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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-2003-0095; FRL-7301-8]

Dynamac Corporation; Transfer of Data

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces that pesticide related information submitted to EPA's Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP) pursuant to the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) and the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA), including information that may have been claimed as Confidential Business Information (CBI) by the submitter, will be transferred to Dynamac Corporation in accordance with 40 CFR 2.307(h)(3) and 2.308(i)(2). Dynamac Corporation has been awarded multiple contracts to perform work for OPP, and access to this information will enable Dynamac Corporation to fulfill the obligations of the contracts.

DATES: Dynamac Corporation will be given access to this information on or before April 14, 2003.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Erik R. Johnson, FIFRA Security Officer, Information Resources and Services Division (7502C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460-0001; telephone number: (703) 305-7248; e-mail address: johnson.erik@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action applies to the public in general. As such, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

B. How Can I Get Copies of this Document and Other Related Information?

1. *Docket.* EPA has established an official public docket for this action

under docket identification (ID) number OPP-2003-0095. The official public docket consists of the documents specifically referenced in this action, any public comments received, and other information related to this action. Although a part of the official docket, the public docket does not include Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. The official public docket is the collection of materials that is available for public viewing at the Public Information and Records Integrity Branch (PIRIB), Rm. 119, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA. This docket facility is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The docket telephone number is (703) 305-5805.

2. *Electronic access.* You may access this **Federal Register** document electronically through the EPA Internet under the "**Federal Register**" listings at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

An electronic version of the public docket is available through EPA's electronic public docket and comment system, EPA Dockets. You may use EPA Dockets at <http://www.epa.gov/edocket/> to submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the official public docket, and to access those documents in the public docket that are available electronically. Although not all docket materials may be available electronically, you may still access any of the publicly available docket materials through the docket facility identified in Unit I.B.1. Once in the system, select "search," then key in the appropriate docket ID number.

II. Contractor Requirements

1. Under Contract No. 68-W0-0070, the contract shall require the contractor to research, evaluate, and analyze data and information pertaining to the ecotoxicity of pesticides and concentrations of pesticides in the environment—including soil, water, wildlife food items such as foliage and insects, and to complete ecological risk assessments as specified in the Statement of Work. Assessments completed by the contractor shall analyze all valid and adequate data, including data studies retrieved from the open literature, as well as any ecological toxicity documents provided by registrants or other governmental bodies and present in detailed summary of the results.

2. Under Contract No. 68-W0-0171, this contract will provide support primarily in the area of review and evaluation of available data pertaining to the chemistry and fate of pesticides

in the environment (including the evaluation of environmental monitoring data), and, secondarily, the assessment of pesticide fate and transport in the environment. It may require the contractor, on occasion, to conduct research to understand science issues, support scientific workshops, conduct analyses of issues and provide science policy options. EPA's Environmental Fate and Evaluation Division (EFED) will make available to the contractor the data, studies, and information which is to be reviewed.

These contracts involve no subcontractors.

OPP has determined that the contracts described in this document involve work that is being conducted in connection with FIFRA, in that pesticide chemicals will be the subject of certain evaluations to be made under the contracts. These evaluations may be used in subsequent regulatory decisions under FIFRA.

Some of this information may be entitled to confidential treatment. The information has been submitted to EPA under sections 3, 4, 6, and 7 of FIFRA and under sections 408 and 409 of FFDCA.

In accordance with the requirements of 40 CFR 2.307(h)(3), the contracts with Dynamac Corporation, prohibits use of the information for any purpose not specified in these contracts; prohibits disclosure of the information to a third party without prior written approval from the Agency; and requires that each official and employee of the contractor sign an agreement to protect the information from unauthorized release and to handle it in accordance with the FIFRA Information Security Manual. In addition, Dynamac Corporation is required to submit for EPA approval a security plan under which any CBI will be secured and protected against unauthorized release or compromise. No information will be provided to Dynamac Corporation until the requirements in this document have been fully satisfied. Records of information provided to Dynamac Corporation will be maintained by EPA Project Officers for these contracts. All information supplied to Dynamac Corporation by EPA for use in connection with these contracts will be returned to EPA when Dynamac Corporation has completed its work.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Business and industry, Government contracts, Government property, Security measures.

