In assessing the potential for additional sensitivity of infants and children to residues of flufenpyr-ethyl, EPA considers the completeness of the human health effects data, particularly those studies that evaluate toxicity to reproduction and to fetal and developing young experimental animals. These studies include developmental toxicity studies in the rat and rabbit and a 2-generation reproduction study in the rat. The developmental toxicity studies are designed to evaluate adverse effects on the developing organism resulting from maternal pesticide exposure during gestation. Reproduction studies provide information relating to prenatal and postnatal effects from exposure to the pesticide, information on the reproductive capability of both male and female mating animals and data on systemic toxicity.

3. Developmental toxicity. Flufenpyrethyl is not a developmental toxicant in either rats or rabbits. In the developmental toxicity study conducted with rats, the NOAEL for both maternal and developmental toxicity was found to be 1,000 mg/kg/day, the highest dose tested.

Flufenpyr technical was tested in two developmental toxicity studies in rabbits because of unexpected maternal mortality. In the first study maternal mortality occurred at the two highest doses tested. In surviving animals and their fetuses, there were no adverse effects. Based on these results, the maternal toxicity NOAEL was 100 mg/ kg/day and the developmental toxicity NOAEL was 1,000 mg/kg/day. In the second study maternal mortality again occurred, but at all dose levels. Detailed examination of most these animals showed the cause of death to be test material aspiration into the lungs. There were no other adverse effects in the surviving dams or fetuses. The NOAEL for this study and the overall NOAEL for rabbits was found to be 300 mg/kg/day (maternal) and 1,000 mg/kg/day (developmental).

4. Reproduction. In the rat reproduction study, flufenpyr-ethyl technical was administered for 2—generations. Parental toxicity (kidney and liver effects) was observed at all dose levels, although the effects at the low dose were minimal. There were no effects at any dose on any reproductive parameter. Based on the results of this study, the NOAEL for parental toxicity was considered to be less than 200 ppm. The NOAEL for reproductive and neonatal toxicity was considered to be 20,000 ppm.

A second 1–generation reproduction study was performed to establish a clear NOAEL for adult kidney lesions using the dose levels of 20, 50 and 100 ppm. The results of the study indicate that the NOAEL for histological changes in the kidneys for  $F_1$  male rats was 100 ppm. No other treatment-related findings were noted at any dose level indicating 100 ppm as the NOAEL for treatment and reproductive effects evaluated in the study.

A mechanistic study was also conducted to investigate the reproducibility and reversibility of the kidney lesions observed in the initial 2generation reproduction study. In the first study, the effects observed at 200 ppm in the  $F_1$  males, basophilic tubules and interstitial inflamation, were minimal but slightly increased in incidence and severity and a slight increase in interstitial fibrosis of the cortex was also observed. In this mechanistic study, using dose levels of 0 and 2,000 ppm, the NOAEL for histological changes in the kidneys of F<sub>0</sub> and F<sub>1</sub> male rats and reproductive effects was 2,000 ppm. The histological changes seen in the kidneys in the original study was not reproducible.

The toxicological data base for evaluating prenatal and postnatal toxicity for flufenpyr-ethyl is complete with respect to current data requirements. Valent concludes that there is no evidence that fetal, or developing young experimental animals are any more susceptible to the effects of flufenpyr-ethyl than adult animals. Therefore there is no need for an extra FQPA uncertainly factor to be further protective of infants and children.

5. Acute exposure and risk. There is no acute oral toxic endpoint available, so no risk analysis was performed.

6. Chronic exposure and risk. Using the conservative exposure assumptions described above, the percentage of the cPAD that will be utilized by dietary (food only) exposure to residues of flufenpyr-ethyl ranges from 0.16% for non-nursing infants, to 0.03% for nursing infants. Adding the worse case potential incremental exposure to infants and children from flufenpyrethyl in drinking water (0.00000267 mg/ kg/day) increases the aggregate, chronic dietary exposure by 0.0053% The addition of the exposure attributable to drinking water increases the occupancy of the cPAD for Non-Nursing Infants from 0.164 to 0.169 percent. EPA generally has no concern for exposures below 100% of the cPAD because the cPAD represents the level at or below which daily aggregate dietary exposure over a lifetime will not pose appreciable risks to human health. It can be concluded that there is a reasonable certainty that no harm will result to

infants and children from aggregate, chronic exposure to flufenpyr-ethyl residues.

