

(202) 564-0595. To ensure adequate time for processing, please make requests for accommodations at least 10 business days prior to the meeting. The deadline to make these request is Tuesday, November 26, 2024, at 11:59 p.m. (EST).

Dated: November 18, 2024.

Venus Welch-White,

Acting Deputy Director, Office of Agriculture and Rural Affairs, Office of the Administrator, U.S. EPA.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OAR-2024-0039; FRL-12432-01-OMS]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Servicing of Motor Vehicle Air Conditioners (Renewal)

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has submitted an information collection request (ICR), Servicing of Motor Vehicle Air Conditioners (EPA ICR Number 1617.10, OMB Control Number 2060-0247) 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 December 31, 2024. Public comments were previously requested via the **Federal Register** on May 22, 2024, during a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments.

DATES: Comments may be submitted on or before December 23, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, referencing Docket ID Number EPA-HQ-OAR-2024-0039, to EPA online using www.regulations.gov (our preferred method), by email to a-and-r-docket@epa.gov, 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. 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:

Allison Horwitch, Stratospheric Protection Division, Office of Atmospheric Programs (Mail Code 6205A), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: 202-564-2468; email address: horwitch.allison@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a proposed extension of the ICR, which is currently approved through December 31, 2024. 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 May 22, 2024, during a 60-day comment period (89 FR 44977). 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 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: Section 609 of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 (Act) provides general guidelines for the servicing of motor vehicle air conditioners (MVACs). It states that "no person repairing or servicing motor vehicles for consideration may perform any service on a motor vehicle air conditioner involving the refrigerant for such air conditioner without properly using approved refrigerant recycling equipment and no such person may perform such service unless such person has been properly trained and certified." In 1992, EPA developed regulations under section 609 that were published in 57 FR 31240 and codified at 40 CFR part 82 subpart B (section 82.30 *et seq.*). The information required to be collected under the section 609 regulations is: approved refrigerant

handling equipment; approved independent standards testing organizations; technician training and certification; and certification, reporting and recordkeeping.

Form Numbers: None.

Respondents/affected entities: The following is a list of NAICS codes for organizations potentially affected by the information requirements covered under this ICR. It is meant to include any establishment that may service or maintain motor vehicle air conditioners.

4411 Automobile Dealers
4413 Automotive Parts, Accessories, and Tire Stores
44711 Gasoline Stations with Convenience Stores
8111 Automotive Repair and Maintenance
81198 All Other Automotive Repair and Maintenance

Other affected groups include independent standards testing organizations and organizations with technician certification programs.

Respondent's obligation to respond: Mandatory (40 CFR 82.36, 82.38, 82.40, 82.42).

Estimated number of respondents: 53,147.

Frequency of response: On occasion, biennially, only once.

Total estimated burden: 4,666.5 hours (per year). Burden is defined at 5 CFR 1320.03(b) hours (per year).

Total estimated cost: \$250,163.29 (per year), includes \$0 annualized capital or operation & maintenance costs.

Changes in the Estimates: There is an increase of about 502 hours in the total estimated respondent burden compared with the ICR currently approved by OMB (EPA-HQ-OAR-2021-0040). This increase is due to a revision in the estimate of the total annual number of technicians certified under 40 CFR part 82 (40,000/year in 2021 to 47,000/year in 2024), and an increase in the number of motor vehicle repair establishments in the United States (165,800 in 2021 to about 170,000 in 2024).

Courtney Kerwin,

Director, Information Engagement Division.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-12392-01-R5]

Clean Air Act Operating Permit Program; Order on Petition for Objection to State Operating Permit for Warrick Newco LLC

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of final order on petition.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Administrator signed an Order dated October 9, 2024, denying a petition dated July 9, 2024, from Sierra Club. The petition requested that the EPA object to a Clean Air Act (CAA) title V operating permit issued by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) to Warrick Newco LLC for its aluminum production plant located in Newburgh, Warrick County, Indiana.

ADDRESSES: The final order, the petition, and other supporting information are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following address: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, Air and Radiation Division, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604. This facility is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding Federal holidays. We recommend that you contact the individual listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section before visiting the Region 5 office. Additionally, the final order and petitions are available electronically at: <https://www.epa.gov/title-v-operating-permits/title-v-petition-database>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Priyanka Painuly, Air and Radiation Division (AR 18J), Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604, (312) 886-7569, painuly.priyanka@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA received a petition from the Sierra Club dated July 9, 2024, requesting that EPA object to the issuance of operating permit no. T173-46378-00007, issued by IDEM to Warrick Newco LLC for its aluminum production plant located in Newburgh, Warrick County, Indiana. On October 9, 2024, the EPA Administrator issued an Order denying the petition. The order explains the basis for EPA's decision.

