

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 01, 2003 (68 FR 16511).

Draft EISs

ERP No. D-AFS-K65252-CA Rating LO, Combined Array for Research in Millimeter-wave Astronomy (CARMA) Project, Construction, Reconstruction and Operation of 23 Antennas at the Juniper Flat Site, Special-Use-Permit Issuance, Inyo Mountain, Inyo National Forest, Inyo County, CA.

Summary: EPA expressed a lack of objections to this project.

ERP No. D-FHW-J40160-ND Rating LO, Liberty Memorial Bridge Replacement Project, Poor and Deteriorating Structural Rehabilitation or Reconstruction, U.S. Coast Guard and U.S. Army COE Section 10 and 404 Permits Issuance, Missouri River, Bismarck and Mandan, ND.

Summary: EPA has no environmental concerns or objections to the proposed project.

ERP No. D-NPS-L61226-AK Rating LO, Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve Vessel Quotas and Operating Requirements for Cruise Ships and Tour, Charter, and Private Vessels, Implementation, AK.

Summary: EPA requested additional information on Environmental Justice and Tribal Consultation be included in the final EIS.

ERP No. DS-NPS-E61074-00 Rating LO, Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area, General Management Plan, Implementation, Additional Information concerning Resources, Roads and Trails, McCreary, KY and Fentress, Morgan, Pickett and Scott Counties, TN.

Summary: EPA did not identify any potential environmental impacts requiring substantive changes to the proposal.

Final EISs

ERP No. F-AFS-K65248-CA North Fork Fire Salvage Project, Harvest Salvage, Merchantable Timber Volume Sale and Sierra National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan, Implementation, Bass Lake Ranger District, Madera County, CA.

Summary: No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

ERP No. F-BLM-K60033-NV, Toquop Energy Project, Toquop Land Disposal Amendment to the Caliente Management Framework Plan (MFP), Construction of a 1,100-megawatt (MW) Natural Gas-Fired Water-Cooled Electric

Power Generating Plant and Associated Features on Public Lands, Right-of-Way Grant, Lincoln, Clark and Washoe Counties, NV.

Summary: No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

ERP No. F-BLM-L65399-OR, Kelsey Whisky Landscape Management Planning Area, Implementation, Associated Medford District Resource Management Plan Amendments, Josephine and Jackson Counties, OR.

Summary: EPA continues to have environmental concerns with several aspects of the plan including needs for: a reduction in the number of miles of roads to be decommissioned or closed; and protection of a botanical transition zone and late succession reserves and important habitat for two endangered bird species.

ERP No. F-FTA-E59002-NC, South Corridor Light Rail Project to Provide Light Rail Service between the Town of Pineville and Downtown Charlotte, City of Charlotte, Charlotte-Mecklenburg County, NC.

Summary: EPA has no objections to the project as proposed.

Dated: May 20, 2003.

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Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-2003-0185; FRL-7309-6]

The Association of American Pesticide Control Officials/State FIFRA Issues Research and Evaluation Group

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Association of American Pesticide Control Officials (AAPCO)/State FIFRA Issues Research and Evaluation Group (SFIREG) will hold a 2-day meeting, beginning on June 23, 2003 and ending June 24, 2003. This notice announces the location and times for the meeting and sets forth the tentative agenda topics.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Monday, June 23, 2003, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Tuesday, June 24, 2003, from 8:30 a.m. until noon.

ADDRESSES: This meeting will be held at the Doubletree Hotel, 300 Army-Navy Drive, Arlington, VA.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general. This action may, however, be of interest to all parties interested in SFIREG's information exchange relationship with EPA regarding important issues related to human health, environmental exposure to pesticides, and insight into EPA's decision-making process. Interested parties are invited and encouraged to attend the meetings and participate as appropriate. Since other entities may also be interested, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

B. How Can I Get Additional Information, Including Copies of this Document and Other Related Documents?

1. **Docket.** EPA has established an official public docket for this action under docket identification (ID) number OPP-2003-0185. The official public docket consists of the documents specifically referenced in this action, any public comments received, and other information related to this action. Although a part of the official docket, the public docket does not include Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. The official public docket is the collection of materials that is available for public viewing at the Public Information and Records Integrity Branch (PIRIB), Rm. 119, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA. This docket facility is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The docket telephone number is (703) 305-5805.

2. **Electronic access.** You may access this **Federal Register** document electronically through the EPA Internet under the "**Federal Register**" listings at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

An electronic version of the public docket is available through EPA's electronic public docket and comment system, EPA Dockets. You may use EPA dockets at <http://www.epa.gov/edocket/> to view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the official public docket, and to access those documents in the public docket that are available electronically. Although not all docket materials may be available electronically, you may still access any of the publicly available docket materials through the docket facility identified in Unit I.B.1. Once in the system, select "search," then key in the appropriate docket ID number.

