

(EISs) was published in FR dated April 11, 1997 (62 FR 16154).

Draft EISs

ERP No. D-FHW-C40141-NY Rating EC2, Judd Road Connector Transportation Improvements, Funding and COE Section 404 Permit, Village of New York Mills, Towns of New Hartford and Whitestown, Oneida County, NY.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns about impacts to wetlands and recommended the Southern alignment and the single point interchange be chosen.

ERP No. D-FHW-G40146-NM Rating LO, New Mexico Highway 126 (NM-126), Cuba-La Cueva Road (also Known as Forest Highway 12) Improvement, COE Section 404 Permit and NPDES Permit, Sandoval and Rio Arriba Counties, NM.

Summary: EPA had no objection to the selection of the lead agency's preferred alternative as described in the DEIS.

ERP No. D-GSA-J81009-CO Rating EC2, Denver Federal Center Master Site Plan, Implementation, City of Lakewood, Jefferson County, CO.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns regarding potential water quality and wetland impacts. EPA requested that these issues be fully addressed in the final EIS. EPA also requested that clarification on how future development relate to the on going clean-up under RCRA and CERCLA.

ERP No. DS-COE-G32054-00 Rating LO, Red River Waterway, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma and Related Projects, New and Updated Information, Red River Below Denison Dam Levee Rehabilitation, Implementation, Hempstead, Lafayette and Miller Counties, AR.

Summary: EPA expressed no objection to the selection of the mitigation measures as described in the EIS based on the Corp's preferred alternative.

ERP No. DS-USA-E65040-MS Rating EC2, Camp Shelby Continued Military Training Activities, Use of National Forest Lands, Updated Information, Final Site Selection Authorization for Implementation of the Proposed G.V. (Sonny) Montgomery Ranges, Special Use Permit, DeSoto National Forest, Forrest, George and Perry Counties, MS.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns regarding potential wetland, wildlife habitat loss/modification and noise impacts. EPA requested that additional information on these issues be provided in the final document.

ERP No. D1-FAA-C51020-NY Rating EC2, Terminal Doppler Weather Radar (TDWR) Installation and Operation, Serve the John F. Kennedy International Airports (JFK) and La Guardia (LFA), Site Specific, Air Station Brooklyn, Borough of Queens, King County, NY.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns regarding potential hazardous waste and carbon monoxide air quality impacts. EPA requested that FAA commit to comprehensively characterize any contamination prior to implementation and do carbon monoxide hot spot analysis.

Final EISs

ERP No. F-DOE-E09802-SC, Savannah River Site, Shutdown of the River Water System (DOE/EIS-0268D), Implementation, Aiken, SC.

Summary: EPA continues to express concerns about the project's ecological risks and impacts on endangered species. EPA encourages completion of consultations with the Natural Resources Trustees before issuing any CERCLA Record of Decision on the River Water Distribution System.

ERP No. F-FHW-C40138-NY, NY-17 Highway Conversion from a Partial to a Full Access Control Facility, Five-Mile Point to Occanum and NY-17 Rehabilitation or Reconstruction, Funding and COE Section 404 Permit Issuance, Towns of Kirkwood and Windsor, Broome County, NY.

Summary: EPA's concerns were addressed in the final EIS and has no objections to implementing the project as proposed.

ERP No. F-TVA-E06017-AL, Bellefonte Nuclear Plant Conversion Project, Construction and Operation, NPDES Permit and COE Section 404 Permit, Tennessee River near Hollywood, AL.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns primarily involve the EIS connected issue of impacts associated with the construction of a natural gas pipeline (separate NEPA issue and federal lead agency) logically needed to adequately supply the proposed conversion of Bellefonte to natural gas. Proposed coordination with local residents was also recommended.

Regulations

ERP No. R-ACH-A99216-00, 36 CFR part 800—Revised Regulation Implementing Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Administration.

Summary: EPA's primary issue is the definition of "undertaking" EPA would like to resolve interpretation of this

definition before the regulations are adopted as final.

Dated: January 13, 1998.

