

have been imposed, as in special review actions.

EPA's existing stocks policy (56 FR 29362) provides that: "If a registrant requests to voluntarily cancel a registration where the Agency has identified no particular risk concerns, the registrant has complied with all applicable conditions of reregistration, conditional registration, and data call ins, and the registration is not subject to a Registration Standard, Label Improvement Program, or reregistration decision, the Agency will generally permit a registrant to sell or distribute existing stocks for 1 year after the cancellation request was received. Persons other than registrants will generally be allowed to sell, distribute, or use existing stocks until such stocks are exhausted."

Existing stocks are those stocks of registered pesticide products which are currently in the United States and which were packaged, labeled, and released for shipment prior to the effective date of the cancellation action. The effective date of this cancellation is January 9, 2013. The cancellation order that is the subject of this notice includes the following existing stock provisions:

The registrant may sell and distribute existing stocks of the product listed in Table 1 until January 9, 2014. Persons other than the registrant may sell and distribute existing stocks of the product listed in Table 1 until exhausted. Use of the product listed in Table 1 may continue until existing stocks are exhausted, provided that such use is consistent with the terms of the previously approved labeling on, or that accompanied, the canceled product.

#### List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pests, Busan 1024, 1-Methyl-3,5,7-Triaza-1-Azoniatricyclodecane Chloride.

Dated: December 18, 2012.

**Jennifer McLain,**

*Acting Director, Antimicrobials Division,  
Office of Pesticide Programs.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OPPT-2012-0979; FRL-9375-1]

### Availability of Draft Chemical Risk Assessments; Public Comment Opportunity

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** With this document, EPA is announcing the availability of and opening the 60-day public comment period for several draft chemical risk assessments. These draft risk assessments address five of the initial seven chemicals from the Agency's TSCA Work Plan identified on March 1, 2012, for assessment during 2012. The chemicals are antimony trioxide, methylene chloride, n-methylpyrrolidone, trichloroethylene, and 1,3,4,6,7,8-hexahydro-4,6,6,7,8,8-hexamethylcyclopenta[g]-2-benzopyran. Methylene chloride and n-methylpyrrolidone are included in a single docket because both assessments will be addressed by the same peer review panel. EPA is also asking the public for nominations of expert peer reviewers and to submit names with contact information (full name, address, affiliation, telephone, and email) within 30 days of the opening of this public comment period. The nominations of expert peer reviewers from the public will be relayed to the independent peer review contractor setting up the individual peer review panels. Public comments submitted on these draft risk assessments will be included in materials submitted to peer review panels for their reviews of the assessments after this public comment period closes.

**DATES:** Comments for nominations of peer reviewers must be received on or before February 8, 2013 and comments on the draft assessments and the charge questions for the external peer reviews must be received on or before March 11, 2013.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments, identified by the docket identification (ID) number for the corresponding chemical risk assessment as identified in this document, by one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments. Do not submit electronically any information you consider to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute.

- *Mail:* Document Control Office (7407M), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (OPPT), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460-0001.

- *Hand Delivery:* OPPT Document Control Office (DCO), EPA East Bldg., Rm. 6428, 1201 Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC. ATTN: Docket ID Number [Please include the applicable docket ID number as identified in this document]. The DCO is open from 8

a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the DCO is (202) 564-8930. Such deliveries are only accepted during the DCO's normal hours of operation, and special arrangements should be made for deliveries of boxed information. To make special arrangements for hand delivery or delivery of boxed information, please follow the instructions at <http://www.epa.gov/dockets/contacts.htm>.

Additional instructions on commenting or visiting the docket, along with more information about dockets generally, is available at <http://www.epa.gov/dockets>.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Stanley Barone, Risk Assessment Division (7403M), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460-0001; telephone number: (202) 564-1169; fax number: (202) 564-7450; email address: [barone.stan@epa.gov](mailto:barone.stan@epa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Does this action apply to me?

