

been adopted and submitted to EPA in time for full approval. Since the suspension of the Federal program requirement runs out with the expiration of interim approval, the requirement that EPA promulgate a Federal program is effective immediately upon that expiration.

The EPA has the authority to establish a partial part 71 program in limited geographical areas of a state if EPA has approved a part 70 program (or combination of part 70 programs) for the remaining areas of the State. The EPA will promulgate a part 71 program for a permitting authority if EPA finds that a permitting authority is not adequately administering or enforcing its approved program and it fails to correct the deficiencies that precipitated EPA's finding.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are listed in 40 CFR part 9 and 48 CFR Chapter 15. The **Federal Register** document required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on May 1, 2000 (65 FR 25322); no comments were received.

**Burden Statement:** The annual public reporting and record keeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 4.8 hours per response. Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

**Respondents/Affected Entities:** Major air pollution sources subject to part 71 programs.

**Estimated Number of Respondents:** 95.

**Frequency of Response:** Semi-annually, annually, and on occasion.

**Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden:** 15,323 hours.

**Estimated Total Annualized Capital, O&M Cost Burden:** \$0.

Send comments on the Agency's need for this information, the accuracy of the provided burden estimates, and any suggested methods for minimizing respondent burden, including through the use of automated collection techniques to the addresses listed above. Please refer to EPA ICR No. 1713.04 and OMB Control No. 2060-0336 in any correspondence.

Dated: October 18, 2000.

**Oscar Morales,**

*Director, Collection Strategies Division.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPPTS-00672A; FRL-6749-8]

### National Action Plan for Alkyl-lead; Notice of Availability and Solicitation of Public Comment; Reopening of Comment Period

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

**ACTION:** Notice; Reopening of comment period.

**SUMMARY:** The US EPA has extended the time period in which it will accept public comments on the National Action Plan for Alkyl-lead. EPA has developed a draft National Action Plan to promote further voluntary reductions of use and exposure to alkyl-lead compounds. Alkyl-lead is used as a fuel additive to reduce "knock" in combustion engines and also to help lubricate internal engine components and protect intake and exhaust valves against recession. This plan was developed pursuant to the Agency's Multimedia Strategy for Priority Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) Pollutants. This Notice announces the expansion of the availability of the Alkyl-lead National Action Plan for public review and comment.

**DATES:** Comments, identified by docket control number OPPTS-00672A, must be received on or before December 26, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments may be submitted by mail, electronically, or in person. Please follow the detailed instructions for each method as provided in Unit III. of the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.** To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number OPPTS-00672A in the subject line on the first page of your response.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For general information contact: Barbara Cunningham, Director, Office of

Program Management and Evaluation, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (7401), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (202) 554-1404; e-mail address: TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov.

For technical information contact: Paul Matthai, Pollution Prevention Division (7409), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (202) 260-3385; e-mail address: matthai.paul@epa.gov

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### I. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general. This action may however, be of interest to persons who make, distribute, or use racing and aviation gasoline. Since other entities may also be interested, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the technical person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.**

### II. How Can I Get Additional Information, Including Copies of this Document or Other Related Documents?

1. *Electronically.* You may obtain electronic copies of this document, and certain other related documents that might be available electronically, from the EPA Internet Home Page at <http://www.epa.gov/pbt>. To access this document, on the PBT Home Page select "Strategy and Action Plans."

2. *In person.* The Agency has established an official record for this action under docket control number OPPTS-00672A. The official record consists of the documents specifically referenced in this action, any other information related to this action, including any information claimed as confidential business information (CBI). This official record includes the documents that are physically located in the docket as well as the documents that are referenced in those documents. The public version of the official record does not include any information claimed as CBI. The public version of the official record, which includes printed, paper versions of any electronic comments submitted during an applicable comment period, is available for inspection in the TSCA Nonconfidential Information Center, North East Mall Rm. B-607, Waterside Mall, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC. The Center is open from noon to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding

legal holidays. The telephone number for the Center is (202) 260-7099.

### III. How and to Whom Do I Submit Comments?

As described in Unit I.C. of the document published in the **Federal Register** of August 25, 2000 (65 FR 51823) (FRL-6599-6) you may submit your comments through the mail, in person, or electronically. Please follow the instructions that are provided in the August 25, 2000 document. Do not submit any information electronically that you consider to be CBI. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, be sure to identify docket control number OPPTS-00672A in the subject line on the first page of your response.