William D. Dickerson,

Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5950-6]

Agency Information Collection Activities OMB Responses

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This document 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: Call 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. 1503.03; Data Acquisition for Registration; was approved 12/04/97; OMB No. 2070-0122; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 1250.05; Request for Contractor Access to TSCA Confidential Business Information; was approved 12/05/97; OMB No. 2070-0075; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 1666.03; NESHAP Subpart O: National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP) for Commercial Ethylene Oxide Sterilization and Fumigation Operations; was approved 12/05/97; OMB No. 2060-0283; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 1678.03; National Emission Standards for Magnetic Tape Manufacturing Operations—Subpart EE; was approved 12/05/97; OMB No. 2060-0326; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 0586.08; Preliminary Assessment Information Rule (PAIR)—TSCA Section 8(a); was approved 12/09/97; OMB No. 2070-0054; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 1611.03; National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP) for Chromium Emissions from Hard and Decorative Chromium Electroplating and Chromium Anodizing Tanks; was approved 12/09/97; OMB No. 2060-0327; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 1287.05; Questionnaires for Reviewing Operations and Maintenance (O&M), Biosolids Use (Biosolids), Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO), and Storm Water (SW) Awards Nominees under the NWMEAP; was approved 12/17/97; OMB No. 2040-0101; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 1805.01; National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Chemical Recovery Combustion Sources at Kraft, Soda, Sulfite, and Stand-Alone Semichemical Pulp Mills (Proposed Rule); was approved 12/22/97; OMB No. 2060-0377; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 1767.02; Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements for Primary Aluminum Reduction Plants; was approved 12/19/97; OMB No. 2060-0374; expires 12/31/2000.

EPA ICR No. 1591.08; Regulation of Fuels and Fuel Additives: Baseline Requirements for Gasoline Produced by Foreign Refiners; was approved 12/23/97; OMB No. 2060-0277; expires 12/31/2000.

Change in Expiration Date

EPA ICR No. 1778.01; Authorization of Indian Tribe Hazardous Waste Program; OMB No. 2050-0155; expiration date was changed from 08/31/99 to 11/30/97.

OMB Disapproval

EPA ICR 1811.01; National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutant for Polyester Polyols Production; was disapproved by OMB 12/10/97.

Dated: January 12, 1998.

Joseph Retzer,

Division Director, Regulatory Information Division.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5950-8]

Notice of Proposed Purchaser Agreement Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as Amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice; Request for Public Comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 122 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended by the Superfund amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622, notification is hereby given that a proposed purchaser agreement associated with the Grant Chemical Superfund Site in Philadelphia, PA, was executed by the Agency on September 30, 1997, and is subject to final approval by the Department of Justice. The Purchaser Agreement would resolve certain potential EPA claims under section 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9607, against National Street Associates, Inc., a Pennsylvania Corporation ("the Purchasers"). The settlement would require the purchaser to pay a principal payment of \$15,500 to the Hazardous Substance Superfund.

For thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this notice, the Agency will receive written comments relating to the proposed settlement. The Agency's response to any comments received will be available for public inspection at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III, 841 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before February 17, 1998.

AVAILABILITY: The proposed agreement and additional background information relating to the settlement are available for public inspection at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III, 841 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107. A copy of the proposed agreement may be obtained from Suzanne Canning, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Regional Docket Clerk (3RC00), 841 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107. Comments should be forwarded to Suzanne Canning at the address above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Rodney T. Carter (3RC21), Senior Assistant Regional Counsel, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 841 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107; (215) 566-2478.

Thomas Voltaggio,

Regional Administrator, Region III.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5949-3]

Lorentz Barrel and Drum Superfund Site; Notice of Proposed Administrative Settlement

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 122(i)(1) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA," commonly referred to as Superfund), 42 U.S.C., 9622(i) and section 7003(d) of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, as amended ("RCRA"), 42 U.S.C. 6973, notification is hereby given of a proposed cost recovery administrative settlement concerning the *Lorentz Barrel and Drum Superfund Site* in San Jose, CA (the "Site"). The United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") is proposing to enter into a *de minimis* settlement pursuant to section 122(g)(4) of CERCLA. This proposed settlement is intended to resolve the liabilities under CERCLA and RCRA of 42 *de minimis* parties for all past and future response costs associated with the *Lorentz Barrel and Drum Site*. The names of the settling parties are listed below in the Supplementary Information section. These 42 parties collectively have agreed to pay \$1,042,296.53 to EPA and \$490,492.51 to the California Department of Toxic Substances Control ("DTSC").

EPA is entering into this agreement under the authority of section 122(g)(4) of CERCLA. Section 122(g) authorizes early settlements with *de minimis* parties to allow them to resolve their liabilities at Superfund sites without incurring substantial transaction costs. A *de minimis* party is one that contributed a minimal amount of hazardous substances at a site, and contributed hazardous substances that are not significantly more toxic or of significantly greater hazardous effect