

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7782-9]

National Advisory Council for Environmental Policy and Technology; Notice of Charter Renewal**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).**ACTION:** Notice of Charter renewal.

The Charter for the Environmental Protection Agency's National Advisory Council for Environmental Policy and Technology (NACEPT) will be renewed for an additional two-year period, as a necessary committee which is in the public interest, in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), 5 U.S.C. App.2 section 9(c). The purpose of NACEPT is to provide advice and recommendations to the Administrator of EPA on a broad range of environmental policy, technology and management issues.

It is determined that NACEPT is in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed on the Agency by law.

Inquiries may be directed to Sonia Altieri, U.S. EPA, (mail code 1601-E), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460, telephone (202) 233-0061, or altieri.sonia@epa.gov.

Dated: June 28, 2004.

Daiva Balkus,*Director, Office of Cooperative Environmental Management.*

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[FRL-7781-7]

Announcement of the Board of Trustees for the National Environmental Education and Training Foundation, Inc.

Summary: The National Environmental Education and Training Foundation was created by section 10 of Public Law 101-619, the National Environmental Education Act of 1990. It is a private 501(c)(3) non-profit organization established to promote and support education and training as necessary tools to further environmental protection and sustainable, environmentally sound development. It provides the common ground upon which leaders from business and industry, all levels of government, public interest groups, and others can work cooperatively to expand the reach

of environmental education and training programs beyond the traditional classroom. The Foundation supports a grant program that promotes innovative environmental education and training programs; it also develops partnerships with government and other organizations to administer projects that promote the development of an environmentally literate public.

The Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, as required by the terms of the Act, announces the following appointment to the National Environmental Education and Training Foundation, Inc. Board of Trustees. The appointee is Guillermo L. Hysaw, Vice President of Cultural Transformation and Corporate Development for Toyota Motor Sales, U.S.A., Inc. This appointee will join the current Board members which include:

- Braden Allenby, Vice President, Environment, Health and Safety, AT&T;
- Richard Bartlett, (NEETF Chairman) Vice Chairman, Mary Kay Holding Corporation;
- Walter Higgins, Chairman, President and C.E.O., Sierra Pacific Resources;
- Dorothy Jacobson, Consultant;
- Karen Bates Kress, President, KBK Consulting, Inc.;
- Dorothy McSweeney (NEETF Vice Chair), Chair, DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities;
- Dwight Minton, Chairman Emeritus, Church and Dwight (Arm&Hammer, Inc.);
- Honorable William Sessions, former Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Additional Considerations: Great care has been taken to assure that this new appointee not only has the highest degree of expertise and commitment, but also brings to the Board diverse points of view relating to environmental education and training.

This appointment shall be for two consecutive four year terms.

For Further Information Contact: C. Michael Baker, Acting Director, Office of Environmental Education, Office of Public Affairs (1704A) U.S. EPA, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460, Telephone: (202) 564-0446.

Dated: June 25, 2004.

Michael O. Leavitt,
Administrator.

BIO of New Member:

Guillermo L. Hysaw, Vice President, Cultural Transformation—Corporate Development, Toyota Motor Sales, U.S.A., Inc.

Guillermo L. Hysaw is vice president of cultural transformation and corporate

development for Toyota Motor Sales (TMS), U.S.A., Inc.

He is responsible for oversight and direction of the company's diversity strategy, ensuring its implementation and integration into overall business strategy. He also serves as the company's most senior advisor on diversity issues and as the principal liaison with outside organizations.

Hysaw began his career at TMS in 1987 as part of the Lexus Division. Since then he has served as corporate manager of Toyota Certified Used Vehicles, national fleet marketing operations manager, national marketing development manager, marketing development manager, national advertising manager, market representation planning manager, business manager and senior market representation administrator. Most recently, he served as corporate manager of market representation.

Prior to joining Toyota, Hysaw spent 16 years with the General Motors Corp. (GMC) and its Pontiac Division. He held various positions at GMC including zone business manager, corporate remarketing manager, all national sales and marketing manager positions, and all field and staff manager positions.

A native of Bakersfield, Calif., Hysaw earned his bachelor's degree in psychology from Oakland University in Rochester, Mich. He earned a master's degree in marketing as well as an MBA in finance and an advanced MBA in strategic management from Claremont Graduate School in Claremont, Calif. Hysaw has completed three years of his doctorate degree from the Peter F. Drucker Executive Management Program at Claremont Graduate School.

Recognized by the National Eagle Leadership Institute (NELI), Hysaw became an Eagle Award recipient in 2003. He was also selected as a member of the Executive Leadership Council (ELC), an elite group of business leaders.

Hysaw is a past president and lifetime member of the 100 Black Men of Los Angeles, Inc.; lifetime member of the National Black Master's in Business Administration Association, Inc.; lifetime member of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and its national committee; lifetime member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. and the Beta Psi Lambda Chapter of Los Angeles.

Hysaw resides in Irvine, Calif., with his wife, Kimberly, and daughter, Megan Ashley.

