

Summary

EPA expressed objections to the sale's potential effect on water quality. Additional information is needed on cumulative effects, water quality/fish habitat effectiveness monitoring and documentation for environmental effort predictions.

ERP No. D-AFS-L81011-AK Rating LO, Helicopter Glacier Landing Tours, Implementation, Issuance of Special-Use-Permits, Tongass National Forest, Chatham Area, Juneau Ranger District, Alaska.

Summary

EPA had no objection to the proposed action.

Final EISs

ERP No. F-BLM-L67027-ID Stone Cabin Open Pit Gold and Silver Mine Development and Operation, Plan of Operations Approval and NPDES Permit Issuance, Florida Mountain, Boise District, Owyhee County, ID.

Summary

EPA continued to have environmental concerns with the preferred alternative. EPA's concerns are based on the proposed mitigation plan for the COE Section 404 permit application for wetland fill and on the effectiveness of the proposed treatment technology at the Delamar mine site.

Dated: February 28, 1995.

B. Katherine Biggs,

Associate Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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[ER-FRL-4720-7]**Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability**

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 260-5076 OR (202) 260-5075.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements Filed February 20, 1995 Through February 24, 1995 Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 950057, DRAFT EIS, DOE, WA, Washington Windplant No. 1, Construction and Operation, 115 Megawatt (MW) Windpower Project, Conditional-Use-Permit, NPDES and COE Section 404 Permits, Klickitat County, WA, Due: April 17, 1995, Contact: Kathy Fisher (503) 230-4275.

EIS No. 950058, DRAFT EIS, FRC, WI, Wisconsin River Basin Hydroelectric Project, Application for Licensing for ten FERC Hydroelectric Projects: Nos. 2119, 2239, 2476, 1999, 2212, 2590,

2256, 2255, 2291 and 2292, Vilas, Forest, Oneida, Lincoln, Marathon, Portage and Wood Counties, WI and Gogebic County, MI, Due: April 17, 1995, Contact: Sabina Joe (202) 219-1648.

EIS No. 950059, FINAL EIS, AFS, OR, Washington Analysis Area/Baker City Municipal Watershed Project, Implementation, Wallowa-Whitman National Forest, Baker Ranger District, Baker County, OR, Due: April 03, 1995, Contact: Chuck Ernst (503) 523-1901.

EIS No. 950060, FINAL EIS, NPS, NV, AZ, Lake Mead National Recreation Area, Management of Burros, Implementation, Clark Co., NV and Mohave Co., AZ, Due: April 03, 1995, Contact: Kent Turner (702) 293-8946.

EIS No. 950061, DRAFT EIS, AFS, CA, San Bernardino National Forest, Realignment and Reconstruction, Falls Road, Implementation, San Bernardino County, CA, Due: April 17, 1995, Contact: Hal Seyden (909) 884-6634.

EIS No. 950062, DRAFT EIS, AFS, CO, Loveland Ski Area Master Development Plan, Implementation, Arapaho National Forest, Clear Creek Ranger District, Clear Creek County, CO, Due: April 17, 1995, Contact: Sue Greenley (303) 567-2901.

EIS No. 950063, FINAL EIS, USN, RI, Davisville Naval Construction Battalion Center, Base Reuse and Development Plan, Implementation, Town of North Kingstown, Washington County, RI, Due: April 03, 1995, Contact: Robert Ostermueller (215) 595-0759.

EIS No. 950064, DRAFT EIS, USN, PA, Philadelphia (Former) Naval Base Hospital Disposal and Reuse, Implementation, City of Philadelphia, PA, Due: April 17, 1995, Contact: Tina Deininger (610) 595-0759.

EIS No. 950065, FINAL EIS, USN, CA, US Navy Lease of Fleet and Industrial Supply Center, (Naval Supply Center) Property of the Port of Oakland for Development of Intermodal Rail Facilities and Maritime Cargo-Related Tenant Uses, Alameda County, CA, Due: April 03, 1995, Contact: Raymond Chiang (415) 244-3022.

Dated: February 28, 1995.

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Associate Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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[FRL-5162-8]**Committee Meetings of the Grand Canyon Visibility Transport Commission**

AGENCY: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) is announcing a meeting of the Public Advisory Committee (PAC) of the Grand Canyon Visibility Transport Commission (Commission).

