Sandow unit 4 in Texas: 0.45 lbs/mmBtu. The designated representative is W.M. Taylor.

Centralia units BW21 and BW22 in Washington: 0.45 lbs/mmBtu. The designated representative is William C. Brauer.

Dated: May 16, 1997.

Janice Wagner,

Acting Director, Acid Rain Division, Office of Atmospheric Programs, Office of Air and Radiation.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5830-2]

Acid Rain Program: Draft Permits and Permit Modifications

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of draft permits and permit modifications.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is issuing for comment draft Phase I Acid Rain permits and permit modifications including nitrogen oxides (NO_X) compliance plans in accordance with the Acid Rain Program regulations (40 CFR parts 72 and 76). Because the Agency does not anticipate receiving adverse comments, the permits and permit modifications are also being issued as a direct final action in the notice of permits and permit modifications published elsewhere in today's Federal Register.

DATES: Comments on the draft permits and permit modifications must be received no later than 30 days after the date of this notice or 30 days after the date of publication of a similar notice in a local newspaper, whichever is later.

ADDRESSES: Administrative Records. The administrative record for the permits, except information protected as confidential, may be viewed during normal operating hours at the following locations: For plants in New York, EPA Region 2, 290 Broadway, New York, NY, 10007–1866; for plants in Florida and South Carolina, EPA Region 4, 100 Alabama St., NW, Atlanta, GA, 30303; for plants Michigan, EPA Region 5, 77 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL, 60604; for plants in Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas, EPA Region 6, 1445 Ross Ave., Dallas, TX, 75202; for plants in Washington, EPA Region 10, 1200 Sixth Avenue (AT-082), Seattle, Washington, 98101.

Comments. Send comments, requests for public hearings, and requests to receive notices of future actions to: For plants in New York, EPA Region 2, Division of Environmental Planning & Protection, Attn: Gerry DeGaetano (address above); for plants in Florida and South Carolina, EPA Region 4, Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Division, Attn: Scott Davis (address above); for plants in Michigan, EPA Region 5, Air and Radiation Division, Attn: Beth Valenziano (address above); for plants in Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas, EPA Region 6, Compliance Assurance and Enforcement Division, Attn: Joseph Winkler (address above); for plants in Washington, EPA Region 10, Air and Toxics Division, Attn: Joan Cabreza (address above). Submit comments in duplicate and identify the permit to which the comments apply, the commenter's name, address, and telephone number, and the commenter's interest in the matter and affiliation, if any, to the owners and operators of all units in the plan. All timely comments will be considered, except those pertaining to standard provisions under 40 CFR 72.9 or issues not relevant to the permit or the permit modification.

Hearings. To request a public hearing, state the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. EPA may schedule a hearing if EPA finds that it will contribute to the decision-making process by clarifying significant issues affecting a NO_X compliance plan.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: For plants in New York, call Gerry DeGaetano, 212–637–4020; for plants in Florida and South Carolina, call Scott Davis, 404–562–9127; for plants in Michigan, call Beth Valenziano, 312–886–2703; for plants in Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas, call Joseph Winkler, 214–665–7243; for plants in Washington, call Joan Cabreza (206) 553–8505.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: If no significant, adverse comments are timely received, no further activity is contemplated in relation to these draft permits and draft permit modifications and the permits and permit modifications issued as a direct final action in the notice of permits and permit modifications published elsewhere in today's Federal Register will automatically become final on the date specified in that notice. If significant, adverse comments are timely received on any permit or permit modification, that permit or permit modification in the notice of permits and permit modifications will be withdrawn and public comment

received on that permit or permit modification based on this notice of draft permits and permit modifications will be addressed in a subsequent notice of permit or permit modification.

Because the Agency will not institute a second comment period on this notice of draft permits and permit modifications, any parties interested in commenting should do so during this comment period.

For further information and a detailed description of the permits and permit modifications, see the information provided in the notice of permits and permit modifications elsewhere in today's **Federal Register**.

Dated: May 16, 1997.

Janice Wagner,

Acting Director, Acid Rain Division, Office of Atmospheric Programs, Office of Air and Radiation.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-5480-6]

Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

RESPONSIBLE AGENCY: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564–7167 OR (202) 564–7153.

Weekly Receipt of Environmental Impact Statements Filed May 13, 1997 Through May 16, 1997 Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9

EIS No. 970177, FINAL EIS, COE, WA, Howard A. Hanson Dam Continued Operation and Maintenance Plan, Implementation, Green River, King County, WA, Due: June 23, 1997, Contact: Cyrus M. McNeely (206) 764–3624.

EIS No. 970178, FINAL EIS, SFW, SC, Waccamaw National Wildlife Refuge, Diverse Habitat Components and Coastal River Ecosystem Preservation and Protection, Great Pee Dee and Waccamaw Rivers, Georgetown, Horry and Marion Counties, SC, Due: June 23, 1997, Contact: Patricia Podriznik (404) 679–7245.

EIS No. 970179, FINAL EIS, FHW, NC, NC–16 Upgrading and Relocating Project, Construction, Lucia to North of NC–150, Funding, COE Section 404 Permit and NPDES Permit, Gaston, Lincoln and Catawba Counties, NC, Due: June 23, 1997, Contact: Nicholas L. Graf (919) 856–4346.

EIS No. 970180, DRAFT EIS, COE, MD, Ocean City, Restoration of Assateaque Island, Water Resources Study, Town of Ocean City, Worcester County, MD, Due: July 7, 1997, Contact: Ms. Stacey Underwood (410) 962–4977.

