eliminate ambiguity, and reduce burden.

**Protection of Children**

We have analyzed this proposed rule under Executive Order 13045, Protection of Children from Environmental Health Risks and Safety Risks. This rule is not an economically significant rule and would not create an environmental risk to health or risk to safety that might disproportionately affect children.

**Indian Tribal Governments**

This proposed rule does not have tribal implications under Executive Order 13175, Consultation and Coordination with Indian Tribal Governments, because it would not have a substantial direct effect on one or more Indian tribes, on the relationship between the Federal Government and Indian tribes, or on the distribution of power and responsibilities between the Federal Government and Indian tribes.

**Energy Effects**

We have analyzed this proposed rule under Executive Order 13211, Actions Concerning Regulations That Significantly Affect Energy Supply, Distribution, or Use. We have determined that it is not a “significant energy action” under that order because it is not a “significant regulatory action” under Executive Order 12866 and is not likely to have a significant adverse effect on the supply, distribution, or use of energy. The Administrator of the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs has not designated it as a significant energy action. Therefore, it does not require a Statement of Energy Effects under Executive Order 13211.

**Technical Standards**

The National Technology Transfer and Advancement Act (NISTAA) (15 U.S.C. 272 note) directs agencies to use voluntary consensus standards in their regulatory activities unless the agency provides Congress, through the Office of Management and Budget, with an explanation of why using these standards would be inconsistent with applicable law or otherwise impractical. Voluntary consensus standards are technical standards (e.g., specifications of materials, performance, design, or operation; test methods; sampling procedures; and related management systems practices) that are developed and adopted by voluntary consensus standards bodies.

This proposed rule does not use technical standards. Therefore, we did not consider the use of voluntary consensus standards.

**Environment**

We have analyzed this proposed rule under Department of Homeland Security Management Directive 023–01 and Commandant Instruction M16475.1D, which guide the Coast Guard in complying with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) (42 U.S.C. 4321–4370f), and have made a preliminary determination that this action is one of a category of actions which do not individually or cumulatively have a significant effect on the human environment. A preliminary environmental analysis checklist supporting this determination is available in the docket where indicated under ADDRESSES. This proposed rule involves establishing a safety zone and is categorically excluded under figure 2–1, paragraph (34)(g), of the Instruction. We seek any comments or information that may lead to the discovery of a significant environmental impact from this proposed rule.

**List of Subjects in 33 CFR Part 165**

Harbors, Marine safety, Navigation (water), Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Security measures, Waterways.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Coast Guard proposes to amend 33 CFR part 165 as follows:

**PART 165—REGULATED NAVIGATION AREAS AND LIMITED ACCESS AREAS**

1. The authority citation for part 165 continues to read as follows:


2. Add a new temporary zone § 165.T11–300 to read as follows:

   § 165.T11–300 Safety Zone; Big Bay Fourth of July Fireworks, San Diego Bay, San Diego, CA.

   (a) Location. The limits of the safety zone are all navigable waters within 1000 feet of four fireworks barges and pier. The approximate locations are:

   - Shelter Island Barge: 32°42.83'N, 117°13.20'W
   - Harbor Island Barge: 32°43.33'N, 117°12.00'W
   - Embarcadero Barge: 32°43.00'N, 117°10.80'W
   - Seaport Village Barge: 32°42.23'N, 117°10.05'W
   - Imperial Beach Pier: 32°34.77'N, 117°08.15'W

   (b) Enforcement Period. This section will be enforced from 8:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on July 4, 2010. If the event concludes prior to the scheduled termination time, the Captain of the Port will cease enforcement of this safety zone and will announce that fact via Broadcast Notice to Mariners.

   (c) Definitions. The following definition applies to this section: Designated representative, means any commissioned, warrant, and petty officers of the Coast Guard on board Coast Guard, Coast Guard Auxiliary, and local, State, and Federal law enforcement vessels who have been authorized to act on the behalf of the Captain of the Port.

   (d) Regulations. (1) Entry into, transit through or anchoring within this safety zone is prohibited unless authorized by the Captain of the Port of San Diego or his designated on-scene representative.

   (2) Mariners requesting permission to transit through the safety zone may request authorization to do so from the Patrol Commander (PATCOM). The PATCOM may be contacted on VHF–FM Channel 16.

   (3) All persons and vessels shall comply with the instructions of the Coast Guard Captain of the Port or the designated representative.

