

model development and validation. Interested observers may also attend the workshop. There will be opportunity for brief oral comments from observers.

Written versions of workshop presentations and a summary of key points emerging from the workshop discussions are expected to be included in subsequently published workshop proceedings. Information regarding how to obtain copies of the proceedings will be provided to workshop registrants at the time of the workshop or shortly thereafter.

Dated: October 2, 1996.

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Assistant Administrator for Research and Development.

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Scientific Counselors Board Executive Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C., App. 2), notice is hereby given that the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Office of Research and Development's (ORD), Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC), will hold its Executive Committee Meeting, October 18, 1996, at the Crystal Gateway Marriott, 1700 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia. The meeting will start at 8:30 am and adjourn at 5:30 pm. All times noted are Eastern Time. The meeting is open to the public. Any member of the public wishing to make comments at the meeting, should contact Shirley Hamilton, Designated Federal Official, Office of Research and Development (8701), 401 M Street, S.W., Washington, DC 20460; by telephone at (202) 260-0468. In general, each individual making an oral presentation will be limited to a total time of three minutes. Anyone desiring a draft BOSC agenda may fax their request to Shirley R. Hamilton, (202) 260-0929.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Shirley R. Hamilton, Designated Federal Official, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Research and Development, NCERQA (MC8701), 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460, 202-260-0468.

Dated: October 1, 1996.

Robert J. Huggett,

Assistant Administrator for Research and Development.

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Indiana: Final Full Program Determination of Adequacy of State Municipal Solid Waste Landfill Permit Program

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5.

ACTION: Notice of final full program determination of adequacy on Indiana's application.

SUMMARY: Section 4005(c)(1)(B) of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), as amended by the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments (HSWA) of 1984, requires States to develop and implement permit programs to ensure that municipal solid waste landfills (MSWLFs) which may receive household hazardous waste or small quantity generator waste will comply with the revised Federal MSWLF Criteria (40 CFR Part 258). RCRA section 4005(c)(1)(C) requires the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) to determine whether States have adequate "permit" programs for MSWLFs, but does not mandate issuance of a rule governing such determinations. The U.S. EPA has proposed a State/Tribal Implementation Rule (STIR) (61 FR 2584, January 26, 1996) that provides procedures by which the U.S. EPA will approve, or partially approve, State/Tribal landfill permit programs. The Agency intends to approve adequate State MSWLF permit programs as applications are submitted. Thus, these approvals are not dependent on final promulgation of the STIR. Prior to final promulgation of the STIR, adequacy determinations will be made based on statutory authorities and requirements. In addition, States/Tribes may use the proposed STIR as an aid in interpreting these requirements. The Agency believes that early approvals have an important benefit. Approved State/Tribal permit programs provide for interaction between the State/Tribe and the owner/operator regarding site-specific permit conditions. Only those owners/operators located in States/Tribes with approved permit programs can use the site-specific flexibility provided by 40 CFR Part 258 to the extent the State/Tribal permit program allows such flexibility.

Indiana applied for a partial program determination of adequacy under

Section 4005 of RCRA on June 3, 1993. The U.S. EPA reviewed Indiana's application and made a final determination of adequacy (58 FR 59261, November 8, 1993) for those portions of the MSWLF permit program that were adequate to ensure compliance with the revised Federal MSWLF Criteria. Indiana amended its original application and applied for full program approval on June 27, 1996. The U.S. EPA reviewed Indiana's amended application and today is issuing a tentative determination of adequacy for all portions of Indiana's MSWLF permit program. Indiana's amended application for full program adequacy determination is available for public review and comment. The tentative determination will become final and effective sixty (60) days following the date of this publication if no adverse comments are received.

DATES: The determination of adequacy for Indiana shall be effective on December 9, 1996, unless adverse comments are received. If adverse comments are received, a second Federal Register Notice will be published describing these comments and the U.S. EPA's responses to the comments and decision on final adequacy.

All comments on Indiana's application for a full determination of adequacy must be received by the U.S. EPA Region 5 by the close of business on November 7, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Copies of Indiana's application for a full determination of adequacy are available for inspection and copying from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. during normal working days at the following addresses: Indiana Department of Environmental Management, 100 North Senate Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana 46206, Attn: Ms. Lynn West; and U.S. EPA Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604, Attn: Ms. Susan Mooney, mail code DRP-8J. All written comments should be sent to the EPA Region 5 Office.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: U.S. EPA Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois, 60604, Attn: Ms. Susan Mooney, mailcode DRP-8J, telephone (312) 886-3585.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Background

On October 9, 1991, the U.S. EPA promulgated revised Federal MSWLF Criteria (40 CFR Part 258). Subtitle D of RCRA, as amended by the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments of 1984 (HSWA), requires States to develop permitting programs to ensure that facilities comply with the revised