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**Abstract:** The Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) section 7(a) requires that any person who produces pesticides, active ingredients or devices subject to the Act must register with the Administrator of EPA the establishment in which the pesticide, active ingredient or device is produced. This section further requires that application for registration of any establishment shall include the name and address of the establishment and of the producer who operates such an establishment. EPA Form 3540-8, Application for Registration of Pesticide-Producing and Device-Producing Establishments, is used to collect the establishment registration information required by this section.

FIFRA section 7(c) requires that any producer operating an establishment registered under section 7 report to the Administrator within 30 days after it is registered, and annually thereafter by March 1st for certain pesticide or device production and sales or distribution information. The producers must report which types and amounts of pesticides, active ingredients, or devices are currently being produced, were produced during the past year, sold or distributed in the past year. The supporting regulations at 40 CFR part 167 provide the requirements and time schedules for submitting production information. EPA Form 3540-16, Pesticide Report for Pesticide-Producing and Device-Producing Establishments, is used to collect the pesticide production information required by section 7(c) of FIFRA.

Establishment registration information, collected on EPA Form 3540-8, is a one-time requirement for all pesticide-producing and device-producing establishments. Pesticide and device production information, reported on EPA Form 3540-16, is required to be submitted within 30 days after the company is notified of their pesticide-producing or device-producing establishment number, and annually thereafter on or before March 1st.

Pesticide-producing and device-producing establishments optionally can electronically enter and submit their establishment registration information and pesticide production information through EPA's Central Data Exchange (CDX).

**Form Numbers:** EPA Forms 3540-8 and 3540-16.

**Respondents/affected entities:** Establishments producing pesticides.

**Respondent's obligation to respond:** Mandatory (40 CFR part 167).

**Estimated number of respondents:** 20,607 (total).

**Frequency of response:** Annually.

**Total estimated burden:** 33,219.69 hours (per year). Burden is defined at 5 CFR 1320.03(b)

**Total estimated cost:** \$2,733,968.15 (per year), includes \$0 annualized capital or operation & maintenance costs.

**Changes in the Estimates:** There is an increase of 6,084.43 hours in the total estimated respondent burden compared with the ICR currently approved by OMB. This increase is a result of the COVID-19 pandemic causing a 109.1 percent increase in the average number of new establishments (815 in 2019 to 1703 in 2023) and a 32.67 percent increase in the total number of establishments (14,248 in 2019 to 18,904 in 2023). Additional increases are due to changes in the salary tables used in the calculations. There have only been minor changes in the time used to calculate each individual activity.

**Courtney Kerwin,**

*Director, Regulatory Support Division.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-11420-01-OW]

### Notice of Public Meeting of the Environmental Financial Advisory Board (EFAB) With Webcast

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

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) announces a public meeting with a webcast of the Environmental Financial Advisory Board (EFAB). The meeting will be shared in real-time via webcast and public comments may be provided in writing in advance or virtually via webcast. Please see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** for further details. The

purpose of the meeting will be for the EFAB to discuss possible future advisory charges, provide updates on previous EFAB deliverables, and to understand and consider environmental finance issues in the Great Lakes region and Michigan. The meeting will be conducted in a hybrid format of in-person and virtual via webcast.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on:

1. October 24, 2023, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. eastern time; and
2. October 25, 2023, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. eastern time.

#### ADDRESSES:

**In-Person:** Doubletree by Hilton Ann Arbor North, 3600 Plymouth Road, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105.

**Webcast:** Information to access the webcast will be provided upon registration in advance of the meeting.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Any member of the public who wants information about the meeting may contact Tara Johnson via telephone/voicemail at (202) 564-6186 or email to [efab@epa.gov](mailto:efab@epa.gov). General information concerning the EFAB is available at [www.epa.gov/waterfinancecenter/efab](http://www.epa.gov/waterfinancecenter/efab).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Background:** The EFAB is an EPA advisory committee chartered under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), 5 U.S.C. app. 2, to provide advice and recommendations to EPA on innovative approaches to funding environmental programs, projects, and activities. Administrative support for the EFAB is provided by the Water Infrastructure and Resiliency Finance Center within EPA's Office of Water. Pursuant to FACA and EPA policy, notice is hereby given that the EFAB will hold a public meeting with a webcast for the following purposes:

- (1) Discuss potential future EFAB charges;
- (2) Provide updates on recent EFAB deliverables; and
- (3) Receive briefings on environmental finance issues in the Great Lakes region and Michigan.