This action is directed to the public in general, and may be of interest to a wide range of stakeholders including those interested in environmental and human health; the chemical industry; chemical users; consumer product companies and members of the public interested in the assessment of chemical risks. Since others also may be interested, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action.

##### II. What authorities apply to this action?

In the Agency's February 2012 *TSCA Work Plan Chemicals Methods Document* (<http://www.epa.gov/oppt/existingchemicals/pubs/wpmethods.pdf>), released to the public on March 1, 2012, EPA described the two-step process the Agency used to identify potential candidate chemicals for near-term review and assessment under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) (15 U.S.C. 2601, *et seq.*). The Agency announced its intent to use the TSCA Work Plan to help focus and direct the activities of the Existing Chemicals Program in the Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (OPPT). EPA also identified an initial group of seven of the Work Plan Chemicals to begin assessment in 2012. EPA invited public comment throughout this process through a non-regulatory docket created for this activity, EPA-HQ-OPPT-2011-0516,

which can be accessed online at <http://www.regulations.gov>.

As described in the *Methods Document*, EPA notes that identification of a chemical as a TSCA Work Plan Chemical does not itself constitute a finding by the Agency that the chemical presents a risk to human health or the environment. Rather, identification of a chemical as a TSCA Work Plan Chemical indicates only that the Agency intends to consider it for further review.

### III. What action is the agency taking?

EPA is announcing the availability of and opening the public comment period for the following draft chemical risk assessments. EPA also invites comments on whether there are other uses that may result in high potential consumer exposures EPA should consider as future assessment and/or collection priorities for these chemicals. This unit identifies the individual draft chemical risk assessments by title, docket ID number, and chemical or chemicals covered. Use the specific docket ID number provided in this unit to locate a copy of the chemical-specific document, as well as to submit comments via <http://www.regulations.gov>.

#### A. Docket ID Number EPA-HQ-OPPT-2012-0722

*Title:* Availability of Draft Chemical Risk Assessments; Public Comment Opportunity: 1,3,4,6,7,8-Hexahydro-4,6,6,7,8,8,-hexamethylcyclopenta[g]-2-benzopyran (HHCB) (CASRN 1222-05-5).

*Chemical Covered:* 1,3,4,6,7,8-Hexahydro-4,6,6,7,8,8,-hexamethylcyclopenta[g]-2-benzopyran (HHCB; CASRN 1222-05-5).

*Summary:* HHCB is a synthetic polycyclic musk used as an ingredient in a wide range of consumer products including perfumes, cosmetics, shampoos, lotions, detergents, fabric softeners, and cleaning agents. The draft assessment focuses on environmental risk due to release of HHCB to the aquatic and terrestrial environment from all combined uses. Human health risks have been evaluated previously and are summarized in this draft assessment.

For HHCB, EPA is asking for nominations of peer reviewers who are experts in the following areas: Aquatic ecotoxicology, terrestrial ecotoxicology, fate and biodegradation, fate and bioaccumulation, environmental risk assessment (aquatic and terrestrial), and analytical chemistry of organic waste water contaminants.

#### B. Docket ID Number EPA-HQ-OPPT-2012-0723

*Title:* Availability of Draft Chemical Risk Assessments; Public Comment Opportunity: Trichloroethylene (CASRN 79-01-6).

*Chemicals Covered:* Trichloroethylene (TCE; CASRN 79-01-6).

*Summary:* The draft assessment focuses on uses of TCE as a degreaser and in consumer products used by individuals in the arts/crafts field. Given the range of endpoints (cancer; non-cancer, including potential effects on the developing fetus), the susceptible populations addressed are children and adults of all ages (including pregnant women). Thus, the draft assessment focuses on all human lifestages.