### IV. What Action is EPA Taking?

EPA is extending the comment period for alkyl-lead an additional 60 days. On November 16, 1998, EPA released its Agency-wide Multimedia Strategy for Priority Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) Pollutants (PBT Strategy). The goal of the PBT Strategy is to identify and reduce risks to human health and the environment from current and future exposure to priority PBT pollutants. This document serves as the Draft National Action Plan for Alkyl-Lead, one of the 12 Level 1 priority PBT pollutants identified for the initial focus of action in the PBT Strategy.

EPA is requesting public comment on a strategy to address the remaining risks to human health and the environment from exposure to alkyl-lead: (1) Contribute to international efforts to reduce the use of alkyl-lead world-wide; (2) pursue voluntary initiatives to reduce the use of alkyl-lead in aircraft gasoline, race cars, and non-road vehicles such as farm machinery, marine vessels, construction equipment, and recreational vehicles; and (3) collect information as possible, given resource constraints, related to production, use, emissions, and continued exposure scenarios.

#### List of Subjects

Environmental protection.

Dated: October 4, 2000.

**Susan H. Wayland,**

*Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substances.*

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### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6891-2]

#### National Advisory Council for Environmental Policy and Technology; Public Meeting

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

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, P.L. 92463, EPA gives notice of a meeting of the National Advisory Council for Environmental Policy and Technology (NACEPT). NACEPT provides advice and recommendations to the Administrator of EPA on a broad range of environmental policy and management issues.

NACEPT consists of a representative cross-section of EPA's partners and principle constituents who provide advice and recommendations on policy issues and serve as a sounding board for new strategies that the Agency is developing.

The Administrator of EPA has asked NACEPT to address several policy issues associated with human resource planning, integration of key Agency planning processes, and the identification of emerging issues facing the Agency.

**DATES:** The NACEPT will hold a 2-day public meeting on Wednesday November 8, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm and Thursday November 9, 2000 from 8:30 am to 3:45 pm.

**ADDRESSES:** The NACEPT 2-day public meeting will be held at the Radisson Hotel Old Town Alexandria, located at 901 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia. Materials or written comments may be transmitted to the Council through Gwendolyn Whitt, Designated Federal Officer, NACEPT RCC, U.S. EPA, Office of Cooperative Environmental Management (1601A), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20460. There will also be an opportunity for the public to make comments directly to the Council during the first day of the meeting. Oral comments will be limited to a total time of five minutes. Requests to make oral comments must be submitted no later than November 3, 2000 to Gwendolyn Whitt, at the address above or faxed to (202)-501-0661. Those who have not reserved time in advance, may make comments during the public comment session as time allows.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Gwendolyn Whitt, Designated Federal Officer, NACEPT, at (202)-564-5982.

Dated: October 12, 2000.

**Gordon Schisler,**

*Deputy Director, Office of Cooperative Environmental Management.*

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### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6891-1]

#### Good Neighbor Environmental Board Meeting

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

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The next meeting of the Good Neighbor Environmental Board, a federal advisory committee focused on environmental sustainability within the U.S.-Mexico border region, will take place in Brownsville, Texas, on November 2nd and 3rd, 2000. It will last from 8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m. on Thursday, November 2nd, and from 8 a.m. until noon on Friday, November 3rd. The entire meeting is open to the public.

**LOCATION:** The meeting will take place at the Fort Brown Hotel & Resort (Holiday Inn), located at 1900 East Elizabeth Street in Brownsville, Texas. The hotel is one block from the international bridge to Mexico.

**AGENDA:** During the morning of the first day, the draft agenda calls for report-outs from Board Members on border-region activities, several informational briefings from local officials and organizations, and a public comment session late morning. After lunch, the meeting will continue with another guest presentation, followed by a planning session for the Board's upcoming Fifth Report to the President and Congress of the United States. The hotel site portion of the meeting currently is scheduled to end at 4:30 p.m., after which the Board will travel to the Cameron Park Community Center, 2100 Gregory, Brownsville for a briefing and informal discussion with Center officials scheduled to begin at approximately 5:30 p.m.

The second day of the meeting primarily will focus on ongoing Board business such as dissemination of the Board's Fourth Report, strategy sessions on increasing visibility, development of potential themes for upcoming reports, and additional discussion on the framework for its next report.

**PUBLIC ATTENDANCE:** The public is welcome to attend all portions of the meeting. Members of the public who plan to file written statements and/or