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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Food Safety and Inspection Service

[Docket No. 95-042N]

National Advisory Committee on Microbiological Criteria for Foods; Subcommittee Meeting

The National Advisory Committee on Microbiological Criteria for Foods (NACMCF), Subcommittee on the Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points System (HACCP), will hold a meeting on October 10 and 11, 1995, at the National Center for Food Safety and Technology, Room 304, 6502 South Archer Road, Summit-Argo, Illinois 60501, (708) 563-1576. The Subcommittee will meet on Tuesday, October 10, from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. and on Wednesday, October 11, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The Subcommittee's work is under the auspices of the NACMCF which provides advice and recommendations to the Secretaries of Agriculture, and Health and Human Services concerning the development of microbiological criteria by which the safety and wholesomeness of food can be assessed. This includes criteria pertaining to microorganisms that indicate whether food has been processed using good manufacturing practices. The Food Safety and Inspection Service has asked the NACMCF to review and consider modifications to the NACMCF document on HACCP which was adopted in 1992. The Subcommittee has been charged with conducting the review of the document.

The Subcommittee meeting is open to the public on a space available basis. Interested persons may file comments prior to and following the meeting. Comments should be addressed to: Mr. Craig Fedchok, Advisory Committee Specialist, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food Safety and Inspection Service, Room 311, 1255 22nd Street NW., West End Court Building,

Washington, DC 20250-3700.

Comments may also be sent to Mr. Fedchok on FAX No. (202) 254-2530. Background materials are available for inspection by contacting Mr. Fedchok on (202) 254-2517.

Done at Washington, DC, on: September 27, 1995.

Michael R. Taylor,

Administrator.

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Forest Service

Appalachian Power Company Transmission Line Construction-Cloverdale, VA, to Oceana, WV; George Washington and Jefferson National Forests, Appalachian National Scenic Trail, the New River, and R.D. Bailey Lake Flowage Easement Land; Virginia Counties of Botetourt, Roanoke, Craig, Montgomery, Pulaski, Bland, and Giles and the West Virginia Counties of Monroe, Summers, Mercer, and Wyoming

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Revised notice—revises the publication date for the draft and final environmental impact statements; changes the name of the responsible official for the National Park Service and provides updated information on the federal agencies' analysis.

SUMMARY: The Forest Service will prepare a draft and final environmental impact statement on a proposed action to authorize the Appalachian Power Company to construct a 765,000-volt transmission line across approximately twelve miles of the George Washington and Jefferson National Forests, as well as portions of the Appalachian National Scenic Trail, the New River (at Bluestone Lake) and R.D. Bailey Lake Flowage Easement Land (at Guyandotte River).

The federal agencies identified a study area in which alternatives to the proposed action were developed. The study area includes land located in the Virginia counties of Botetourt, Roanoke, Craig, Montgomery, Pulaski, Bland and Giles and the West Virginia counties of Monroe, Summers, Mercer and Wyoming.

The Appalachian Power Company proposal involves federal land under the administrative jurisdiction of the USDA

Forest Service (George Washington and Jefferson National Forests), the USDI National Park Service (Appalachian National Scenic Trail) and the US Army Corps of Engineers (New River and R.D. Bailey Lake Flowage Easement Land).

The Forest Service is the lead agency and is responsible for the preparation of the environmental impact statement. The National Park Service and the US Army Corps of Engineers are cooperating agencies in accordance with 40 CFR 1501.6.

In initiating and conducting the analysis the federal agencies are responding to the requirements of their respective permitting processes and the need for the Appalachian Power Company to cross federal lands with the proposed transmission line.

The Forest Service additionally will assess how the proposed transmission line conforms to the direction contained in the Jefferson National Forest's Land and Resource Management Plan (LRMP). Changes in the LRMP could be required if the transmission line is authorized across the George Washington and Jefferson National Forests.

The total length of the electric transmission line proposed by the Appalachian Power Company is approximately 115 miles.

The Notice of Intent for the proposed action was published in the Federal Register on November 21, 1991 (56 FR 58677-58679). The Notice was revised on March 13, 1992 (57 FR 8859), April 24, 1992 (57 FR 15049), June 16, 1993 (58 FR 33248-33250) June 21, 1994 (59 FR 31975-31978) and June 9, 1995 (60 FR 30511-30514).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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TO PROVIDE COMMENTS TO THE FEDERAL AGENCIES:

Write to the George Washington and Jefferson National Forests, Attn: Transmission Line Analysis, 5162 Valleypointe Parkway, Roanoke, Virginia, 24019.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Appalachian Power Company submitted