7. Safety determination summary. Aggregate chronic dietary exposure to various sub-populations of children and adults demonstrate acceptable risk. Chronic dietary exposures to flufenpyrethyl occupy considerably less than 100% of the cPAD. Acute dietary risk to children from flufenpyr-ethyl should not be of concern. Further, flufenpyrethyl has only agricultural uses and no other uses, such as indoor pest control, homeowner or turf, that could lead to unique, enhanced exposures to vulnerable sub-groups of the population. It can be concluded that there is a reasonable certainty that no harm will result to the U.S. population or to any sub-group of the U.S. population, including infants and children, from aggregate chronic exposures to flufenpyr-ethyl residues resulting from proposed uses. There is no evidence that acute oral exposures to flufenpyr ethyl causes appreciable toxicity, and no exposure and risk analyses are appropriate.

#### F. International Tolerances

There are no existing U.S. tolerances or Codex Maximum Residue Limits for flufenpyr-ethyl.

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# ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPPT-2003-0031; FRL-7315-1]

# **Certain New Chemicals; Receipt and Status Information**

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection

Agency (EPA). **ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Section 5 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requires any person who intends to manufacture (defined by statute to include import) a new chemical (i.e., a chemical not on the TSCA Inventory) to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture of new chemicals. Under sections 5(d)(2) and 5(d)(3) of TSCA, EPA is required to publish a notice of receipt of a premanufacture notice (PMN) or an application for a test marketing exemption (TME), and to publish periodic status reports on the chemicals under review and the receipt of notices of commencement to manufacture those chemicals. This status report, which covers the period from May 26, 2003 to June 2, 2003, consists of the PMNs and

TMEs, both pending or expired, and the notices of commencement to manufacture a new chemical that the Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period.

**DATES:** Comments identified by the docket ID number OPPT-2003-0031 and the specific PMN number or TME number, must be received on or before July 25, 2003.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments may be submitted electronically, by mail, or through hand delivery/courier. Follow the detailed instructions as provided in Unit I. of the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Barbara Cunningham, Director, Environmental Assistance Division, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (7408M), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460– 0001; telephone number: (202) 554– 1404; e-mail address: TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### I. General Information

A. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general. As such, the Agency has not attempted to describe the specific entities that this action may apply to. Although others may be affected, this action applies directly to the submitter of the premanufacture notices addressed in the 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 OPPT-2003-0031. 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 EPA Docket Center, Rm. B102-Reading Room, EPA West, 1301 Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC. The EPA Docket Center is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The EPA

Docket Center Reading Room telephone number is (202) 566–1744 and the telephone number for the OPPT Docket, which is located in EPA Docket Center, is (202) 566–0280.

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.

Certain types of information will not be placed in the EPA Dockets. Information claimed as CBI and other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute, which is not included in the official public docket, will not be available for public viewing in EPA's electronic public docket. EPA's policy is that copyrighted material will not be placed in EPA's electronic public docket but will be available only in printed, paper form in the official public docket. To the extent feasible, publicly available docket materials will be made available in EPA's electronic public docket. When a document is selected from the index list in EPA Dockets, the system will identify whether the document is available for viewing in EPA's electronic public docket. 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. EPA intends to work towards providing electronic access to all of the publicly available docket materials through EPA's electronic public docket.

For public commenters, it is important to note that EPA's policy is that public comments, whether submitted electronically or in paper, will be made available for public viewing in EPA's electronic public docket as EPA receives them and without change, unless the comment contains copyrighted material, CBI, or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. When EPA identifies a comment containing copyrighted material, EPA will provide

a reference to that material in the version of the comment that is placed in EPA's electronic public docket. The entire printed comment, including the copyrighted material, will be available in the public docket.

