory Information Division.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6204-2]

Final Determination for Prevention of Significant Deterioration Air Quality Permit

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of final action.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this document is to announce that on November 24, 1997, the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) issued Central Wayne Limited Partnership a Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permit approving the modification of two municipal waste incinerators, the reopening and modification of the third waste incinerator and the additional of air pollution equipment, three waste heat steam generators and one turbine generator at 4901 Inkster Road, Dearborn Heights, Michigan. The final action was issued pursuant to the Prevention of Significant Deterioration of Air Quality (PSD) regulations codified at 40 CFR 52.21 (43 FR 26403). The time for appealing this decision to the U.S. EPA has expired. Judicial review of the permit decision is available only pursuant to section 307(b)(1) of the Clean Air Act and only by filing a petition for review in the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit within sixty (60) days of today's date.

DATES: Judicial review of the issuance of the permit is available only pursuant to section 307(b)(1) of the Clean Air Act and only by filing a petition for review in the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit on or before February 19, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Documents relevant to the above action are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following address (**Note:** It is recommended that you telephone ahead before visiting the MDEQ): State of Michigan, Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Hollister Building, P.O. Box 30473, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7973.

Questions on this document may be directed to: Ms. Laura Gerleman, United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region V, 77 West Jackson

Boulevard (AR-18J), Chicago, Illinois 60604-3590, telephone (312) 353-5703.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Central Wayne Energy Limited Partnership owns and operates a municipal waste incinerator facility in Dearborn Heights, Michigan. On November 24, 1997, the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality issued Central Wayne a Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permit approving certain changes to its municipal waste incinerator facility. The permit was first issued on October 30, 1997, but was then later revised and reissued on November 24 1997.

Only one individual attempted to file a petition for review with the Environmental Appeals Board (Board) objecting to the issuance of the Central Wayne PSD permit. That petition was denied by the Board since it was not timely filed. The Board dismissed the petition with prejudice on February 26, 1998 (PSD Appeal No. 98-1). The Board also denied and dismissed the petitioner's Motion for Reconsideration on March 26, 1998.

The time period established by the Permit Regulations at 40 CFR 124.19 for petitioning the Administrator to review any condition of the permit decision has expired. Such a petition to the Administrator is, under 5 U.S.C. 704, a prerequisite to seek judicial review of the final agency action. No petitions for review of this permit have been timely filed with the Administrator.

Under section 307(b)(1) of the Clean Air Act, judicial review of the approval of this action is available, if at all, only by the filing of a petition for a review in the United States Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals within 60 days of publication of today's document. Under section 307(b)(2) of the Clean Air Act, the requirements, which are the subject of today's document, may not be challenged later in civil or criminal proceedings brought by EPA to enforce these requirements.

Jo Lynn Traub,

Acting Regional Administrator, Region 5.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6206-5]

Transfer of Confidential Business Information to Contractors

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of transfer of data and request for comments.