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Dated: August 28, 1998.
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Acting Assistant Administrator.

**APPENDIX A.—EFFLUENT GUIDELINES RULEMAKING PROJECTS AND PRELIMINARY STUDIES EFFLUENT GUIDELINES
 CURRENT AND FUTURE RULEMAKING PROJECTS**

Category	Proposed	Final
Pulp, Paper and Paperboard, Phases 2 & 3	12/17/93 ¹ (58 FR 66078)	¹ 2000–2002
Centralized Waste Treatment	1/27/95 (60 FR 5464)	³ 8/15/99
	Fall 1998 ⁴ (Re-proposal)	³ 8/15/99
Metal Products and Machinery	5/30/95 ² (60 FR 28209) (Phase 1 only)
	10/00	12/02
Industrial Laundries	12/17/97 (62 FR 66182)	6/99
Landfills	2/6/98 (63 FR 6425)	11/99
Industrial Waste Combustors (Incinerators)	2/6/98 (63 FR 6391)	11/99
Transportation Equipment Cleaning	6/25/98 (63 FR 34685)	6/15/00
Oil and Gas Extraction (Synthetic-based drilling fluids)	12/98	12/00
Iron and Steel Manufacturing	12/98 ³	³ 12/00
Coal Mining	12/99	12/01
Feedlots (Poultry and Swine subcategories)	12/99	12/01
Feedlots (Beef and Dairy Cattle)	12/00	12/02
Category to be selected	12/00	12/02
Category to be selected	12/01	12/03

Notes:

¹ The Pulp, Paper and Paperboard rulemaking is not covered by the January 31, 1992 consent decree.

² 5/30/95 proposal covered Phase 1 MP&M facilities only. The proposal in 10/00 will cover Phase 1 and 2 facilities combined.

³ EPA is discussing extensions to Consent Decree dates with NRDC.

⁴ A re-proposal for the Centralized Waste Treatment category is planned for Fall 1998. This action is not in the consent decree.

CURRENT PRELIMINARY STUDIES

Category	Complete
Feedlots	1998
Urban Storm Water	1998
Airport Deicing	1999

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**Environmental Impact Statements;
 Notice of Availability**

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564–7167 OR (202) 564–7153.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements
 Filed August 24, 1998 Through August 28, 1998

Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 980330, DRAFT SUPPLEMENT, NOA, CA, Coastal Pelagic Species Fishery Management Plan Amendment 8, (Formerly Known as Northern Anchovy Fishery Management Plan), Approval and Implementation, WA, CA and OR, Due: October 19, 1998, Contact: Jim Morgan (562) 980–4026.

EIS No. 980331, FINAL EIS, FRC, ND, IA, MN, IL, Alliance Natural Gas Pipeline Project, Construction and

Operation, Funding, NPDES Permit, COE Section 10 and 404 Permit, ND, MN, IA and IL, Due: October 05, 1998, Contact: Lauren O'Donnell (202) 208–0325.

EIS No. 980332, DRAFT EIS, FHW, TX, US–190 Corridor from FM2657 to the East City Limits of Copperas Cove, Transportation Improvements, Major Investment Study, Coryell and Lampasas Counties, TX, Due: October 19, 1998, Contact: Walter C. Waidelich (512) 916–5988.

EIS No. 980333, DRAFT EIS, AFS, CA, Lucerne Valley to Big Bear Valley Transmission Line/Substation Project, Construction and Operation of Three Electrical Power Facilities: 115 kV Line between the Cottonwood Substation in Lucerne Valley; Goldhill Substation and a new Bear Valley Substation, Special-Use-Permit and Right-of-Way Permit, San Bernardino County, CA, Due: October 22, 1998, Contact: Gene Zimmerman (619) 233–0952.

EIS No. 980334, DRAFT SUPPLEMENT, EDA, PA, Lackawanna County New Business Park, Development and Operation, Additional Information, Funding Support from Economic

Development Administration (EDA) under Title I, Site Lies Within Moosic Mountain Range, Straddling Jessup and Olyphant Boroughs, Lackawanna County, PA, Due: October 19, 1998, Contact: Edward L. Hummel (215) 597–6767.

EIS No. 980335, FINAL EIS, USA, AL, Fort McClellan (Main Post) Disposal and Reuse, Implementation, Calhoun, Cleburne, Randolph, Clay, Talladega, St. Clair, Etowah and Cherokee Counties, AL, Due: October 05, 1998, Contact: Carla K. Coulson (703) 697–0225.

EIS No. 980336, FINAL EIS, AFS, WA, White Pass Ski Area Expansion, Special-Use-Permit, Pigtail Basin and Hogback Basin, Wenatchee and Gifford Pinchot National Forests, Yakima and Lewis Counties, WA, Due: October 05, 1998, Contact: Jim Pence (509) 653–2205.

EIS No. 980337, DRAFT EIS, AFS, UT, South Spruce Ecosystem Rehabilitation Project, Implementation, Dixie National Forest, Cedar City Ranger District, Iron and Kane Counties, UT, Due: October 19, 1998, Contact: Phil Eisenhower (801) 865–3200.

EIS No. 980338, FINAL EIS, COE, CA, Santa Clara River and Major Tributaries Project, Approval of 404 Permit and 1603 Streambed Alteration Agreement, In portions of the City Santa Clarita, Los Angeles County, CA, Due: October 05, 1998, Contact: Bruce Henderson (805) 641-1128.

