

*Estimated number of respondents:* Seven (total).

*Frequency of response:* Occasionally, semiannually, and annually.

*Total estimated burden:* 1,130 hours (per year). Burden is defined at 5 CFR 1320.03(b).

*Total estimated cost:* \$143,000 (per year), which includes \$0 annualized capital or operation & maintenance costs.

*Changes in the estimates:* There is a decrease of 2,090 hours in the total estimated respondent burden compared with the ICR currently approved by OMB due to an adjustment decrease in the number of respondents subject to 40 CFR part 61, subparts L and Y based on our consultation with industry. There are no program changes.

**Courtney Kerwin,**

*Director, Information Engagement Division.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-9542-07-OAR]

### Allocations of Cross-State Air Pollution Rule Allowances From New Unit Set-Asides for 2024 Control Periods

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

**ACTION:** Notice of data availability.

**SUMMARY:** The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is providing notice of the availability of data on emission allowance allocations to certain units under the Cross-State Air Pollution Rule (CSAPR) trading programs. EPA has completed preliminary calculations for the allocations of allowances from the new unit set-asides (NUSAs) for the 2024 control periods and has posted spreadsheets containing the calculations on EPA's website. EPA will consider timely objections to the preliminary calculations (including objections concerning the identification of units eligible for allocations) before determining the final amounts of the allocations.

**DATES:** Objections to the information referenced in this notice concerning NUSA allocations must be received on or before March 31, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your objections via email to [CSAPR@epa.gov](mailto:CSAPR@epa.gov). Include "2024 NUSA allocations" in the email subject line and include your name, title, affiliation, address, phone number, and email address in the body of the email.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Questions concerning this notice should be addressed to Morgan Riedel at (202) 564-1144 or [riedel.morgan@epa.gov](mailto:riedel.morgan@epa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under each CSAPR trading program where EPA is responsible for determining emission allowance allocations, a portion of each state's emissions budget for the program for each control period is reserved in a NUSA (and, under most of the trading programs, in an additional Indian country NUSA in the case of states with Indian country within their borders) for allocation to certain units that would not otherwise receive allowance allocations. The procedures for identifying the eligible units for each control period and for allocating allowances from the NUSAs and Indian country NUSAs to these units are set forth in the CSAPR trading program regulations at 40 CFR 97.411(b) and 97.412 (NO<sub>x</sub> Annual), 97.511(b) and 97.512 (NO<sub>x</sub> Ozone Season Group 1), 97.611(b) and 97.612 (SO<sub>2</sub> Group 1), 97.711(b) and 97.712 (SO<sub>2</sub> Group 2), and 97.811(b) and 97.812 (NO<sub>x</sub> Ozone Season Group 2, including units using Original Group 2 allowances and units using Expanded Group 2 allowances).<sup>1</sup> Each NUSA allowance allocation process involves allocations to eligible units, termed "new" units, followed by the allocation to "existing" units of any allowances not allocated to new units.

This notice concerns preliminary calculations for the NUSA allowance allocations for the 2024 control periods. Generally, the allocation procedures call for each eligible "new" unit to receive a 2024 NUSA allocation equal to its 2024 control period emissions as reported under 40 CFR part 75 unless the total of such allocations to all such eligible units would exceed the amount of allowances in the NUSA, in which case the allocations are reduced on a pro-rata basis. (EPA notes that, under 40 CFR 97.406(c)(3), 97.506(c)(3), 97.606(c)(3), 97.706(c)(3), and 97.806(c)(3), a unit's emissions occurring before its monitor certification deadline are not considered to have occurred during a control period and consequently are not included in the emission amounts used to determine NUSA allocations). Any allowances not

<sup>1</sup> EPA has no current plans to determine NUSA allowance allocations for the 2024 control period under the CSAPR NO<sub>x</sub> Ozone Season Group 3 Trading Program regulations at 40 CFR 97.1012. In response to judicial stay orders, implementation of that program has been administratively stayed for all sources for the 2024 control period and will remain stayed for future control periods unless and until provided otherwise in a future rulemaking. See 88 FR 49295 (July 31, 2023); 88 FR 67102 (September 29, 2023); 89 FR 87960 (November 6, 2024).

allocated to eligible "new" units are allocated to the state's "existing" units in proportion to such existing units' previous allocations from the portion of the respective state's emissions budget for the control period that was not reserved in a NUSA (or Indian country NUSA).

The detailed unit-by-unit data and preliminary allowance allocation calculations for "new" units are set forth in Excel spreadsheets titled "CSAPR NUSA 2024 NO<sub>x</sub> Annual Prelim Data New Units", "CSAPR NUSA 2024 NO<sub>x</sub> OS Prelim Data New Units", and "CSAPR NUSA 2024 SO<sub>2</sub> Prelim Data New Units", available on EPA's website at [www.epa.gov/csapr/csapr-allowance-allocations#nusa](http://www.epa.gov/csapr/csapr-allowance-allocations#nusa). Each of the spreadsheets contains a separate worksheet for each state covered by that program showing, for each unit identified as eligible for a NUSA allocation, (1) the unit's emissions in the 2024 control period (annual or ozone season as applicable), (2) the maximum 2024 NUSA allowance allocation for which the unit is eligible (typically the unit's emissions in the 2024 control period), (3) various adjustments to the unit's maximum allocation if the NUSA pool is oversubscribed, and (4) the preliminary calculation of the unit's 2024 NUSA allowance allocation.