The PAC will meet from 10:00 a.m., MST on Thursday, March 9, to 12:00 Noon on Saturday, March 11, at the Woodlands Plaza Hotel, 1175 West Route 66, Flagstaff, Arizona. Activities on Thursday, March 9, will include a briefing on technical documents produced by the Commission's various committees, and a field trip to a visibility monitoring station at the Grand Canyon. Friday, March 10 and Saturday, March 11, will be devoted to a workshop during which the PAC will review the Commission's emissions inventory, emissions management scenarios, economic and demographic projections, and methodologies for assessing social, environmental, equity, and administrative impacts of emissions management scenarios.

The Commission was established by the EPA on November 13, 1991 (see 56 FR 57522, November 12, 1991). All meetings are open to the public. These meetings are not subject to provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. John T. Leary, Project Manager for the Grand Canyon Visibility Transport Commission, Western Governor's Association, 600 17th Street, Suite 1705, South Tower, Denver, Colorado 80202; telephone number (303) 623-9378; facsimile machine number (303) 534-7309.

Dated: February 23, 1995.

Mary D. Nichols,

Assistant Administrator for Air and Radiation.

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[FRL-5164-3]**Science Advisory Board; Notification of Public Advisory Committee Meetings**

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, notice is hereby given that several committees of the Science Advisory

Board (SAB) will meet on the dates and times described below. All times noted are Eastern Time. Documents that are the subject of SAB reviews are normally available from the originating EPA office and are not available from the SAB Office, unless otherwise specified. All meetings are open to the public, however, due to limited space, seating at meetings will be on a first-come basis.

1. Executive Committee (EC)

The Science Advisory Board's Executive Committee will conduct a public teleconference meeting on Monday, March 20, 1995, between the hours of 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. The meeting will be coordinated through a conference call connection at the Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street SW., Washington, DC 20460. Additional instructions about how to participate in the conference call (in person or via telephone) can be obtained by calling Ms. Constance Valentine at (202) 260-6552 or FAX (202) 260-7118 no later than March 13.

This is the first conference call meeting conducted by the Executive Committee. It stems from a recommendation of the Board's self-study committee that the SAB explore methods for speeding final action on reports from the Board's various committees. By conducting the final review of reports via conference call that take place between the quarterly face-to-face meetings of the Executive Committee, the production for final SAB reports can be shortened by as much as several weeks.

In this meeting the Executive Committee plans to review three reports from two of its Committees: (1) Environmental Health Committee—(a) Review of the Agency's Reproductive Toxicity Risk Assessment Guidelines and (b) Commentary on the Benchmark Dose; and (2) Drinking Water Committee—Review of the Agency's Arsenic in Drinking Water Document. Copies of these documents are available from Ms. Valentine at the above phone numbers.

Any member of the public wishing further information concerning the meeting or wishing to submit comments should contact Mr. A. Robert Flaak, Acting Designated Federal Official for the Executive Committee, Science Advisory Board (1400F), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Washington DC 20460; telephone (202) 260-6552; FAX (202) 260-7118; or via the INTERNET at FLAAK.ROBERT@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV.

2. Research Strategies Advisory Committee (RSAC)

The Research Strategies Advisory Committee (RSAC) of the SAB will meet on March 17, 1995, at the Holiday Inn, 550 C Street SW., Washington, DC. The meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m. and end no later than 5 p.m.

The Research Strategies Advisory Committee routinely reviews broad issues related to the planning and management of research activities within the Agency. At this meeting, RSAC will receive briefings on the FY 1996 President's Budget Request for the Office of Research and Development (ORD), the status of several management and reorganization initiatives within ORD, and the Agency's Research Strategic Planning activities. Based on these presentations, RSAC will offer recommendations to the Agency and develop its agenda for formal reviews later in this fiscal year.

Members of the public desiring additional information about the meeting, including a draft agenda, should contact Mrs. Constance Valentine, Staff Secretary, Science Advisory Board (1400F), US EPA, 401 M Street SW., Washington DC 20460, by telephone at (202) 260-6552 or fax at (202) 260-7118. Anyone wishing to submit written comments must forward at least 35 copies of their comments to Dr. Edward S. Bender, Designated Federal Official, at the above address, no later than March 13 for distribution to the Committee and the interested public. Dr. Bender may also be contacted via the INTERNET at: BENDER.EDWARD@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV.

3. Radionuclide Cleanup Standards Subcommittee (RCSS) of the Radiation Advisory Committee (RAC)

The Radionuclide Cleanup Standards Subcommittee (RCSS) of the Science Advisory Board's (SAB's) Radiation Advisory Committee (RAC), will continue its review of the technical basis of the Agency's Cleanup Standards for Radionuclides with a public teleconference meeting on Monday, March 27, 1995 from 11 am to 1 p.m. The RCSS formally began this review at its first public meeting on the topic on October 27 and 28, 1994 (See Federal Register Vol. 59, No. 191, Tuesday, October 4, 1994, pages 50600-50601), and had a follow-up review meeting on January 26 and 27, 1995 (See Federal Register Vol. 60, No. 5, January 9, 1995, pp. 2386-2387). This teleconference meeting is open to the public, but the number of lines available is limited and available on a first-come basis.