For TCE, EPA is asking for nominations of peer reviewers who are experts in the following areas: Toxicology of TCE (developmental cardiotoxicity, immunotoxicology, reproductive toxicology, and cancer biology), expertise in physiologically based pharmaco-kinetics modeling for TCE, exposure of volatile organics, experts on use of volatiles as solvent degreasers and in the arts/crafts field, chemical/environmental risk assessment experts, experts familiar with environmental release data (i.e., TRI, NEI) and associated modeling/interpretation.

#### C. Docket ID Number EPA-HQ-OPPT-2012-0724

*Title:* Availability of Draft Chemical Risk Assessments; Public Comment Opportunity: Antimony Trioxide (CASRN 1309-64-4).

*Chemical Covered:* Antimony trioxide (ATO; CASRN 1309-64-4).

*Summary:* This draft assessment focuses on the ecological hazards that may be associated with ATO use in flame retardants. Human health risks for the flame retardant use have been evaluated previously and are summarized in this draft assessment. Because ATO use in plastics was previously evaluated for human health and the environment, that use scenario is not evaluated here.

For ATO, EPA is asking for nominations of peer reviewers who are experts in the following areas: Exposure modeling, aquatic ecotoxicology, terrestrial ecotoxicology, inorganic chemistry addressing water and sediment issues, and ground water.

#### D. Docket ID Number EPA-HQ-OPPT-2012-0725

*Title:* Availability of Draft Chemical Risk Assessments; Public Comment Opportunity: Methylene Chloride

(dichloromethane, DCM; CASRN 75-09-2) and N-Methylpyrrolidone (NMP; CASRN 872-50-4).

*Chemicals Covered:* Methylene Chloride (dichloromethane, DCM; CASRN 75-09-2) and N-Methylpyrrolidone (NMP; CASRN 872-50-4).

*Summary:* These related draft assessments focus on the use of DCM and NMP in paint stripping and will be addressed by the same peer review panel. With regard to DCM, the draft assessment focuses on inhalation exposure to consumers and workers, and addresses human health concerns for both cancer and non-cancer effects. The low concern for environmental effects of DCM is discussed in the draft assessment. With regard to NMP, the draft assessment focuses on inhalation and dermal exposure to consumers and workers. The low concern for environmental effects of NMP is discussed in the draft assessment.

For DCM and NMP, EPA is asking for nominations of peer reviewers who are experts in the following areas: Inhalation toxicology, toxicokinetics/PBPK modeling, dermal toxicology, neurotoxicology, immunotoxicology, developmental and reproductive toxicology, cancer biology, expertise in U.S. consumer modeling (inhalation and dermal), expertise in occupational exposure assessment (inhalation and dermal) especially as related to volatile organic chemicals.

The draft risk assessments on the two remaining chemicals from the initial group of seven Work Plan chemicals scheduled to begin assessment in 2012—the long- and medium-chain chlorinated paraffins—are on a different schedule for completion and will be made available for public comment through another **Federal Register** notice issued on a later date.

### V. What is the next step?

The list of candidate peer reviewers, those nominated by the public as well as those identified by a contractor, will be made available in the **Federal Register** for public comment. After a 30-day comment period, informed by any comments, the contractor will select the peer reviewers. The detailed Peer Review Plans for the draft assessments are accessible through the Agency's Peer Review Agenda Web site at [http://cfpub.epa.gov/si/si\\_public\\_pr\\_agenda.cfm](http://cfpub.epa.gov/si/si_public_pr_agenda.cfm). EPA will consider comments received from the public and the subsequent peer review when finalizing the individual chemical risk assessments and will describe in a written report how EPA addressed public and reviewer comments in the

final assessments. EPA will issue another **Federal Register** notice to announce the availability of the final risk assessments. If you have any questions about any of these risk assessments or the Agency's programs in general, please contact the person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

#### List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Dated: January 3, 2013.

**Wendy C. Hamnett,**

*Director, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics.*

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### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-9769-2]

#### National Environmental Education Advisory Council

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

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, EPA gives notice of a teleconference meeting of the National Environmental Education Advisory Council (NEEAC). The NEEAC was created by Congress to advise, consult with, and make recommendations to the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on matters related to activities, functions and policies of EPA under the National Environmental Education Act (the Act).

