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*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on December 17, 2008.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-8588-3]

### Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared 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 202-564-7146. An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in FR dated April 6, 2008 (73 FR 19833).

#### Draft EISs

*EIS No. 20080281, ERP No. D-NRC-A09836-00, GENERIC—In-Situ Leach Uranium Milling Facilities (NUREG-1910), Construction, Operation, Aquifer Restoration and Decommissioning, Potentially*

Location in Portions of WY, NE, SD, and NM.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns about the potential for adverse impacts to surface and groundwater resources and air quality. We requested additional information regarding radon emissions data and recommended the development of a generic fugitive dust mitigation plan. We also recommended that the final GEIS analyze the potential costs of site clean ups and address adequate bonding requirements for site restorations in cases of company defaults. Rating EC2.

*EIS No. 20080369, ERP No. D-FAA-E40822-FL, Palm Beach International Airport Project, Construction and Operation of Proposed Airfield Improvements, Funding, Palm Beach County, FL.*

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concern about increases in aircraft noise exposures and air quality emissions. Rating EC2.

*EIS No. 20080374, ERP No. D-FAA-D51023-PA, Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) Capacity Enhancement Program (CEP) To Accommodate Current and Future Aviation Demand, Funding and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permit, Philadelphia, PA.*

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concern about impacts to air quality, wetlands, waterways, the Enterprise Avenue Superfund Site, and local communities. Rating EC2.

*EIS No. 20080407, ERP No. D-AFS-K61168-CA, Moonridge Animal Park Relocation Project, Application for a Special-Use-Permit to Construct and Operate a Wild Animal Park and Associated Facilities, Mountaintop Ranger District, San Bernardino National Forest, San Bernardino County, CA.*

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns about insufficient air quality analysis, and narrow scope of the alternatives. EPA requested clarification of impacts to waters of the U.S. and that discussions of the traffic analysis and induced growth be improved. Rating EC2.

#### Final EISs

*EIS No. 20080394, ERP No. F-BLM-K05064-NV, White Pine Energy Station Project, Construction and Operation, Coal-fired Electric Power Generating Plant, White Pine County, NV.*

*Summary:* EPA continues to have environmental concerns about wetlands mitigation and climate change impacts.

To compensate for the loss of wetlands, EPA recommended higher offset ratios, a longer monitoring period, and long-term protection for the mitigation site(s). In addition, EPA recommended that BLM consider additional voluntary measures to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

*EIS No. 20080428, ERP No. F-OSM-A26002-00, Excess Spoil Minimization Stream Buffer Zones, Proposed Revisions to the Permanent Program Regulations Implementing the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 Concerning the Creation and Disposal of Excess Spoil and Coal Mine Waste and Stream Buffer Zones, Permit Application.*

*Summary:* No formal comments were sent to the preparing agency. Under Section 501(B) of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act, EPA will be taking action on the final Stream Buffer Zone Rule in the near future.

*EIS No. 20080431, ERP No. F-NSA-A06182-00, PROGRAMMATIC—EIS—Complex Transformation, To Make the U.S. Nuclear Weapon Complex Smaller, and more Responsive, Efficient and Secure in Order to Meet National Security Requirements, CA, NV, NM, SC, TN and TX.*

*Summary:* No formal comments were sent to the preparing agency.

*EIS No. 20080446, ERP No. F-BLM-K09810-CA, Mountain View IV Wind Energy Project, Construction and Operation, Wind Turbine Generators on Public Lands in Section 22 and 28 and Private Land Section 27, Right-of-Way Grant and Conditional Use Permit in the City of Palm Springs, CA.*

*Summary:* EPA does not object to the proposed project.

Dated: December 2, 2008.

**Robert W. Hargrove,**

Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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### Environmental Impacts Statements; Notice of Availability

*Responsible Agency:* Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-1399 or <http://www.epa.gov/compliance/nepa/>.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements  
Filed 11/24/2008 through 11/28/2008.  
Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

*EIS No. 20080484, Draft EIS, NOA, AK, Bering Sea Chinook Salmon Bycatch Management, Establish New Measures To Minimize Chinook Salmon Bycatch, To Amend the Fishery Management Plan, Implementation, Bering Sea Pollock Fishery, AK, Comment Period Ends: 02/03/2009, Contact: Gretchen Harrington 907-586-7228.*

*EIS No. 20080485, Draft EIS, SFW, NV, Southeastern Lincoln County Habitat Conservation Plan, Application Package for Three Incidental Take Permits, Authorize the Take of Desert Tortoise (*Gopherus agassizii*) and Southwestern Willow Flycatcher (*Empidonax traillii* extimus), Implementation, Lincoln County, NV, Comment Period Ends: 02/18/2009, Contact: Mary Grim 916-414-6464.*

*EIS No. 20080486, Draft EIS, AFS, AK, Logjam Timber Sale Project, Proposes Timber Harvesting From 4 Land Use Designations, Tongass Land and Resource Management Plan, Thorne Bay Ranger District, Tongass National Forest, Prince of Wales Island, AK, Comment Period Ends: 01/20/2009, Contact: Frank Roberts 907-828-3226.*

