

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements.  
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Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

#### Notice

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*EIS No. 20100062, Final EIS, USFWS, AK, Yukon Flats National Wildlife Refuge Project, Proposed Federal and Public Land Exchange, Right-of-Way Grant, Anchorage, AK, Wait Period Ends: 04/12/2010, Contact: Laura Greffenius 907-786-3872.*

*EIS No. 20100063, Draft EIS, USFS, NE, Allotment Management Planning in the McKelvie Geographic Area Project, Livestock Grazing on 21 Allotments, Bessey Ranger District, Samuel R. McKelvie National Forest, Cherry County, NE, Comment Period Ends: 04/26/2010, Contact: Mark A. Lane 308-432-0328.*

*EIS No. 20100064, Final EIS, USFS, CA, Freds Fire Reforestation Project, Implementation, EL Dorado National Forest, Placerville and Pacific Ranger Districts, El Dorado County, CA, Wait Period Ends: 04/12/2010, Contact: Robert Carroll 530-647-5386.*

*EIS No. 20100065, Draft EIS, USFWS, CA, San Diego County Water Authority Natural Community Conservation Plan/Habitat Conservation Plan, Issuing of an Incidental Take Permit, San Diego and Riverside Counties, CA, Comment Period Ends: 06/10/2010, Contact: Karen Goebel 760-431-9440.*

*EIS No. 20100066, Final EIS, FHWA, FL, Interstate 395 (I-395) Development and Environment Study Project, From I-95 to West Channel Bridges of the MacArthur Causeway at Biscayne Bay, City of Miami, Miami-Dade County, FL, Wait Period Ends: 04/12/2010, Contact: Linda K. Anderson 850-942-9650 Ext. 3053.*

*EIS No. 20100067, Draft EIS, TVA, TN, Douglas and Nolichucky Tributary Reservoirs Land Management Plan, Implementation, Cocke, Greene, Hamblen, Jefferson and Sevier Counties, TN, Comment Period Ends: 04/26/2010, Contact: Amy Henry 865-632-4045.*

*EIS No. 20100068, Final EIS, TVA, 00, Northeastern Tributary Reservoirs Land Management Plan, Implementation, Beaver Creek, Clear Creek, Boone, Fort Patrick Henry, South Holston, Watauga, and Wilbur Reservoirs, Carter, Johnson, Sullivan, and Washington Counties, TN and Washington County, VA, Wait Period Ends: 04/12/2010, Contact: Amy Henry 865-632-4045.*

*EIS No. 20100069, Draft EIS, BLM, WY, Buckskin Mine Hay Creek II Project, Coal Lease Application WYW-172684, Wyoming Powder River Basin, Campbell County, WY, Comment Period Ends: 05/10/2010, Contact: Teresa Johnson 307-361-7510.*

*EIS No. 20100070, Final EIS, USFS, OR, Upper Beaver Creek Vegetation Management Project, Proposes to Implement Multiple Resource Management Actions, Pauline Ranger District, Ochoco National Forest, Crook County, OR, Wait Period Ends: 04/12/2010, Contact: Janis Bouma 541-477-6902.*

*EIS No. 20100071, Draft EIS, FERC, ID, Swan Falls Hydroelectric Project, Application for a New License for the 25-megawatt Hydroelectric Facility (FERC Project No. 503-048), Snake River, Ada and Owyhee Counties, ID, Comment Period Ends: 04/26/2010, Contact: Julia Bovey 1-866-208-3372.*

*EIS No. 20100072, Draft EIS, NPS, NC, Cape Hatteras National Seashore Off-Road Vehicle Management Plan, Implementation, NC, Comment Period Ends: 05/11/2010, Contact: Mike Murray 252-473-2111 Ext 148.*

*EIS No. 20100073, Draft EIS, USA, AK, Resumption of Year-Round Firing Opportunities at Fort Richardson, Proposal to Strengthen Unit Preparedness and Improve Soldier and Family Quality of Life by Maximizing Live-Fire Training, Fort Richardson, AK, Comment Period Ends: 05/10/2010, Contact: Robert Hall 907-384-2546.*

#### Amended Notices

*EIS No. 20100050, Draft EIS, BLM, CA, Stirling Energy Systems (SES) Solar 2 Project, Construct and Operate, Electric-Generating Facility, Imperial Valley, Imperial County, CA, Comment Period Ends: 05/26/2010, Contact: Erin Dreyfuss 916-978-4642.*

Revision to FR Notice Published 02/26/2010: Comment Period will end on 05/26/2010.

*EIS No. 20100051, Draft EIS, USFS, UT, South Unit Oil and Gas Development Project, Master Development Plan, Implementation, Duchesne/Roosevelt Ranger District, Ashley National Forest, Duchesne County, UT, Comment Period Ends: 04/26/2010, Contact: David Herron 435-781-5218. Revision to FR Notice Published 02/26/2010: Correction to Comment Period from 04/12/2010 to 04/26/2010.*

*EIS No. 20100054, Draft EIS, NASA, VA, Wallops Flight Facility, Shoreline Restoration and Infrastructure Protection Program, Implementation, Wallops Island, VA, Comment Period Ends: 04/12/2010, Contact: Joshua A. Bundick 757-824-2319. Revision to FR Notice Published 02/26/2010: Correction to Document Agency from NOAA to NASA.*

Dated: March 9, 2010.