Additional instructions about how to participate in the conference call can be obtained by calling Ms. Diana Pozun at (202) 260-6552 or FAX (202) 260-7118 no later than March 21, 1995.

The draft documents that are the subject of this review are available from the originating EPA office (see below) and are not available from the SAB Office. These draft documents are: (1) Radiation Site Cleanup Regulations: Technical Support Document for the Development of Radionuclide Cleanup Levels for Soil, Review Draft, September, 1994. and (2) Radiation Site Cleanup Regulations: Technical Support Document for the Development of Radionuclide Cleanup Levels for Soil, Appendices, September 1994.

To discuss technical aspects of the draft documents, please contact Dr. Anthony B. Wolbarst, Chief, Remedial Guidance Section, Office of Radiation and Indoor Air (ORIA) (6603J), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street SW., Washington, DC 20460, tel. (202) 233-9392. To simply obtain copies of the draft documents, please contact Ms. Virginia Stradford, Secretary, at (202) 233-9350, FAX (202) 233-9650. The background documents that support this review, as well as the draft documents listed above are available in the Agency's Air and Radiation Docket. Please address written inquiries as follows: USEPA, Attn: Air and Radiation Docket, Mail Stop 6102, Air Docket No. A-93-27, Room M1500, First Floor, Waterside Mall, 401 M Street SW, Washington, DC 20460. The docket may be inspected from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding Federal holidays, in Room M1500. A reasonable fee may be charged for copies of docket materials. Inquiries regarding access to the public information docket should be directed to Ms. Lynn Johnson, ORIA Staff at (202) 233-9383.

The charge to the SAB is as follows:

(a) Is the methodology used by the Office of Radiation and Indoor Air (ORIA) for evaluating source terms for radioactively contaminated sites, for modeling transport to people, and for estimating risk to individuals and populations acceptable for providing a technical basis for writing a cleanup standard?

(b)(1) Are the assumptions for the combined residential/agricultural land use scenario, and the pathways model, reasonable and suitable for assessing risk at radioactively contaminated sites?

(2) Are the assumptions for the combined industrial/commercial land use scenario, and the pathways model, reasonable and suitable for assessing risk at radioactively contaminated sites?

(c) Is RESRAD version 5.01 suitable for modeling radiation risk to individuals at radioactively contaminated sites?

Members of the public who wish to make a brief oral presentation at this teleconference should contact Mrs. Diana L. Pozun, Staff Secretary, RCSS, (tel. 202-260-6552; FAX 202-260-7118) no later than March 21, 1995, in order to advise the Agency of your desire to participate in the teleconference and to have time reserved on the agenda for public comments. For a copy of the teleconference draft agenda, please contact Ms. Pozun at the numbers given above. For questions regarding technical issues to be discussed, please contact Dr. K. Jack Kooyoomjian, Designated Federal Official, Science Advisory Board (1400F), US EPA, 401 M Street SW., Washington DC 20460, by telephone at (202) 260-2560, FAX at (202) 260-7118, or via the INTERNET at: KOOYOOMJIAN.JACK@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV.

4. Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC)

The Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC) of the Science Advisory Board (SAB) will meet on March 21 and 22, 1995 at the Omni Europa Hotel, 1 Europa Drive, Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514. Phone: (919) 968-4900. The meeting will begin at 9 am and end no later than 5 pm on both days. The Committee will meet to review and provide advice on the scientific and technical adequacy of two EPA draft documents under preparation for use by the Agency in decision-making on possible retention or revision of the current National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) for Ozone. The documents to be reviewed are (a) the revised Air Quality Criteria for Ozone and Related Photochemical Oxidants (Ozone Criteria Document, CASAC Review Draft, February, 1995; prepared by the Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office of the U.S. EPA Office of Research and Development—ECAO) and (b) the Review of National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Ozone: Assessment of Scientific and Technical Information—Draft Staff Paper (the Staff Paper; prepared by the U.S. EPA Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards—OAQPS).

