

Canada up to 20,000 Mcf of Canadian natural gas per day through October 31, 2000. The gas would be imported into the United States at Emerson, Manitoba using the pipeline facilities of Great Lakes Gas Transmission Limited Partnership.

A copy of this order is available for inspection and copying in the Office of Fuels Programs Docket Room, 3F-056, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-9478. The docket room is open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued in Washington, DC, on August 30, 1991.

Clifford P. Tomaszewski,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Fuels Programs, Office of Fuels Programs.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-3994-4]

Public Hearings Relating to the Integrated Environmental Plan for the Mexico-U.S. Border Area

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of public hearings relating to the Integrated Environmental Plan for the Mexico-U.S. Border Area: Hearing Location Changes in Brownsville, Texas, September 16, 1991; El Paso, Texas, September 20, 1991; and San Diego, California, September 23, 1991.

SUMMARY: On November 27, 1990, in Monterrey, Mexico, President Bush and Mexican President Carlos Salinas de Gortari instructed the environmental agencies of both countries to design an integrated plan to periodically examine mechanisms for reinforcing bilateral cooperation to solve the environmental problems of the border area. It was the intent of both Presidents that the Integrated Environmental Plan for the Border Area (the Border Plan) involve the participation of the relevant governments, business and academic institutions, and environmental organizations. The public is given the opportunity to make written comments and to participate in open hearings on the Border Plan. Hearings are scheduled from September 16-26 in U.S. communities along the U.S./Mexico border. (For more information, see the Federal Register notices, Wednesday,

August 14, 1991 (56 FR 40324) and Wednesday, August 28, 1991 (56 FR 42614).

HEARING LOCATION CHANGES (BROWNSVILLE, TX; EL PASO, TX; SAN DIEGO, CA):

September 16, 1991, 4 p.m.-7 p.m.
Change from Brownsville Civic Center-Stokely Hall, Fort Brown Auditorium to: Fort Brown Hotel, 1900 E. Elizabeth Street, Brownsville, Texas.

September 20, 1991, 3 p.m.-8 p.m.
Change from the University of Texas, El Paso, Thomas Rivera Room, Student Union to: University of Texas, El Paso, Education Building, room 202, El Paso, Texas.

September 23, 1991, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.
Change from U.S. Federal Building, San Diego, room 4F-13 to: San Diego County Administration Building, room 310, 1600 Pacific Highway, San Diego, California.

COMPLETE REVISED HEARING SCHEDULE: The complete schedule of hearings on the Border Plan, as revised, is set forth below:

| City | Date | Time | Location |
|------------------|------|----------------|--|
| McAllen, TX | 9/16 | 9 a.m.-Noon | McAllen City Hall, City Council Chambers, 311 N. 15th Street. |
| Brownsville, TX | 9/16 | 4 p.m.-7 p.m. | Fort Brown Hotel, 1900 E. Elizabeth St. |
| Hartlingen, TX | 9/17 | 2 p.m.-6 p.m. | Texas State Technical College (TSTC), 2424 Boxwood. |
| Laredo, TX | 9/18 | 10 a.m.-1 p.m. | Laredo City Hall, City Council Chambers, 1110 Houston Street. |
| Sunland Park, NM | 9/20 | 9 a.m.-Noon | City Council Chambers, Sunland Park City Hall, 3800 McNutt Road. |
| El Paso, TX | 9/20 | 3 p.m.-8 p.m. | Univ. of Texas, El Paso Education Building, room 202. |
| San Diego, CA | 9/23 | 9 a.m.-2 p.m. | San Diego County Administration Bldg., room 310, 1600 Pacific Highway. |
| Calexico, CA | 9/24 | 10 a.m.-4 p.m. | Calexico City Library, 850 Encinas Avenue. |
| Nogales, AZ | 9/26 | 9 a.m.-1 p.m. | Nogales City Hall, City Council Chambers, 777 North Grand. |

REVISED COMMENT DATE: persons wishing to testify orally at the hearings must provide written notification and copies of testimony by 9 a.m. Eastern Standard Time, Monday, September 16, 1991. All other written comments must be received by 5 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, Monday, September 30, 1991. (See Supplementary Information in the Federal Register notice, Wednesday, August 14, 1991, for additional details relating to procedural matters involved in the comment process.)