II. Tentative Agenda

This unit provides tentative agenda topics for the 2-day meeting.

1. Certification issues/Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), written tests, and language challenges.
2. CCA-treated wood/status of cancellation/risk assessments and disposal issues.
3. Anti-microbials efficacy/compliance issues.
4. Post-application liability/enforcement issues.
5. Certification Training Assessment Group (CTAG) activities/initiatives.
6. AAPCO/SFIREG State Survey/Grants and State Funding/update.
7. Worker Protection Standard (WPS) Program Element Review Report.
8. Endangered Species Program/FR Notice comments update.
9. Label restrictions for applications of pesticides in greenhouses.
10. Check sample program/status of States participation/current issues.
11. Reports from SFIREG Regional Representatives and Working Committee Chairs.
12. Issues papers/action items.
13. Update on current Office of Pesticide Programs activities.
14. Update on current Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance activities.
15. Other topics, as appropriate.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticide pests.

Dated: May 15, 2003.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7502-8]

Science Advisory Board; Notification of Public Advisory Committee Meeting; Executive Committee Teleconference

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Science Advisory Board (SAB) Executive Committee (EC), a Federal Advisory Committee, will hold a public teleconference meeting on the date and time given below to consider potential self-initiated projects for FY2004.

DATES: The conference call meeting will take place June 10, 2003 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (EST). Requests for oral comments, as well as submission of written comments must be received by June 4, 2003. Please see further details below.

ADDRESSES: The conference call will take place via telephone only.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Any member of the public wishing further information concerning this meeting or wishing to submit comments must contact Mr. A. Robert Flaak, Acting Deputy Director and Designated Federal Officer, EPA Science Advisory Board; Telephone (202) 564-4546; Fax (202) 501-0582; or via e-mail at flaak.robert@epa.gov.

To pre-register for the teleconference and obtain the phone number and access code, please contact Ms. Betty Fortune, EPA Science Advisory Board; Telephone (202) 564-4533, Fax (202) 501-0323; or via e-mail at fortune.betty@epa.gov.

General information about the EPA Science Advisory Board, may be found on the SAB Web site (<http://www.epa.gov/sab>).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

1. *Summary:* Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, notice is hereby given that the Executive Committee (EC) of the U.S. EPA Science Advisory Board (SAB) will hold a public teleconference meeting to conduct an initial screening of proposed self-initiated projects for FY2004. These projects, along with projects submitted by the Agency, will be considered further by the Executive Committee at a meeting scheduled for July 16-17, 2003, and will be used to establish the SAB's Operating Plan for FY2004.

Self-initiated projects are scientific and technical projects developed by committees of the Board for review or

consideration, with any advice developed subsequently forwarded to the Agency. Self-initiated projects are proposed outside of the normal mechanism of Agency requested consultations, advisories, and peer reviews, and typically address critical needs for anticipatory or cross-cutting scientific/technical advice. In an average year, the Board conducts a small number of self-initiated projects.

The interested public may attend this teleconference meeting through a telephonic link, to the extent that lines are available. Pre-registration is necessary. Additional instructions about how to participate in the conference are given above.

2. *Requests for Comment:* Requests for oral comments must be *in writing* (e-mail, fax or mail) and received by Mr. Flaak no later than noon Eastern Standard Time on June 4, 2003. Written comments should also be sent to Mr. Flaak prior to the meeting. Submission of written comments by e-mail to Mr. Flaak will maximize the time available for review by the EC.

3. *Availability of Review Materials:* Descriptions of these self-initiated projects will be available on the SAB Web site no later than June 2, 2003, at: (<http://www.epa.gov/sab/whatsnew.htm>).

4. *General Guidance on Providing Oral or Written Comments at SAB Meetings:* It is the policy of the EPA Science Advisory Board to accept written public comments of any length, and to accommodate oral public comments whenever possible. The EPA Science Advisory Board expects that public statements presented at its meetings will not be repetitive of previously submitted oral or written statements. *Oral Comments:* In general, each individual or group requesting an oral presentation at a face-to-face meeting will be limited to a total time of ten minutes (unless otherwise indicated above). For teleconference meetings, opportunities for oral comment will usually be limited to no more than three minutes per speaker and no more than fifteen minutes total. Deadlines for getting on the public speaker list for a meeting are given above. Speakers should bring at least 35 copies of their comments and presentation slides for distribution to the reviewers and public at the face-to-face meetings. *Written Comments:* Although the SAB accepts written comments until the date of the meeting (unless otherwise stated), written comments should be received in the SAB Staff Office at least one week prior to the meeting date so that the comments may be made available to the