Island, Vermont, Maine and New Hampshire.

Comment Date: July 22, 2004.

Standard Paragraph

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Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. PL03–3–005 and AD03–7–005]

Price Discovery in Natural Gas and Electric Markets Natural Gas Price Formation; Notice Closing Comment Period

July 7, 2004.

On June 25, 2004, the Staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, in conjunction with Staff of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, held a technical conference to explore the adequacy of natural gas and electricity price formation, the level of reporting of energy transactions to price index developers, actions taken by price index developers to improve the information available to the market, the overall level of liquidity in wholesale natural gas and electricity markets, and the use of price indices in jurisdictional tariffs. Staff heard from speakers representing all segments of the natural gas and electricity industries and price index developers.

Any party wishing to provide additional or supplemental comments as a result of issues discussed at the conference should file such comments no later than July 16, 2004. Comments may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of filing by paper. *See* 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(l)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site at *http://www.ferc.gov* under the ''e-Filing'' link. For additional information, please contact Ted Gerarden of the Office of Market Oversight & Investigations at 202–502–6187 or by e-mail at *Ted.Gerarden@ ferc.gov*.

Linda Mitry,

Acting Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OAR–2004–0093, FRL–7786–4]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Clean Air Act Tribal Authority, EPA ICR Number 1676.04, OMB Control Number 2060–0306

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document announces that EPA is planning to submit a continuing Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). This is a request to renew an existing approved collection. This ICR is scheduled to expire on October 31, 2004. Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the proposed information collection as described below.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before September 13, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, referencing docket ID number OAR–2004–0093, to EPA online using EDOCKET (our preferred method), by email to a-and-r-Docket@epa.gov, or by mail to: EPA Docket Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Air Docket, Mail Code: 6102T, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Darrel Harmon, Office of Air & Radiation, Mail Code: 6101A, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (202) 564–7416; fax number: (202) 501–0394; email address: *harmon.darrel@epamail.epa.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA has established a public docket for this ICR under Docket ID number OAR–2004–0093, which is available for public viewing at the Air Docket in the EPA Docket Center (EPA/DC), EPA West, Room B102, 1301 Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC. The EPA Docket Center Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Reading Room is (202) 566–1744, and the telephone number for the Air Docket is (202) 566–1742. An electronic version of the public docket is available through EPA Dockets (EDOCKET) at *http://www.epa.gov/edocket.* Use EDOCKET to obtain a copy of the draft collection of information, submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the public docket, and to access those documents in the public docket that are available electronically. Once in the system, select ''search,'' then key in the docket ID number identified above.

Any comments related to this ICR should be submitted to EPA within 60 days of this notice. EPA's policy is that public comments, whether submitted electronically or in paper, will be made available for public viewing in EDOCKET as EPA receives them and without change, unless the comment contains copyrighted material, CBI, or other information whose public disclosure is restricted by statute. When EPA identifies a comment containing copyrighted material, EPA will provide a reference to that material in the version of the comment that is placed in EDOCKET. The entire printed comment, including the copyrighted material, will be available in the public docket. Although identified as an item in the official docket, information claimed as CBI, or whose disclosure is otherwise restricted by statute, is not included in the official public docket, and will not be available for public viewing in EDOCKET. For further information about the electronic docket, see EPA's **Federal Register** notice describing the

electronic docket at 67 *FR* 38102 (May 31, 2002), or go to www.epa.gov./edocket.

Affected entities: Entities potentially affected by this action are State; Local; or Tribal Governments.

Title: Clean Air Act Tribal Authority.

Abstract: This ICR requests clearance of EPA's review and approval process for determining Tribe eligibility to carry out the Clean Air Act (CAA). Tribes may choose to submit a CAA eligibility determination and a CAA program application to EPA at the same time for approval and EPA will review both submittals simultaneously. EPA will use this information to determine if a Tribe meets the statutory criteria under section 301(d) of the CAA and is qualified for purposes of implementing an Air Quality Program. Section 114 of the CAA is the authority for the collection of information. 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 in 40 CFR are listed in 40 CFR part 9.

The EPA would like to solicit comments to:

(i) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(ii) Evaluate the accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(iii) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(iv) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

Burden Statement: The estimated number of respondent Tribes applying for CAA programs over the next three years is 27. The annual average is 9, 27 respondents divided by 3 years. EPA estimates 40 hours per respondent for an annual burden is 387 hours. The average respondent per hour labor cost is $73.44. A factor of 110% was added to each labor cost category per Office of Management and Budget policy. The figure is based on the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics' Table 4, ''State and local government, by occupational and industry group,'' for state and local government workers. The annual per respondent cost is $2937.60. The annual total cost is estimated to be, $26,438.40 per year for a total of $79,315.20 over the three year collection period. 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.

Dated: July 7, 2004.

Robert Brenner,

Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Air and Radiation.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL–7786–3]

Science Advisory Board Staff Office; Notification of Upcoming Meeting of the Science Advisory Board Environmental Health Committee and the Integrated Human Exposure Committee

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The EPA's Science Advisory Board (SAB) Staff Office is announcing a public meeting of the SAB Environmental Health Committee and the Integrated Human Exposure Committee.

DATES: July 26, 2004. Monday, July 26, 2004, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Eastern Time).

ADDRESSES: The public meeting of the committees will be held at the SAB Conference Center located at the Woodies Building, 1025 F Street, NW., Room 3705, Washington, DC, 20004.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Any member of the public wishing further information regarding the public meeting may contact Dr. Sue Shallal, Designated Federal Officer (DFO), by telephone/voice mail at (202) 343–9977, fax at (202) 233–0643, by e-mail at *shallal.suhair@epa.gov,* or by mail at U.S. EPA SAB (1400F), 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460. General information about the SAB and the meeting location may be found on the SAB Web site at: *http://www.epa.gov/sab.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The Integrated Human Exposure Committee (IHEC) and the Environmental Health Committee (EHC) of the chartered SAB will hold a public meeting pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92–463. The SAB IHEC provides advice through the chartered SAB to EPA on many of the exposure assessment issues that come before the chartered SAB. The SAB EHC often provides advice through the chartered SAB to EPA on the development and use of guidelines for human health risk assessments. As a follow-up to their joint meeting in December 2003, the SAB IHEC and EHC, will receive briefings and updates on EPA Risk Assessment activities and determine how the chartered SAB can best assist the Agency with regards to its future initiatives.

Availability of Meeting Materials

A copy of the agenda for the meeting that is the subject of this notice will be posted on the SAB Web site prior to the meeting.

Procedures for Providing Public Comments

It is the policy of the SAB to accept written public comments of any length, and to accommodate oral public comments whenever possible. The SAB Staff Office expects that public statements presented at the meeting will not be repetitive of previously submitted oral or written statements.

Oral Comments: In general, each individual or group requesting an oral presentation at a face-to-face meeting will be limited to a total time of ten minutes (unless otherwise indicated). Interested parties should contact the DFO in writing (e-mail, fax or mail—see contact information above) by close of business July 19, 2004, in order to be placed on the public speaker list for the meeting. Speakers should bring at least 35 copies of their comments and presentation slides for distribution to the participants and public at the meeting.

Written Comments: Although the SAB Staff Office accepts written comments until the date of the meeting (unless otherwise stated), written comments