

minimizing adverse environmental impact. The public meeting is open to anyone wishing to attend.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In 1995, EPA entered into a Consent Decree that requires the Agency, no later than July 2, 1999, to propose regulations implementing Section 316(b) of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C Section 1326(b), and to take final action with respect to the regulations no later than August 13, 2001. The Agency is currently developing these regulations for proposal. Section 316(b) provides that any standard established pursuant to sections 301 or 306 of the Clean Water Act and applicable to a point source shall require that the location, design, construction, and capacity of cooling water intake structures reflect the best technology available for minimizing adverse environmental impact. A primary purpose of Section 316(b) is to minimize the impingement and entrainment of fish and other aquatic organisms as they are drawn into a facility's cooling water intake.

The issues that EPA has developed for discussion fall into three categories: (1) Environmental Criteria: Defining and Assessing Adverse Environmental Impacts; (2) Plant Characteristics: Determining the Contribution to Adverse Environmental Impacts; and (3) Minimizing Adverse Environmental Impacts: Designing an Approach. The following is a potential list of issues for discussion at the June 29, 1998 public meeting:

(1) Environmental Criteria: Defining and Assessing Adverse Environmental Impact

- What constitutes an adverse environmental impact? Should the impact be defined in terms of actual and/or potential effects?
- What environmental parameters are most important for defining adverse environmental impacts?
- For which environmental parameters might qualitative or quantitative thresholds and/or decision criteria be developed for determining adverse impacts?
- What approaches and methods are most appropriate for assessing adverse environmental impact?

(2) Plant Characteristics: Determining the Contribution to Adverse Environmental Impact

- What factors related to the location, design, construction, and capacity of cooling water intake structures most significantly contribute to adverse environmental impacts? (For example: source waterbody type, flow rate,

velocity, configuration of intake, type of technology at the intake.)

- For which such factors (e.g., velocity, flow rate, waterbody type, etc.) might qualitative or quantitative thresholds and/or decision criteria be developed?

(3) Minimizing Adverse Environmental Impact: Designing an Approach

- What information should be considered when designing an approach to minimize adverse environmental impacts.
- What are possible approaches to defining and measuring the cumulative effects of impingement and entrainment?

DATES: The public meeting will be held on Monday, June 29, 1998. The meeting will begin promptly at 10:00 a.m. and will end at approximately 4:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Crystal City Marriott, 1999 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202. The Crystal City Marriott phone number is (703) 413-5500. The nearest Metro stop is Crystal City station on either the Blue or the Yellow Line. If you need overnight accommodations, please call the hotel directly. A block of 25 rooms is reserved for the night of Sunday, June 28, 1998. The rooms are listed under "U.S. EPA 316(b) Meeting."

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Deborah Nagle, senior project manager, Office of Wastewater Management (4203), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street S.W., Washington, D.C. 20460; phone number is (202) 260-2656 and E-mail address is nagle.deborah@epamail.epa.gov. To register for the meeting, please contact Betty Peterson of SAIC via FAX at (703) 903-1374 or via mail at 1710 Goodridge Drive (1-11-7), McLean, VA 22102. Please register by June 22, 1998.

Dated: May 14, 1998.

Tudor T. Davies,

Director, Office of Science and Technology.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[AD-FRL-6101-1]

Extension of Period of Submission of Section 111(d) Plans for Existing Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) Landfills

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Administrator has determined that it is necessary to extend

the submission deadline for section 111(d) Plans for MSW landfills for the States of Arkansas and Oklahoma and for Chattanooga-Hamilton County, Tennessee as described below. The reasons for this action are set forth in the memorandum, *Supplemental Justification for Extending Municipal Solid Waste Landfill Section 111(d) Plan Submittals*, which is located in the docket and on EPA's website. These Plans, which are required under section 111(d) of the Clean Air Act (the Act) for existing landfills (40 CFR Part 60, subpart B), describe how the State or Local air pollution agency or Indian Tribe will implement the MSW landfill emission guidelines. The guidelines were promulgated on March 12, 1996 under 40 CFR Part 60, subpart Cc (61 FR 9905). The section 111(d) Plans were due December 12, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Office of Air Radiation Docket and Information Center (Air Docket 6102), Room M 1500, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Attention: Docket No. A-97-37, 401 M Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20460. The docket may be inspected between 8:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. on weekdays, and a reasonable fee may be charged for copying. The Air Docket may be called at (202) 260-7548. The EPA's Office of Air and Radiation Policy and Guidance website may be accessed at: <http://www.epa.gov/ttn/oarpg/amend.html>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For Chattanooga-Hamilton County, Mr. Scott Davis, EPA Region IV, 61 Forsyth Street, S.W., Atlanta, GA 30303, telephone (404) 562-9127; for Arkansas or Oklahoma, Lt. Mick Cote, EPA Region VI, 1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 1200, Dallas, TX 75202, telephone (214) 665-7219.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The EPA promulgated standards of performance for new MSW landfills and emission guidelines for existing MSW landfills on March 12, 1996. These standards of performance and emission guidelines, which were developed under section 111 of the Act, regulate emissions of nonmethane organic compounds from MSW landfills. Section 111(d) of the Act requires States to submit a Plan to the EPA that addresses how States will regulate, implement and enforce standards of performance on existing MSW landfills and specifies when those Plans must be submitted. This requirement is codified under 40 CFR 60.23.

