

office during normal business hours. Copies of the submitted rule revision is also available for inspection at the following locations:

South Coast Air Quality Management District, 21865 E., Copley Drive, Diamond Bar, CA 91765.
California Air Resources Board, Stationary Source Division, Rule Evaluation Section, 2020 "L" Street, Sacramento, CA 95812.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Cynthia G. Allen, Rulemaking Office [AIR-4], Air Division, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105-3901, Telephone: (415) 744-1189.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This document concerns South Coast Air Quality Management District Rule 701, Air Pollution Emergency Contingency Actions. This rule was submitted by the California Air Resources Board to EPA on September 8, 1997. For further information, please see the information provided in the Direct Final action which is located in the Rules Section of this **Federal Register**.

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.
Dated: March 5, 1999.

Laura Yoshii,
Deputy Regional Administrator, Region IX.
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 82 [FRL-6313-7]

Protection of Stratospheric Ozone; Listing of Substitutes for Ozone-Depleting Substances; Correction

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Request for data and advance notice of proposed rulemaking; correction.

SUMMARY: On February 18, 1999, the Environmental Protection Agency published in the **Federal Register** (64 FR 8043), a Request for Data and Advance Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. Inadvertently, the docket number listing in the **ADDRESSES** section was incorrect. The correct docket number and contact information is listed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this document.

DATES: The comment period has been extended by two weeks to accommodate any inconvenience the incorrect information may have caused. Written

comments on data provided in response to the ANPR must be submitted by May 3, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Comments on and materials supporting this advance notice are collected in Air Docket # A-91-42, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW, Room M-1500, Washington, DC, 20460. The docket is located at the address above in room M-1500, First Floor, Waterside Mall. The materials may be inspected from 8 am until 5:30 pm Monday through Friday. Telephone (202) 260-7548; fax (202) 260-4400. As provided in 40 CFR part 2, a reasonable fee may be charged for photocopying docket materials.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The Stratospheric Ozone Hotline at (800) 296-1996 or Melissa Payne at (202) 564-9738 or fax (202) 565-2096, Analysis and Review Branch, Stratospheric Protection Division, Mail Code 6205J, Washington, DC 20460. Overnight or courier deliveries should be sent to our 501 3rd Street, NW., Washington, DC, 20001 location.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The EPA published an advance notice of proposed rulemaking in the **Federal Register** of February 18, 1999 (64 FR 8043) that incorrectly listed Air Docket #A-92-13 for materials supporting and comments on the advance notice. This correction replaces that Docket number with the correct Air Docket number. In addition, the appropriate Air Docket contact information (telephone and fax number) is provided in the **ADDRESSES** section of this document.

In proposed rule FR Doc. 99-3993 published on February 18, 1999 (64 FR 8043), make the following correction. On page 8043, in the third line of the **ADDRESSES** section, correct "Air Docket #A-92-13" to read "Air Docket #A-91-42".

Dated: March 15, 1999.

Robert D. Brenner,
Acting Assistant Administrator, OAR.
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 82 [FRL-6313-8]

Protection of Stratospheric Ozone; Listing of Substitutes for Ozone-Depleting Substances; Correction

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of proposed rulemaking; correction.

SUMMARY: On February 18, 1999, the Environmental Protection Agency published in the **Federal Register** (64 FR 8038), a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. Inadvertently, a paragraph in the table of appendix G to subpart G was incorrect. In the "conditions" column of the Fire Suppression and Explosion Protection Total Flooding Agents table for substitute IG-100, it was stated incorrectly that a design concentration of less than 10% may only be used in normally occupied areas, as long as an employee who could possibly be exposed can egress within 30 seconds. Instead, the table should read: "A design concentration of less than 10% may only be used in normally unoccupied areas, as long as an employee who could possibly be exposed can egress within 30 seconds."

DATES: The comment period has been extended to accommodate any inconvenience the incorrect information may have caused. Written comments on data provided in response to the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking must be submitted by May 3, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Written comments or data should be sent to Air Docket A-91-42, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW., Room M-1500, Washington, DC, 20460. The docket is located at the address above in room M-1500, First Floor, Waterside Mall. The materials may be inspected from 8 am until 5:30 pm Monday through Friday. Telephone (202) 260-7548; fax (202) 260-4400. As provided in 40 CFR part 2, a reasonable fee may be charged for photocopying docket materials. To expedite review, a second copy of the comments should be sent to Kelly Davis at the address listed below under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**. Information designated as Confidential Business Information (CBI) under 40 CFR part 2, subpart 2, must be sent directly to the contact person for this document. However, the Agency is requesting that all respondents submit a non-confidential version of their comments to the docket as well.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The Stratospheric Ozone Hotline at (800) 296-1996 or Kelly Davis at (202) 564-2303 or fax (202) 565-2096, Analysis and Review Branch, Stratospheric Protection Division, Mail Code 6205J, Washington, DC 20460. Overnight or courier deliveries should be sent to our 501 3rd Street, NW., Washington, DC, 20001 location.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The EPA published a document in the **Federal**

Register of February 18, 1999 (64 FR 8038) which incorrectly listed a paragraph of the conditions for Fire Suppression and Explosion Protection Total Flooding Agents substitute IG-100. This correction replaces that paragraph in the table found in appendix G to subpart G to part 82.