   (4) Upon being hailed by U.S. Coast Guard patrol personnel by siren, radio, flashing light, or other means, the operator of a vessel shall proceed as directed.

   (5) The Coast Guard may be assisted by other federal, state, or local agencies.

   Dated: March 17, 2010.

   T.H. Farris,
   Captain, U.S. Coast Guard, Captain of the Port San Diego.

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

**40 CFR Part 98**


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**Public Hearings for the Mandatory Reporting Rule for Greenhouse Gases**

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Announcement of public hearings.

**SUMMARY:** The EPA is announcing two public hearings to be held for proposed rules related to mandatory reporting of greenhouse gases, which will be published separately in the Federal Register. These proposed rules would
amend the Mandatory Reporting of Greenhouse Gases rule, published on October 30, 2009 by requiring reporting of greenhouse gases from additional industry source categories.

One hearing will be held in Arlington, Virginia (which is in the Washington, DC area) on April 19, 2010. It will cover the proposed rule “Mandatory Reporting of Greenhouse Gases: Petroleum and Natural Gas Systems” and the proposed rule “Mandatory Reporting of Greenhouse Gases: Injection and Geologic Sequestration of Carbon Dioxide.” These two notices will be published in separate notices of proposed rulemaking.

The other hearing will be held in Washington, DC, on April 20, 2010. It will cover the proposed rule “Mandatory Reporting of Greenhouse Gases: Additional Sources of Fluorinated GHGs,” which will be published in a separate notice of proposed rulemaking.

The proposed rules do not require control of greenhouse gases, rather they require only that sources above certain threshold levels monitor and report emissions and carbon dioxide injection and geologic sequestration. The signed notices of proposed rulemaking were posted on the EPA Web site prior to publication in the Federal Register, and contained the same public hearing dates presented in this announcement.

DATES: There will be two public hearings. One hearing will be held on April 19, 2010 in Arlington, VA. The other hearing will be on April 20, 2010 in Washington, DC. To obtain information about the public hearings or to register to speak at the hearings, please go to: http://www.epa.gov/climatechange/emissions/ghgrulemaking.html. Alternatively, contact Carole Cook at 202–343–9263.

ADDRESSES: The hearings will be held at the following locations:

1. Arlington: One Potomac Yard (South Building), 2777 S. Crystal Drive, Arlington, VA 22202

Written comments on the proposed rules may also be submitted to EPA electronically, by mail, facsimile, or through hand delivery/courier. Please refer to the notices of proposed rulemaking for the addresses and detailed instructions for submitting written comments.

When the proposed rules are published in the Federal Register, a complete set of documents related to the proposal will be available for public inspection at the EPA Docket Center, located at 1301 Constitution Avenue, NW., Room 3334, Washington, DC between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. A reasonable fee may be charged for copying. Documents are also available through the electronic docket system at http://www.regulations.gov.

The EPA Web site for the Mandatory Reporting of Greenhouse Gases rulemaking, which includes information about the public hearings and a copy of the signed proposals (which are essentially the same as the proposals that will be published) can be found at: http://www.epa.gov/climatechange/emissions/ghgrulemaking.html.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Carole Cook, Climate Change Division, Office of Atmospheric Programs (MC–6207J), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (202) 343–9263; fax number: (202) 343–2342; e-mail address: GHGReportingRule@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposals for which EPA is holding the public hearings will be published separately in the Federal Register. Copies of the signed notices of proposed rulemaking, which are essentially the same as the proposal that will be published in the Federal Register, has been available since March 23, 2010, on the following Web site: http://www.epa.gov/climatechange/emissions/ghgrulemaking.html. The notices on the Web site contain the same public hearing dates, addresses, and registration information presented in this announcement of public hearings.

The public hearings will provide interested parties the opportunity to present data, views, or arguments concerning the proposed rules. The EPA may ask clarifying questions during the oral presentations, but will not respond to the presentations at that time. Written statements and supporting information submitted during the comment period will be considered with the same weight as any oral comments and supporting information presented at the public hearings. Written comments must be received by the last day of the comment period, as specified in the notices of proposed rulemaking.

To obtain information about the public hearings or to register to speak at the hearings, please go to: http://www.epa.gov/climatechange/emissions/ghgrulemaking.html. Alternatively, contact Carole Cook at 202–343–9263. Verbatim transcripts of the hearings and written statements will be included in the rulemaking dockets.