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## Questions and Answers

### TRI

*Q: In October 2005, Facility X changes ownership and is purchased by Company Y. For the 2005 reporting year, which facility is obligated to submit the Form R or Form A, and whose name and what TRI identification number should be on the form?*

**A:** The owner or operator of the facility on the annual July 1 reporting deadline (i.e., Company Y) is primarily responsible for reporting the data for the *entire* previous year's operations at that facility. Any other owner or operator of the facility before the reporting deadline may also be held liable. The form submitted for a given reporting year must reflect the names used by the facility and its parent company on December 31 of that reporting year, even if the facility changed its name or ownership at any time during the reporting year (Monthly Call Center Report Question, EPA530-R-98-005j; October 1998). In this scenario, because Facility X changed ownership before December 31 of the reporting year, Company Y's name should appear on the form. The TRI identification number is location-specific; thus, the identification number will stay the same even if the facility changes names, production processes, or NAICS codes.

*Q: Company A purchases a facility from Company B between January 1, 2006, and June 30, 2006. For the 2005 reporting year, which company's name and identification number should appear on the Form R or Form A submission?*

**A:** In the case that a facility is purchased between January 1 and June 30, the form

submitted for the previous year must reflect the name used by the facility on December 31 of that reporting year (Monthly Call Center Report Question, EPA530-R-98-005j; October 1998). In this example, Company B's name should appear on the form because it owned the facility for the duration of the reporting year. The TRI identification number is location-specific; thus, the identification number will stay the same even if the facility changes names, production processes, or NAICS codes.

With regard to reporting, the owner or operator of the facility on the annual July 1 reporting deadline (Company A) is primarily responsible for reporting the data for the previous year's operations at that facility. However, all prior owners and operators back to January 1 of the year covered in the report may also be held responsible if the current owner or operator does not submit a report.

*Q: Does a facility have to comply with the EPCRA §313 supplier notification requirements if the facility is exporting a TRI toxic chemical to a foreign country?*

**A:** Facilities subject to EPCRA §313 supplier notification requirements that export mixtures or trade name products containing toxic chemicals must use their best available information to determine if the foreign facility will, in turn, sell the mixture or trade name product back to a covered facility in the United States. If the domestic exporting facility knows that the foreign facility will, in turn, sell or distribute the mixture or trade name product to a covered domestic facility, then the domestic exporting facility must comply with the TRI supplier notification requirements.

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**TITLE:** HRS Quickscore Version 2.3

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**URL:**[www.epa.gov/superfund/programs/npl\\_hrs/quickscore.htm](http://www.epa.gov/superfund/programs/npl_hrs/quickscore.htm)

HRS Quickscore was created to assist in scoring sites using EPA's Hazard Ranking System (HRS). HRS Quickscore is an electronic set of HRS score sheets that executes real time site score calculations. It was designed to assist in developing a conceptual site model for Superfund site assessments. This product is intended for use by those individuals who plan and implement Preliminary Assessments (PAs), Site Inspections (SIs), and other data collection efforts according to the HRS rules, as well as those individuals that write and review HRS documentation records.

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HRS Quickscore was created to assist in scoring sites using EPA's Hazard Ranking System (HRS). The User's Guide is designed to help users understand and utilize the capabilities of the latest version of Quickscore.

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## FINAL RULES

### CERCLA

**“National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List”  
July 27, 2006 (71 [FR](#) 42598)**

EPA announced the deletion of the Arctic Surplus Site from the National Priorities List (NPL). The effective date of this rulemaking is September 25, 2006, unless EPA receives adverse comments by August 28, 2006.

**“National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List”  
July 31, 2006 (71 [FR](#) 43071)**

EPA announced the partial deletion of the Internal Parcel of the Rocky Mountain Arsenal National Priorities List Superfund Site from the NPL. The effective date of this rulemaking is July 31, 2006.

