through hand delivery/courier. Mail comments to: Water Docket, Environmental Protection Agency, Mailcode 4101T, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460, Attention Docket ID No. OW–2002– 0050.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information on the ANPRM, contact either Donna Downing, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Wetlands, Oceans and Watersheds (4502T), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20460, phone: (202) 566–1366, e-mail: *CWAwaters@epa.gov*, or Ted Rugiel, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, ATTN CECW–OR, 441 G Street NW., Washington, DC 20314–1000, phone: (202) 761–4595, e-mail: *Thaddeus.J.Rugiel@HQ02. USACE.ARMY.MIL.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: To submit comments or access the official docket, please follow the detailed instructions as provided in section I.B. of the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION section of the January 15, 2003, Federal Register document (68 FR 1991). If you have questions, consult one of the persons listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

Dated: February 21, 2003.

G. Tracy Mehan, III,

Assistant Administrator, Office of Water, Environmental Protection Agency.

Dated: February 24, 2003.

George S. Dunlop,

Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Policy and Legislation), Department of the Army.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Parts 51 and 52

[AD-FRL-7456-3]

Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) and Nonattainment New Source Review (NSR): Routine Maintenance, Repair and Replacement

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rulemaking; extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: The EPA is hereby extending for 60 days the public comment period regarding the December 31, 2002 proposal proposing revisions to the regulations governing the NSR programs mandated by parts C and D of title I of the Clean Air Act (CAA). *See* 67 FR 80290. The proposed changes provide a future category of activities that would be considered to be routine maintenance, repair and replacement (RMRR) under the NSR program. The changes are intended to provide greater regulatory certainty without sacrificing the current level of environmental protection and benefit derived from the program. We believe that those changes will facilitate the safe, efficient, and reliable operation of affected facilities.

DATES: *Comments.* Comments must be received on or before May 2, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Comments. Comments may be submitted by mail (two copies) to U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, EPA West (Air Docket), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, Northwest, Room B108, Mail Code: 6102T, Washington, DC 20406, Attention Docket ID No. A– 1002–04.

Comments may also be submitted electronically, by facsimile, or through hand delivery/courier. Follow the detailed instructions as provided in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dave Svendsgaard at (919) 541–2380, telefax (919)541–5509, E-mail: *svendsgaard.dave@epa.gov* or by mail at U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, OAQPS, Information Transfer and Program Integration Division, (C339– 03), Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27711.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Comments: This document extends the public comment period established in the **Federal Register** issued on December 31, 2002 (67 FR 80290). In that document, EPA proposed revisions to the regulations governing the NSR programs mandated by parts C and D of title I of the Clean Air Act (CAA). EPA is hereby extending the comment period, which was set to end on March 3, 2003, to May 2, 2003.

You may submit comments electronically, by mail, by facsimile, or through hand delivery/courier. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, identify the appropriate docket identification number in the subject line on the first page of vour 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 section 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 below, EPA recommends that you include your name, mailing address, and an e-mail 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.

a. 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 http://www.epa.gov/edocket, and follow the online instructions for submitting comments. To access EPA's electronic public docket from the EPA Internet Home Page, select "Information Sources," "Dockets," and "EPA Dockets." Once in the system, select "search," and then key in Docket ID No. A–2002–04. 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.

b. E-mail. Comments may also be sent by electronic mail (e-mail) to A-and-R-Docket@epamail.epa.gov, Attention Docket ID No. A-2002-04. In contrast to EPA's electronic public docket, EPA's email 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 e-mail 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.

c. *Disk or CD ROM.* You may also submit comments on a disk or CD ROM that you mail to the mailing address identified in section 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 two copies of your comments to: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, EPA West (Air Docket), 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Room: B108, Mail code: 6102T, Washington, DC 20460, Attention Docket ID No. A-2002-04.

3. By Hand Delivery or Courier. Deliver your comments to: EPA Docket Center, (Air Docket), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1301 Constitution Ave., NW., Room: B108, Mail Code: 6102T, Washington, DC 20004. Attention Docket ID No. A-2002–04. The EPA Docket Center Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Reading Room is (202) 566–1742. A reasonable fee may be charged for copying.

4. By Facsimile. Fax your comments to the EPA Docket Center at (202) 566-1741, Attention Docket ID. No. A-2002-04.

Dated: February 21, 2003.

Stephen D. Page,

Director, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52

[WV055-6025b; FRL-7449-5]

Approval and Promulgation of Air **Quality Implementation Plans; West** Virginia; Permits for Construction, Modification, Relocation and Operation of Stationary Sources of Air Pollutants, Notification Requirements, Administrative Updates, Temporary Permits

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: EPA proposes to approve the State Implementation Plan (SIP) revision submitted by the State of West Virginia for the purpose of converting the partial approval and partial disapproval of West Virginia's minor new source review and existing stationary source operating permit program to the full approval. EPA also proposes to approve additional rule revisions, made to the minor new source review regulation. In the Final Rules section of this Federal Register, EPA is approving the State's SIP submittal as a

direct final rule without prior proposal because the Agency views this as a noncontroversial submittal and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for the approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If no adverse comments are received in response to this action, no further activity is contemplated. If EPA receives adverse comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. EPA will not institute a second comment period. Any parties interested in commenting on this action should do so at this time.

DATES: Comments must be received in writing by March 31, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to Makeba A. Morris, Chief, Permits and Technical Assessment Branch, Mail Code 3AP11, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103. Copies of the documents relevant to this action are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Air Protection Division, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103; and the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Air Quality, 7012 MacCorkle Avenue, SE., Charleston, WV 25304-2943.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael I. Ioff, P.E., (215) 814-2166, or by e-mail at ioff.mike@epa.gov. Please note that while questions may be posed via telephone and e-mail, formal comments must be submitted in writing, as indicated in the ADDRESSES section of this document.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: For further information, please see the information provided in the direct final action, with the same title, that is located in the "Rules and Regulations" section of this Federal Register publication.

Dated: January 31, 2003.

Donald S. Welsh,

Regional Administrator, Region III. [FR Doc. 03-4630 Filed 2-27-03; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6560-50-P

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 300

[FRL-7455-2]

National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan: National Priorities List

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of intent for partial deletion of a portion of the South Indian Bend Wash Site from the National Priorities List.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region IX announces its intent to delete a portion of the South Indian Bend Wash (SIBW) Site located in Tempe, Maricopa County, Arizona, from the National Priorities List (NPL) and requests public comment on this action. The NPL constitutes Appendix B to the National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan (NCP), 40 CFR Part 300, which EPA promulgated pursuant to Section 105 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA).

DATES: EPA will accept comments concerning its proposal for partial deletion for thirty (30) days after publication of this document in the Federal Register and a newspaper of record.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be mailed to: Melissa Pennington, Superfund Remedial Project Manager, U.S. EPA, Region IX [SFD-8-2], 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105, (415) 972-3153.

Information Repositories: Comprehensive information on the SIBW Site as well as information specific to this proposed partial deletion is available for review at EPA's Region IX office in San Francisco, CA and at the information repositories listed below. There are three Administrative Record files for the SIBW Site: one for the 1993 Record of Decision for VOCs in the Vadose Zone; one for the 1998 Record of Decision for VOCs in Groundwater; and one for the Plug-in Determination issued in January 2002. All three Administrative Record files and the Deletion Docket for this partial deletion are maintained at EPA Region IX's Regional Office Superfund Records Center and the Tempe Public Library. EPA's Superfund Records Center is located at 95 Hawthorne Street (Suite 403S), San Francisco, CA 94105 and the hours of operation are 8-5 p.m., Monday-Friday. The Records Center