DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Docket Number CDC–2017–0090, NIOSH–301]

Application of Biological Monitoring Methods for Chemical Exposures in Occupational Health

AGENCY: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice of draft document for public comment.


DATES: Electronic or written comments must be received by December 15, 2017.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by CDC–2017–0090 and docket number NIOSH–301, by any of the following methods:

• Federal eRulemaking Portal: https://www.regulations.gov Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

• Mail: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, NIOSH Docket Office, 1090 Tusculum Avenue, MS C–34, Cincinnati, Ohio 45226–1998.

Instructions: All information received in response to this notice must include the agency name and docket number [CDC–2017–0090; NIOSH–301]. All relevant comments received will be posted without change to https://www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided. For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received, go to

http://www.regulations.gov. All information received in response to this notice will also be available for public examination and copying at the NIOSH Docket Office, 1150 Tusculum Avenue, Room 155, Cincinnati, OH 45226–1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dale Shoemaker, Ph.D., NIOSH/DART, 1090 Tusculum Avenue, MS R–7, Cincinnati, OH 45226,[(513) 841–4523 (not a toll-free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Background: The NIOSH Manual of Analytical Methods (NMAM) was first published in 1974. Currently in its Fifth Edition, the NMAM contains 60 methods and 11 chapters that can be used by the occupational safety and health professionals to measure worker exposures. NIOSH has written an updated chapter covering the application and validation of biological monitoring methods for chemical exposures to be included in the NMAM. NIOSH is requesting public comment on this draft.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Title 5, United States Code, Section 3141(c)(4) of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978, Public Law 95–454, requires that the appointment of Performance Review Board Members be published in the Federal Register.

The following persons will serve on the CDC Performance Review Boards or Panels, which will oversee the evaluation of performance appraisals of Senior Executive Service members for the Fiscal Year 2017 review period:

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[60Day–17–1061; Docket No. CDC–2017–0077]

Proposed Data Collection Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

AGENCY: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice with comment period.

SUMMARY: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), as part of its continuing effort to reduce public burden and maximize the utility of government information, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. This notice invites comment on the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS), a system of customized telephone surveys conducted by U.S. states, territories, and the District of Columbia to produce state-level data about health-related risk behaviors, chronic health conditions, use of preventive services, and emerging health issues.

DATES: CDC must receive written comments on or before December 15, 2017.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. CDC–2017–0077 by any of the following methods: