

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jerry S. Johnson, Assistant Area Manager, Department of Energy, Amarillo Area Office, P.O. Box 30030, Amarillo, TX 79120 (806) 477-3125.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Purpose of the Board:* The purpose of the Board is to advise the Department of Energy and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

*Tentative Agenda*

1:00 Agenda Review/Approval of Minutes  
1:15 Co-Chair Comments  
1:30 Task Force/Subcommittee Reports  
2:00 Ex-Officio Reports  
2:30 Updates—Concurrence Reports—DOE  
3:00 Break  
3:15 Presentation (To Be Decided)  
4:15 Public Comments  
4:30 Closing Comments  
4:45 Adjourn

*Public Participation:* The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Jerry Johnson's office at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and every reasonable provision will be made to accommodate the request in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments.

*Minutes:* The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Pantex Public Reading Rooms located at the Amarillo College Lynn Library and Learning Center, 2201 South Washington, Amarillo, TX, phone (806) 371-5400. Hours of operation are from 7:45 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 7:45 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday; 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon on Saturday; and 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Sunday, except for Federal holidays. Additionally, there is a Public Reading Room located at the Carson County Public Library, 401 Main Street, Panhandle, TX phone (806) 537-3742. Hours of operation are from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday; and closed Saturday and Sunday as well as Federal Holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing or calling Jerry S. Johnson at the address or telephone number listed above.

Issued at Washington, DC on April 4, 2000.

**Rachel M. Samuel,**

*Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

**[ER-FRL-6253-1]**

**Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments**

Availability of EPA comments prepared March 20, 2000 Through March 24, 2000 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 09, 1999 (63 FR 17856).

**Draft EISs**

*ERP No. D-AFS-E65053-NC Rating EC2, Croatan National Forest Revised Land and Resource Management Plan (1986), Implementation, Carteret, Craven, and Jones Counties, NC.*

*Summary:* EPA expressed concern regarding potential water quality impacts and that the preferred alternative could potentially clearcut too much timber too rapidly for conversion to longleaf pines and consequently be counterproductive to RCW recovery. EPA recommended that the alternatives discussion be modified to take this concern into account.

*ERP No. D-AFS-J65320-MT Rating EC2, Knox-Brooks Timber Sales and Road Rehabilitation, Implementation, Lolo National Forest, Super Ranger District, Mineral County, MT.*

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns regarding potential erosion impacts, wetland impacts, aquatic effects of herbicides, and the level of monitoring to detect effects of management activities. EPA requested additional information on these issues and mitigation measures to reduce the impacts of management actions.

*ERP No. D-AFS-J65321-MT Rating EC2, Mill-Key-Wey Project, Proposed Timber Harvesting, Ecosystem Burning, Road Construction and Reconstruction, Implementation, Lolo National Forest, Superior Ranger District, Mineral County, MT.*

*Summary:* EPA expressed concerns regarding harvests on erosive soils, wetland impacts, use of weed control chemical and the level of monitoring proposed to identify project impacts. The EPA requested additional information on these issues and

mitigation measures to reduce potential impacts of the management actions.

*ERP No. D-SFW-K90030-CA Rating EC2, San Diequito Wetland Restoration Project, Implementation, Comprehensive Restoration Plan, COE Section 404 Permit, Cities of Del Mar and San Diego, San Diego County, CA.*

*Summary:* EPA expressed concern due to the potential for undiscovered contaminated soil and hazardous waste. EPA requested that soil contamination be monitored and that a monitoring, emergency response, and reporting plan be included as part of the restoration program.

**Final EISs**

*ERP No. F-BLM-J67028-CO North Fork Coal Program, Approval of Two Lease-By-Applications (LBA) and Exploration License for Iron Point and Elk Creek Coal Leases, Delta and Gunnison Counties, CO.*

*Summary:* No formal comment letter sent to preparing agency.

*ERP No. F-NPS-G02009-TX Padre Island National Seashore Oil and Gas Management Plan, Implementation, Kleberg, Kenedy and Willacy Counties, TX.*

*Summary:* EPA previous concerns have been adequately responded to, therefore EPA has no objection to the action as proposed.

Dated: April 4, 2000.

**Joseph C. Montgomery,**

*Director, Office of Federal Activities.*

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

**[ER-FRL-6252-9]**

**Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability**

*Responsible Agency:* Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 or [www.epa.gov/oeca/ofa](http://www.epa.gov/oeca/ofa).

