

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration**

[Docket No. PHMSA–2015–0168 (Notice No. 15–14)]

**Hazardous Materials: Notification of Anticipated Delay in Administrative Appeal Decisions**

**AGENCY:** Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice advises the public that PHMSA is currently reviewing administrative appeals on a recently

issued final rule titled, “Hazardous Materials: Enhanced Tank Car Standards and Operational Controls for High-Hazard Flammable Trains” (80 FR 26643). In accordance with applicable regulatory requirements, this notice provides notification to parties having brought certain administrative appeals of the anticipated delay in processing these administrative appeals.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Charles E. Betts, Director, Standards and Rulemaking Division, Office of Hazardous Materials Safety, (202) 366–4512, PHMSA, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC 20590.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Appeals**

The Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration’s (PHMSA) Office of Hazardous Materials Standards received a number of administrative appeals in relation to the PHMSA final rule, titled, “Hazardous Materials: Enhanced Tank Car Standards and Operational Controls for High-Hazard Flammable Trains” (80 FR 26643). Key information on the administrative appeals is provided below.

*HM–251 [Docket No. PHMSA–2012–0082]*

Hazardous Materials: Enhanced Tank Car Standards and Operational Controls for High-Hazard Flammable Trains

Appeals from	Docket No.	Focus of appeal
Association of American Railroads (AAR) .....	PHMSA–2012–0082–3480 .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advanced Brake Signal Propagation Systems.</li> <li>• Scope of the Rulemaking.</li> <li>• Thermal Protection for Tank Cars.</li> </ul>
American Chemistry Council (ACC) .....	PHMSA–2012–0082–3473 .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advanced Brake Signal Propagation Systems.</li> <li>• Retrofit Timeline and Tank Car Reporting Requirements.</li> <li>• Scope of the Rulemaking.</li> </ul>
American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers (AFPM) .....	PHMSA–2012–0082–3470 .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Retrofit Timeline and Tank Car Reporting Requirements.</li> <li>• Information Sharing/Notification.</li> <li>• Tribal Impacts and Consultation.</li> </ul>
Columbia River and Northwest Treaty Tribes .....	PHMSA–2012–0082–3478 .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advanced Brake Signal Propagation Systems.</li> <li>• Scope of the Rulemaking.</li> </ul>
Dangerous Goods Advisory Council (DGAC) .....	PHMSA–2012–0082–3471 .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Testing and Sampling Program.</li> </ul>

**II. Notification of Anticipated Delay in Appeal Decisions**

49 CFR 106.130(a)(4) provides that if PHMSA does not issue a decision on whether to grant or deny an administrative appeal within 90 days after the date that the final rule is published in the **Federal Register** and that we anticipate a substantial delay in making a decision, PHMSA will notify the parties having brought administrative appeals directly and provide an expected decision date. In addition, PHMSA will publish a notice of the delay in the **Federal Register**. Due to the complexity of the appeals received, we anticipate delays in making administrative appeal decisions as we will require additional time to adequately review and consider the appeals. As a result, in accordance with 49 CFR 106.130(a)(4), we are publishing this notice in the **Federal Register** to notify the public, and we will be directly contacting parties having brought these administrative appeals shortly.

Issued in Washington, DC, on August 4, 2015.

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**

**Office of the Comptroller of the Currency**

**Agency Information Collection Activities: Information Collection Renewal; Comment Request; Market Risk**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC), Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The OCC, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on a continuing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA).

Under the PRA, Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of an existing collection of information, and to allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice.

In accordance with the requirements of the PRA, the OCC may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection unless it displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. The OCC is soliciting comment concerning the renewal of its information collection titled, “Market Risk.”

**DATES:** You should submit written comments by: October 9, 2015.

**ADDRESSES:** Because paper mail in the Washington, DC area and at the OCC is subject to delay, commenters are encouraged to submit comments by email, if possible. Comments may be sent to: Legislative and Regulatory Activities Division, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Attention: 1557–0247, 400 7th Street SW., Suite 3E–218, Mail Stop 9W–11, Washington, DC 20219. In addition, comments may be sent by fax to (571) 465–4326 or by