REVISED CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBERS; CONTACT TELEFAX NUMBERS: For answers to procedural questions concerning public comments and/or

public hearings, the public is requested to contact: Orlando Gonzalez, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (A-106), Office of International Activities, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460, Telephone (202) 260-2170, Telefax (202) 260-8512, (202) 260-4470.

All other questions concerning the Border Plan should be directed to: Richard Kiy, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (A-106), Special Assistant for the Border Plan, Office of International Activities, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, D.C. 20460, Telephone (202) 260-0791, Telefax (202) 260-8512, (202) 260-4470.

Approved by:

Richard Kiy,

Special Assistant for the Border Plan, Office of International Activities, U.S. EPA.

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Gulf of Mexico Program Technical Steering Committee Meeting

AGENCY: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of meeting of the Technical Steering Committee of the Gulf of Mexico Program.

SUMMARY: The Gulf of Mexico Program Technical Steering Committee will hold a meeting on September 19-20, 1991 at the Mote Marine Laboratory, 1600 Thompson Parkway, Sarasota, FL.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. William Whitson, Gulf of Mexico Program Office, Stennis Space Center, MS 39529 at (601) 688-3726, FTS 494-3726.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: A meeting of the Technical Steering Committee of the Gulf of Mexico Program will be held on September 19-20, 1991 at the Mote Marine Laboratory in Sarasota, FL. Agenda items will include status reports to the Committee on Coastal America Budget Initiative, the current Action Plans status, Oil Spill Task Force report, Mobile Bay Demonstration Project report, the Gulf of Mexico Comparative Risk Study, Environmental Monitoring & Assessment Program coordination, Global Warming, and the Gulf Program's FY92 budget. The meeting is open to the public.

Joseph R. Franzmathes,
Assistant Regional Administrator for Policy and Management.

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[OPTS-66013; FRL 3945-6]

Receipt of Applications for Approval to Dispose of Polychlorinated Biphenyls

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of receipt of applications.

SUMMARY: EPA Headquarters has received applications from Chemical Processors Inc., Remcor Inc., and Recycling Sciences International Inc. for nationwide approvals to dispose of polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs). Chemical Processors Inc. and Remcor Inc. are proposing to use a solvent extraction system and Recycling Sciences International Inc. proposes to use a thermal desorption system. This approval process is done under the authority of section 6(e) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA). EPA is notifying interested persons of these request, and requesting comments.

DATES: Comments should be received by October 10, 1991.

ADDRESSES: Three copies of written comments should be addressed to: Document Processing Center (TS-790), Office of Toxic Substances, Environmental Protection Agency, rm.

L-100, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460.

Comments should bear the identifying notation OPTS-66013. The applications (without confidential business information) and comments received in response to this notice are available for public inspection and copying at the TSCA Public Docket Office in rm. NE-G004 at the address noted above from 8 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, except legal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David Kling, Acting Director, Environmental Assistance Division (TS-799), Office of Toxic Substances, Environmental Protection Agency, rm. E-543, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460, (202-554-1404), TDD (202-554-0551).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under 40 CFR 761.60(e), the Regional Administrators and the Director, Exposure Evaluation Division (EED) in the Office of Pesticides and Toxic Substances (OPTS) share the approval authority for permitting alternative PCB disposal technologies. The Regional Administrator has the authority to approve a disposal application when the disposal will take place in that region only or, in the case of research and development (R and D), on PCB disposal methods involving less than 500 pounds of PCB material. The Director, Exposure Evaluation Division has the authority to approve disposal applications for mobile and other types of PCB disposal technologies that may be operated in more than one region or, in the case of R and D, on disposal methods involving 500 pounds or more of PCB material. Notwithstanding, the Director, Exposure Evaluation Division may delegate the authority to review and approve any aspect of a disposal system to EED staff or to a Regional Administrator. The rationale for permit approval authority is discussed in "Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs); Procedural Amendment of the Approval Authority for PCB Disposal Facilities and Guidance for Obtaining Approval," published in the *Federal Register* of March 30, 1983 (48 FR 13181).

