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The following is a summary of the burden estimates taken from the ICR:

- *Respondents/affected entities:* Pesticide registrants.
- *Estimated total number of potential respondents:* 1,900.
- *Frequency of response:* Annual.
- *Estimated total/average number of responses for each respondent:* 1.
- *Estimated total annual burden hours:* 1,763 hours.
- *Estimated total annual burden costs:* \$178,690.

Changes in the ICR Since the Last Approval: The total estimated annual respondent cost for this ICR has decreased by 95 hours (from 1,858 to 1,763), due mainly to a decrease in the number of responses expected. Although the number of responses have decreased over those in the previous ICR, estimated costs have increased by about \$820 (from roughly \$177,871 to \$178,690) because of an increase in the estimated labor rates for respondents. These changes are explained more fully in the ICR.

According to the procedures prescribed in 5 CFR 1320.12, EPA has submitted this ICR to OMB for review and approval. Any comments related to the renewal of this ICR should be submitted within 30 days of this notice, as described above.

Dated: January 20, 2004.

Doreen Sterling,

Acting Director, Collection Strategies Division.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7614-4]

Two Proposed Administrative Settlements Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), 42 U.S.C. 9601 *et seq.*, notice is hereby given that the United States Environmental Protection Agency is proposing to enter into an Agreement and Covenant Not to Sue (Prospective Purchaser Agreement) with Kelly Development LLC and a Settlement Agreement with responsible parties at the Frontier Hard Chrome National Priorities List Superfund Site.

The Frontier Hard Chrome Site is located at 113 Y Street in Vancouver, Washington. The Site is the location of the former Frontier Hard Chrome chrome-plating facility. Discharges of chrome-plating waste at the Site have resulted in a plume of chromium-contaminated groundwater. The Site was listed on the National Priorities List and is being remediated by EPA using Superfund money pursuant to an Amended Record of Decision issued on August 30, 2001.

The Property on which the chrome-plating facility was located is owned by Walter Neth, the Estate of Otto Neth, and the Lillian Mae Neth Family Trust (Settling PRPs). The Settling PRPs are seeking to sell the Property to Kelly Development LLC (Kelly). Kelly intends to purchase the Property, as well as the adjacent property, for development for light industrial uses, offices, and storage space.

The proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement would resolve certain potential claims of the United States under sections 106 and 107(a) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607(a), and section 7003 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. 6973 against Kelly Development LLC that may otherwise result from Kelly acquiring Site property. It would also grant a waiver of any lien that EPA may have on the Property under section 107(r) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9607(r), as a result of response actions conducted by EPA on the Property. The proposed Settlement Agreement would resolve claims of the United States under sections 106 and 107(a) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607(a) against the Settling PRPs.

In exchange for its covenant not to sue in both agreements, EPA is receiving \$180,000 less 87.5% of Settling PRPs' closing costs to be paid to a Superfund Special Account for use at the Site. Settling PRPs are also creating a Frontier Hard Chrome Environmental Trust (Trust), into which \$30,000 will be paid. The total of \$210,000 is 87.5% of the amount Kelly is paying to purchase the Site Property from the Settling PRPs. Settling PRPs are also funding the Trust with insurance policies covering the

Site. The Trustee will pursue these policies and whatever proceeds are received will be transferred to the Superfund Special Account for the Site.

EPA is allowing thirty (30) days for public comments. For thirty calendar days following the date of publication of this notice, EPA will receive written comments relating to the proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement and Settlement Agreement. EPA's response to any comments received will be available for public inspection at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10, 1200 Sixth Ave., Seattle, WA 98101.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before February 26, 2004.

ADDRESSES: The proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement, Settlement Agreement, and additional background documents relating to the settlements are available for public inspection at the Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10, 1200 Sixth Ave., Seattle, WA 98101. A copy of the proposed settlements may be obtained from Jennifer Byrne, Assistant Regional Counsel (ORC-158), Office of Regional Counsel, EPA Region 10, Seattle, WA 98101. Comments should reference "Frontier Hard Chrome Settlements" and "Docket No. CERCLA-10-2003-0009" and should be addressed to Jennifer Byrne at the above address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jennifer Byrne, Assistant Regional Counsel (ORC-158), Office of Regional Counsel, EPA Region 10, Seattle, WA 98101; phone: (206) 553-0050; fax: (206) 553-0163; e-mail: byrne.jennifer@epa.gov.

Dated: August 4, 2003.

L. John Iani,

Regional Administrator, Region 10.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7613-4]

Public Water Supply Supervision Program Revision for the State of New Jersey

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of Tentative Approval and Solicitation of Request for a Public Hearing for Public Water System Supervision Program Revision for the State of New Jersey.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has