## PROPOSED RULES

### CERCLA

**“National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List”  
July 11, 2006 (71 [FR](#) 39032)**

EPA announced its intent to delete the T. H. Agriculture and Nutrition Superfund Site from the NPL. Comments must be received by August 10, 2006.

**“National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List”  
July 27, 2006 (71 [FR](#) 42623)**

EPA announced its intent to delete the Arctic Surplus Superfund Site from the NPL. Comments must be received by August 28, 2006.

## NOTICES

### CERCLA

**“Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to OMB for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Brownfields Program--Revitalization Grantee Reporting (Renewal), EPA ICR Number 2104.02, OMB Control Number 2050-0192”**

**July, 11 2006 (71 FR 39099)**

EPA announced that the following Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval: “Brownfields Program, Revitalization Grantee Reporting (Renewal),” ICR Number 2104.02, OMB Control Number 2050-0192. The current expiration date for this ICR is August 31, 2006. Comments must be received by August 10, 2006.

### EPCRA

**“Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to OMB for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Trade Secret Claims for Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA Section 322) (Renewal); EPA ICR No. 1428.07, OMB Control No. 2050-0078”**

**July 21, 2006 (71 FR 41439)**

EPA announced that the following ICR has been forwarded to OMB for review and approval: “Trade Secret Claims for Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA Section 322) (Renewal),” ICR Number 1428.07, OMB Control Number 2050-0078. The current expiration date for this ICR is October 31,

2006. Comments must be received by August 21, 2006.

### CAA

**“Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Distribution of Offsite Consequence Analysis Information Under Section 112(r)(7)(H) of the Clean Air Act (CAA). EPA ICR No. 1981.03, OMB Control No. 2050-0172”**

**July 14, 2006 (71 FR 40093)**

EPA announced its plans to submit the following ICR to OMB for review and approval: “Distribution of Offsite Consequence Analysis Information Under Section 112(r)(7)(H) of the Clean Air Act (CAA),” ICR Number 1981.03, OMB Control Number 2050-0172. The current expiration date for this ICR is December 31, 2006. Comments must be received by September 12, 2006.

## SETTLEMENT AND CONSENT

*“Consent Decree; In re EaglePicher Holdings, Inc.”*

July 7, 2006 (71 FR 38660)

*“Consent Decree; United States v. Diamond State Salvage Company, Inc., Estate of Herbert Sherr, Nancy A. Sherr, Executrix of the Estate of Herbert Sherr, Barbara Sherr Kleger, and Delmarva Power & Light Company”*

July 12, 2006 (71 FR 39363)

*“Consent Decree; United States v. Glen Ekberg”*

July 12, 2006 (71 FR 39363)

“Consent Decree; *United States v. Glidden Company, et al.*”  
July 12, 2006 (71 FR 39364)

“Proposed Settlement; Henry Wood Preserving Superfund Site”  
July 17, 2006 (71 FR 40519)

“Consent Decree; *United States v. CBS Corporation, Winner Development Company, Inc., Winner Development LLC, and AK Steel Corporation*”  
July 19, 2006 (71 FR 41051)

“Consent Decree; *United States of America v. Conexant Systems, Inc. and Rockwell International Corp.*”  
July 19, 2006 (71 FR 41052)

“Consent Decree; *United States v. Industrial Excess Landfill, Inc.*”  
July 19, 2006 (71 FR 41053)

“Consent Decree; *United States v. NL Industries, Inc., et al.*”  
July 19, 2006 (71 FR 41053)

“Proposed Settlement; Prestige Chemical Company Superfund Site”  
July 21, 2006 (71 FR 41442)

“Proposed Settlement; American Lead Smelting and Refining Superfund Site”  
July 24, 2006 (71 FR 41803)

“Proposed Settlement; Excello Plating Co. Facility Superfund Site”  
July 24, 2006 (71 FR 41803)

“Proposed Settlement; Superior Waste Rock Superfund Site”  
July 25, 2006 (71 FR 42091)