Each state worksheet for "new" units also contains a summary showing (1) the quantity of allowances initially available in that state's 2024 NUSA, (2) the sum of the 2024 NUSA allowance allocations that will be made to new units in that state, assuming there are no corrections to the data, and (3) the quantity of allowances that would remain in the 2024 NUSA for allocation to existing units, again assuming there are no corrections to the data.

The preliminary calculations of allocations of the remaining unallocated allowances to "existing" units are set forth in Excel spreadsheets titled "CSAPR NUSA 2024 NO<sub>x</sub> Annual Prelim Data Existing Units", "CSAPR NUSA 2024 NO<sub>x</sub> OS Prelim Data Existing Units", and "CSAPR NUSA 2024 SO<sub>2</sub> Prelim Data Existing Units", available at the same location.

Objections should be strictly limited to the data and calculations upon which the NUSA allowance allocations are based and should be emailed to the address identified in **ADDRESSES**. Objections must include: (1) precise identification of the specific data and/or calculations the commenter believes are inaccurate, (2) new proposed data and/or calculations upon which the commenter believes EPA should rely

instead to determine allowance allocations, and (3) the reasons why EPA should rely on the commenter's proposed data and/or calculations and not the data referenced in this notice.

EPA notes that an allocation or lack of allocation of allowances to a given unit under a given CSAPR trading program does not constitute a determination that the trading program does or does not apply to the unit. EPA also notes that, under 40 CFR 97.411(c), 97.511(c), 97.611(c), 97.711(c), and 97.811(c), allocations are subject to potential correction if a unit to which allowances have been allocated for a given control period is not actually an affected unit as of the start of that control period.

(Authority: 40 CFR 97.411(b), 97.511(b), 97.611(b), 97.711(b), and 97.811(b).)

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OAR-2024-0270; FRL-12655-01-OMS]

### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Comment Request; NESHAP for Surface Coating of Metal Cans (Renewal)

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has submitted an information collection request (ICR), NESHAP for Surface Coating of Metal Cans (EPA ICR Number 2079.10, OMB Control Number 2060-0541) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act. This is a proposed extension of the ICR, which is currently approved through February 28, 2025. Public comments were previously requested via the **Federal Register** on August 6, 2024 during a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments.

**DATES:** Comments may be submitted on or before March 31, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments, referencing Docket ID Number EPA-HQ-OAR-2024-0270, to EPA online

using [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) (our preferred method), by email 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.

EPA's policy is that all comments received will be included in the public docket without change including any personal information provided, unless the comment includes profanity, threats, information claimed to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute.

Submit written comments and recommendations to OMB for the proposed information collection within 30 days of publication of this notice to [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Muntasir Ali, Sector Policies and Program Division, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standard, D243-05, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (919) 541-0833; email address: [ali.muntasir@epa.gov](mailto:ali.muntasir@epa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a proposed extension of the ICR, which is currently approved through February 28, 2025. 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.

Public comments were previously requested via the **Federal Register** on August 6, 2024 during a 60-day comment period (89 FR 63933). This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments. Supporting documents, which explain in detail the information that the EPA will be collecting, are available in the public docket for this ICR. The docket can be viewed online at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) or in person at the EPA Docket Center, WJC West, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave. NW, Washington, DC. The telephone number for the Docket Center is 202-566-1744. For additional information about EPA's public docket, visit <http://www.epa.gov/dockets>.

**Abstract:** The National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP) for Metal Can Manufacturing Surface Coating were proposed on January 15, 2003, promulgated on November 13, 2003, and amended on January 6, 2006 and February 25, 2020.

The latest amendment was a residual risk and technology review (RTR) required of periodic air emissions testing, revisions to the startup, shutdown, and malfunction (SSM) provisions, and the use of electronic data reporting for performance test data submittals notifications, and reports. These regulations apply to existing and new facilities in this source category that use 5,700 liters (1,500 gallons) per year or more of coatings and that is a major source of hazardous air pollutant (HAP). The metal can surface coating source category includes any facilities that coat or print metal cans (including decorative tins), metal ends for metal or composite cans, or metal crowns or closures for any type of can during any stage of the can manufacturing process. The source category does not include the coating of metal coils for cans or can parts. Coil coating for cans and can parts is included in the NESHAP for the surface coating of metal coil (40 CFR part 63, subpart SSSS). The source category does not include the coating of pails and drums, which is covered in the NESHAP for the surface coating of miscellaneous metal parts and products (40 CFR part 63, subpart MMMM). New facilities include those that commenced construction or reconstruction after January 15, 2003. This information is being collected to assure compliance with 40 CFR part 63, subpart KKKK.

In general, all NESHAP standards require initial notifications, performance tests, and periodic reports by the owners/operators of the affected facilities. They are also required to maintain records of the occurrence and duration of any startup, shutdown, or malfunction in the operation of an affected facility, or any period during which the monitoring system is inoperative. These notifications, reports, and records are essential in determining compliance, and are required of all affected facilities subject to NESHAP.

**Respondents/affected entities:** Metal can manufacturing facilities that use 5,700 liters (1,500 gallons) per year or more of surface coatings.

**Respondent's obligation to respond:** Mandatory (40 CFR part 63, subpart KKKK).

**Estimated number of respondents:** 5 (total).

**Frequency of response:** Initially, occasionally, and semiannually.

**Total estimated burden:** 1,940 hours (per year). Burden is defined at 5 CFR 1320.03(b).

**Total estimated cost:** \$282,000 (per year), which includes \$15,400 annualized capital or operation & maintenance costs.