EIS No. 980339, DRAFT EIS, FRC, MI, IN, IL, Vector Pipeline Project, Natural Gas Pipeline and Associated above ground Facilities Construction and Operation, Approval, Joliet, IL to Vector Canada at the International Border near St. Clair, MI, Several Counties, MI, IN and IL, Due: October 19, 1998, Contact: David Boergers (202) 208-1371.

EIS No. 980340, FINAL EIS, BLM, NM, CO, Rio Grande Corridor Coordinated Resource Management Plan and Taos Management Plan Amendment, Activity-Level-Plans, Implementation, NM and CO, Due: October 05, 1998, Contact: Steve Henke (505) 758-8851.

Amended Notices

EIS No. 980262, DRAFT EIS, FHW, WA, WA-16/Union Avenue Vicinity to WA-302 Vicinity of Tacoma Improvements, Construction, Funding, Coast Guard Permit, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, Pierce County, WA, Due: September 30, 1998, Contact: James Leonard (360) 753-9408. Published FR 07-17-98 Review Period Extended.

EIS No. 980275, DRAFT EIS, FAA, NC, Charlotte/Douglas International Airport, Construction and Operation, New Runway 17/35 (Future 18L/36R Associated Taxiway Improvements, Master Plan Development, Approval Airport Layout Plan (ALP) and COE Section 404 Permit, Mecklenburg County, NC, Due: September 14, 1998, Contact: Thomas M. Roberts (404) 305-7153. Published FR 07-24-98—Review Period extended.

EIS No. 980321, DRAFT EIS, COE, WY, Little Snake Supplemental Irrigation Water Supply Project, Construction, Right-of-Way Permit and COE Section 404 Permit, Carbon County, WY, Due: October 12, 1998, Contact: Patsy Freeman (402) 221-3803. Published FR 08-28-98 Correction to Title.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared August 3, 1998 Through August 7, 1998 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) 260-5076. An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in FR dated April 10, 1998 (62 FR 17856).

Draft EISs

ERP No. D-AFS-J67027-MT Rating EC2, Stillwater Mine Revised Waste Management Plan and Hertzler Tailings Impoundment, Construction and Operation, Plan-of-Operation, and COE Section 404 Permit, Custer National Forest, Stillwater County, MT.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns about impact to water quality and suggested linkage between NPDES and groundwater permit, application of non-degradation water quality standard and water balance/pollutant load data.

ERP No. D-AFS-L65289-00 Rating EC2, Eastside Ecosystem Based Lands Management Plan, Implementation, Interior Columbia Basin Ecosystem Management Project, WA, OR, ID and MT.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns. EPA's most significant concerns are: (1) the lack of adequate provisions to identify and protect high quality waters and aquatic habitats, (2) the uncertainty with how impaired waters will be addressed, (3) the uncertainty with the nature of restoration and conservation efforts and their associated impacts, (4) the lack of a clear protocol for determining how conflicts between competing objectives and needs will be resolved, (5) the implications of less than full budget for implementation. EPA suggests combining some of the features of Alternatives 7 and with Alternative 4. EPA strongly supports ecosystem management principles on a broad scale to analyze resource issues that transcend jurisdictional boundaries.

ERP No. D-FHW-G40150-NM Rating EC2, I-25/I-40 Interchange and Adjacent Sections of I-25 and I-40, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue to

Comanche Road and Carlise Boulevard to South Street, Reconstruction, Funding and Right-of-Way Acquisition, Bernalillo County, NM.

Summary: EPA identified environmental concerns in the area of relocation, economic impacts, noise, and cumulative impact that need to be included in the final EIS. This information will complement the NEPA document and assure full compliance with the CEQ regulations.

ERP No. D-FHW-L40206-WA Rating EC2, WA-104/Edmonds Crossing Project, Connecting Ferries, Bus and Rail, Funding, NPDESs Permit and COE Section 10 and 404 Permit, City of Edmonds, Snohomish County, WA.

Summary: EPA expressed concern regarding the traffic analysis and how the alternative would result in decreased single-occupancy vehicle use as it related to air quality impacts. EPA also expressed concern regarding disposition of pier and terminal impact, and hazardous waste issues. EPA requested that these issues be clarified in the final document.

Final EISs

ERP No. F-COE-C39009-NY, Atlantic Coast of Long Island Jones Inlet to East Rockaway Inlet Storm Damage Reduction Project, Construction, Long Beach Island, Nassau County, NY.

Summary: EPA had no objections to the Corp's proposed storm damage protection project. EPA recommended that fully evaluate cumulative impacts prior to issuance of the Record of Decision (ROD), and commit to a flexible beach nourishment schedule in the ROD.

ERP No. F-FHW-E40355-FL, Miami Intermodal Center (MIC), Construction, Bounded by FL-112 on the north, FL-836 on the south, Miami International Airport landside terminal NW 27th Avenue on the east, along FL-836 that extends West to NW 57th Avenue, Dade County.

Summary: EPA review of the document finds that the environmental impacts of concern to EPA agency have been adequately addressed.

ERP No. FS-COE-E34002-00, Lake Seminole Hydrilla Action Plan Updated Information to the Lake Seminole and Jim Woodruff Lock and Dam, Operation and Maintenance Project, Implementation, Gadsden and Jackson Counties, FL; Decatur and Seminole Counties, GA and Houston County, AL.

Summary: EPA noted that the proposed modified aquatic weed control plan has some adverse environmental consequences, the plan represents a reasonable approach to balancing the many interests involved in this issue.