In proposed rule FR Doc. 99-3992 published on February 18, 1999 (64 FR 8038), make the following correction. On page 8043, in the first table of appendix G to subpart G to part 82, correct the final paragraph under "Conditions" to read, "A design concentration of less than 10% may only be used in normally unoccupied areas, as long as an employee who could possibly be exposed can egress within 30 seconds."

Dated: March 12, 1999.

Robert D. Brenner,

Acting Assistant Administrator, OAR.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 194

[FRL-6315-2]

RIN 2060-AG85

Waste Characterization Program Documents Applicable to Transuranic Radioactive Waste From the Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site for Disposal at the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of availability; opening of public comment period.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is announcing the availability of, and soliciting public comments for 30 days on Department of Energy (DOE) documents applicable to characterization of transuranic (TRU) radioactive waste at Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site (RFETS) proposed for disposal at the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP). The documents are entitled: (1) "Transuranic Waste Management Manual, Rev. 2," (2) "RFETS TRU Waste Characterization Program Quality Assurance Project Plan," and (3) "Salt Residue Stabilization, Building 707 Process Control/Qualification Plan." They are available for review in the public dockets listed in **ADDRESSES**. EPA will conduct an inspection of waste characterization systems and processes at RFETS to verify that the proposed

systems and processes at RFETS can characterize transuranic waste in accordance with EPA's WIPP compliance criteria at 40 CFR 194.24. EPA will perform this inspection the week of April 12, 1999. This notice of the inspection and comment period accords with 40 CFR 194.8.

DATES: EPA is requesting public comment on the document. Comments must be received by EPA's official Air Docket on or before April 26, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be submitted to: Docket No. A-98-49, Air Docket, Room M-1500 (LE-131), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, S.W., Washington, DC 20460. The DOE document is available for review in the official EPA Air Docket in Washington DC, Docket No. A-98-49, Category II-A-2, and at the following three EPA WIPP informational docket locations in New Mexico: in Carlsbad at the Municipal Library, Hours: Monday-Thursday, 10am-9pm, Friday-Saturday, 10am-6pm, and Sunday 1pm-5pm; in Albuquerque at the Government Publications Department, Zimmerman Library, University of New Mexico, Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8am-9pm, Friday, 8am-5pm, Saturday-Sunday, 1pm-5pm; and in Santa Fe at the Fogelson Library, College of Santa Fe, Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8am-12am, Friday, 8am-5pm, Saturday, 9am-5pm, and Sunday, 1pm-9pm.

As provided in EPA's regulations at 40 CFR part 2, and in accordance with normal EPA docket procedures, if copies of any docket materials are requested, a reasonable fee may be charged for photocopying.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Scott Monroe, Office of Radiation and Indoor Air, (202) 564-9310 or call EPA's toll-free WIPP Information Line, 1-800-331-WIPP.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

DOE is developing the WIPP near Carlsbad in southeastern New Mexico as a deep geologic repository for disposal of TRU radioactive waste. As defined by the WIPP Land Withdrawal Act (LWA) of 1992 (Public Law 102-579), as amended (Public Law 104-201), TRU waste consists of materials containing elements having atomic numbers greater than 92 (with half-lives greater than twenty years), in concentrations greater than 100 nanocuries of alpha-emitting TRU isotopes per gram of waste. Much of the existing TRU waste consists of items contaminated during the production of nuclear weapons, such as rags, equipment, tools, and sludges.

On May 13, 1998, EPA announced its final compliance certification decision to the Secretary of Energy (published May 18, 1998, 63 FR 27354). This decision stated that the WIPP will comply with EPA's radioactive waste disposal regulations at 40 CFR part 191, subparts B and C.

The final WIPP certification decision includes conditions that (1) prohibit shipment of TRU waste for disposal at WIPP from any site other than the Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) until the EPA determines that the site has established and executed a quality assurance program, in accordance with §§ 194.22(a)(2)(i), 194.24(c)(3), and 194.24(c)(5) for waste characterization activities and assumptions (Condition 2 of Appendix A to 40 CFR part 194); and (2) prohibit shipment of TRU waste for disposal at WIPP from any site other than LANL until the EPA has approved the procedures developed to comply with the waste characterization requirements of § 194.22(c)(4) (Condition 3 of Appendix A to 40 CFR part 194). The EPA's approval process for waste generator sites is described in § 194.8. As part of EPA's decision-making process, the DOE is required to submit to EPA appropriate documentation of quality assurance and waste characterization programs at each DOE waste generator site seeking approval for shipment of TRU radioactive waste to WIPP. In accordance with § 194.8, EPA will place such documentation in the official Air Docket in Washington, D.C., and informational dockets in the State of New Mexico for public review and comment.

EPA inspected certain waste characterization processes at RFETS on June 22-26, 1998. At the time of EPA's inspection, RFETS was using these processes to characterize waste that DOE categorizes as debris waste. DOE is proposing to characterize a different category of waste, called salt residues, using processes at RFETS that EPA did not previously inspect. DOE also is proposing to use a repackaging process for LECO crucibles, a type of debris waste. EPA will conduct an inspection of RFETS to verify that these additional processes comply with 40 CFR 194.24.

EPA has placed three documents pertinent to the inspection in the public dockets described in **ADDRESSES**. The documents are entitled: (1) "Transuranic Waste Management Manual, Rev. 2," (2) "RFETS TRU Waste Characterization Program Quality Assurance Project Plan," and (3) "Salt Residue Stabilization, Building 707 Process Control/Qualification Plan." The first two documents are revised