Weekly Receipt of Environmental Impact Statements

Filed March 27, 2000 Through March 31, 2000

Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9

*EIS No. 000087, Draft EIS, AFS, ID, Idaho Panhandle National Forests, Small Sales, Harvesting Dead and Damaged Timber, Coeur d'Alene River Range District, Kootenai and Shoshone Counties, ID, Due: May 15, 2000, Contact: Bob Rehnberg (208) 664-2318.*

*EIS No. 000088, Draft EIS, AFS, PA, Duck and Sheriff Project Area (DSPA), Timber Management, Road*

Construction and Reconstruction, Trail Maintenance, Wildlife Habitat Improvement, and Recreation Management, Allegheny National Forest, Bradford Ranger District, Cherry Grove Township of Warren County, and Howe Township of Forest County, PA, Due: May 15, 2000, Contact: John Schultz (814) 362-4613.

*EIS No. 000089*, Draft EIS, AFS, ID, Warm Springs Ridge Vegetation Management Project, Improve Forest Conditions, Boise National Forest, Cascade Resource Area, Boise County, ID, Due: May 15, 2000, Contact: Kathy Ramirez (208) 392-6681.

*EIS No. 000090*, Final EIS, FAA, MA, Provincetown Municipal Airport Safety and Operational Enhancement Project, Improvements (1) Firefighter Equipment Garage; (2) General Aviation Parking Apron Expansion; (3) Runaway Safety Areas, and (4) a Runaway Extension, COE Section 404 Permit, Cape Cod National Seashore, Barnstable County, MA, Due: May 01, 2000, Contact: Frank Smigelski (781) 238-7613.

*EIS No. 000091*, Draft Supplement, AFS, WA, ID, OR, MT, Interior Columbia Basin Ecosystem Management Projects, Updated and New Information on three Management Alternatives, Implementation, WA, OR, ID and MT, Due: June 30, 2000, Contact: Cathy Humphrey (208) 334-1770.

*EIS No. 000092*, Final EIS, FTA, CA, Vasona Corridor Light Rail Transit Project, Extension of existing Light Rail Transit (LRT), in portion of the Cities of San Jose, Campbell and Los Gatos, Santa Clara County, CA, Due: May 01, 2000, Contact: Jerome Wiggins (415) 744-3115.

*EIS No. 000093*, Draft EIS, AFS, ID, JJ (Jerry Johnson) Ecosystem Restoration Project, Implementation, Clearwater National Forest, Lochsa Ranger District (Powell), Idaho County, ID, Due: May 15, 2000, Contact: Ken Hotchkiss (208) 942-3113.

*EIS No. 000094*, Draft Supplement, COE, CA, Port of Los Angeles Channel Deepening Project, To Improve Navigation and Disposal of Dredge Material for the Inner Harbor Channels, Los Angeles County, CA, Due: May 22, 2000, Contact: Larry Smith (213) 452-3846.

Dated: April 4, 2000.

**Joseph C. Montgomery**,  
Director, Office of Federal Activities.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[PF-933; FRL-6552-9]

### Notice of Filing a Pesticide Petition to Establish a Tolerance for Certain Pesticide Chemicals in or on Food

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the initial filing of a pesticide petition proposing the establishment of regulations for residues of certain pesticide chemicals in or on various food commodities.

**DATES:** Comments, identified by docket control number PF-933, must be received on or before May 8, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments may be submitted by mail, electronically, or in person. Please follow the detailed instructions for each method as provided in Unit I.C. of the "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION." To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number PF-933 in the subject line on the first page of your response.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** By mail: Treva C. Alston, Registration Division (7505C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, Ariel Rios Bldg., 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (703) 308-8373; and e-mail address: alston.treva@epa.gov.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. General Information

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

You may be affected by this action if you are an agricultural producer, food manufacturer or pesticide manufacturer. Potentially affected categories and entities may include, but are not limited to:

| Cat-egories | NAICS codes                | Examples of poten-tially affected entities                                             |
|-------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Industry    | 111<br>112<br>311<br>32532 | Crop production<br>Animal production<br>Food manufacturing<br>Pesticide manufac-turing |

This listing is not intended to be exhaustive, but rather provides a guide for readers regarding entities likely to be affected by this action. Other types of entities not listed in the table could also be affected. The North American

Industrial Classification System (NAICS) codes have been provided to assist you and others in determining whether or not this action might apply to certain entities. If you have questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the person listed in the "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT" section.

##### 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" 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 PF-933. 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 Highway, Arlington, VA, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The PIRIB telephone number is (703) 305-5805.

##### C. How and to Whom Do I Submit Comments?

You may submit comments through the mail, in person, or electronically. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number PF-933 in the subject line on the first page of your response.

1. *By mail.* Submit your comments to: Public Information and Records Integrity Branch (PIRIB), Information Resources and Services Division