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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy

#### Establishment of the Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Advisory Committee and Request for Member Nominations

**AGENCY:** Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, U.S. Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of Intent to Establish the Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Advisory Committee and request member nominations.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 14(a)(2)(A) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) and in accordance with Title 41 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Section 102-3.65, and following consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration, notice is hereby given that the Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Advisory Committee (ERAC) has been established. To ensure a wide range of

candidates for ERAC and a balanced committee, DOE is using this public announcement as an avenue to solicit nominations for this Committee.

**DATES:** Nominations should be submitted by July 6, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** Nominations should be submitted in electronic format. Nominations should be sent via e-mail to [erac.nominees@ee.doe.gov](mailto:erac.nominees@ee.doe.gov). Any requests for further information should also be sent via e-mail to [erac.nominees@ee.doe.gov](mailto:erac.nominees@ee.doe.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

The Committee will provide advice and recommendations to the Secretary of Energy (Secretary) on the research, development, demonstration, and deployment priorities within the field of energy efficiency and renewable energy. The Committee's scope is to review and make recommendations on (1) the diverse elements of the Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) portfolio, (2) the competing long-range plans, priorities and strategies to support EERE's mission, (3) the appropriate levels of funding to develop those plans, priorities, and strategies and to help maintain an appropriate balance, (4) specific issues of concern to DOE as requested by the Secretary of Energy or the Assistant Secretary for EERE.

DOE is hereby soliciting nominations for members of the Committee. The Committee is expected to be continuing in nature. The Secretary of Energy will appoint approximately twenty (20) Committee members. Members will be selected with a view toward achieving a balanced committee of experts in fields relevant to EERE, including representatives of industry, academia, utilities, State and/or local governments, professional societies, nongovernmental organizations, Federal laboratories, finance and venture capital entities, and other appropriate organizations based on the needs of the Committee and DOE. Committee members will serve for a term of three years or less and may be reappointed for successive terms, with no more than two successive terms. Appointments may be made in a manner that allows the terms of the members serving at any time to expire at spaced intervals, so as to ensure continuity in the functioning of the Committee. The Committee is expected to meet twice per year. Subcommittees to address specific agenda items are anticipated. Some Committee members may be appointed as special Government employees (SGEs) and will be subject to certain ethical restrictions as a result. Such members will also be required to submit certain information

in connection with the appointment process.

#### Process and Deadline for Submitting Nominations

Qualified individuals can self-nominate or be nominated by any individual or organization. Nominators should submit (via e-mail to [erac.nominees@ee.doe.gov](mailto:erac.nominees@ee.doe.gov)) a description of the nominee's qualifications, including matters that would enable the Department to make an informed decision, such as but not limited to the nominee's education and professional experience. Should more information be needed, DOE staff will contact the nominee, obtain information from the nominee's past affiliations, or obtain information from publicly available sources, such as the internet. A selection team will review the nomination packages. This team will be comprised of representatives from several DOE Offices. DOE is seeking a balance of appropriate stakeholder viewpoints to address the diversity of EERE's portfolio, including SGE members and representative members. The selection team will consider many criteria, including and not limited to: (a) Scientific or technical expertise, knowledge, and experience; (b) stakeholder representation; (c) availability and willingness to serve; and (d) skills working in committees, subcommittees and advisory panels. Structured interviews with some candidates may also occur. The selection team will make recommendations regarding membership to the Assistant Secretary for Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE). The Assistant Secretary for EERE will submit a list of recommended candidates to the Secretary for review and selection of Committee members. Candidates selected by the Secretary of Energy to serve as SGEs will be required to fill out the Confidential Financial Disclosure Form for special Government employees serving on Federal Advisory Committees at the U.S. Department of Energy and other forms incidental to Federal appointment. The confidential financial disclosure form allows Government officials to determine whether there is a conflict between the special Government employee's public responsibilities and private interests and activities, or the appearance of a lack of impartiality, as defined by statute and regulation. The form may be viewed from the following URL address: [http://www.eere.energy.gov/advisory\\_panels.html](http://www.eere.energy.gov/advisory_panels.html).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. JoAnn Milliken at (202) 586-2480.

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**Carol A. Matthews,**  
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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OAR-2010-0485; FRL 9166-6]

### Access by EPA Contractors To Information Claimed as Confidential Business Information (CBI) Submitted Under Title II of the Clean Air Act and Related to the Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS2) and the EPA Moderated Transaction System (EMTS)

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** EPA's Office of Transportation and Air Quality (OTAQ) plans to authorize various contractors to access information which will be submitted to EPA under Title II of the Clean Air Act that may be claimed as, or may be determined to be, confidential business information (CBI). Contractor access to this information, which is related to the Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS2) and its EPA Moderated Transaction System (EMTS), will begin on July 1, 2010.