Sections 307(b) and 505(b)(2) of the CAA provide that a petitioner may request judicial review of those portions of an order that deny issues in a petition. Any petition for review shall be filed in the United States Court of Appeals for the appropriate circuit no later than January 21, 2025.

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 7401 *et seq.*

Dated: November 18, 2024.

Debra Shore,

Regional Administrator, Region 5.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-R01-OW-2024-0493; FRL-12409-01-R1]

Notice of Availability of Draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Massachusetts Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems General Permit

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of availability of Draft NPDES General Permit.

SUMMARY: The Regional Administrator, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency—Region 1 (EPA), is providing a Notice of Availability for the Draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Massachusetts Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System General Permit (MA MS4 GP) for discharges to certain waters of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. This Draft NPDES MA MS4 GP (“Draft GP”) establishes Notice of Intent (NOI) requirements, permit eligibility requirements, and conditions and practices for the management of stormwater discharges from small MS4s. The Draft GP is available on EPA Region 1’s website at <https://www.epa.gov/npdes-permits/massachusetts-small-ms4-general-permit> and at www.regulations.gov, Docket No. EPA-R01-OW-2024-0493. The Fact Sheet for the Draft GP sets forth principal facts and the significant technical and legal issues considered in the development of the Draft General Permit and is also available at this website.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before February 20, 2025.

The public comment process and the public hearing will be conducted in accordance with 40 CFR part 124, EPA’s Procedures for Decision making. All persons, including applicants, must raise all reasonably ascertainable issues and submit all reasonably available arguments supporting their positions on the Draft GP by the close of the public comment period, either by submitting written comments as listed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this **Federal Register**, or by submitting written or oral comments at the public hearing.

EPA will hold a virtual public hearing in accordance with 40 CFR 124.12 and will provide interested parties with the opportunity to provide written and/or oral comments for the official draft permit record. The virtual public hearing will be held Tuesday, January 28, 2025 at 6:30 p.m. EPA will begin pre-registering speakers for the hearing upon publication of this document in

the **Federal Register**. To register to speak at the virtual hearing, please use the online registration form available at: <https://www.epa.gov/npdes-permits/massachusetts-small-ms4-general-permit>. On January 27, 2025, EPA will post a general agenda for the hearing that will list pre-registered speakers in approximate order at: <https://www.epa.gov/npdes-permits/massachusetts-small-ms4-general-permit>.

In reaching a final decision on this Draft GP, EPA will respond to all significant comments and make responses available to the public on EPA Region 1’s website. All comments must be postmarked or delivered electronically by the close of the public comment period.

ADDRESSES: Written comments on the Draft GP, identified by Docket ID No. EPA-R01-OW-2024-0493, may be submitted via the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <https://www.regulations.gov/> (enter Docket ID No. into search bar).

In the event that interested parties cannot access the Portal, comments may be emailed to Danielle Gaito at gaito.danielle@epa.gov or provided via mail to: U.S. EPA Region 1, Water Division, Attn: Danielle Gaito, 5 Post Office Square, Suite 100, Mail Code 06-4, Boston, Massachusetts 02109-3912. If comments are submitted in hard copy form, please also email a copy to the EPA contact above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Additional information may be obtained from: Danielle Gaito, U.S. EPA Region 1, Water Division, Stormwater Permit Section at gaito.danielle@epa.gov or (617) 918-1297. The Administrative Record, including the Draft GP and Fact Sheet, are on file and may be inspected between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays, at 5 Post Office Square, Boston, MA. Requests to view the Administrative Record can be made to the EPA contact above.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA is proposing to reissue three draft NPDES general permits for the discharge of stormwater from small MS4s to certain waters within the commonwealth of Massachusetts. The three permits are: MAR041000—Traditional cities and towns
MAR042000—Non-traditional state, federal, county and other publicly owned systems
MAR043000—Non-traditional transportation systems

For convenience, EPA grouped these three distinct permits together in a single document (referred to as the draft “permit” in singular) and have provided