

OMB No. 2060-0253; EPA No. 1362.03; expiration date: October 31, 1996. This is an extension of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: Owners or operators of coke oven batteries, whether existing, new, reconstructed, rebuilt or restarted, are required to develop work practice and startup, shutdown, and malfunction plans, and record and submit reports including notifications and semiannual compliance certifications. Daily monitoring of coke oven batteries is required and is conducted by a certified observer provided by the enforcement agency at the respondent expense.

The information and data will be used by EPA and states to: (1) Identify batteries subject to the standards; (2) ensure that MACT and LAER are properly applied; and (3) ensure that daily monitoring and work practice requirements are implemented as required. Effective enforcement of the standard is particularly necessary because of the hazardous nature of coke oven emissions.

Based on recorded and reported information, EPA and states can identify compliance problems and specific records or processes to be inspected at the plant. The records that plants maintain help indicate whether plants are in compliance with the standard, reveal misunderstandings about how the standard is to be implemented, and indicate to EPA whether plant personnel are operating and maintaining their process equipment properly.

Reporting and recordkeeping requirements are mandatory under Sections 112 and 114 of the Clean Air Act as amended. All information submitted to the Agency for which a claim of confidentiality is made will be safeguarded according to the Agency policies set forth in Title 40, Chapter 1, Part 2, Subpart B—Confidentiality of Business Information (See 40 CFR 2; 41 FR 36902, September 1, 1976; amended by 43 FR 39999, September 8, 1978; 43 FR 42251, September 28, 1978; 44 FR 17674, March 23, 1979).

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 are listed in 40 CFR Part 9 and 48 CFR Chapter 15. The Federal Register Notice required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on March 26, 1996.

Burden Statement: The annual public reporting and recordkeeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 11 hours per

response. 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.

Respondents/Affected Entities:

Owners or operators of coke oven batteries.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 35.

Frequency of Response: semiannual and on occasion.

Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden: 10,740 hours.

Estimated Total Annualized Cost Burden: \$2.4 million.

Send comments on the Agency's need for this information, the accuracy of the provided burden estimates, and any suggested methods for minimizing respondent burden, including through the use of automated collection techniques to the following addresses. Please refer to EPA ICR Number 1362.03 and OMB Control Number 2060-0253 in any correspondence. Ms. Sandy Farmer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, OPPE Regulatory Information Division (2137), 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460 and Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Attention: Desk Officer for EPA, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: August 29, 1996.

Joseph Retzer,

Director Regulatory Information Division.

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Part B Permit Application, Permit Modifications, and Special Permits

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C.

3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the following Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval: Part B Permit Application, Permit Modifications, and Special Permits, OMB Control No. 2050-0009, expiring on October 31, 1996. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected burden and cost; where appropriate, it includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before October 7, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY CALL: Sandy Farmer at EPA, (202) 260-2740, and refer to EPA ICR No. 1573.05.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Part B Permit Application, Permit Modifications, and Special Permits, (OMB Control No. 2050-0009) expiring 10/31/96. This is a request for extension of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: Section 3010 of Subtitle C of RCRA, as amended, requires any person who generates or transports regulated waste, or who owns or operates a facility for the treatment, storage, or disposal (TSD) of regulated waste to notify the EPA of their activities, including the location and general description of the activities and the regulated waste handled. Section 3005 of Subtitle C of RCRA requires TSDs to obtain a permit. To obtain the permit, the TSD must submit an application describing the facility's operation. There are two parts to the application—Part A and Part B. Part A defines the processes to be used for treatment, storage and disposal of hazardous waste; the design capacity of such processes; and the specific hazardous wastes to be handled at the facility. Part B requires detailed site specific information such as geologic, hydrologic, and engineering data. In the event that permit modification are proposed by an applicant or EPA, modifications must conform to the requirements under Sections 3004 and 3005. 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 are listed in 40 CFR Part 9 and 48 CFR Chapter 15. The Federal Register Notice required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on 4/4/96 (61FR15065); 4 comments were received.