In general, EPA may approve alternative methods of PCB disposal if they achieve a level of performance equivalent to an incinerator approved under 40 CFR 761.70 or a high efficiency boiler approved under 40 CFR 761.60 and will not present an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment. EPA also imposes some protective conditions requiring the applicant to address such items as testing of all gaseous, liquid, and solid

effluent streams for PCBs and any other contaminants which may potentially contribute to the environmental risk of operating the disposal unit. To obtain a permit for an alternative method of PCB disposal, the applicant must supply detailed technical descriptions and drawings of the site, descriptions of process and control equipment, monitoring and sampling methods, a quality assurance plan, and emergency and contingency measures, as well as a full discussion of all cleanup and closure procedures.

Once EPA receives a permit application, the application is reviewed for completeness. If the application is not complete, EPA lists its deficiencies in a letter to the applicant and the applicant can remedy the application. Once an application is complete and acceptable, the applicant must submit a demonstration test plan to the Agency. After receipt of the process demonstration test plan, EPA either approves, requires modification or additions to the process demonstration test plan, or disapproves the test plan and notifies the applicant. Once the Agency accepts a disposal process demonstration test plan, a demonstration test approval is issued by EPA. As part of this approval, the applicant will be required to give advance written notice of at least 30 days to the EPA Regional Office and State and local governments where the process demonstration will take place. This 30-day period provides the public an opportunity to discuss local issues related to the planned disposal operation. If the process demonstration test fails the application cannot be approved. Individual problems with the particular process demonstration are addressed on a case-by-case basis.

EPA will grant or deny approval for full-scale operation based on a review of the application package, demonstration test results, and other submitted information. Approval for operation will contain special conditions that EPA finds necessary to protect human health or the environment. It also requires compliance with all applicable State, local, or other Federal requirements. The PCB disposal approval decision process (from receipt of the permit application to issuance of a final approval) generally can take from 6 months to 1 year, depending on the quality of information submitted by the applicant and the complexities involved. If a permit is issued for more than one site, 30-day notice is required before operation may begin at any site other than where the process demonstration took place.

The application from Chemical Processors Inc. proposes to demonstrate a mobile solvent extraction system by cleaning an air compressor system at a site in Kent, Washington. Operating conditions will closely follow commercial operations. Their tentative schedule calls for operations to begin in September 1991.

The application from Remcor Inc. proposes to demonstrate a mobile solvent extraction system by cleaning pipes associated with a natural gas pipeline system at a site in Genesee, Pennsylvania. Operating conditions will closely follow commercial operations. Their tentative schedule calls for operations to begin in September 1991.

Finally, Recycling Sciences International Inc. proposes to demonstrate a mobile thermal desorption system by decontaminating soil at a site in Bloomington, Indiana. Operating conditions will closely follow commercial operations. Their tentative schedule calls for operations to begin in the summer of 1992. In determining whether to approve these applications, EPA will take into consideration, along with other factors, the comments received on each application.

Dated: August 30, 1991.

Elizabeth F. Bryan

Acting Director, Exposure Evaluation Division, Office of Toxic Substances.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[DA 91-1106]

Comments Invited on Ohio Public Safety Plan

August 30, 1991.

The Commission has received the public safety radio communications plan for Ohio (Region 33).

In accordance with the Commission's Report and Order in General Docket No. 87-112 implementing the Public Safety National Plan, interested parties may file comments on or before October 9, 1991 and reply comments on or before October 24, 1991. (See Report and Order, General Docket No. 87-112, 3 FCC Rcd 905 (1987), at paragraph 54.)

