

produce new air quality violations, worsen existing violations, or delay timely attainment of the national ambient air quality standards.

The criteria by which we determine whether a SIP's motor vehicle emissions budgets are adequate for conformity purposes are outlined in 40 CFR 93.118(e)(4). Please note that an adequacy review is separate from our completeness review which is required by section 110(k)(1) of the Clean Air Act, and it also should not be used to prejudge EPA's ultimate approval of the SIP. Even if we find a budget adequate, the SIP could later be disapproved.

We've described our process for determining the adequacy of submitted SIP budgets in guidance (May 14, 1999 memo titled "Conformity Guidance on Implementation of March 2, 1999 Conformity Court Decision"). We followed this guidance in making our adequacy determination.

**Authority:** 42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.

Dated: December 17, 1999.

**Felicia Marcus,**

*Regional Administrator, Region IX.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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### Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

*Responsible Agency:* Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 OR [www.epa.gov/oeca/ofa](http://www.epa.gov/oeca/ofa).

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements filed December 20, 1999 through December 23, 1999 pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 990488, Draft EIS, AFS, NC, Croatan National Forest Revised Land and Resource Management Plan (1986), Implementation, Carteret Craven and Jones Counties, NC, Due: February 14, 2000, Contact: John Ramey (828) 257-4268.

EIS No. 990489, Draft EIS, BLM, OR, North Bank Habitat Management Area (NBHMA)/Area of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC), Federally Endangered Columbian White-Tailed Deer (CWTD) and Special Status Species Habitat Enhancements to Ensure Viability Over Time, Implementation, OR, Due: February 14, 2000, Contact: Jim Luse (541) 440-4930.

EIS No. 990490, Final EIS, USA, AZ, Fort Huachuca Real Property Master Planning, Approval of Land Use and

Real Estate Investment Strategies, Cochise County, AZ, Due: January 28, 2000, Contact: Gregory Brewer (703) 692-9220.

EIS No. 990491, Final EIS, USN, GU, Agana Naval Air Station Disposal and Reuse, Implementation, Guam, Due: January 28, 2000, Contact: John Bigay (808) 471-9338.

EIS No. 990492, Draft EIS, AFS, AK, Finger Mountain Timber Sales, Timber Harvesting, Implementation, US Coast Guard, NPDES and COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, Tongass National Forest, Sitka Ranger District, AK, Due: February 28, 1999, Contact: Lisa Winn (907) 747-6671.

EIS No. 990493, Draft EIS, AFS, OR, Tower Fire Recovery Project, Restoration and Salvage, Implementation, Umatilla National Forest, North Fork John Day Ranger District, Umatilla and Grant Counties, OR, Due: February 16, 2000, Contact: Janel Lacey (541) 427-5311.

EIS No. 990494, Final EIS, NPS, VA, Booker T. Washington National Monument (BOWA), General Management Plan, Implementation, Franklin County, VA, Due: January 28, 2000, Contact: Fred Herling (215) 597-1702.

EIS No. 990495, Draft Supplement, NOAA, Atlantic Tunas, Swordfish and Sharks, Highly Migratory Species Fishery Management Plan, Updated Information, Reduction of Bycatch and Incidental Catch in the Atlantic Pelagic Longline Fishery, Due: February 14, 2000, Contact: Rebecca J. Lent (301) 713-2347.

### Amendment Notice:

EIS No. 990397, Draft EIS, FAA, OH, Cleveland Hopkins International Airport, To Provide Capacity, Facilities, Highway Improvements and Enhancement to Safety, Funding, Cugahoga County, OH, Due: January 31, 2000, Contact: Ernest P. Guby (734) 487-7280. Revision of FR notice published on 10/29/1999: CEQ Comment Date extended from 12/29/1999 to 01/31/2000.

EIS No. 990413, Draft EIS, AFS, ID, Salmon River Canyon Project, Implementation, Nez Perce, Payette, Bitterroot and Salmon-Challis National Forests, Idaho County, ID, Due: January 19, 2000, Contact: Bill Shields (208) 983-1950. Revision to FR notice published on 11/5/1999: CEQ Comment Date has been extended from 12/20/1999 to 01/19/2000.

EIS No. 990426, Draft EIS, USA, CA, Oakland Army Base Disposal and Reuse Plan, Implementation, City of Oakland, Alameda County, CA, Due:

January 17, 2000, Contact: Theresa Persick Arnold (703) 697-0216. Published FR 11/19/1999: Review Period Extended from 1/03/2000 to 01/17/2000.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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### Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared December 13, 1999 through December 17, 1999 pursuant to the Environmental Review Process (ERP), under Section 309 of the Clean Air Act and Section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act as amended. Requests for copies of EPA comments can be directed to the Office of Federal Activities at (202) 564-7167.

An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in FR dated April 09, 1999 (63 FR 17856).

### Draft EISs

ERP No. D-AFS-J65315-UT Rating EC2, Monroe Mountain Ecosystem Restoration Project, Implementation, Fishlake National Forest, Richfield Ranger District, Sevier and Piute Counties, UT.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns with the proposed action due to potential significant impacts to water quality, sensitive fish habitat (Utah Bonneville cutthroat trout) and two regionally sensitive bird species. Also, we expressed concerns with the scope of alternatives lack of a detailed monitoring plan to determine if ecosystem restoration will actually be achieved, the analysis of cumulative impacts, and the limited approach to managing livestock and elk grazing on the area where aspen will be harvested.

ERP No. D-BIA-L65330-WA Rating EC2, White River Amphitheater Project, Construction and Operation of a 20,000 Seat Open-Air Amphitheater on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation, COE Section 404 Permit and NPDES Permit, Seattle-Tacoma, WA.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns due to air quality, water quality and noise impacts. EPA recommended that the