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[FRL-7783-2; E-docket No.: ORD-2004-0007]

Draft Toxicological Review of Naphthalene: In Support of Summary Information on the Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS)**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of an external peer review panel meeting.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is announcing an external peer review panel meeting to review the inhalation cancer assessment and selected text in the external review draft document entitled, "Toxicological Review of Naphthalene: In Support of Summary Information on the Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS)" (NCEA-S-1707). The document was prepared by EPA's National Center for Environmental Assessment (NCEA) of the Office of Research and Development. EPA will use comments and recommendations from the expert panel meeting to finalize the draft document.

DATES: The one-day meeting will be held on July 30, 2004 from 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. Members of the public may attend as observers.

ADDRESSES: The external peer review panel meeting will be held at the American Geophysical Union (AGU) Headquarters, 2000 Florida Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20009. Under an Interagency Agreement with EPA and the Department of Energy, the Oak Ridge Institute of Science and Education (ORISE) is organizing, convening, and conducting the peer review panel meeting. To attend the meeting, register by July 23, 2004, by visiting the ORISE Web site: <http://www.ornl.gov/naphthalene>. Interested parties may also register by contacting Leslie Shapard (ORISE) at (865) 241-5784. Space is limited and reservations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Questions regarding registration and logistics should be directed to Leslie Shapard, ORISE, PO Box 117, MS 17, Oak Ridge, TN 37831-0117, (865) 241-5784 (telephone), (865) 241-3168 (facsimile) or ShapardL@ornl.gov (e-mail). If you have questions about the document (see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** below regarding access to the document), contact Lynn Flowers, IRIS Staff, National Center for Environmental Assessment, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., MS-8601D, Washington, DC 20460, (202) 564-1537 (telephone), (202) 565-0075 (facsimile) or flowers.lynn@epa.gov (e-mail).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: IRIS is a data base that contains Agency scientific positions on potential adverse human health effects that may result from chronic (or lifetime) exposure to specific chemical substances found in the environment. The data base (available on the Internet at <http://www.epa.gov/>

iris) contains qualitative and quantitative health effects information for more than 500 chemical substances that may be used to support the first two steps (hazard identification and dose-response evaluation) of the risk assessment process. When supported by available data, the data base provides risk estimates for chronic noncancer health effects and carcinogenic effects. Combined with specific exposure information, government and private entities use IRIS to help characterize public health risks of chemical substances in a site-specific situation and thereby support risk management decisions designed to protect public health.

Naphthalene (CASRN 91-20-3) is a bicyclic aromatic hydrocarbon produced by distillation and fractionation of either petroleum or coal tar. Naphthalene's principal use is as an intermediate in the production of phthalic anhydride, which is important in the manufacturing of plasticizers, resins, dyes, and insect repellants. It has been used as a moth repellent and as a deodorizer for diaper pails and toilets and has been detected in soil and water at hazardous waste sites and in smoke from wood and cigarettes. The current IRIS assessment for naphthalene was placed on the data base in 1998 and contains quantitative risk estimates for noncancer effects, both from oral and inhalation exposure, and a cancer assessment. A reassessment of potential human carcinogenicity from inhalation exposure has been undertaken in response to newer studies that have become available. The assessment does not contain a reevaluation of noncancer effects or oral cancer assessment.

EPA has established an official public docket for this action under Docket ID No. ORD-2004-0007. The official public docket consists of the document referenced in this notice and a list of charge questions that have been submitted to the external peer reviewers. Both the document and the charge are available on the Internet at <http://www.epa.gov/edocket/>. Once in the system, select "advanced search," then key in the appropriate docket identification number [ORD-2004-0007]. A limited number of paper copies are available by contacting the IRIS Hotline at (202) 566-1676 or (202) 566-1749 (facsimile). If you are requesting a paper copy, please provide your name, mailing address, and the document title and number, "Draft Toxicological Review of Naphthalene: In Support of Summary Information on the Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS)" (NCEA-S-1707). Copies are not available from ORISE.

You may also find a copy of the document at the EPA Docket Center Reading Room. The address of the Public Reading Room is EPA Docket Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Room B102, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460-0001. Visitation is between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Public Reading Room is (202) 566-1744.

Although a part of the official docket, the public docket does not include Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute.

Dated: June 30, 2004.

Peter W. Preuss,

Director, National Center for Environmental Assessment.

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Consultation Workshop on a Preliminary Draft of the Framework for Metals Risk Assessment

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is announcing the convening of a scientific peer consultation to seek expert opinion on a preliminary draft of a Framework for Metals Risk Assessment (Framework, EPA/630-P/04-068a). The meeting is being organized and convened by Versar, Inc., a contractor to EPA's Risk Assessment Forum. Meeting participants invited by Versar, Inc., will be provided with the draft Framework, covering areas such as environmental chemistry, exposure, health and ecological effects, and the bioavailability and bioaccumulation of metals. EPA and other government experts will also participate in the meeting discussions. Participants will be asked to suggest improvements to the document. EPA intends to revise the preliminary document based on the meeting discussions and then make it available for EPA Science Advisory Board peer review, interagency review, and public comment in Fall 2004.

DATES: The meeting will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, July 27, 2004 and Wednesday, July 28, 2004, from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Members of the public may attend as observers, and