Ozone Criteria Document

The Revised version of the draft Ozone Criteria Document (CASAC Review Draft, February 1995) incorporates revisions made in response both to public comments on a December 1993 External Review Draft (EPA/600/AP-93/004a, b, c) of the document and

to CASAC comments on that earlier draft from a July 1994 review meeting. In its review of the Ozone Criteria Document, the CASAC will focus on several key subjects, including the following:

(a) *Acute Ozone Exposure Effects on Human Health*: Has the new data on acute ozone exposure effects (1 to 2 hour and 6 to 8 hour exposures) been adequately characterized in the revised Criteria Document? What is the public health significance of these findings from humans exposed to ozone concentrations lower than or equal to the current standard while undergoing intermittent, moderate exercise? To what extent does the data from acute exposure studies support the potential for possible chronic irreversible effects?

(b) *Chronic Effects of Ozone in Laboratory Animals*: Recently, information has been developed from chronic exposures (in diurnal or seasonal exposure patterns) of laboratory animals to near-ambient levels of ozone. How can the chronic effects data from laboratory animal studies be credibly interpreted with regard to whether long-term exposure to ozone leads to development or exacerbation of chronic lung disease? Do the recent dosimetry model results discussed in the Criteria Document allow for application of this information to risk assessment for human population groups?

(c) *Characterization of Ozone Vegetation Effects*: Characterization of ozone exposure parameters associated with effects on plants remains controversial. Has the Ozone Criteria Document adequately assessed and interpreted the available scientific literature on this subject (especially relative to agricultural crops, tree growth and reproduction, and subsequent impacts on natural ecosystems)? Of crucial interest is the relative importance of peak versus mid-level ozone concentrations in eliciting responses in plants.

Ozone Staff Paper

The February 1995 Draft Ozone Staff Paper draws upon scientific evaluations contained in the above-mentioned Ozone Criteria Document and other information (e.g., estimated human exposures and risks) to assess health effects due to ozone. The draft Staff Paper includes preliminary staff conclusions and recommendations for further consideration of alternative primary NAAQS for ozone. A subsequent draft of the Ozone Staff Paper will include information and assessments of ecological effects. The key issues listed above, of interest in

review of the Draft Ozone Criteria Document, are also important in the review of the Draft Ozone Staff Paper. In addition, CASAC will review the results of the Agency's (OAQPS) human exposure and health risk analyses.

Availability of Documents

Copies of the revised Draft Ozone Criteria Document will be mailed to parties who submitted comments to EPA on the earlier December 1993 External Review Draft. A limited number of copies of the Criteria Document will also be available to interested parties at the March 21-22, 1995 CASAC meeting. Copies will also be available for public inspection in the EPA Air Docket (401 M St., S.W., Washington, DC). Following the March 21-22, 1995 meeting, further revisions to reflect that review and final editorial changes will be made to produce a final version of the document in time for EPA publication in 1995. For more information regarding the draft Criteria Document, contact Diane Ray (Phone: 919-541-3637; FAX: 919-541-1818).

Single copies of the Ozone Staff Paper may be obtained from Dr. David J. McKee, Air Quality Standards and Strategies Division, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards (MD-15), U.S. EPA, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711. Dr. McKee can also be reached by phone at (919) 541-5288 or by FAX at (919) 541-0237. The Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards (OAQPS) will accept written comments from the public on all aspects of their draft of the Ozone Staff Paper. Written comments will be accepted by Dr. McKee through April 15, 1995. Comments should be sent to Dr. McKee at the previously stated address.

Single copies of the draft exposure analyses, and a draft health risk assessment report are available by contacting Mr. Harvey Richmond, U.S. EPA, MD-15, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711. Mr. Richmond can also be reached by phone at (919) 541-5271 or by FAX at (919) 541-0824. OAQPS will accept written comments from the public on all aspects of their draft exposure and risk analyses reports. Please forward comments to Mr. Richmond through April 15, 1995 at the previously stated OAQPS address.

Members of the public desiring additional information about the meeting should contact Mr. Randall Bond, Designated Federal Official, Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee, Science Advisory Board (1400), U.S. EPA, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460, by telephone at (202) 260-8414 or by FAX at (202) 260-1889, or via the INTERNET at

BOND.RANDALL@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV. Those individuals requiring a copy of the draft Agenda and the charge to the committee should contact Ms. Lori Anne Gross at (202) 260-8414 or by FAX at (202) 260-1889 or via the INTERNET at GROSS.LORI@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV. Additional information concerning the Science Advisory Board, its structure, function, and composition, may be found in The Annual Report of the Staff Director which is available by contacting Ms. Gross at the previously stated address.

