Mariners’ Museum, Youth, the U.S. Navy, Virginia Department of Historic Resources, North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources, North Carolina Department of Environmental and Natural Resources, the National Park Service, and the U.S. Coast Guard. It is the combined expertise and experience of these individuals that creates an advisory council that is a valuable and effective resource for the sanctuary manager.

The council’s objectives are to provide the sanctuary manager with advice on: (1) Protecting natural and cultural resources and identifying and evaluating emergent or critical issues involving sanctuary use or resources; (2) identifying and realizing the sanctuary’s research objectives; (3) identifying and realizing educational opportunities to increase public knowledge and stewardship of the sanctuary environment; and (4) developing an informed constituency to increase awareness and understanding of the purpose and value of the sanctuary and the National Marine Sanctuary System.

The council may serve as a forum for consultation and deliberation among its members and as a source of advice to the sanctuary manager regarding the management of the Monitor National Marine Sanctuary. The sanctuary advisory council holds open meetings to ensure continued public input on management issues and to increase public awareness and knowledge of the sanctuary environment. Public participation at these meetings is welcomed and encouraged.

(Federal Domestic Assistance Catalog Number 11.429 Marine Sanctuary Program)

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Daniel J. Basta,

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL–9748–4]

Regulation of Fuel and Fuel Additives: Modification to Octamix Waiver (TOLAD MFA–10A)

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Correction notice.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency reconsidered a portion of a fuel waiver granted under section 211(f) of the Clean Air Act to the Texas Methanol Corporation (Texas Methanol) on June 14, 2012, by issuing a notice to approve the use of an alternative corrosion inhibitor, TOLAD MFA–10A, in Texas Methanol’s gasoline-alcohol fuel, OCTAMIX. This correction notice explains that TOLAD MFA–10A is to be blended into the final fuel at 42.7 milligrams per liter (mg/l) rather than at 25 mg/l, as indicated in the June 14 notice.

ADDRESSES: EPA has established a docket for this action under Docket ID Number EPA–HQ–OAR–2011–0894. All documents and public comments in the docket are listed on the http://www.regulations.gov Web site. Publically available docket materials are available either electronically through http://www.regulations.gov or in hard copy at the Air Docket, EPA Headquarters Library, Mail Code: 2822T, EPA West Building, 1301 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC. The Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. The telephone number for the Public Reading Room is (202) 566–1742, and the facsimile number for the Air Docket is (202) 566–9744.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information regarding this notice contact, Joseph R. Sopata, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Air and Radiation, Office of Transportation and Air Quality, (202) 343–9034, fax number, (202) 343–2800, email address: sopata.joe@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

On October 14, 2011, Baker Hughes requested that EPA allow the use of its alternative corrosion inhibitor, TOLAD™ MFA–10A, at a concentration of 42 mg/l, in the OCTAMIX gasoline-alcohol fuel blend which otherwise would not be allowed under the OCTAMIX waiver.1 TOLAD™ MFA–10A is a fuel additive formulation consisting of a corrosion inhibitor. On January 20, 2012, EPA published a notice in the Federal Register (77 FR 2979) announcing receipt of Baker Hughes’s request and inviting comment on it. The comment period closed on February 21, 2012. On June 14, 2012, EPA approved the use of TOLAD MFA–10A as an alternative corrosion inhibitor in Texas Methanol’s gasoline-alcohol fuel, OCTAMIX.2

In that June 14, 2012 decision notice, EPA mistakenly listed the approved concentration of TOLAD™ MFA–10A as 25 mg/l instead of the requested 42 mg/l. Today’s notice corrects that mistake and explains why the previous approval is still appropriate when using the concentration of 42 mg/l as originally requested by Baker Hughes.

II. Analysis

The Agency’s decision on the overall efficacy of TOLAD MFA–10A as a corrosion inhibitor for use under the OCTAMIX waiver was largely based on Baker Hughes’ original request for a concentration of 42.7 mg/l. However, in
reviewing our decision, we discovered that our analysis regarding the emission impacts of TOLAD MFA–10A was inadvertently based on the minimum treat rate of 25 mg/l, whereas Baker Hughes requested and provided data for TOLAD MFA–10A at a concentration of 42.7 mg/l.\(^3\) This correction notice therefore explains how our decision to approve TOLAD MFA–10A as an alternative corrosion inhibitor under the OCTAMIX waiver is still appropriate when using a concentration of 42.7 mg/l.