Public comments submitted on computer disks that are mailed or delivered to the docket will be transferred to EPA's electronic public docket. Public comments that are mailed or delivered to the docket will be scanned and placed in EPA's electronic public docket. Where practical, physical objects will be photographed, and the photograph will be placed in EPA's electronic public docket along with a brief description written by the docket staff.

# C. How and To Whom Do I Submit Comments?

You may submit comments electronically, by mail, or through hand delivery/courier. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, identify the appropriate docket ID number and specific PMN number or TME number in the subject line on the first page of your comment. Please ensure that your comments are submitted within the specified comment period. Comments received after the close of the comment period will be marked "late." EPA is not required to consider these late comments. If you wish to submit CBI or information that is otherwise protected by statute, please follow the instructions in Unit I.D. Do not use EPA Dockets or e-mail to submit CBI or information protected by statute.

1. Electronically. If you submit an electronic comment as prescribed in this unit, EPA recommends that you include your name, mailing address, and an email address or other contact information in the body of your comment. Also include this contact information on the outside of any disk or CD ROM you submit, and in any cover letter accompanying the disk or CD ROM. This ensures that you can be identified as the submitter of the comment and allows EPA to contact you in case EPA cannot read your comment due to technical difficulties or needs further information on the substance of your comment. EPA's policy is that EPA will not edit your comment, and any identifying or contact information provided in the body of a comment will be included as part of the comment that is placed in the official public docket, and made available in EPA's electronic public docket. If EPA cannot read your comment due to technical difficulties and cannot contact you for clarification, EPA may not be able to consider your comment.

- i. EPA Dockets. Your use of EPA's electronic public docket to submit comments to EPA electronically is EPA's preferred method for receiving comments. Go directly to EPA Dockets at <a href="http://www.epa.gov/edocket">http://www.epa.gov/edocket</a>, and follow the online instructions for submitting comments. Once in the system, select "search," and then key in docket ID number OPPT-2003-0031. The system is an "anonymous access" system, which means EPA will not know your identity, e-mail address, or other contact information unless you provide it in the body of your comment.
- ii. E-mail. Comments may be sent by e-mail to oppt.ncic@epa.gov, Attention: Docket ID Number OPPT-2003-0031 and PMN Number or TME Number. In contrast to EPA's electronic public docket, EPA's e-mail system is not an "anonymous access" system. If you send an e-mail comment directly to the docket without going through EPA's electronic public docket, EPA's e-mail system automatically captures your email address. E-mail addresses that are automatically captured by EPA's e-mail system are included as part of the comment that is placed in the official public docket, and made available in EPA's electronic public docket.
- iii. Disk or CD ROM. You may submit comments on a disk or CD ROM that you mail to the mailing address identified in Unit I.C.2. These electronic submissions will be accepted in WordPerfect or ASCII file format. Avoid the use of special characters and any form of encryption.
- 2. By mail. Send your comments to: Document Control Office (7407M), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (OPPT), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460– 0001.
- 3. By hand delivery or courier. Deliver your comments to: OPPT Document Control Office (DCO) in EPA East Building Rm. 6428, 1201 Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC. Attention: Docket ID Number OPPT–2003–0031 and PMN Number or TME Number. The DCO is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the DCO is (202) 564–8930.

D. How Should I Submit CBI To the Agency?

Do not submit information that you consider to be CBI electronically through EPA's electronic public docket or by e-mail. You may claim information that you submit to EPA as CBI by marking any part or all of that information as CBI (if you submit CBI on disk or CD ROM, mark the outside of the disk or CD ROM as CBI and then identify electronically within the disk or CD ROM the specific information that is CBI). Information so marked will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2.