**Robert W. Hargrove,**

*Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-8988-9]

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

Availability of EPA comments prepared 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 202-564-7146 or <http://www.epa.gov/compliance/nepa/>. An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in FR dated July 17, 2009 (74 FR 34754).

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EISs on its Web site at: <http://www.epa.gov/compliance/nepa/eisdata.html>. Including the entire EIS comment letters on the Web site satisfies the Section 309(a) requirement to make EPA's comments on EISs available to the public. Accordingly, after March 31, 2010, EPA will discontinue the publication of this notice of availability of EPA comments in the **Federal Register**.

#### Draft EISs

*EIS No. 20090435, ERP No. D-APH-A65798-00*, Glyphosate-Tolerant Alfalfa Events J101 and J163: Request for Non-Regulated Status, Implementation, United States.

*Summary:* EPA does not object to the proposed project. Rating LO.

*EIS No. 20090452, ERP No. D-FHW-H40196-MO*, Rex Whitton Expressway Project, To Safely and Reliably Improve Personal and Freight Mobility, Reduce Traffic Congestion, US 50/63 (Rex Whitton Expressway, also Known as Whitton) Facility in Cole County, MO.

*Summary:* EPA does not object to the proposed project. Rating LO.

*EIS No. 20100010, ERP No. D-COE-E39079-NC*, Surf City and North Topsail Beach Project, To Evaluate Coastal Storm Damage Reduction, Topsail Island, Pender and Onslow Counties, NC.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns about the use of hopper dredges during construction and the potential effects on marine and threatened and endangered resources. Rating EC2.

*EIS No. 20090278, ERP No. DS-FHW-B40092-NH*, I-93 Highway Improvements, from Massachusetts State Line to Manchester, NH, Funding, NPDES and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permits Issuance, Hillsborough and Rockingham Counties, NH.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns about impacts related to alternatives, wetlands, water resources, greenhouse gas emissions, air quality, and indirect effects. Rating EC2.

#### Final EISs

*EIS No. 20090439, ERP No. F-FHW-B40091-ME*, Aroostook County Transport Study, Route I-161 Connector, To Identify Transportation Corridors that will Improve Mobility and Efficiency within Northeastern Aroostook County and other portions of the U.S. and Canada, U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permit, Endangered Species Act, NPDES and Section 10

River and Harbors Act, Caribou, Aroostook County, ME.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns about wetland, road salt, and economic development impacts. EPA offered to provide additional input as necessary to help FHWA and MaineDOT address the comments.

*EIS No. 20100021, ERP No. F-IBR-K65337-CA*, Folsom Lake State Recreation Area & Folsom Powerhouse State Historic Park, General Plan/Resource Management Plan, Implementation, Placer County, CA.

*Summary:* While EPA does not object to the proposed action, EPA requested clarification of funding and enforcement mechanisms as well as a commitment to future project-specific environmental analysis.

Dated: March 9, 2010.

**Robert W. Hargrove,**

*Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-9126-2]

### Science Advisory Board Staff Office; Notification of a Public Meeting of the Science Advisory Board (SAB)

**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 Chartered SAB to continue its discussion with EPA's Office of Research and Development (ORD) regarding ORD research programs in support of EPA's mission and priorities.

**DATES:** The public meeting will be held on Monday, April 5, 2010 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (Eastern Time) and Tuesday, April 6, 2010 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. (Eastern Time).

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at the St. Regis Hotel, 923 16th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20006.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Any member of the public who wants further information concerning the meeting may contact Dr. Angela Nugent, 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) 343-9981; fax (202) 233-0643; or e-mail at [nugent.angela@epa.gov](mailto:nugent.angela@epa.gov). General information concerning the SAB can be found on the EPA Web site at <http://www.epa.gov/sab>.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Background:* Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C., App. 2 (FACA), notice is hereby given that the EPA Science Advisory Board will hold a public meeting to review strategic research directions planned by EPA's Office of Research and Development (ORD). The SAB was established pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 4365 to provide independent scientific and technical advice to the Administrator on the technical basis for Agency positions and regulations. The SAB will comply with the provisions of FACA and all appropriate SAB Staff Office procedural policies.

EPA's Office of Research and Development (ORD) has requested SAB advice on strategic research directions over the next five years to support EPA's mission and priorities. The chartered SAB initiated discussions on November 9-10, 2009 (74 FR 52805-52806). The SAB will continue its discussion and develop advice for EPA on this advisory topic.

*Availability of Meeting Materials:* A meeting agenda and other materials for the meeting will be placed on the SAB Web site at <http://epa.gov/sab>.

*Procedures for Providing Public Input:* Interested members of the public may submit relevant written or oral information for consideration on the topics included in this advisory activity.

*Oral Statements:* To be placed on the public speaker list for the April 5-6, 2010 meeting, interested parties should notify Dr. Angela Nugent, DFO, by e-mail no later than March 31, 2010.

Individuals making oral statements will be limited to five minutes per speaker.

*Written Statements:* Written statements for the April 5-6, 2010 meeting should be received in the SAB Staff Office by March 31, 2010, so that the information may be made available to the SAB for its consideration prior to this meeting. 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, MS Word, WordPerfect, MS PowerPoint, or Rich Text files in IBM-PC/Windows 98/2000/XP format). Submitters are asked to provide electronic versions of each document submitted with and without signatures, because the SAB Staff Office does not