With regards to the question of the emission impacts of using TOLAD MFA–10A, its treat rate of 42.7 mg/l is the same as the treat rate of TOLAD MFA–10, the original corrosion inhibitor approved under the OCTAMIX waiver. The chemical composition and the treat rate of TOLAD MFA–10A at 42.7 mg/l, which is less than 0.01 mass percent by weight, is such that it qualifies as a fuel additive falling under the baseline gasoline fuel category\(^4\) under our fuel and fuel additive registration regulations. In addition, the chemical composition and treat rate of TOLAD MFA–10A at 42.7 mg/l is such that it meets our substantially similar chemical composition and treat rate of registration regulations. In addition, the condition (3) of the OCTAMIX waiver to standards when using fuels made as gasoline phase separation specifications, waiver are met, which include 67 and TXCeed. Therefore, as long as one would not expect significant emission changes from the use of TOLAD MFA–10A compared to other fuel additives that fall under the baseline gasoline fuel category\(^5\) and also includes TOLAD MFA–10, DMA–67 and TXCeed. Therefore, as long as the other conditions of the OCTAMIX waiver are met, which include applicable volatility specifications, gasoline phase separation specifications, and alcohol purity conditions, the Agency believes that the use of TOLAD MFA–10A in place of TOLAD MFA–10 will allow engines and vehicles to remain compliant with their emissions standards when using fuels made as approved under the original conditions granted for the OCTAMIX waiver.

The Agency therefore modifies condition (3) of the OCTAMIX waiver to read as follows:

3. Any one of the following four corrosion inhibitors must be included: (a) Petroilte’s corrosion inhibitor formulation, TOLAD MFA–10, blended in the final fuel at 42.7 milligrams/liter (mg/l); or (b) DuPont’s corrosion inhibitor formulation, DMA–67, blended in the final fuel at 31.4 mg/l; or (c) Spirit of 21st Century LLC’s corrosion inhibitor formulation, TXCeed, blended in the final fuel at 3.9 ml/gal (987.6 mg/l); or (d) Baker Hughes’s corrosion inhibitor formulation, TOLAD MFA–10A, blended in the final fuel at 42.7 mg/l.

III. Do any of the statutory and executive order reviews apply to this action?

This final decision corrects an error in our emissions impact analysis for TOLAD MFA–10A at 42.7 mg/l as well as corrects an error in the required treat rate of TOLAD MFA–10A at 42.7 mg/l for use with the OCTAMIX waiver. This final decision does not otherwise change the requirements in the June 14, 2012 decision notice. As a correction, this action is not subject to the statutory and Executive Order review requirements. For information about the statutory and Executive Order review requirements as they related to the final decision, see the Unit IV, in the Federal Register of June 14, 2012.\(^6\)


Lisa P. Jackson, Administrator.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Agency Information Collection Activities; Emergency Clearance Submission for Expedited OMB Review; Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request for a Proposed OGE Form 201–A Ethics in Government Act Access Form

AGENCY: Office of Government Ethics (OGE).

ACTION: Emergency clearance notice and request for agency and public comments.

SUMMARY: The Office of Government Ethics (OGE) is submitting to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for an expedited emergency clearance for the proposed OGE Form 201–A Ethics in Government Act Access Form.

DATES: Written comments by the public and the agencies on this proposed information collection are invited and must be received on or before November 6, 2012.

ADDRESSES: Comments, identified by the title of the information collection activity, may be submitted to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: Mr. Kevin Herms, OMB Desk Officer for the Office of Government Ethics:

FAX: 202–395–5167, Attn: Mr. Kevin Herms, OMB Desk Officer for the Office of Government Ethics; Email: kherms@omb.eop.gov.

Comments should also be submitted to the Office of Government Ethics, Attn: Mr. Paul Ledvina, Agency Clearance Officer:

FAX: 202–482–9237, Attn: Mr. Paul Ledvina, Agency Clearance Officer; Email: usoge@oge.gov.


OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT ETHICS

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Lisa P. Jackson, Administrator.

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OMB Control Number: 3209–0002.

Type of Information Collection: New collection.

Type of Review Request: Emergency expedited review for temporary 180-day approval.

Respondents: Individuals requesting electronic access to executive branch public financial disclosure reports, including periodic transaction reports, filed on or after January 1, 2012.

Agency Form Number: OGE Form 201–A.

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Estimated Annual Number of Respondents: 1,246.

Estimated Time per Response: 5 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 104 hours.

Abstract: The proposed OGE Form 201–A would collect certain information from, and provide certain information to, persons who seek access to electronic copies of public financial disclosure reports, including periodic transaction reports, filed on or after January 1, 2012, and posted on the Internet in accordance with section 11(a) of Public Law 112–105, 126 Stat. 291 (2012). Specifically, the OGE Form...