The purpose of this teleconference is to discuss specific topics of relevance for consideration by the council in order to provide advice and insights to the Agency on environmental education.

**DATES:** The National Environmental Education Advisory Council will hold a public teleconference on Monday, January 28, 2013, from 2:00 p.m. until 3:30 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Javier Araujo, Designated Federal Officer, [araujo.javier@epa.gov](mailto:araujo.javier@epa.gov), 202-564-2642, U.S. EPA, Office of Environmental Education, Ariel Rios North Room 1426, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20460.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Members of the public wishing to gain access to the teleconference, make brief oral comments, or provide a written statement to the NEEAC must contact Javier Araujo, Designated Federal

Officer, at [araujo.javier@epa.gov](mailto:araujo.javier@epa.gov) or 202-564-2642 by January 14, 2013.

**Meeting Access:** For information on access or services for individuals with disabilities or to request accommodations please contact Javier Araujo at [araujo.javier@epa.gov](mailto:araujo.javier@epa.gov) or 202-564-2642, preferably at least 10 days prior to the meeting, to give EPA as much time as possible to process your request.

**Stephanie Owens,**

*Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of External Affairs and Environmental Education.*

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### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-9769-1]

#### Notice of Administrative Settlement Agreement for Recovery of Past and Future Response Costs Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as Amended

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

**ACTION:** Notice; request for public comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), notice is hereby given that a proposed administrative settlement agreement for recovery of past and future response costs ("Proposed Agreement") associated with the DuPont-Newport Superfund Site, Newcastle County, Delaware, was executed by the Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") and by the United States Department of Justice ("DOJ") pursuant to the authority of the Attorney General of the United States to settle and compromise claims of the United States. The Proposed Agreement is now subject to public comment, after which EPA and DOJ may modify or withdraw their consent if comments received disclose facts or considerations that indicate that the Proposed Agreement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate. The Proposed Agreement would resolve potential EPA claims under Section 107(a) of CERCLA, against E.I. DuPont de Nemours and Company and BASF Corporation ("Settling Parties"). The Proposed Agreement would require Settling Parties to reimburse EPA \$178,646.09 for past response costs paid by EPA or

DOJ on behalf of EPA and to pay future response costs for the Site.

For thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this notice, EPA will receive written comments relating to the Proposed Agreement. EPA's response to any comments received will be available for public inspection at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before February 8, 2013.

**ADDRESSES:** The Proposed Agreement and additional background information relating to the Proposed Agreement are available for public inspection at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103. A copy of the Proposed Agreement may be obtained from Mary E. Rugala (3RC43), Senior Assistant Regional Counsel, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103. Comments should reference the "DuPont-Newport Superfund Site, Proposed Administrative Settlement Agreement for Recovery of Past and Future Response Costs" and "EPA Docket No. CERC-03-2013-0003CR," and should be forwarded to Mary E. Rugala at the above address.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mary E. Rugala (3RC43), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103, Phone: (215) 814-2686; [rugala.mary@epa.gov](mailto:rugala.mary@epa.gov)

Dated: December 18, 2012.

**Ronald J. Borsellino,**

*Director, Hazardous Site Cleanup Division, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III.*

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### EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

[Public Notice: 2013-0100]

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Export-Import Bank of the U.S.

**ACTION:** Submission for OMB review and comments request.

**Form Title:** EIB 92-53 Small Business Multi-Buyer Export Credit Insurance Policy Enhanced Assignment of Policy Proceeds.

**SUMMARY:** The Export Import Bank of the U.S. (Ex-Im Bank) pursuant to the Export Import Bank Act of 1945, as amended (12 U.S.C. 635, et seq.), facilitates the finance of export of U.S.