Section 60.27 of 40 CFR authorizes the EPA Administrator to extend the period for submission of a section 111(d) Plan whenever he or she determines it is necessary. Arkansas,

Oklahoma and Chattanooga-Hamilton County have shown good faith in developing and committing to submit their Plans in an expedited manner. Based on EPA's analysis of the State and local air pollution agency requests, Arkansas and Oklahoma and Chattanooga-Hamilton County are granted extensions until July 31, 1998. The memorandum, *Supplemental Justification for Extending Municipal Solid Waste Landfill Section 111(d) Plan Submittals*, mentioned previously, documents the States' efforts and explains why EPA is granting an extension for the section 111(d) Plan submittals to these States' and locality's air pollution agencies.

(Authority: 42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q)

Dated: May 13, 1998.

Carol M. Browner,
Administrator.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-30454; FRL-5789-1]

Certain Companies; Applications to Register Pesticide Products

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces receipt of applications to register pesticide products containing new active ingredients not included in any previously registered products pursuant to the provisions of section 3(c)(4) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted by June 22, 1998.

ADDRESSES: By mail, submit written comments identified by the document control number [OPP-30454] and the file symbols to: Public Information and Records Integrity Branch, Information Resources and Services Division (7502C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. In person, bring comments to: Environmental Protection Agency, Rm. 119, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA.

Comments and data may also be submitted electronically to: opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov. Follow the instructions under "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION." No Confidential Business Information (CBI) should be submitted through e-mail.

Information submitted as a comment concerning this notice may be claimed confidential by marking any part or all of that information as CBI. Information so marked will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2. A copy of the comment that does not contain CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public record. Information not marked confidential may be disclosed publicly by EPA without prior notice. The public docket is available for public inspection in Rm. 119 at the Virginia address given above, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: Cynthia Giles-Parker, Product Manager (PM-22), Registration Division (7505C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location, telephone number, and e-mail address: Rm. 247, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202, (703 305-7740, e-mail: giles-parker.cynthia@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA received applications as follows to register pesticide products containing active ingredients not included in any previously registered products pursuant to the provision of section 3(c)(4) of FIFRA. Notice of receipt of these applications does not imply a decision by the Agency on the applications.

I. Products Containing Active Ingredients Not Included In Any Previously Registered Products

1. File Symbol: 71280-G. Applicant: Premium Compounded Products, LLC, 1208 East 12th St., Wilmington, DE 19802. Product Name: Migratrol R001. Plant growth regulator. Active ingredient: Cuprous chloride at 50 percent. Proposed classification/Use: None. For the control of root growth in nursery pots.

2. File Symbol: 71280-R. Applicant: Premium Compounded Products. Product Name: Cuprous Chloride. Plant growth regulator. Active ingredient: Cuprous chloride at 98.2 percent. Proposed classification/Use: None. For the control of root growth in nursery pots.

Notice of approval or denial of an application to register a pesticide product will be announced in the **Federal Register**. The procedure for requesting data will be given in the **Federal Register** if an application is approved.

Comments received within the specified time period will be considered before a final decision is made; comments received after the time

specified will be considered only to the extent possible without delaying processing of the application.

II. Public Record and Electronic Submissions

The official record for this notice, as well as the public version, has been established for this notice under docket number [OPP-30454] (including comments and data submitted electronically as described below). A public version of this record, including printed, paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as CBI, is available for inspection from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The official notice record is located at the address in "ADDRESSES" at the beginning of this document.

Electronic comments can be sent directly to EPA at:
opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov

Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Comment and data will also be accepted on disks in Wordperfect 5.1/6.1 or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket number [OPP-30454]. Electronic comments on this notice may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

Authority: 7 U.S.C. 136.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pest, Product registration.

Dated: May 11, 1998.

James Jones,

Director, Registration Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[PB-402404-OH; FRL-5790-2]

Lead-Based Paint Activities in Target Housing and Child-Occupied Facilities; State of Ohio's Authorization Application

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

ACTION: Notice; request for comments and opportunity for public hearing.

SUMMARY: On April 13, 1998, the State of Ohio submitted an application for EPA approval to administer and enforce