**Registration for the Meeting:** To register for the meeting, please visit [www.epa.gov/waterfinancecenter/efab#meeting](http://www.epa.gov/waterfinancecenter/efab#meeting). Interested persons who wish to attend the meeting must register by October 18, 2023, to attend in person or by October 20, 2023, to attend via webcast. Pre-registration is strongly encouraged. In the event the meeting cannot be held, an announcement will be made on the EFAB website at [www.epa.gov/waterfinancecenter/efab](http://www.epa.gov/waterfinancecenter/efab) and all registered attendees will be notified.

**Availability of Meeting Materials:** Meeting materials, including the

meeting agenda and briefing materials, will be available on EPA's website at [www.epa.gov/waterfinancecenter/efab](http://www.epa.gov/waterfinancecenter/efab).

**Procedures for Providing Public Input:** Public comment for consideration by EPA's Federal advisory committees has a different purpose from public comment provided to EPA program offices. Therefore, the process for submitting comments to a Federal advisory committee is different from the process used to submit comments to an EPA program office. Federal advisory committees provide independent advice to EPA. Members of the public may submit comments on matters being considered by the EFAB for consideration as the Board develops its advice and recommendations to EPA.

**Oral Statements:** In general, individuals or groups requesting an oral presentation at a public meeting will be limited to three minutes each. Persons interested in providing oral statements at the October 2023 meeting should register in advance and provide notification, as noted in the registration confirmation, by October 18, 2023, to be placed on the list of registered speakers.

**Written Statements:** Written statements should be received by October 16, 2023, so that the information can be made available to the EFAB for its consideration prior to the meeting. Written statements should be sent via email to [efab@epa.gov](mailto:efab@epa.gov). Members of the public should be aware that their personal contact information, if included in any written comments, may be posted to the EFAB website. Copyrighted material will not be posted without explicit permission of the copyright holder.

**Accessibility:** For information on access or services for individuals with disabilities or to request accommodations for a disability, please register for the meeting and list any special requirements or accommodations needed on the registration form at least 10 business days prior to the meeting to allow as much time as possible to process your request.

**Andrew D. Sawyers,**

*Director, Office of Wastewater Management,  
Office of Water.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OAR-2023-0138; FRL-11433-01-OMS]

### Information Collection Request Submitted to OMB for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Regional Haze Regulations (Renewal)

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has submitted an information collection request (ICR), Regional Haze Regulations (EPA ICR Number 2540.04, OMB Control Number 2060-0704) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act. This is a proposed extension of the ICR, which is currently approved through September 30, 2023. Public comments were previously requested via the **Federal Register** on March 31, 2023, during a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before October 27, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments, referencing Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OAR-2023-0138 to EPA online using [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) (our preferred method) or by mail to: EPA Docket Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Mail Code 28221T, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20460. EPA's policy is that all comments received will be included in the public docket without change including any personal information provided, unless the comment includes profanity, threats, information claimed to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute.

Submit written comments and recommendations to OMB for the proposed information collection within 30 days of publication of this notice 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.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Macie Moore, Air Quality Policy Division, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards, mail code C539-04, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709; telephone number: (919) 541-7873; email address: [moore.macie@epa.gov](mailto:moore.macie@epa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a proposed extension of the ICR, which is currently approved through September 30, 2023. 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.

Public comments were previously requested via the **Federal Register** on March 31, 2023 during a 60-day comment period (88 FR 19301). This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments. Supporting documents, which explain in detail the information that the EPA will be collecting, are available in the public docket for this ICR. The docket can be viewed online at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) or in person at the EPA Docket Center, WJC West, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave. NW, Washington, DC. The telephone number for the Docket Center is 202-566-1744. For additional information about EPA's public docket, visit <http://www.epa.gov/dockets>.

**Abstract:** This ICR is for activities related to the implementation of the EPA's regional haze rule, for the time period between September 30, 2023, and September 30, 2026, and renews the previous ICR. The regional haze rule codified at 40 CFR parts 308 and 309, as authorized by sections 169A and 169B of the Clean Air Act, requires states to develop implementation plans to protect visibility in 156 federally protected Class I areas. Tribes may choose to develop implementation plans. For this time period, all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and the U.S. Virgin Islands will be developing and submitting periodic progress reports. Further, 14 states/territories will be developing and submitting periodic comprehensive implementation plan revisions to comply with the regulations.

**Form Numbers:** None.

**Respondents/affected entities:** State, local and tribal air quality agencies, regional planning organizations and facilities potentially regulated under the Regional Haze Rule.

**Respondent's obligation to respond:** Mandatory [40 CFR 51.308(b), (f) and (g)].

**Estimated number of respondents:** 52 (total).

**Frequency of response:**

Approximately every 5 years.

**Total estimated burden:** 15,846 hours (per year). Burden is defined at 5 CFR 1320.03(b).

**Total estimated cost:** \$932,062 (per year), which includes \$0 annualized capital or operation & maintenance costs.