Burden Statement: The annual public reporting and recordkeeping burden for

this collection of information is estimated to average for:

Demonstrations and Exemptions from Requirements

Releases from Regulated Units: 0.0 hours per response
Demonstrations and Exemptions from Requirements: 3.4 hours per response

Contents of the Part B Application

Legal Review: 100.0 hours per response
General Information: 0.0 hours per response
Permit Application: 12.1 hours per response
General Requirements: .1 hours per response
General Facility Standards: 495.2 hours per response
Financial Assurance: 22.0 hours per response
Other Part B Requirements: 12.0 hours per response
Ground-Water Protection: 242.3 hours per response
Solid Waste Management Units: 21.0 hours per response
Specific Part B Information Requirements: 1743.9 hours per response
Schedules of Compliance: 0.7 hours per response

Permit Modifications and Special Permits

Permit Modifications: 2.6 hours per response
Expiration and Continuation of Permits: .9 hours per response
Special Forms of Permits: 100.3 hours per response

Interim Status: 0.0 hours per response

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.

Respondents/Affected Entities: Hazardous waste treatment, storage, and disposal facilities.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 228
Frequency of Response: 1
Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden: 125,027 hours.

Estimated Total Annualized Cost Burden: \$14, 986,151

Send comments on the Agency's need for this information, the accuracy of the provided burden estimates, and any suggested methods for minimizing respondent burden, including through the use of automated collection techniques to the following addresses. (Please refer to EPA ICR No. 1573.05 and OMB Control No. 2050-0009 in any correspondence.)

Ms. Sandy Farmer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, OPPE Regulatory Information Division (2137), 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460 and
 Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Attention: Desk Officer for EPA, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503
 Dated: August 29, 1996.

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Agency Information Collection Activities Under OMB Review; Reporting Requirements Under EPA's Water Alliances for Voluntary Efficiency (WAVE) Program

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the following Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval: Reporting Requirements Under EPA's Water Alliances for Voluntary Efficiency (WAVE) Program. OMB Control Number 2040-0164. Expiration Date November 30, 1996. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected burden and cost; where appropriate, it includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before October 7, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY CALL: Sandy Farmer at EPA, (202 260-2740, and refer to EPA ICR No. 1654.02.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Renewal—Reporting Requirements Under EPA's Water Alliances for Voluntary Efficiency (WAVE) Program (OMB Control Number 2040-0164; EPA ICR No. 1654.02)

expiring 11/30/96. This is a revision of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: EPA will annually collect water, energy, and cost savings information from "Partners" in the WAVE program. Partners can be commercial businesses, governments, or institutions that voluntarily agree to implement cost-effective water efficiency measures in their facilities. Initially the WAVE Program will target the lodging industry. Another type of participant, "Supporters," will work with EPA to promote water efficiency and provide information on products and services. Supporters could be equipment manufacturers, water management companies, utilities, local governments, or the like.

The purpose of the WAVE Program is pollution prevention. As defined by EPA, pollution prevention means "source reduction" as defined under the Pollution Prevention Act, and other practices that reduce or eliminate the creation of pollutants through increased efficiency in the use of raw materials, energy, water, or other resources, or through protection of natural resources by conservation.

EPA will use this information to monitor the success of the program, to demonstrate that pollution prevention can be accomplished with a non-regulatory approach, and to promote the program to potential partners. Participation in the WAVE Program is voluntary; however, once a participant joins the program, it is required to sign and submit a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), an annual Results Report, and information on miscellaneous additional activities to EPA to receive and retain program benefits, such as software and publicity. No participant will be required to submit confidential business information. EPA will present aggregated data only in its program progress reports.

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Burden Statement: The annual public reporting and recordkeeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average nine hours and 45 minutes per MOU response, four hours and 45 minutes per Results Report