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Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; State of California; Determination Regarding Applicability of Certain Reasonable Further Progress and Attainment Demonstration Requirements; Monterey Bay Area

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPR).

SUMMARY: In the Final Rules section of this Federal Register, EPA is approving as revisions to the California State Implementation Plan (SIP) for the Monterey ozone nonattainment area, the maintenance plan, emission inventory, emission statement rule and volatile organic compounds (VOC) and oxides of nitrogen (NOx) reasonably available control technology (RACT) rules. EPA is also making the determination that the Monterey Bay Area has attained the ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) and a determination regarding the applicability of the Reasonable Further Progress (RFP) and attainment demonstration and related requirements based on the area's attainment of the ozone NAAQS. Finally, EPA is redesignating the Monterey Bay Area from nonattainment to attainment for the ozone NAAQS. A detailed rationale for this action is set forth in the direct final rule. If no adverse comments are received in response to the direct final rule, no further activity is contemplated in relation to this proposed rule. If EPA receives adverse comments concerning any part of the rule, EPA will withdraw the direct final rule and address the comments in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. EPA will not institute a second comment period on this document. Any parties interested in commenting on this document should do so at this time.

DATES: Comments on this action must be received by February 18, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be mailed to: David P. Howekamp, Director, Air Toxics Division (A–1), United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105.

Copies of the redesignation request, State submittals and the EPA's technical support document (TSD) are available for public review at the above address and at the California Air Resources Board, 2020 L Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, or the Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District, 24580 Silver Cloud Court, Monterey, CA 93940.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Julia Barrow, Chief, Plans Development Section (A–2–2), Air Planning Branch, United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, California, 94105, (415) 744–1207.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This document concerns the Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District SIP revisions and redesignation to attainment for ozone. For further information, please see the information provided in the Direct Final action located in the Final Rules section of this Federal Register.

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Dated: November 15, 1996.

Felicia Marcus,

Regional Administrator.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Law Enforcement—Criminal

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Proposed regulations, extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: On November 7, 1996, the Bureau of Land Management (''BLM'') published a document in the Federal Register announcing a proposed rule to revise and consolidate many of the regulations which instruct the public regarding BLM criminal law enforcement (61 FR 57605). The 60-day comment period for the proposed rule expired on January 6, 1997. After receiving requests for more time to comment, BLM extended the comment period for 30 days (61 FR 66008, December 16, 1996). Once again, BLM has received requests for an extension of the comment period. BLM is therefore extending the comment period for an additional 30 days.

DATES: Submit comments by March 7, 1997.

ADDRESSES: If you wish to comment, you may:

(a) Hand-deliver comments to the Bureau of Land Management, Administrative Record, Room 401, 1620 L St., NW., Washington, DC.;

(b) Mail comments to the Bureau of Land Management, Administrative Record, Room 401LS, 1849 C Street, NW., Washington, DC 20240; or

(c) Send comments through the Internet to WOComment@wo.blm.gov. Please include ''attn: AC30'', and your name and return address in your Internet message. If you do not receive a confirmation from the system that we have received your Internet message, please contact us directly at (202) 452–5030.

You will be able to review comments at BLM's Regulatory Affairs Group office, Room 401, 1620 L Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., during regular business hours (7:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.) Monday through Friday.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Erica Petacchi, (202) 452–5084, or Dennis McLane, (208) 387–5126.

Dated: January 13, 1997.

Annetta Cheek,

Regulatory Affairs Group Manager.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 69

[CC Docket No. 97–21] [FCC 97–11]

Changes to the Board of Directors of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc.

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice of Proposed rulemaking and notice of inquiry.

SUMMARY: On January 10, 1997, the Commission adopted a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) and an accompanying Notice of Inquiry (NOI) to amend the Commission's rules consistent with proposals to permit the National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA) to change the size and composition of its Board of Directors. In the NPRM, the Commission tentatively concludes that the composition of NECA's Board of Directors must be altered to make the Board more representative of all segments of the telecommunications industry before NECA may be appointed as the temporary administrator of the new universal service support mechanisms, pursuant to the Universal Service proceeding in CC Docket 96–45. In the