In addition to one complete version of the comment that includes any information claimed as CBI, a copy of the comment that does not contain the information claimed as CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public docket and EPA's electronic public docket. If you submit the copy that does not contain CBI on disk or CD ROM, mark the outside of the disk or CD ROM clearly that it does not contain CBI. Information not marked as CBI will be included in the public docket and EPA's electronic public docket without prior notice. If you have any questions about CBI or the procedures for claiming CBI, please consult the technical person listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

E. What Should I Consider as I Prepare My Comments for EPA?

You may find the following suggestions helpful for preparing your comments:

- 1. Explain your views as clearly as possible.
- 2. Describe any assumptions that you used
- 3. Provide copies of any technical information and/or data you used that support your views.
- 4. If you estimate potential burden or costs, explain how you arrived at the estimate that you provide.
- 5. Provide specific examples to illustrate your concerns.
- 6. Offer alternative ways to improve the notice or collection activity.
- 7. Make sure to submit your comments by the deadline in this document.

8. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, be sure to identify the docket ID number assigned to this action and the specific PMN number you are commenting on in the subject line on the first page of your response. You may also provide the name, date, and **Federal Register** citation.

### II. Why is EPA Taking this Action?

Section 5 of TSCA requires any person who intends to manufacture (defined by statute to include import) a new chemical (i.e., a chemical not on the TSCA Inventory to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture of new chemicals. Under sections 5(d)(2) and 5(d)(3) of TSCA, EPA is required to publish a notice of receipt of a PMN or an application for a TME and to publish periodic status reports on the chemicals under review and the receipt of notices of commencement to manufacture those chemicals. This status report, which covers the period from May 26, 2003 to June 2, 2003, consists of the PMNs and TMEs, both pending or expired, and the notices of commencement to manufacture a new chemical that the Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period.

## III. Receipt and Status Report for PMNs and TMEs

This status report identifies the PMNs and TMEs, both pending or expired, and the notices of commencement to manufacture a new chemical that the Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period. If you are interested in information that is not included in the following tables, you may contact EPA as described in Unit II. to access additional non-CBI information that may be available.

In Table I of this unit, EPA provides the following information (to the extent that such information is not claimed as CBI) on the PMNs received by EPA during this period: the EPA case number assigned to the PMN; the date the PMN was received by EPA; the projected end date for EPA's review of the PMN; the submitting manufacturer; the potential uses identified by the manufacturer in the PMN; and the chemical identity.

### I. 13 PREMANUFACTURE NOTICES RECEIVED FROM: 05/26/03 TO 06/02/03

Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer			Use				Chemical
P-03-0576	05/28/03	08/25/03	Eastman Chemical Company	(S)	Tackifier dhesive	resin	for	hot	melt	(G) Styrenated hydrocarbon resin, hydrogenated