Dated: April 1, 2003.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7479-6]

Peer-Review Workshop on the Environmental Effects of Ozone and Related Photochemical Oxidants

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of peer-review workshop and public meeting.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is announcing a peer review workshop to facilitate preparation of the Environmental Effects Chapter to be included in a revised version of the EPA document Air Quality Criteria for Ozone and Related Photochemical Oxidants (Ozone Criteria Document, EPA 600/P-93/004aF-cF). Draft sections for this chapter, prepared (with the assistance of qualified scientists under contract) by the EPA's National Center for Environmental Assessment-Research Triangle Park Division (NCEA-RTP) within EPA's Office of Research and Development, will be reviewed at the Workshop. NCEA will then consider the peer-review advice in revising the sections and incorporating them into the overall Environmental Effects Chapter of the First External Review Draft Ozone Criteria Document to be released later for public comment.

DATES: The peer-review workshop will begin on Tuesday, April 22, 2003, at 9 a.m., and end on Wednesday, April 23, 2003, at 5 p.m. Members of the public are invited to attend as observers.

ADDRESSES: The peer-review workshop will be held at the Sheraton Imperial Hotel, 4700 Emperor Boulevard, Durham, North Carolina 27703. Sleeping room reservations may be made at 919-541-5050. Logistics for the workshop are being arranged by Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC), an EPA contractor. To attend the workshop, register by Monday, April 21, 2003, by calling SAIC at 703-318-4678 or by sending a facsimile to 703-736-0826. You can also register in advance via e-mail at tcs-events@saic.com. Space is limited, and reservations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. On-site registration on April 22

and 23 will also be available, as space allows.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For workshop information and logistics, contact SAIC at: telephone: 703-318-4678; facsimile: 703-736-0826. For technical information, contact Dr. Robert W. Elias, U.S. EPA, NCEA-RTP, B243-01, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711; telephone: 919-541-4167; facsimile: 919-541-1818; or e-mail: elias.robert@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: As discussed in a previous call for information (65 FR 57810, September 26, 2000), EPA is undertaking to review and, where appropriate, update and revise the Ozone Criteria Document last issued in July 1996. Pursuant to section 109 of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 740, EPA periodically reviews, and when appropriate, updates and revises, the air quality criteria for ozone published under Section 108 of the Act, 42 U.S.C. 7408. EPA then considers these air quality criteria when it periodically reviews the National Ambient Air Quality Standards ("NAAQS") for ozone. See 42 U.S.C. 7409(d). As part of the review of the air quality criteria for ozone, a series of peer-review workshops will be convened to discuss draft sections and chapters for the revised Ozone Criteria Document. Preliminary outlines for the proposed chapters were presented in the draft Project Work Plan released for public comment (66 FR 67524, December 31, 2001) and for review by the Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC) of EPA's Science Advisory Board (68 FR 3527, January 24, 2003). The first workshop (to be held April 22-23, 2003) will cover draft sections on the environmental effects of ozone, followed at a later date by workshops on tropospheric ozone formation, concentrations, exposure aspects, and health effects. Copies of the draft materials will be made available to the public at the workshops. Peer-review comments and workshop discussions will be taken into account in revising the draft sections and chapters in preparation for release to the public as part of the First External Review Draft of the Ozone Criteria Document. Ample opportunity will be provided at that time for public review and submission of written comments.

Interested parties are invited to assist the EPA in further developing and refining the scientific information base by identifying and submitting pertinent new information on potential health and environmental effects of ozone. In order to be considered for possible inclusion in the criteria document, submitted

information should be published or be accepted for publication in a peer-reviewed scientific journal. Such information should be provided to Dr. Robert W. Elias via the above-noted contact information.

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Peter W. Preuss,

Director, National Center for Environmental Assessment.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Meeting of the National Drinking Water Advisory Council; Notice of Public Meeting

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Under section 10(a)(2) of Public Law 92-423, "The Federal Advisory Committee Act," notice is hereby given of a meeting of the National Drinking Water Advisory Council (NDWAC), established under the Safe Drinking Water Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 300f *et seq.*). The Council will hear presentations and have discussions on topics important to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) national drinking water program, including, but not limited to: status reports from the NDWAC's work groups on Affordability and the Contaminant Candidate List, and updates on regulatory activity, source water protection initiatives, and the development of EPA's new strategic plan.

DATES: The Council meeting will be held on May 14, 2003, from 8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. and May 15, 2003, from 8:30 a.m. until 1 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at The Washington Terrace Hotel located at 1515 Rhode Island Ave., NW., Washington, DC and is open to the public.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Members of the public that would like to attend the meeting, present an oral statement, or submit a written statement, should contact Brenda Johnson, Designated Federal Officer, National Drinking Water Advisory Council, by phone at (202) 564-3791, by e-mail to johnson.brendap@epa.gov, or by regular mail to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency,