

enforcement, the product transfer document (PTD), that accompanies a shipment of gasoline containing ethanol, is required by regulation to contain a legible and conspicuous statement that the gasoline contains ethanol and the percentage concentration of ethanol. This is intended to deter the mixing within the distribution system, particularly in retail storage tanks, of gasoline which contains ethanol with gasoline which does not contain ethanol. Such mixing would likely result in a gasoline with an ethanol concentration of less than 9 volume percent but with an RVP above the standard. Parties wishing a testing exemption must submit certain information to EPA. EPA estimates that 3,000,000 PTDs are generated annually for gasoline blended with ethanol. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are listed in 40 CFR part 9 and 48 CFR chapter 15. The **Federal Register** document required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on July 3, 2001 (66 FR 35239). No comments were received.

**Burden Statement:** The annual public reporting and record keeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 5 seconds per response. Burden means the total time, effort or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

**Respondents/Affected Entities:** Refiners, Blenders, and Importers of gasoline blended with ethanol.

**Estimated Number of Respondents:** 1,000.

**Frequency of Response:** Daily.

**Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden:** 4,178 hours.

**Estimated Total Annualized Capital, O&M Cost Burden:** \$0.

Send comments on the Agency's need for this information, the accuracy of the provided burden estimates, and any suggested methods for minimizing respondent burden, including through the use of automated collection techniques to the addresses listed above. Please refer to EPA ICR Number 1367.06 and OMB Control Number 2060-0178 in any correspondence.

Dated: October 29, 2001.

**Oscar Morales, Director,**  
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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7102-7]

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Request for Applications for Critical Use Exemptions From the Phaseout of Methyl Bromide

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document announces that the following Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval: Request for Applications for Critical Use Exemptions from the Phaseout of Methyl Bromide; ICR# 2031.01. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected burden and cost; where appropriate, it includes the actual data collection instrument.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before December 13, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments, referencing EPA ICR No. 2031.01, to the following addresses: Susan Auby, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Collection Strategies Division (Mail Code 2822), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460; and to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Attention: Desk Officer for EPA, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For a copy of the ICR contact Susan Auby by phone at (202) 260-4901, by e-mail at [Auby.Susan@epa.gov](mailto:Auby.Susan@epa.gov) or by download off the internet at [www.epa.gov/icr](http://www.epa.gov/icr) and refer to EPA ICR No. 2031.01. For technical questions about the ICR

contact Amber Moreen at EPA by phone at (202) 564-9295.

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Title:** Request for Applications for Critical Use Exemptions from the Phaseout of Methyl Bromide (EPA ICR No. 2031.01). This is a new collection.

**Abstract:** With this Information Collection Request (ICR), EPA's Office of Air and Radiation and Office of Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substances are preparing to request applications for critical use exemptions from the phaseout of methyl bromide under the Clean Air Act (CAA). This ICR is one piece of the ongoing development of the voluntary application process. Entities applying for these exemptions will be asked to submit to EPA applications with necessary data to evaluate the need for a critical use exemption. Necessary data will include: information on past methyl bromide use; consideration of alternatives, including steps taken to find and implement alternatives, steps planned to find and implement alternatives, data relating to the technical feasibility of currently available alternatives, and data relating to the economic feasibility of currently available alternatives; and, additional information. This information collection is conducted to meet U.S. obligations under Article 2H of the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer (Protocol) and to implement section 604(d)(6) of the CAA, added by section 764 of the 1999 Omnibus Consolidated and Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act (Pub. L. No. 105-277; October 21, 1998).

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are listed in 40 CFR part 9 and 48 CFR chapter 15. The **Federal Register** document required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on 6/27/01 (66FR124); no public comments were received.

**Burden Statement:** The annual public reporting and record keeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 108 hours per response. Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying

information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

*Respondents/Affected Entities:*

Respondents may include growers who use methyl bromide, applicators of methyl bromide, fumigators who use methyl bromide, companies associated with the storage of commodities that are fumigated with methyl bromide, and organizations/consortiums/associations of methyl bromide users.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:*

495 (largely composed of growers groups representing 50–100 individual growers).

*Frequency of Response:* Annual.

*Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden:* 229,050 hours.

*Estimated Total Annualized Capital, O&M Cost Burden:* \$604,071.

Send comments on the Agency's need for this information, the accuracy of the provided burden estimates, and any suggested methods for minimizing respondent burden, including through the use of automated collection techniques to the addresses listed above. Please refer to EPA ICR No. 2031.01 in any correspondence.

Dated: November 1, 2001.

**Oscar Morales,**

*Director, Collection Strategies Division.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL–7102–8]

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources; Polymeric Coating of Supporting Substrates Facilities, Subpart VVV

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document announces that the following Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and

approval: NSPS subpart VVV, Polymeric Coating of Supporting Substrates Facilities, OMB Control Number 2060–0181, expires December 31, 2001. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected burden and cost; where appropriate, it includes the actual data collection instrument.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before December 13, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments, referencing EPA ICR No. 1284.06 and OMB Control No. 2060–0181, to the following addresses: Sandy Farmer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Collection Strategies Division (Mail Code 2822), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460; and to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Attention: Desk Officer for EPA, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For a copy of the ICR contact Susan Auby at EPA by phone at (202) 260–4901, by E-mail at [auby.susan@epamail.epa.gov](mailto:auby.susan@epamail.epa.gov), or download off the Internet at <http://www.epa.gov/icr> and refer to EPA ICR No. 1284.06. For technical questions about the ICR contact Steven Hoover at (202) 564–7007.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* NSPS subpart VVV, Polymeric Coating of Supporting Substrates Facilities, (OMB Control No. 2060–0181; EPA ICR No. 1284.06), expiring 12/31/2001. This is a request for extension of a currently approved collection.

*Abstract:* All data in this ICR that is recorded and reported is required by 40 CFR part 60 subpart VVV. The monitoring and record keeping requirements include: maintain records of startups, shutdowns, malfunctions, periods where the continuous monitoring system is inoperative (60.7(b)), and of all measurements including performance test measurements, operating parameters of monitoring device results for catalytic or thermal incinerator, carbon adsorption system, condensation system, vapor capture system and/or total enclosure (60.744(c–h)); and monitor actual 12-month volatile organic compounds (VOC) use and make semi-annual estimate of projected VOC use, if affected facility uses less than 95 Mg/year of VOC or is subject to provisions specified in 60.742(c)(3) and other information required by this part recorded in a permanent file suitable for inspection. The file shall be retained for at least two years.

Following notification of startup, the reviewing authority might inspect the

source to check if the pollution control devices are properly installed and operated. Performance test reports are used by the Agency to discern a source's initial capability to comply with the emission standard, and note the operating conditions specified above under which compliance was achieved. Data obtained during periodic visits by Agency personnel from records maintained by the respondents are tabulated and published for internal Agency use in compliance and enforcement programs. The semiannual reports are used for problem identification, as a check on source operation and maintenance, and for compliance determinations.

The required information consisting of emissions data and other information have been determined not to be private. However, any information submitted to the Agency for which a claim of confidentiality is made will be safeguarded according to the Agency policies. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are listed in 40 CFR part 9 and 48 CFR chapter 15. The **Federal Register** document required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on September 15, 2000, (65 FR 5955). No comments were received.

*Burden Statement:* The annual public reporting and record keeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 83 hours per response. Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

*Respondents/Affected Entities:* Owners/operators of Polymeric Coating plants.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 56.