information on the topic of this advisory activity, and/or the group conducting the activity, for the SAB to consider during the advisory process.

**Oral Statements:** In general, individuals or groups requesting an oral presentation at a public meeting will be limited to five minutes per speaker, with no more than a total of one hour for all speakers. Interested parties should contact Dr. Armitage, DFO, in writing (preferably via e-mail) at the contact information noted above by July 6, 2009 to be placed on a list of public speakers for the meeting. Written Statements: Written statements should be received in the SAB Staff Office by July 6, 2009 so that the information may be made available to the SAB Committee members for their consideration. Written statements should be supplied to the DFO in the following formats: one hard copy with original signature, and one electronic copy via e-mail (acceptable file format: Adobe Acrobat PDF, WordPerfect, MS Word, MS PowerPoint, or Rich Text files in IBM–PC/Windows 98/2000/XP format). Submitters are requested to provide two versions of each document submitted with and without signatures, because the SAB Staff Office does not publish documents with signatures on its Web sites.

**Accessibility:** For information on access or services for individuals with disabilities, please contact Dr. Armitage at the phone number or e-mail address noted above, preferably at least ten days prior to the meeting to give EPA as much time as possible to process your request.

Dated: June 16, 2009.

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Science Advisory Board Staff Office; Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC); NO\textsubscript{x} and SO\textsubscript{y}, Secondary NAAQS Review Panel Meeting and CASAC Teleconference

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Science Advisory Board (SAB) Staff Office announces a public meeting of the Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee Oxides of Nitrogen (NO\textsubscript{x}) and Sulfur Oxides (SO\textsubscript{y}) Secondary National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) Review Panel (CASAC Panel) to peer review EPA’s Risk and Exposure Assessment for Review of the Secondary National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Oxides of Nitrogen and Oxides of Sulfur: Second Draft (EPA–452/P–09–0046). The chartered CASAC will subsequently hold a public teleconference to review and approve the Panel’s report.

DATES: The CASAC Panel will meet from 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, July 22, 2009 through 3 p.m. Thursday, July 23, 2009 (Eastern Time). The chartered CASAC will meet by public teleconference from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. on August 20, 2009 (Eastern Time).

Location: The July 22–23, 2009 public meeting will take place at the Marriott at Research Triangle Park, 4700 Guardian Drive, Durham, NC 27703, telephone (919) 941–6200. The August 20, 2009 public teleconference will be conducted by telephone only.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Any member of the public who wishes to submit a written or brief oral statement or wants further information concerning the July 22–23, 2009 meeting may contact Ms. Kyndall Barry, Designated Federal Officer (DFO), EPA Science Advisory Board (1400F), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460; via telephone/voice mail (202) 343–9868; fax (202) 233–0643; or e-mail at barry.kyndall@epa.gov. For information on the CASAC teleconference on August 20, 2009, please contact Dr. Holly Stallworth, Designated Federal Officer (DFO), at the above listed address; via telephone/voice mail (202) 343–9867 or e-mail at stallworth.holly@epa.gov.

General information concerning the CASAC and the CASAC documents can be found on the EPA Web site at http://www.epa.gov/casac.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background: Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92–463 5 U.S.C., App. 2 (FACA), notice is hereby given that a CASAC Panel will hold a public meeting to peer review EPA’s Risk and Exposure Assessment for Review of the Secondary National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Oxides of Nitrogen and Oxides of Sulfur: Second Draft and that the chartered CASAC will hold a public teleconference to review and approve the Panel’s draft report. The CASAC was established under section 109(d)(2) of the Clean Air Act (CAA or Act) (42 U.S.C. 7409) as an independent scientific advisory committee. CASAC provides advice, information and recommendations on the scientific and technical aspects of air quality criteria and national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS) under sections 108 and 109 of the Act. The CASAC and CASAC Panel will comply with the provisions of FACA and all appropriate SAB Staff Office procedural policies.

Section 109(d)(1) of the CAA requires that the Agency periodically review and revise, as appropriate, the air quality criteria and the NAAQS for the six “criteria” air pollutants, including NO\textsubscript{x} and SO\textsubscript{y}. EPA is in the process of reviewing the secondary NAAQS for NO\textsubscript{x} and SO\textsubscript{y}. Welfare effects as defined in the CAA include, but are not limited to, effects on soils, water, wildlife, vegetation, visibility, weather, and climate, as well as effects on materials, economic values, and personal comfort and well-being.

CASAC has previously provided consultative advice on EPA’s Draft Plan for Review of the Secondary National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Nitrogen Dioxide and Sulfur Dioxide and conducted peer reviews of the first and second drafts of EPA’s Integrated Science Assessment for Oxides of Nitrogen and Sulfur—Environmental Criteria. CASAC also provided consultative advice on EPA’s Scope and Methods Plan for Risk/Exposure Assessment and conducted a peer review of EPA’s Risk and Exposure Assessment for Review of the Secondary National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Oxides of Nitrogen and Oxides of Sulfur: First Draft. The CASAC advisory reports are available on the EPA Web site at http://www.epa.gov/casac.

The purpose of the July 22–23, 2009 meeting is for the CASAC Panel to conduct a peer review of EPA’s Risk and Exposure Assessment for Review of the Secondary National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Oxides of Nitrogen and Oxides of Sulfur: Second Draft. The chartered CASAC will review and approve the Panel’s draft report on the REA by public conference call on August 20, 2009.

**Technical Contacts:** Any questions concerning EPA’s Risk and Exposure Assessment for Review of the Secondary National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Oxides of Nitrogen and Oxides of Sulfur: Second Draft should be directed to Dr. Anne Rea, OAR, by telephone at (919) 541–0053, or e-mail rea.anne@epa.gov.

Availability of Meeting Materials:

Oxides of Sulfur: Second Draft Standards for Oxides of Nitrogen and National Ambient Air Quality

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is announcing the availability of, and soliciting public comments for 45 days on, the proposed approval of the radioactive, remote-handled (RH), transuranic (TRU) waste characterization program implemented by the Central Characterization Project (CCP) at General Electric Vallecitos Nuclear Center in Sunol, California. This waste is intended for disposal at the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) in New Mexico.

In accordance with the WIPP Compliance Criteria, EPA evaluated the characterization of RH TRU debris waste from GEVNC–CCP during an inspection conducted on December 2–4, 2008. Using the systems and processes developed as part of the U.S. Department of Energy’s (DOE’s) Carlsbad Field Office (CBFO) program, EPA verified whether DOE could adequately characterize RH TRU waste, consistent with the Compliance Criteria. The results of EPA’s evaluation of GEVNC–CCP’s RH program and its proposed approval are described in the Agency’s inspection report, which is available for review in the public docket listed in ADDRESSES. We will consider public comments received on or before the due date mentioned in DATES.

This notice summarizes the waste characterization processes evaluated by EPA and EPA’s proposed approval. As required by the 40 CFR 194.8, at the end of a 45-day comment period EPA will evaluate public comments received, and if appropriate, finalize the reports responding to the relevant public comments, and issue a final report and approval letter to DOE.