Members of the public who wish to make a brief oral presentation to the Committee concerning the scientific issues contained in the draft document(s) must contact Mr. Bond in writing (by letter or by FAX—see previously stated information) no later than 12 noon Eastern Time, Friday, March 10, 1995 in order to be included on the Agenda. Public comments will be limited to five minutes per speaker or organization. The request should identify the name of the individual who will make the presentation, the organization (if any) they will represent, any requirements for audio visual equipment (e.g. overhead projector, 35mm projector, chalkboard, etc.), and provide at least 35 copies of an outline of the issues to be addressed or the presentation itself.

5. Providing Oral or Written Comments at SAB Meetings

The Science Advisory Board expects that public statements presented at its meetings will not be repetitive of previously submitted oral or written statements. In general, each individual or group making an oral presentation will be limited to a total time of five minutes. For conference call meetings, opportunities for oral comment will be limited to no more than five minutes per speaker and no more than fifteen minutes total. Written comments (at least 35 copies) received in the SAB Staff Office sufficiently prior to a meeting date, may be mailed to the relevant SAB committee or subcommittee prior to its meeting; comments received too close to the meeting date will normally be provided to the committee at its meeting. Written comments may be provided to the relevant committee or subcommittee up until the time of the meeting.

Dated: February 22, 1995.
Samuel Rondberg,
Acting Staff Director, Science Advisory Board.
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[FRL-5164-2]

Meeting of the Small Town Environmental Planning Task Force

On March 28 and 29, 1995, the Small Town Environmental Planning Task Force (STTF) will conduct its fourth meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to review and discuss the Agency's responses to their recommendations paper presented at the October 1994 meeting, discuss the progress of the various work groups, discuss current proposals which focus on regulatory reform and consultation, and activities necessary to comply with the provisions of the Small Town Environmental Planning Act (42 U.S.C. 6908).

The Task Force is charged with identifying regulations developed pursuant to Federal environmental laws which pose significant compliance problems for small towns; identifying the means to improve the working relationship between the Environmental Protection Agency and small towns; reviewing proposed regulations for the protection of environmental and public health and suggesting revisions that could improve the ability of small towns to comply with such regulations; and identifying the means to promoting regionalization of environmental treatment systems and infrastructure serving small towns to improve the economic conditions of such systems and infrastructure.

The meeting will be held at the Days Inn, located at 1201 K Street NW., Washington, DC 20005. The meeting will begin at 8 a.m. on March 28th and conclude at 3:30 p.m. on March 29th.

The Designated Federal Officer (DFO) for this Committee is Christine Zawlocki. She is the point of contact for information concerning any Committee matters and can be reached by calling (202) 260-0244 or by writing to: U.S. EPA, 401 M Street SW. (1502), Washington, DC 20460.

This is an open meeting and all interested persons are invited to attend. Meeting minutes will be available within thirty days after the meeting and can be obtained by written request from the DFO. Members of the public are requested to call the DFO at the above number if planning to attend so that arrangements can be made to comfortably accommodate attendees as much as possible.

Christine Zawlocki,
Designated Federal Official, Office of Regional Operations and State/Local Relations.

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[FRL-S164-4]

Proposed Settlement Under Section 122(h) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of proposed administrative settlement and opportunity for public comment.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is proposing to enter into an administrative settlement to resolve claims under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation & Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), as amended. Notice is being published to inform the public of the proposed settlement and of the opportunity to comment. This settlement is intended to resolve liabilities of five parties for certain response costs incurred by EPA at the Rockaway Borough Well Field Superfund Site.

DATES: Comments must be provided by not later than April 3, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Regional Counsel, New Jersey Superfund Branch, 17th floor, 290 Broadway, New York, New York 10007-1866 and should refer to: In the Matter of the Rockaway Borough Well Field Superfund Site, U.S. EPA Index No. II CERCLA-94-0123.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Regional Counsel, New Jersey Superfund Branch, 17th floor, 290 Broadway, New York, New York 10007-1866, (212) 264-3415, Attention: Bruce Aber, Esq.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with Section 122(i)(1) of CERCLA, notice is hereby given of a proposed administrative settlement concerning the Rockaway Borough Well Field Superfund Site which is located in Rockaway, New Jersey. Section 122(h) of CERCLA provides EPA with authority to consider, compromise, and settle certain claims for costs incurred by the United States.

Klockner & Klockner, a general partnership, Multi-form Metals, Inc., Ferraz Corporation, Roned Realty Company, a limited partnership, and Lusardi's Cleaners, Inc. will pay a total of \$859,365 under this agreement to reimburse EPA for certain response costs incurred at the Rockaway Borough Well Field Superfund Site.

A copy of the proposed administrative settlement agreement, as well as