ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Cross-Media Electronic Reporting: Authorized Program Revision Approval, State of Georgia

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces EPA’s approval of the State of Georgia’s request to revise certain of its EPA-authorized programs to allow electronic reporting.

DATES: EPA’s approval is effective December 4, 2012.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On October 13, 2005, the final Cross-Media Electronic Reporting Rule (CROMERR) was published in the Federal Register (70 FR 59848) and codified as part 3 of title 40 of the CFR. CROMERR establishes electronic reporting as an acceptable regulatory alternative to paper reporting and establishes requirements to assure that electronic documents are as legally dependable as their paper counterparts. Under subpart D of CROMERR, state, tribe or local government agencies that receive, or wish to begin receiving, electronic reports under their EPA-authorized programs must apply to EPA for a revision or modification of those programs and obtain EPA approval.

Subpart D also provides standards for such approvals based on consideration of the electronic document receiving systems that the state, tribe, or local government will use to implement the electronic reporting. Additionally, in §3.1000(b) through (e) of 40 CFR part 3, subpart D provides special procedures for program revisions and modifications to allow electronic reporting, to be used at the option of the state, tribe or local government, under existing program-specific authorization regulations. An application submitted under the subpart D procedures must show that the state, tribe or local government has sufficient legal authority to implement the electronic reporting components of the programs covered by the application and will use electronic document receiving systems that meet the applicable subpart D requirements.

On April 16, 2012, the Georgia Department of Natural Resources (GA DNR) submitted an application titled “Network Discharge Monitoring Report (NetDMR)” electronic document receiving system for revision of its EPA-authorized programs under title 40 CFR. EPA reviewed GA DNR’s request to revise its EPA-authorized programs and, based on this review, EPA determined that the application met the standards for approval of authorized program revisions set out in 40 CFR part 3, subpart D. In accordance with 40 CFR 3.1000(d), this notice of EPA’s decision to approve Georgia’s request for revision to its 40 CFR part 123—National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) State Program Requirements and part 403—General Pretreatment Regulations for Existing and New Sources of Pollution EPA-authorized programs for electronic reporting of information submitted under 40 CFR parts 122 and 403 is being published in the Federal Register.

GA DNR was notified of EPA’s determination to approve its application with respect to the authorized programs listed above.

Dated: November 19, 2012.

Andrew Batten,
Director.
Office of Information Collection.
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FEDERAL ACCOUNTING STANDARDS ADVISORY BOARD

Notice of Meeting Schedule for 2013

AGENCY: Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board.

ACTION: Notice.

AGENDA: Agenda items include a briefing for new 2013 Advisory Committee members regarding bank programs (including programs that support textile exports) as well as competitiveness and ethics overview.

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EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES

Advisory Committee Meeting

ACTION: Notice of open meeting of the Advisory Committee of the Export-Import Bank of the United States (Ex-Im Bank).

TIME AND PLACE: Friday, December 14, 2012 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Export-Import Bank in Room 326, 811 Vermont Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20571.

SUMMARY: The Advisory Committee was established November 30, 1983, to advise the Export-Import Bank on its programs and to provide comments for inclusion in the reports of the Export-Import Bank of the United States to Congress.

AGENCY: Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board.

AGENDA: Agenda items include a briefing for new 2013 Advisory Committee members regarding bank programs (including programs that support textile exports) as well as competitiveness and ethics overview.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: The meeting will be open to public participation, and the last 10 minutes will be set aside for oral questions or comments. Members of the public may also file written statement(s) before or after the meeting. If any person wishes auxiliary aids (such as a sign language interpreter) or other special accommodations, please contact, prior to December 14, 2012, Richard Thelen, 811 Vermont Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20571, Voice: (202) 565–3515 or TDD (202) 565–3377.

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