ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52

[TN-142-9727(b); FRL-5873-1]

Approval and Promulgation of Revisions to Tennessee SIP Chapter 1200–3–5 Visible Emissions

AGENCY: Environmental Protection

Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: On October 4, 1994 Tennessee submitted, through the Department of Environment and Conservation, a new chapter 1200-3-5 Visible Emissions to replace the existing chapter 1200-3-5 Visible Emissions found in the Tennessee State Implementation Plan (SIP). These revisions include amendments and repeals of existing rules. In the final rules section of this Federal Register, the EPA is approving the revision as a direct final rule without prior proposal because the EPA views this as a noncontroversial revision amendment and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for the approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If no adverse comments are received in response to that direct final rule no further activity is contemplated in relation to this proposed rule. If EPA receives adverse comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. The EPA will not institute a second comment period on this document. Any parties interested in commenting should do so at this time. **DATES:** To be considered, comments must be received by September 15, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Written comments on this action should be addressed to Randy Terry at the Environmental Protection Agency, Region 4 Air Planning Branch, 61 Forsyth Street, Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

Copies of documents relative to this action are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following locations. The interested persons wanting to examine these documents should make an appointment with the appropriate office at least 24 hours before the visiting day and reference file TN 142–01–9727. The Region 4 office may have additional background documents not available at the other locations.

Air and Radiation Docket and Information Center (Air Docket 6102), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 4 Air Planning Branch, 61 Forsyth Street, SW., Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

Department of Environment and Conservation, 9th Floor L & C Annex, 401 Church Street, Nashville, TN 37243–1531.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Randy Terry, Regulatory Planning Section, Air Planning Branch, Air, Pesticides & Toxics Management Division, Region 4 Environmental Protection Agency, 61 Forsyth Street, SW., Atlanta, Georgia 30303. The telephone number is (404) 562–9032.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: For additional information see the direct final rule which is published in the rules section **Federal Register**.

Dated: July 9, 1997.

Michael V. Peyton,

Acting Regional Administrator.
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40 CFR Part 300

[FRL-5874-3]

National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of intent to delete Northwest Transformer South Harkness Street site from the National Priorities List Update; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region 10, announces its intent to delete the Northwest Transformer South Harkness Street Site in Everson, Washington, from the National Priorities List (NPL) and requests public comment on this proposed action. The NPL constitutes Appendix B of 40 CFR part 300 which is the National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan (NCP), which EPA promulgated pursuant to Section 105 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) of 1980, as amended. EPA and the State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) have determined that the Site poses no significant threat to public health or the environment and, therefore, further remedial measures pursuant to CERCLA are not appropriate.

DATES: Comments concerning this Site may be submitted on or before September 15, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be mailed to: Timothy H. Brincefield, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Sixth Avenue, Mail Stop ECL–111, Seattle, WA 98101.

Comprehensive information on this Site is available through the Region 10 public docket which is available for viewing at the NW Transformer South Harkness Site information repositories at the following locations:

Whatcom County Public Library, Kirsch Drive, Everson, Washington 98247.

United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10, Office of Environmental Cleanup—Records Center, Attn: Bob Phillips, 1200 Sixth Avenue, Mail Stop ECL–110, Seattle, Washington 98101.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Timothy H. Brincefield, U.S. EPA Region 10, 1200 Sixth Avenue, Mail Stop ECL–111, Seattle, Washington 98101, (206) 553–2100.

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I. Introduction

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region 10 announces its intent to delete a site from the National Priorities List (NPL), Appendix B of the National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan (NCP), 40 CFR part 300, and requests comments to this deletion. EPA identifies sites on the NPL that appear to present a significant risk to human health or the environment. As described in section 300.425(e)(3) of the NCP, sites deleted from the NPL remain eligible for Fundfinanced remedial actions in the unlikely event that conditions at the site warrant such actions.

EPA plans to delete the Northwest Transformer South Harkness Street Site ("Site") at 107 South Harkness Street, Everson Washington, from the NPL.

EPA will accept comments on the plan to delete this Site for thirty days after publication of this document in the **Federal Register**.

Section II of this document explains the criteria for deleting sites from the NPL. Section III discusses procedures that EPA is using for this action. Section IV discusses the South Harkness Street Site and explains how the Site meets deletion criteria.