Commenters should send an original and five copies of comments to the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554 and should clearly identify them as submissions to PR Docket 91-258 Ohio Public Safety Region 33.

Questions regarding this public notice may be directed to Betty Woolford, Private Radio Bureau, (202) 632-6497 or Ray LaForge, Office of Engineering and Technology, (202) 653-8112.

Federal Communications Commission.

Donna R. Searcy,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Notice Concerning Issuance of Powers of Attorney

AGENCY: Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

ACTION: Public notice.

SUMMARY: In order to facilitate the discharge of its responsibilities as a conservator and liquidator of insured depository institutions in the State of Oklahoma, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") publishes the following notice. The publication of this notice is intended to comply with title 16, section 20 of the Oklahoma Statutes (16 O.S. 20) which, in part, declares Federal agencies that publish notices in the *Federal Register* concerning their promulgation of powers of attorney, to be exempt from the statutory requirement of having to record such powers of attorney in every country of Oklahoma in which the agencies wish to effect the conveyance or release of interests in land.

NOTICE: Pursuant to section 11 of the Federal Deposit Insurance ("FDI") Act (12 U.S.C. 1821), as amended by section 212 of the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989 ("FIRREA"), the FDIC is empowered to act as conservator or receiver of any state or federally chartered depository institution which it insures. Furthermore, under Section 11A of the FDI Act (12 U.S.C. 1821a), as enacted under section 215 of FIRREA, the FDIC is also appointed to manage the FSLIC Resolution Fund.

Upon appointment as a conservator or receiver, the FDIC by operation of law becomes successor in title to the assets of the depository institutions on behalf of which it is appointed. As Manager of the FSLIC Resolution Fund, the FDIC became successor in title to both the corporate assets formerly owned by the now defunct Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation ("FSLIC"), as well as to the assets of the depository institutions for which the FSLIC was appointed receiver prior to January 1,

1989. In addition, pursuant to section 13(c) of the FDI Act (12 U.S.C. 1823(c)), the FDIC also acquires legal title in its corporate capacity to assets acquired in furtherance of providing monetary assistance to prevent the closing of insured depository institutions or to expedite the acquisition by assuming depository institutions of assets and liabilities from closed depository institutions of which the FDIC is receiver.

In order to facilitate the conservation and liquidation of assets held by the FDIC in its aforementioned capacities, the FDIC has provided powers of attorney to the following individuals: Robert G. Miller, R.D. Bly, David Williams.

Each employee to whom a power of attorney has been issued is authorized and empowered to: Sign, seal and deliver as the act and deed of the FDIC any instrument in writing, and to do every other thing necessary and proper for the collection and recovery of any and all monies and properties of every kind and nature whatsoever for and on behalf of the FDIC and to give proper receipts and acquittances therefor in the name and on behalf of the FDIC; release, discharge or assign any and all judgments, mortgages on real estate or personal property (including the release and discharge of the same of record in the office of any Prothonotary or Register of Deeds wherever located where payments on account of the same in redemption or otherwise may have been made by the debtor(s)), and to endorse receipt of such payment upon the records in any appropriate public office; receipt, collect and give all proper acquittances for any other sums of money owing to the FDIC for any acquired asset which the attorney-in-fact may sell or dispose of; execute any and all transfers and assignments as may be necessary to assign any securities or other choses in action; sign, seal, acknowledge and deliver any and all agreements as shall be deemed necessary or proper by the attorney-in-fact in the care and management of acquired assets; sign, seal, acknowledge and deliver indemnity agreements and surety bonds in the name of and on behalf of the FDIC; sign receipts for the payment of all rents and profits due or to become due on acquired assets; execute, acknowledge and deliver deeds of real property in the name of the FDIC; extend, postpone, release and satisfy or take such other action regarding any mortgage lien held in the name of the FDIC; execute, acknowledge and deliver in the name of the FDIC a power of attorney wherever necessary or required