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Technical Contact: For questions and information concerning the Agency's draft document being reviewed, contact Dr. Mary E. Clark, U.S. EPA, ORIA by telephone at (202) 343-9348, fax at (202) 243-2395, or e-mail at: clark.marye@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background: Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), Public Law 92-463, the SAB Staff Office hereby gives notice of this public teleconference meeting of the SAB RAC. The SAB was established by 42 U.S.C. 4365 to provide independent scientific and technical advice, consultation, and recommendations to the EPA Administrator on the technical basis for Agency positions and regulations. The SAB RAC will comply with the provisions of FACA and all appropriate EPA and SAB procedural policies. The purpose of this teleconference is to discuss a draft advisory being prepared by the SAB RAC concerning the Agency's draft White Paper: Modifying EPA Radiation Risk Models Based on BEIR VII, dated August, 2006.

EPA's Office of Radiation and Indoor Air (ORIA) requested this Advisory to obtain advice from the SAB on the application of BEIR VII, and on issues relating to the modifications and expansions of EPA's methodology for estimating radiogenic cancers. The SAB RAC met via conference call on September 6, 2006, in a face-to-face public meeting in Washington, DC on September 26-28, 2006 (See 71 FR 45545, August 9, 2006); and in public teleconferences on November 28 and December 18, 2006 (See 71 FR 62590, October 26, 2006). The public teleconference announced in this

Federal Register notice is a continuation of the meetings, and provides an opportunity for the SAB RAC to deliberate on its draft advisory.

Availability of Teleconference

Materials: The teleconference agenda and SAB RAC draft materials will be posted on the SAB Web site at: <http://www.epa.gov/sab> prior to the teleconference. Additional background information on this review includes the draft White Paper (available at: <http://epa.gov/radiation/news/recentadditions.htm>) and background materials, such as the BEIR VII document (available at: [\[newton.nap.edu/catalog/11340.html#toc\]\(http://newton.nap.edu/catalog/11340.html#toc\)\).](http://</p></div><div data-bbox=)

Procedures for Providing Public Input:

Interested members of the public may submit relevant written or oral information for the SAB RAC to consider during the advisory process.

Oral Statements: In general, individuals or groups requesting an oral presentation at a public teleconference will be limited to three minutes per speaker with no more than a total of fifteen minutes for all speakers.

Interested parties should contact the DFO, contact information provided above, in writing via e-mail seven days prior to the teleconference meeting date.

For the Friday, March 9, 2007 teleconference meeting, the deadline is Friday, March 2, 2007 to be placed on the public speaker list.

Written Statements: Written statements should be received in the SAB Staff Office seven days prior to the teleconference meeting. For the Friday, March 9, 2007 teleconference meeting, the deadline is Friday, March 2, 2007, so that the information may be made available to the SAB RAC for their consideration. Written statements should be supplied to the DFO in the following formats: one hard copy with original signature, and one electronic copy via e-mail (acceptable file format: Adobe Acrobat, WordPerfect, Word, or Rich Text files in IBM-PC/Windows 98/2000/XP format).

Accessibility: For information on access or services for individuals with disabilities, please contact Dr. K. Jack Kooyoomjian at (202) 343-9984 or kooyoomjian.jack@epa.gov. To request accommodation of a disability, please contact Dr. Kooyoomjian preferably at least 10 days prior to the teleconference, to give EPA as much time as possible to process your request.

Dated: February 16, 2007.

Anthony F. Maciorowski,

Deputy Director, EPA Science Advisory Board Staff Office.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-8281-4]

Safe Drinking Water Act Determination; Underground Injection Control Program, Determination of Indian Country Status for Purposes of Underground Injection Control Program Permitting

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of final determination.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the availability of EPA's Land Status Determination, which concludes that the approximately 160 acres of land located in the southeast portion of Section 8, Township 16N, Range 16W, in the State of New Mexico (the Section 8 land), is part of a dependent Indian community under 18 U.S.C. 1151(b) and, thus, considered to be "Indian country." EPA is therefore the appropriate agency to consider underground injection control (UIC) permit applications under the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) for that land.

DATES: The determination was signed on February 6, 2007.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

David Albright, at albright.david@epa.gov, or 415.972.3971.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the late 1980s, Hydro Resources, Inc. (HRI) sought a UIC permit for its property located within the Section 8 land. After considering materials submitted by the Navajo Nation and the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED), EPA determined that the Indian country status of the Section 8 land was in dispute and, thus, that EPA would be the appropriate agency to issue the SDWA UIC permit. The State of New Mexico and HRI challenged EPA's determination. In 2000, in *HRI v. EPA*, 198 F.3d 1224 (10th Cir. 2000), the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit upheld EPA's decision to implement the UIC program throughout HRI's Section 8 land because the Indian country status of that land was in dispute. The Court remanded the matter to EPA to make a final administrative decision on the Indian country status of the disputed land.

In 2005, HRI approached NMED concerning a UIC permit for its proposed mining operations on the Section 8 land. In response, NMED formally requested that EPA determine the Indian country status of the Section 8 land to identify whether EPA or NMED is the appropriate agency to consider a UIC permit application from HRI for that land.

