

Inspections of fuel and fuel additive dispensing facilities;  
 Inspections of fuel and fuel additive refining, importing and distribution facilities;

Motor vehicle tampering and urban bus retrofit inspections;  
 Motor vehicle air conditioning repair inspections;  
 Audits of fuel refiners, importers, and oxygenate blenders;  
 Detergent rule audits;  
 Laboratory analysis of fuel and fuel additive samples;  
 Litigation support; and  
 Audits of aftermarket catalytic converter warranty cards.

The types of information that may be disclosed include records related to the production, importation, distribution, sale, storage, testing and transportation of gasoline, gasoline blendstocks, diesel fuel, diesel fuel blendstocks, and detergent additives; and records related to the manufacture, importation, certification, testing, emission control warranty, repair, modification and fueling of motor vehicles and motor vehicle engines.

It is necessary for Bionetics to have access to these records in order to evaluate whether regulated parties are in compliance with the regulatory requirements, described above, and to prepare reports to the Air Enforcement Division on their conclusions.

Bionetics may be assisted in these activities by a subcontractor, Patterson and Associates of Houston, Texas, subcontract number 523-001.

In accordance with 40 CFR 2.301(h)(2), EPA has determined that disclosure of confidential business information to Bionetics and its subcontractor is necessary for these entities to carry out the work required by this contract. EPA is issuing this notice to inform all submitters of information to the Air Enforcement Division under sections 114, 203, 208, 211 and 307(a) of the Act that the Agency may provide access to CBI contained in such submittals to Bionetics and their subcontractor as necessary to carry out work under this contract. Disclosure of CBI under this contract may continue until April 30, 2001.

As required by 40 CFR 2.301(h)(2), the Bionetics contract includes provisions to assure the appropriate treatment of CBI disclosed to contractors and subcontractors.

Dated: September 16, 1996.

Sylvia K. Lowrance,

*Acting Assistant Administrator for Enforcement and Compliance Assurance.*

[FR Doc. 96-24288 Filed 9-20-96; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6560-50-P

[FRL-5613-9]

**Region 10; Notice of Issuance of OCS Permit to BP Exploration (Alaska) Incorporated Beaufort Sea, Alaska**

Notice is hereby given that on September , 1996, the Environmental Protection Agency issued an outer continental shelf (OCS) permit to BP Exploration (Alaska) Incorporated to conduct exploratory oil well drilling in the Beaufort Sea, Alaska.

The OCS permit has been issued under the outer continental shelf (40 CFR Part 55) regulations, subject to certain conditions specified in the permit. The final permit decision shall become effective 30 days after (date of this notice) unless review is requested under 40 CFR § 124.19. Petition for review of this final OCS permit decision must be filed on or before October 23, 1996 in accordance with 40 CFR § 124.19.

Copies of the OCS permit and administrative record are available for public inspection upon request at the following location: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10, 1200 Sixth Avenue, M/S OAQ-107, Seattle, Washington 98101.

Dated: September 6, 1996.

Chuck Clarke,

*Regional Administrator.*

[FR Doc. 96-24286 Filed 9-20-96; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6560-50-P

[FRL 5614-5]

**Agency Information Collection Activities; Under OMB Review**

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice 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:** Sandy Farmer (202) 260-2740, please refer to the appropriate EPA Information Collection Request (ICR) Number.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

OMB Responses to Agency Clearance Requests

*OMB Approvals*

EPA ICR No. 0976.08; The 1997 Hazardous Waste Report; was approved 09/03/96; OMB No. 2050-0024; expires 09/30/99.

EPA ICR No. 0983.05; NSPS for Standard of Performance for Petroleum Refineries—Subpart GGG; was approved 08/05/96; OMB No. 2060-0067; expires 08/31/99.

EPA ICR No. 0998.05; NSPS for SOCOMI Air Oxidation and Distillation—Subpart III and NNN; was approved 08/13/96; OMB No. 2060-0197; expires 08/31/99.

EPA ICR No. 1167.05; NSPS for Lime Manufacturing—Subpart HH; was approved 08/14/96; OMB No. 2060-0063; expires 08/31/99.

EPA ICR No. 1084.05; Amendments to NSPS for Nonmetallic Mineral Processing Plants; was approved 09/03/96; OMB No. 2060-0050; expires 09/30/99.

EPA ICR No. 1088.08; NSPS for Steam Generating Unit, Sulfur Dioxide, Nitrogen Oxide, Particulate Matter; was approved 08/19/96; OMB No. 2060-0072; expires 08/31/99.

EPA ICR No. 1778.01; Authorization of Indian Tribe Hazardous Waste Programs under RCRA Subtitle C; was approved 08/30/96; OMB No. 2050-0155; expires 08/31/99.

EPA ICR No. 1745.02; Criteria for Classification of Solid Waste Disposal Facilities and Practices, Recordkeeping and Reporting Requirements—40 CFR Part 257; was approved 09/12/96; OMB No. 2050-0154; expires 09/30/99.

EPA ICR No. 1139.05; TSCA Section 4 Test Rules, Consent Orders and Test Rule Exemptions; was approved 09/06/96; OMB No. 2070-0033; expires 09/30/99.

EPA ICR No. 0938.06; General Administrative Requirements for Assistance Programs; was approved 09/12/96; OMB No. 2030-0020; expires 09/30/99.

EPA ICR No. 1774.01; Information Collection Activities Associated with EPA's Mobile Air Conditioner Retrofitting Program; was approved 09/12/96; OMB No. 2060-0350; expires 09/30/99.

EPA ICR No. 1053.05; NSPS for Electric Utility Steam Generating Units (Subpart Da); was approved 09/12/96; OMB No. 2060-0023; expires 09/30/96.

EPA ICR No. 1432.16; Recordkeeping and Periodic Reporting of the Production, Import, Export, Recycling, Destruction, Transshipment, and