*EIS No. 20080487, Final EIS, AFS, WI, Cayuga Project, Proposed Vegetation and Transportation Management Activities northeast of Clam Lake, Preferred Alternative Selected Alternative 7, Great Divide Ranger District, Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest, Ashland County, WI, Wait Period Ends: 01/05/2009, Contact: Patty Beyer 906-226-1499.*

*EIS No. 20080488, Final EIS, FHW, MI, Detroit River International Crossing Study, Propose Border Crossing System Between the International Border Cities of Detroit, Michigan, and Windsor, Ontario, Wayne County, MI, Wait Period Ends: 01/05/2009, Contact: David T. Williams 517-702-1820.*

*EIS No. 20080489, Revised Draft EIS, DOE, NY, West Valley Demonstration Project and Western New York Nuclear Service Center Decommissioning and/or Long-Term Stewardship, (DOE/EIS-0226-D Revised) City of Buffalo, Eric and Cattaraugus Counties, NY, Comment Period Ends: 06/08/2009, Contact: Catherine Bohan 716-942-4159.*

*EIS No. 20080490, Final EIS, BPA, WA, Lyle Falls Fish Passage Project, To Improve Fish Passage to Habitat in the Upper Part of the Watershed, Located on the Lower Klickitat River, Klickitat*

County, WA, Wait Period Ends: 01/05/2009, Contact: Carl Keller 503-230-7697.

*EIS No. 20080491, Final EIS, SFW, ME, Lake Umbagog National Wildlife Refuge, Comprehensive Conservation Plan, 15 Year Guidance for Management of Refuge Operations, Habitat and Visitor Services, Implementation, Coos County, NH, and Oxford County, ME, Wait Period Ends: 01/05/2009, Contact: Nancy L. McGarigal 413-253-8562.*

*EIS No. 20080492, Final EIS, NPS, MI, Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, General Management Plan and Wilderness Study, Implementation, Benzie and Leelanau Counties, MI, Wait Period Ends: 01/05/2009, Contact: Dusty Shultz 231-326-5134.*

*EIS No. 20080493, Final EIS, BLM, NM, Socorro Resource Management Plan Revision, Implementation, Socorro and Catron Counties, NM, Wait Period Ends: 01/05/2009, Contact: Mark Spencer 505-438-7402.*

*EIS No. 20080494, Draft EIS, AFS, AZ, Safford Recreation Residences Project, Proposes To Issue 88 New Special-Use-Permits for Occupancy and Use of Recreation Residence, Safford Ranger District, Coronado National Forest, Graham County, AZ, Comment Period Ends: 01/20/2009, Contact: Andrea Wargo Campbell 520-388-8352.*

*EIS No. 20080495, Final EIS, USN, CA, Southern California (SOCAL) Range Complex, To Organize, Train, Equip, and Maintain Combat-Ready Naval Forces, San Diego, Orange and Los Angeles Counties, CA, Wait Period Ends: 12/29/2008, EPA Approval of a Reduce Wait Period because of Compelling Reasons of National Policy Pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1506.10(c). Contact: Alexander Stone 619-545-8128.*

*EIS No. 20080496, Draft Supplement, EPA, AK, Red Dog Mine Extension—Aqqaluk Project, Reissuance Permit Applications for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit and New Information, Chukchi Sea, AK, Comment Period Ends: 02/03/2009, Contact: Patty McGrath 206-553-0979.*

*EIS No. 20080497, Draft EIS, STA, 00, Alberta Clipper Pipeline Project, Application for a Presidential Permit to Construction, Operation and Maintenance of Facilities in United States and Canada Borders, Comment Period Ends: 01/20/2008, Contact: Elizabeth Orlando, Esq. 202-647-4284.*

*EIS No. 20080498, Final Supplement, NOA, CA, Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary Management Plan, Implementation, Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties, CA, Wait Period Ends: 01/05/2009, Contact: Chris Mobley 805-966-7107 ext.465.*

#### Amended Notices

*EIS No. 20080380, Draft EIS, AFS, CA, Tahoe National Forest Motorized Travel Management, Implementation, Sierra Nevada Mountains, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra and Yuba Counties, CA, Comment Period Ends: 12/26/2008. Contact: David Arrasmith 530-478-6220. Revision to FR Notice Published 11/03/2008: Extending Comment Period from 11/26/2008 to 12/26/2008.*

*EIS No. 20080476, Final EIS, COE, 00, White River Minimum Flow Study, To Provide an Improved Minimum Flow for the Benefit of the Tail Water Fishery, White River Basin Lakes: Bull Shoal Lakes on the White River; Norfolk Lake on the North Fork White River, AR, Wait Period Ends: 12/29/2008. Contact: Mike Biggs 501-324-7342. Revision to FR Notice Published: Correction to Title.*

*EIS No. 20080481, Draft EIS, NOA, CA, Southwest Fisheries Science Center Replacement, Construction and Operation, located on University of California, San Diego Scripps Institute of Oceanography Campus, La Jolla, CA, Comment Period Ends: 01/12/2009. Contact: Mark Eberling 206-526-6477. Revision to FR Notice Published 11/28/2008: Correction to Title.*

*EIS No. 20080433, Final EIS, COE, 00, Programmatic—Port of New York and New Jersey Dredged Material Management Plan, Updated Information to 1999 Final EIS, Implementation, NY and NJ, Wait Period Ends: 02/01/2009. Contact: Christopher Ricciardi, PhD, 917-790-8630.*

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