## I. 13 PREMANUFACTURE NOTICES RECEIVED FROM: 05/26/03 TO 06/02/03—Continued

Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer	Use	Chemical
P-03-0577	05/28/03	08/25/03	СВІ	(S) Resin for high pressure laminate	(S) Guanidine, cyano-, polymer with formaldehyde, 6-methyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine and 1,3,5-triazine-2,4,6-triamine
P-03-0578	05/30/03	08/27/03	СВІ	(G) Acrylic pressure sensitive adhesive	(G) Acrylic solution polymer
P-03-0579	05/28/03	08/25/03	Lubrizol Metalworking Additives	(S) Lubricant, metalworking fluid	(G) Polyolefin ester, amine salt
P-03-0580	06/02/03	08/30/03	СВІ	(G) A crosslinking agent for water- borne coatings, inks and adhesives	(G) Multifunctional polycarbodiimide
P-03-0581	06/02/03	08/30/03	СВІ	(G) Structural material	(G) Telechelic polyacrylate
P-03-0582	06/02/03	08/30/03	СВІ	(G) Paint additive	(G) Polyurethane
P-03-0583	06/02/03	08/30/03	СВІ	(G) Paint additive	(G) Polyurethane
P-03-0584	06/02/03	08/30/03	PPG Industries, Inc.	(G) Component of photoresist coating	(G) Urethane acrylate
P-03-0585	06/02/03	08/30/03	Sensient Colors Inc.	(S) Dye intermediate	(S) 1,3-benzenedisulfonic acid, 4- [bis[4-(diethylamino)phenyl]methyl]- 6-hydroxy-
P-03-0586	06/02/03	08/30/03	Sensient Colors Inc.	(S) Food dye in europe	(S) Ethanaminium, n-[4-[[4- (diethylamino)phenyl] (5-hydroxy- 2,4-disulfophenyl)methylene] -2,5- cyclohexadien-1-ylidene]-ethyl-, inner salt, monosodium salt
P-03-0587 P-03-0592	06/02/03 05/28/03	08/30/03 08/25/03	Purac America, Inc. Sanyo Corporation of America	(S) Polymer production (S) additives for paint (malled and fatered finish agents)	<ul> <li>(S) Propanoic acid, 2-hydroxy-,(2r)-</li> <li>(S) 2-propenoic acid, 2-methyl-, 1,2-ethanediyl ester, polymer with butyl 2-methyl-2-propenoate</li> </ul>

In Table II of this unit, EPA provides the following information (to the extent

that such information is not claimed as CBI) on the TMEs received:

## II. 1 TEST MARKETING EXEMPTION NOTICE RECEIVED FROM: 05/26/03 TO 06/02/03

Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer	Use	Chemical
T-03-0004	06/02/03	07/16/03	PPG Industries, Inc. Coatings	(G) Component pf photoresist coating	(G) Urethane acrylate

In Table III of this unit, EPA provides the following information (to the extent that such information is not claimed as CBI) on the Notices of Commencement to manufacture received:

## III. 9 NOTICES OF COMMENCEMENT FROM: 05/23/03 TO 06/02/03

Case No.	Received Date	Commencement/ Import Date	Chemical
P-99-0599	05/28/03	05/14/03	(S) Benzoic acid, 2-hydroxy-4-methyl, ethyl ester (S) 3-butenoic acid, 2-hydroxy-3-methyl-, ethylester (G) Maleic acid co-polymer salt (G) Maleic acid co-polymer salt (G) Silane coated barium sulfate (G) Alkylamides, ethoxylated (G) Salt of a modified polyacrylamide
P-01-0178	05/29/03	05/14/03	
P-01-0667	05/30/03	04/14/03	
P-01-0668	05/30/03	04/14/03	
P-02-0999	05/29/03	05/14/03	
P-03-0042	05/28/03	05/12/03	
P-03-0165	05/28/03	05/12/03	
P-03-0284	05/28/03	05/17/03	(S) 1h-benz[e]indole, 1,1,2-trimethyl-, hydrochloride (G) Propanoic acid, substituted ester
P-03-0290	05/28/03	05/14/03	

### List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Chemicals, Premanufacturer notices.

Dated: June 17, 2003.

#### Sandra R. Wilkins,

Acting Director, Information Management Division, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics.

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### **FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION**

### RIN 3052-AC13

# **Loan Policies and Operations; Loan Syndication Transactions**

**AGENCY:** Farm Credit Administration. **ACTION:** Notice; extension of comment period.

**SUMMARY:** The Farm Credit Administration (FCA, we, or us) is extending the comment period on our notice concerning loan syndication transactions by Farm Credit System (System) institutions so all interested parties have more time to respond to our questions.

