

*EIS No. 20220153, Draft, FERC, NC, Southside Reliability Enhancement Project, Comment Period Ends: 12/12/2022, Contact: Office of External Affairs 866-208-3372.*

*EIS No. 20220154, Draft Supplement, USFS, ID, Stibnite Gold Project, Comment Period Ends: 01/10/2023, Contact: Brian Harris 208-634-0784.*

*EIS No. 20220155, Final, BOEM, AK, Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Alaska Region, Cook Inlet Planning Area, Oil and Gas Lease Sale 258, Review Period Ends: 11/28/2022, Contact: Casey Rowe 907-312-3788.*

*EIS No. 20220156, Draft, BOEM, CA, Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement for Oil and Gas Decommissioning Activities on the Pacific Outer Continental Shelf, Comment Period Ends: 12/12/2022, Contact: Richard Yarde 805-384-6379.*

#### Amended Notice

*EIS No. 20220086, Draft Supplement, NMFS, WA, The Makah Tribe Request to Hunt Gray Whales, Comment Period Ends: 11/03/2022, Contact: Grace Ferrara 206-526-6172. Revision to FR Notice Published 08/12/2022; Extending the Comment Period from 10/14/2022 to 11/03/2022.*

*EIS No. 20220122, Draft, CHSRA, CA, California High-Speed Rail Authority Palmdale to Burbank Project Section: Draft Environmental Impact Report/ Environmental Impact Statement, Comment Period Ends: 12/01/2022, Contact: Scott Rothenberg 916-403-6936. Revision to FR Notice Published 09/02/2022; Extending the Comment Period from 11/01/2022 to 12/01/2022.*

Dated: October 24, 2022.

#### Julie Roemele,

*Acting Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-10263-01-ORD]

### Ambient Air Monitoring Reference and Equivalent Methods; Designation of One New Equivalent Method

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

**ACTION:** Notice of the designation of a new equivalent method for monitoring ambient air quality.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that the Environmental Protection Agency

(EPA) has designated one new equivalent method for measuring concentrations of Particulate Matter in the 2.5-micron range (PM<sub>2.5</sub>) in ambient air.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Robert Vanderpool, Air Methods and Characterization Division (MD-D205-03), Center for Environmental Measurements and Modeling, U.S. EPA, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27711. Phone: 919-541-7877. Email: [Vanderpool.Robert@epa.gov](mailto:Vanderpool.Robert@epa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

In accordance with regulations at 40 CFR part 53, the EPA evaluates various methods for monitoring the concentrations of those ambient air pollutants for which EPA has established National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) as set forth in 40 CFR part 50. Monitoring methods that are determined to meet specific requirements for adequacy are designated by the EPA as either reference or equivalent methods (as applicable), thereby permitting their use under 40 CFR part 58 by States and other agencies for determining compliance with the NAAQS. A list of all reference or equivalent methods that have been previously designated by EPA may be found at <http://www.epa.gov/ttn/amtic/criteria.html>.

The EPA hereby announces the designation of one new equivalent method for measuring concentrations of Particulate Matter in the 2.5-micron range (PM<sub>2.5</sub>) in ambient air. This designation is made under the provisions of 40 CFR part 53, as amended on October 26, 2015 (80 FR 65291-65468).

The new equivalent method for PM<sub>2.5</sub> is an automated method (analyzer) utilizing an optically based measurement principle. This newly designated equivalent method is identified as follows:

EQPM-0922-260 “Ambilabs Model 2WIN PM<sub>2.5</sub> FEM Monitor” Optically based continuous ambient particulate analyzer operated at a volumetric flow rate of 2 Lpm, equipped with Ambilabs omnidirectional sampling inlet (P/N: M9003011), an Ambilabs 2 Lpm sharp cut cyclone inlet (P/N: A001025), and an Ambilabs ambient temperature sensor (P/N: AL-2WIN-TEMP) configured for operation with firmware version 1.36 or later, and operated in accordance with the Ambilabs 2WIN operations manual. The 2WIN PM<sub>2.5</sub> FEM Monitor is set for red and blue scattering coefficients and the internal sample conditioning must be set for an RH < 35%. The Monitor can be operated either outside in an Ambilabs

environmental enclosure (P/N: Neph Shelter) or as tabletop or wall mount in an AC controlled shelter. This designation applies to PM<sub>2.5</sub> measurements only.

This application for an equivalent method determination for this PM<sub>2.5</sub> method was received by the Office of Research and Development on July 12, 2022. This analyzer is commercially available from the applicant, Ambilabs, 100 Elm Street, Warren, RI 02885.

A representative test analyzer was tested in accordance with the applicable test procedures specified in 40 CFR part 53, as amended on October 26, 2015. After reviewing the results of those tests and other information submitted by the applicant, EPA has determined, in accordance with part 53, that this method should be designated as an equivalent method.

As a designated equivalent method, this method is acceptable for use by states and other air monitoring agencies under the requirements of 40 CFR part 58, Ambient Air Quality Surveillance. For such purposes, this method must be used in strict accordance with the operation or instruction manual associated with the method and subject to any specifications and limitations (e.g., configuration or operational settings) specified in the designated method description (see the identification of the method above).