EIS No. 970181, DRAFT EIS, TVA, MS, Exercise of Option Purchase Agreement with LSP Energy Limited Partnership for Supply of Electric Energy, Construction and Operation, Batesville Generation Facility, Funding, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits and NPDES Permit, City of Batesville, Coahoma, Panola, Quitman and Yalobusha Counties, MS, Due: July 7, 1997, Contact: Gregory L. Askew (423) 632–6418.

EIS No. 970182, DRAFT EIS, MMS, AK, Beaufort Sea Planning Area Outer Continental Shelf Oil and Gas Lease Sale 170 (1997) Lease Offering, Offshore Marine, Beaufort Sea Coastal Plain, North Slope Borough of Alaska, Due: July 18, 1997, Contact: George Valiulis (703) 787–1662.

EIS No. 970183, FINAL SUPPLEMENT EIS, FAA, WA, Seattle-Tacoma International Airport Improvement, South Aviation Support Area, Airport Layout Plan and Airport Master Plan Approval, Updated Information on Master Plan Update Development Actions, Funding, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits and NPDES Permit, Port of Seattle, King County, WA, Due: June 23, 1997, Contact: Dennis Ossenkop (206) 227–2611.

EIS No. 970184, FINAL EIS, FAA, NY, NJ, La Guardia and John F. Kennedy International Airports, Implementation of Automated Guideway Transit System by the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey's Airport Access Program, Funding, Airport Layout Plan Approval, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits and US Coast Guard Permit, NY and NJ, Due: June 23, 1997, Contact: Laurence Schafer (718) 553–3340.

Dated: May 20, 1997.

William D. Dickerson,

Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-5480-7]

Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared May 05, 1997 Through May 09, 1997 pursuant to the Environmental Review Process (ERP), under Section 309 of the Clean Air Act and Section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act as amended. Requests for copies of EPA comments can be directed to the Office of FEDERAL ACTIVITIES AT (202) 564–7167. An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in FR dated April 04, 1997 (62 FR 16154).

Draft EISs

ERP No. D-TVA-E06017-AL Rating EC2, ellefonte Nuclear Plant Conversion Project, Construction and Operation, NPDES Permit and COE Section 404 Permit, Tennessee River near Hollywood, AL.

Summary

EPA expressed environmental concerns regarding predicted impacts of conversion options to coal, a need for global climate change information, commitments to mitigation, wetland losses, off-site hazardous waste transport, a need for additional demographic comparisons (EJ) and summer thermal discharges. EPA requested additional information be provided in the final document.

ERP No. D-USA-K11079-CA Rating EC2, Fleet and Industrial Supply Center/Vision 2000 Maritime Development, Disposal and Reuse, Funding, NPDES Permit, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, City of Oakland, Alameda County, CA CA.

Summary

EPA had environmental concerns regarding dredging and disposal, air quality, and land use compatibility issues and requested additional information. In particular, EPA is concerned about land use compatibility between the Port's proposed reuse activities and nearby West Oakland residential areas.

ERP No. DS-FHW-H40138-NB Rating LO, US 275 Highway Reconstruction on New Alignment west of the existing US 275/N-36 Intersection to west of the existing US 275/N-64 (West Maple Road) Interchange near Waterloo, Funding, Douglas County, NB.

Summary

EPA expressed no objections to the proposed action.

Final EISs

ERP No. F-COE-K35035-CA San Gabriel Canyon Sediment Management Plan, Dredging and Disposal of Sediments, COE Section 404 Permit, Special Use Permit and Right-of-Entry Issuance, Angeles National Forest, San Gabriel River, Los Angeles, CA.

Summary

EPA requested that the Record of Decision provide clarification on the proposed action's compliance with the Clean Water Act Section 404 (b)(1) Guidelines, including information on impacts to sediment disposal sites, a summary of direct and indirect impacts, mitigation for impacts to fish habitat and riffle and pool complexes, and onsite versus offsite mitigation. EPA also requested a commitment on future environmental documentation should the Flow Assisted Sediment Transport (FAST) alternative be pursued in the future.

ERP No. F-FHW-H40133-MO MO-179 Extension, MO-50 west to the West Edgewood Boulevard, Funding, Rightof-Way and COE Section 404 Permit, Jefferson City, Cole County, MO.

Summary

Review of the final EIS has been completed and the project found to be satisfactory. No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

was sent to the preparing agency. ERP No. F-FHW-H40151-MO MO-13 Highway Improvement, Existing MO-13 to MO-10 just south of Richmond to US 24 just south of Lexington, Funding, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits and US Coast Guard Bridge Permit Issuance, Ray and Lafayette Counties, MO.

Summary

Review of the final EIS has been completed and the project found to be satisfactory. No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

ERP No. F-FHW-H40154-MÖ US 61 Relocation, US 61/24 Interchange north of Hannibal to the vicinity of US 61/M Intersection south of Hannibal, Funding and Possible COE Section 404 Permit, Marion and Ralls Counties, MO.

Summary

Review of the Final EIS has been completed and the project found to be satisfactory. No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

ERP No. F-FHW-H40157-MÖ US Route 71/Range Line Road Bypass east of the Joplin City Limits Construction, Funding and COE Section 404 Permit, Jasper County, MO.

Summary

Review of the final EIS has been completed and the project found to be satisfactory. No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency. ERP No. F-NOA-L39054-WA

ERP No. F-NOA-L39054-WA Programmatic EIS—Commencement Bay Restoration Plan, Implementation, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, CZMA and NPDES Applications, Puget Sound, Pierce County, WA.