

**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE****Notice of Lodging Proposed Consent Decree**

In accordance with Departmental Policy, 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed consent decree in *United States v. Triad Mining, Inc.*, Civil Action No. 1:12-cv-0026, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Southern District of Indiana on January 11, 2012.

This proposed Consent Decree concerns a complaint filed by the United States against the Defendant, pursuant to Sections 309(b) and (d) of the Clean Water Act (“CWA”), 33 U.S.C. 1319(b) and (d), to obtain injunctive relief from and impose civil penalties against the Defendant for the discharge of pollutants into waters of the United States without authorization by the United States, in violation of CWA Section 301(a), 33 U.S.C. 1311(a). The proposed Consent Decree resolves these allegations by requiring the Defendant to restore and/or mitigate the impacted areas and to pay a civil penalty.

The Department of Justice will accept written comments relating to this proposed Consent Decree for thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this Notice. Please address comments to Perry Rosen, Attorney, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044 and refer to *United States v. Triad Mining, Inc.*, DJ# 90-5-1-1-18796.

The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the Clerk’s Office, United States District Court for the Southern District of Indiana, 46 East Ohio Street Room 105, Indianapolis, Indiana, 46204. In addition, the proposed Consent Decree may be viewed at [http://www.justice.gov/enrd/Consent\\_Decrees.html](http://www.justice.gov/enrd/Consent_Decrees.html).

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**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE****Foreign Claims Settlement Commission**

**[F.C.S.C. Meeting and Hearing Notice No. 01-12]**

**Sunshine Act Meeting**

The Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, pursuant to its regulations (45 CFR 503.25) and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b),

hereby gives notice in regard to the scheduling of open meetings as follows:

Wednesday, January 25, 2012: 9 a.m.—Issuance of Proposed Decisions in claims against Libya.

10 a.m.—Oral hearings on Objections to Commission’s Proposed Decisions in Claim Nos. LIB-II-094; 11 a.m.—LIB-II-006; 11:45 a.m.—LIB-II-011; 2 p.m.—LIB-II-132, LIB-II-087.

*Status:* Open.

All meetings are held at the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, 600 E Street NW., Washington, DC. Requests for information, or advance notices of intention to observe an open meeting, may be directed to: Judith H. Lock, Executive Officer, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, 600 E Street NW., Suite 6002, Washington, DC 20579. Telephone: (202) 616-6975.

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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****Proposed Information Collection Request (ICR) for the Mining Voice in the Workplace Survey; Comment Request**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy, Department of Labor.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Labor (DOL or the Department), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)]. This program helps to ensure that required data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. The Department notes that a Federal agency cannot conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it is approved by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) under the PRA and the related materials display a currently valid OMB control number. Also, notwithstanding any other provisions of law, no person shall be subject to penalty for failing to comply with a

collection of information if the related materials do not display a currently valid OMB control number. See 5 CFR 1320.5(a) and 1320.6.

A copy of the proposed ICR can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice.

**DATES:** Written comments must be received by the office listed in the addressee section below on or before March 19, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments to Celeste Richie, U.S. Department of Labor, Chief Evaluation Office, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy, 200 Constitution Avenue NW., Frances Perkins Bldg., Room S-2312, Washington, DC 20210, telephone number (202) 693-5959 (this is not a toll-free number). Email address is [richie.celeste.j@dol.gov](mailto:richie.celeste.j@dol.gov) and fax number is (202) 693-5960.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****1. Background**

The U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) is performing a pilot study to determine how to measure workers’ voice in mining workplaces under the jurisdiction of DOL’s Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA). DOL’s working definition for voice in the workplace is the “workers’ ability to access information on their rights in the workplace, their understanding of those rights, and their ability to exercise these rights without fear of discrimination or retaliation.” Voice in the workplace is a key outcome goal for the Secretary of Labor and part of her vision of good jobs for everyone. A separate concurrent effort will measure workers’ voice in workplaces under the jurisdiction of DOL’s Wage and Hour Division (WHD) and Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA). Measuring voice among miners, however, poses unique data collection challenges, including implementing a survey in a setting that feels non-threatening to mine workers, and asking questions in a format that reflects mining community cultures and practices. Thus, DOL is performing a pilot study to investigate the efficacy of different data collection methods and to develop a survey instrument that is appropriate for the mining community. The primary research question is “What measures of voice and perceived non-compliance, combined with what modes of data collection, could be best used to track MSHA’s worker protection outreach activity?” This submission covers a set of 2-3 small-scale pilot data collections.

Data collection for this effort will employ 2-3 strategies: (1) Submission of