determined to approve an application by the State of New Jersey to revise its Public Water System Supervision Primacy Program to incorporate regulations no less stringent than EPA's National Primary Drinking Water Regulations (NPDWR) for the following: Lead and Copper Rule Technical Correction; Final Rule, promulgated by EPA on June 30, 1994 (59 FR 33860), Analytical Methods Technical Corrections; Final Rule, promulgated by EPA on December 5, 1994 (59 FR 62456), Analytical Methods Technical Corrections; Final Rule, promulgated by EPA on June 29, 1995 (60 FR 34083), Analytical Methods for Radionuclides Technical Corrections, promulgated by EPA on March 5, 1997 (62 FR 10168), Revisions to State Primacy Requirements to Implement Safe Drinking Water Act Amendments; Final Rule (Primacy Revisions), promulgated by EPA on April 28, 1998 (63 FR 23362), Removal of Prohibition on the Use of Point of Use Devices for Compliance with the NPDWR, promulgated by EPA on June 11, 1998 (63 FR 31932), Revision of Existing Variance and Exemption Regulations To Comply With Requirements of the Safe Drinking Water Act; Final Rule, promulgated by EPA on August 14, 1998 (63 FR 43834), Consumer Confidence Reports; Final Rule, promulgated by EPA on August 19, 1998 (63 FR 44512), along with 6 separate Technical Corrections to the Consumer Confidence Reports, promulgated as follows: December 16, 1998 (63 FR 69475 and 63 FR 69516), June 29, 1999 (64 FR 34732), September 14, 1999 (64 FR 49671), May 4, 2000 (65 FR 25981), November 27, 2002 (67 FR 70850), and December 9, 2002 (67 FR 73011), the Disinfectants and Disinfection Byproducts; Final Rule, and Interim Enhanced Surface Water Treatment; Final Rule, both promulgated December 16, 1998 (63 FR 69390 and 63 FR 69478, respectively), the Suspension of Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Requirements for Small Public Water Systems, promulgated by EPA January 8, 1999 (64 FR 1494), the Lead and Copper Rule Minor Revisions, promulgated by EPA January 12, 2000 (65 FR 1950), the Public Notification Rule, promulgated by EPA May 4, 2000 (65 FR 25982), along with 2 separate Technical Corrections to the Public Notification Rule, promulgated as follows: June 21, 2000 (65 FR 38629) and June 30, 2000 (65 FR 40520), the Radionuclide Rule, promulgated by EPA December 7, 2000 (65 FR 76708), Revisions to the Interim Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule and the Stage 1 Disinfectants and

Disinfection Byproducts Rule and Revisions to State Primacy Requirements to Implement the Safe Drinking Water Act Amendments, Final Rule, promulgated by EPA January 16, 2001 (66 FR 3770), the Filter Backwash Recycling Rule, promulgated by EPA June 8, 2001 (66 FR 31086) and the Long Term 1 Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule, promulgated by EPA January 14, 2002 (67 FR 1812).

The application demonstrates that New Jersey has adopted drinking water regulations which satisfy the NPDWRs for the above. The USEPA has determined that New Jersey's regulations are no less stringent than the corresponding Federal Regulations and that New Jersey continues to meet all requirements for primary enforcement responsibility as specified in 40 CFR 142.10.

DATES: This determination to approve New Jersey's primacy program revision application is made pursuant to 40 CFR 142.12(d)(3). It shall become final and effective February 26, 2004 unless (1) a timely and appropriate request for a public hearing is received or (2) the Regional Administrator elects to hold a public hearing on her own motion. Any interested person, other than Federal Agencies, may request a public hearing. A request for a public hearing must be submitted to the Regional Administrator at the address shown below by February 26, 2004. If a substantial request for a public hearing is made within the requested thirty day time frame, a public hearing will be held and a notice will be given in the **Federal Register** and a newspaper of general circulation. Frivolous or insubstantial requests for a hearing may be denied by the Regional Administrator. If no timely and appropriate request for a hearing is received and the Regional Administrator does not elect to hold a hearing on her own motion, this determination shall become final and effective February 26, 2004.

Any request for a public hearing shall include the following information: (1) Name, address and telephone number of the individual, organization or other entity requesting a hearing; (2) a brief statement of the requesting person's interest in the Regional Administrator's determination and a brief statement on information that the requesting person intends to submit at such hearing; (3) the signature of the individual making the request or, if the request is made on behalf of an organization or other entity, the signature of a responsible official of the organization or other entity.

ADDRESSES: Requests for Public Hearing shall be addressed to:

Regional Administrator, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency—Region 2, 290 Broadway, New York, New York 10007-1866.

All documents relating to this determination are available for inspection between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the following offices: Bureau of Safe Drinking Water, Division of Water Resources, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, 401 East State Street, Floor 3, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0426. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency—Region 2, 24th Floor Drinking Water Section, 290 Broadway, New York, New York 10007-1866.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael J. Lowy, Drinking Water Section, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency—Region 2, (212) 637-3830.

Authority: (Section 1413 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 300g-2, and 40 CFR 142.10, 142.12(d) and 142.13).

Anthony Canco,
Acting Regional Administrator, Region 2.
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FEDERAL ACCOUNTING STANDARDS ADVISORY BOARD

Statement of Federal Financial Accounting and Auditing Technical Release 3; Revised

AGENCY: Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board

ACTION: Notice.

Notice of Statement of Federal Financial Accounting and Auditing Technical Release 3 (revised), *Auditing Estimates for Direct Loan and Loan Guarantee Subsidies Under the Federal Credit Reform Act (Amendments to Technical Release 3: Preparing and Auditing Direct Loan and Loan Guarantee Subsidies Under the Federal Credit Reform Act), and Preparing Estimates for Direct Loan and Loan Guarantee Subsidies Under the Federal Credit Reform Act (Amendments to Technical Release 3: Preparing and Auditing Direct Loan and Loan Guarantee Subsidies Under the Federal Credit Reform Act).*

Board Action: Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463), as amended, section 10(a)(2), and the FASAB Rules Of Procedure, as amended in October, 1999, notice is hereby given that the Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board (FASAB) has issued Statement of