**DATES:** EPA will accept comments on this Notice through June 28, 2010.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Anne-Marie C. Pastorkovich, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. (6406)], Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: 202-343-9623; fax number: 202-343-2801; e-mail address: [pastorkovich.anne-marie@epa.gov](mailto:pastorkovich.anne-marie@epa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Does this Notice Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the general public. However, this action may be of particular interest to parties who are required to use the EPA Moderated Transaction System (EMTS), as described in 40 CFR 80.1452(e), to manage and convey renewable identification numbers (RINs). EMTS is utilized by parties subject to registration and reporting under the Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS2) program of 40 CFR part 80, subpart M.<sup>1</sup>

This **Federal Register** notice may be of particular relevance to parties that have submitted data under the above-listed programs or systems. Since other parties may also be interested, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific parties that may be affected by this action. If you have further questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular party, please contact the person listed in **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

##### II. How Can I Get Copies of this Document and Other Related Information?

###### A. Electronically

EPA has established a public docket for this **Federal Register** notice under Docket EPA-HQ-OAR-2010-0485.

All documents in the docket are identified in the docket index available at <http://www.regulations.gov>. Although listed in the index, some information is not publicly available, such as confidential business information (CBI) or other information for which disclosure is restricted by statute. Certain materials, such as copyrighted material, will only be available in hard copy at the EPA Docket Center.

###### B. EPA Docket Center

Materials listed under Docket EPA-HQ-OAR-2010-0485 will be available for public viewing at the EPA Docket Center (EPA/DC), EPA West, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460. The EPA Docket Center Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Reading Room is (202) 566-1744, and the telephone number for the Air Docket is (202) 566-1742.

##### III. Description of Programs and Potential Disclosure of Information Claimed as Confidential Business Information (CBI) to Contractors

EPA's Office of Transportation and Air Quality (OTAQ) has responsibility for protecting public health and the environment by regulating air pollution from motor vehicles, engines, and the fuels used to operate them, and by encouraging travel choices that minimize emissions. In order to implement various Clean Air Act programs, and to permit regulated entities flexibility in meeting regulatory requirements (*e.g.*, compliance on average), we collect compliance reports

and other information from them. Occasionally, the information submitted is claimed to be confidential business information (CBI). Information submitted under such a claim is handled in accordance with EPA's regulations at 40 CFR part 2, subpart B and in accordance with EPA procedures, including comprehensive system security plans (SSPs) that are consistent with those regulations. When EPA has determined that disclosure of information claimed as CBI to contractors is necessary, the corresponding contract must address the appropriate use and handling of the information by the contractor and the contractor must require its personnel who require access to information claimed as CBI to sign written non-disclosure agreements before they are granted access to data.

In accordance with 40 CFR 2.301(h), we have determined that the contractors, subcontractors, and grantees (collectively referred to as "contractors") listed below require access to CBI submitted to us under the Clean Air Act and in connection with the RFS2 program and EMTS. We are providing notice and an opportunity to comment. OTAQ collects this data in order to monitor compliance with the RFS2 program and to permit regulated parties flexibility in meeting regulatory requirements through the trading of RINs. We are issuing this **Federal Register** notice to inform all submitters of information within the EMTS system that we plan to grant access to material that may be claimed as CBI to the contractors identified below on a need-to-know basis.

Under Contract Number EP-W-09-22, PowerSolv, Incorporated, 1801 Robert Fulton Drive #550, Reston, Virginia, 20191 and its subcontractor, Indus Corporation, 1951 Kidwell Drive—8th Floor, Vienna, Virginia, 22182 provides technical support and information technology services that involve access to information claimed as CBI related to EMTS. Access to EMTS data, including information claimed as CBI, will commence on July 1, 2010 and will continue until May 31, 2011. If the contract is extended, this access will continue for the remainder of the contract without further notice.

Under Contract Number EP-06-095, Compass Solutions, Incorporated, 2760 Eisenhower Avenue, Suite 404, Alexandria, Virginia 22314 provides report processing and program support that involves access to information claimed as CBI related to EMTS. Access to EMTS data, including information claimed as CBI, will commence on July 1, 2010 and will continue until

<sup>1</sup> See "Regulation of Fuel and Fuel Additives: Changes to Renewable Fuel Standard Program—Final Rule," 75 FR 14670 (March 26, 2010) and

"Regulation of Fuel and Fuel Additives: Modifications to Renewable Fuel Standard Program—Final Rule and Proposed Rule," 75 FR 26026 (May 10, 2010).