Use of the method also should be in general accordance with the guidance and recommendations of applicable sections of the “Quality Assurance Handbook for Air Pollution Measurement Systems, Volume I,” EPA/600/R-94/038a and “Quality Assurance Handbook for Air Pollution Measurement Systems, Volume II, Ambient Air Quality Monitoring Program,” EPA-454/B-13-003, (both available at <http://www.epa.gov/ttn/amtic/qalist.html>). Provisions concerning modification of such methods by users are specified under Section 2.8 (Modifications of Methods by Users) of Appendix C to 40 CFR part 58.

Consistent or repeated noncompliance with any of these conditions should be reported to: Director, Air Methods and Characterization Division (MD-D205-03), Center for Environmental Measurements and Modeling, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27711.

Designation of this equivalent method is intended to assist the States in establishing and operating their air quality surveillance systems under 40 CFR part 58. Questions concerning the commercial availability or technical

aspects of the method should be directed to the applicant.

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[OMB 3060–XXXX; FR ID 111329]

### Information Collection Being Submitted for Review and Approval to Office of Management and Budget

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

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

**SUMMARY:** As part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC or the Commission) invites the general public and other Federal Agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection. Pursuant to the Small Business Paperwork Relief Act of 2002, the FCC seeks specific comment on how it might “further reduce the information collection burden for small business concerns with fewer than 25 employees.” The Commission may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the PRA that does not display a valid OMB control number.

**DATES:** Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted on or before December 1, 2022.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments should be sent to [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function. Your comment must be submitted into [www.reginfo.gov](http://www.reginfo.gov) per the above instructions for it to be considered. In addition to submitting in [www.reginfo.gov](http://www.reginfo.gov) also send a copy of your comment on the proposed information collection to Nicole Ongele, FCC, via email to [PRA@fcc.gov](mailto:PRA@fcc.gov) and to [Nicole.Ongele@fcc.gov](mailto:Nicole.Ongele@fcc.gov). Include in the

comments the OMB control number as shown in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** below.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information or copies of the information collection, contact Nicole Ongele at (202) 418–2991. To view a copy of this information collection request (ICR) submitted to OMB: (1) go to the web page <http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>, (2) look for the section of the web page called “Currently Under Review,” (3) click on the downward-pointing arrow in the “Select Agency” box below the “Currently Under Review” heading, (4) select “Federal Communications Commission” from the list of agencies presented in the “Select Agency” box, (5) click the “Submit” button to the right of the “Select Agency” box, (6) when the list of FCC ICRs currently under review appears, look for the Title of this ICR and then click on the ICR Reference Number. A copy of the FCC submission to OMB will be displayed.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** As part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501–3520), the FCC invited the general public and other Federal Agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection. Comments are requested concerning: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission’s burden estimates; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Pursuant to the Small Business Paperwork Relief Act of 2002, Public Law 107–198, see 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(4), the FCC seeks specific comment on how it might “further reduce the information collection burden for small business concerns with fewer than 25 employees.”

*OMB Control Number:* 3060–XXXX.

*Title:* Performance Evaluation of Numbering Administration Vendor(s).

*Form Number:* N/A.

*Type of Review:* New information collection.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit entities, Not-for-profit entities, and State, Local and Tribal Governments.

*Number of Respondents and Responses:* 6,161 respondents and 6,161 responses.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 0.25 hours.

*Frequency of Response:* Annual reporting requirement.

*Obligation to Respond:* Voluntary.

*Total Annual Burden:* 1,540 hours.

*Total Annual Cost:* No cost.

*Privacy Impact Assessment:*

Personally identifiable information (PII) in the form of business contact information will be collected and maintained in accordance with the FCC–2, Business Contacts and Certifications, System of Records Notice (SORN), posted at <https://www.fcc.gov/managing-director/privacy-transparency/privacy-act-information>. There is no intention by the Numbering Administration Oversight Working Group (NAOWG), North American Numbering Council (NANC), or the Commission to make this business contact information publicly available.

*Nature and Extent of Confidentiality:* Participants must share their business contact information to respond to the survey. This information will be protected as described in the FCC–2, Business Contacts and Certifications SORN, posted at <https://www.fcc.gov/managing-director/privacy-transparency/privacy-act-information>. Participation in each survey is voluntary and any participant can decline to participate at any time.

*Needs and Uses:* The Commission is requesting Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for this new information collection. This collection of information is an annual performance satisfaction survey of its vendor(s) acting as administrators for various telephone number management functions.

These functions may be performed by one or multiple vendors under one or multiple contracts. The vendor(s) act pursuant to their contract(s) with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and the FCC’s numbering rules. See 47 CFR 52.1 *et seq.*

The survey will be designed and administered by the Numbering Administration Oversight Working Group (NAOWG) of the North American Numbering Council (NANC). The NANC is a Federal Advisory Committee established under the Federal Advisory Committee Act. The NANC advises the FCC and makes recommendations, reached through consensus, that foster efficient and impartial number administration. The NANC is composed of representatives of telecommunications carriers, regulators, cable providers, Voice Over Internet