**DATES:** Please send your comments to the FCA by August 19, 2003.

ADDRESSES: We encourage you to send comments by electronic mail to regcomm@fca.gov or through the Pending Regulations section of FCA's Web site, www.fca.gov. You may also send comments to S. Robert Coleman, Director, Regulation and Policy Division, Office of Policy and Analysis, Farm Credit Administration, 1501 Farm Credit Drive, McLean, Virginia 22102–5090 or by facsimile to (703) 734–5784. You may review copies of all comments we receive at our office in McLean, Virginia.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dennis K. Carpenter, Senior Policy Analyst, Office of Policy and Analysis, Farm Credit Administration, McLean, VA 22102–5090, (703) 883– 4498, TTY (703) 883–4434;

or

Richard A. Katz, Senior Attorney, Office of General Counsel, Farm Credit Administration, McLean, VA 22102– 5090, (703) 883–4020, TTY (703) 883– 4020.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On January 17, 2003, we published a notice in the Federal Register seeking public comment on the treatment of loan syndication transactions by Farm Credit System (System) banks and associations. The comment period expired on February 18, 2003. See 68 FR 2540,

January 17, 2003. We reopened the comment period until April 21, 2003, to provide interested parties an additional 60 days to comment on this issue. See 68 FR 8764, February 25, 2003. Subsequently, we extended the comment until June 20, 2003, again to provide additional opportunities for interested parties to provide comment. See 68 FR 19538, April 21, 2003.

A member of the public has now requested us to extend the comment period for an additional 60 days, until August 19, 2003. In response to this request, we are extending the comment period until August 19, 2003, so all interested parties have more time to respond to our questions. The FCA supports public involvement and participation in its regulatory and policy process and invites all interested parties to review and provide comments on our notice.

Dated: June 19, 2003.

#### Jeanette C. Brinkley,

Secretary, Farm Credit Administration Board. [FR Doc. 03–16061 Filed 6–24–03; 8:45 am]
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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[DA 03-2033]

### **Consumer Advisory Committee**

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This document announces the next meeting date and agenda of the Consumer Advisory Committee (hereinafter "the Committee"), whose purpose is to make recommendations to the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC" or "Commission") regarding consumer issues within the jurisdiction of the Commission and to facilitate the participation of consumers (including people with disabilities and underserved populations, such as Native Americans and persons living in rural areas) in proceedings before the Commission.

**DATES:** The next meeting of the Committee will take place on Friday, July 11, 2003, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The Committee will meet at the Commission's headquarters building, Room TW-C305, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Scott Marshall, 202–418–2809 (voice) or 202–418–0179 (TTY). E-mail: cac@fcc.gov. **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a summary of the Commission's Public Notice DA 03–2033, released June 19, 2003. The Commission announced the next meeting date and meeting agenda of its Consumer Advisory Committee.

## **Purpose and Functions**

The purpose of the committee is to make recommendations to the Commission regarding consumer issues within the jurisdiction of the Commission and to facilitate the participation of consumers (including people with disabilities and underserved populations, such as Native Americans and persons living in rural areas) in proceedings before the Commission.

Meeting Date and Agenda

The next meeting of the Committee will take place on Friday, July 11, 2003, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the Commission's headquarters building, Room TW–C305, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554.

At its July 11, 2003 meeting, the Committee will consider issues relating to broadband, the Telephone Consumer Protection Act, E9–1–1 service, wireless number portability, telecommunications relay services, and outreach to underserved populations. The Committee will also receive a briefing regarding consumer protection and enforcement activities, and may also consider other consumer issues within the jurisdiction of the Commission.

Availability of Copies and Electronic Accessibility

A copy of the June 19, 2003 Public Notice is available in alternate formats (Braille, cassette tape, large print or diskette) upon request. It is also posted on the Commission's website at www.fcc.gov/cgb/cac. The Committee meetings will be broadcast on the Internet in Real Audio/Real Video format with captioning at www.fcc.gov/ cgb/cac. Meetings will be sign language interpreted, and real-time transcription and assistive listening devices will also be available. The meeting site is fully accessible to people with disabilities. Copies of meeting agendas and handout materials will also be provided in accessible formats. Meeting minutes will be available for public inspection at the FCC headquarters building and will be posted on the Commission's Web site at www.fcc.gov/cgb/cac.

The Committee meeting will be open to the public and interested persons may attend the meeting and communicate their views. Members of the public will have an opportunity to address the Committee on issues of