On November 2, 2005, EPA issued a **Federal Register** notice (see 70 FR 66402) inviting written comments and information from the public and interested parties on whether the Section 8 land constituted a dependent Indian community in whole or in part. EPA received comments from twenty-five (25) commenters, including HRI, the Navajo Nation, the State of New Mexico, and others.

The Agency reviewed the status of the land in light of the comments it received, the existing case law, and a November 3, 2006 opinion from the United States Department of the Interior (DOI) Solicitor, who has special expertise on Indian country questions. EPA also consulted with the Navajo Nation pursuant to its federal trustee relationship.

On February 6, 2007, EPA issued its final determination concluding that the Section 8 land is part of a dependent Indian community under 18 U.S.C. 1151(b) and, thus, "Indian country." EPA is therefore the appropriate agency to consider underground injection control permit applications under the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) for that land. For a copy of the Determination and other supporting material, go to <http://www.epa.gov/region09/water/groundwater/permit-determination.html>.

Dated: February 15, 2007.

Laura Yoshii,

Acting Regional Administrator, Region IX.

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EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, March 5, 2007, 10 a.m. Eastern Time.

PLACE: Clarence M. Mitchell, Jr. Conference Room on the Ninth Floor of the EEOC Office Building, 1801 "L" Street, NW., Washington, DC 20507.

STATUS: The meeting will be closed to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

CLOSED SESSION: Litigation Recommendation: General Counsel Recommendation.

Note: In accordance with the Sunshine Act, the meeting will be open to public observation of the Commission's deliberations and voting. (In addition to publishing notices on EEOC Commission meetings in the **Federal Register**, the Commission also provides a recorded announcement a full week in advance on future Commission sessions.)

Please telephone (202) 663-7100 (voice) and (202) 663-4074 (TTY) at any time for information on these meetings. The EEOC provides sign language interpretation at Commission meetings for the hearing impaired. Requests for other reasonable accommodations may

be made by using the voice and TTY numbers listed above.

Contact Person for More Information: Stephen Llewellyn, Acting Executive Officer, on (202) 663-4070.

Dated: February 22, 2007.

Stephen Llewellyn,

Acting Executive Officer, Executive Secretariat.

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FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Notice of Agency Meeting; Sunshine Act

Pursuant to the provisions of the "Government in the Sunshine Act" (5 U.S.C. 552b), notice is hereby given that at 10 a.m. on Thursday, March 1, 2007, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's Board of Directors will meet in closed session, pursuant to section 552b(c)(2), (C)(6), (c)(8), and (9)(A)(ii), Title 5, United States Code, to consider matters relating to the Corporation's supervisory and corporate activities.

The meeting will be held in the Board Room on the sixth floor of the FDIC Building located at 550 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC.

Requests for further information concerning the meeting may be directed to Mr. Robert E. Feldman, Executive Secretary of the Corporation, at (202) 898-7122.

Dated: February 22, 2007.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Robert E. Feldman,

Executive Secretary.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meetings Notice

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, March 1, 2007, at 10 a.m.

PLACE: 999 E Street, NW., Washington, DC (Ninth Floor).

STATUS: This meeting will be open to the public.

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED: Correction and Approval of Minutes.

Advisory Opinion 2007-03: Senator Barack Obama and the Obama Exploratory Committee by counsel, Robert F. Bauer and Rebecca Gordon, of Perkins Coie LLP. Statement of Policy Regarding Commission Action in Matters at the Initial Stage in the Enforcement Process.

Management and Administrative Matters.

PERSON TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION: Mr. Robert Biersack, Press Officer, Telephone: (202) 694-1220.

Mary W. Dove,

Secretary of the Commission.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Public Workshop; Proof Positive: New Directions for ID Authentication

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission (FTC).

ACTION: Notice announcing a two-day public workshop and requesting public comment and participation.

SUMMARY: The FTC and other participating agencies are planning to host a two-day public workshop to explore the role of authentication processes in preventing identity theft. The workshop will provide a forum for discussion among public sector, private sector, and consumer representatives about better ways to authenticate the identities of individuals.

DATES: Workshop, Proof Positive: New Directions for ID Authentication, will be held on April 23, 2007 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and April 24, 2007, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., in the Federal Trade Commission's Satellite Building Conference Center located at 601 New Jersey Avenue, NW., Washington, DC. The events are open to the public and attendance is free of charge. There will be no pre-registration.

Participants: As discussed below, written requests to participate as a panelist in the workshop must be filed on or before March 9, 2007. Persons filing requests to participate as a panelist will be notified on or before March 23, 2007, if they have been selected to participate.

Comments: Whether or not selected to participate, persons may submit written comments on the issues and topics set out below. Such comments must be filed on or before March 23, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties are invited to submit requests to participate and comments in accordance with the following instructions:

Requests To Participate as Panelist in Workshop:

Parties seeking to participate as panelists in the workshop must notify the FTC in writing of their interest in participating on or before March 9,