

potential impacts to wetlands, and air quality. EPA recommended transfer of sensitive wetland habitats to US Fish and Wildlife Service or the National Park Service. EPA noted that the sections of the DEIS concerning cumulative environmental impacts, project-related growth, and air quality should be more fully expanded upon in the FEIS.

Final EISs

ERP No. F-AFS-L82012-ID

Lucky Peak Nursery Pest Management Program, Implementation, Intermountain Region, Boise National Forest, Ada County, ID.

Summary: EPA provided no formal written comments. EPA had no environmental objection to the preferred alternative as described in the EIS.

ERP No. F-FRC-L05201-ID

Shelley (FERC. NO. 5090) Hydroelectric Project on the Snake River, Construction, License, City of Idaho Falls, Bingham County, ID.

Summary: EPA continued to have environmental objections with the action alternatives.

ERP No. F-NPS-E61034-MS

Natchez National Historical Park Management, Development and Use Plan, Implementation, Adams County, MS.

Summary: EPA was satisfied that the bluff stabilization concerns have been addressed and that the NPS would prepare supplemental environmental documents prior to site development.

ERP No. F-USA-A10066-00

Theater Missile Defense (TMD) Comprehensive System, Research and Development, Active Defense Counterforce and Passive Defense, Implementation, United States.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns that the final document did not provide the level of analysis and disclosure of impacts as requested in EPA's comment letter on the draft document.

ERP No. FS-FHW-B40050-MA

Central Artery/I-93 Third Harbor Tunnel/I-90. Extension, Updated and Additional Information, Design Alternatives for the Charles River Crossing, Funding, US COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, US CGD Permits and EPA NPDES Permit, Suffolk County, MA.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns with the proposed mitigation to offset project related impacts to waters of the United States would be of limited environmental value and recommended that alternative mitigation measures be implemented. EPA provided a list of potential substitute mitigation measures

to be included in the Record of Decision (ROD). EPA also recommended that FHWA include an air quality project level conformity determination in the ROD.

Dated: March 29, 1994.

Marshall Cain,

Senior Legal Advisor, Office of Federal Activities.

[FR Doc. 94-7864 Filed 3-31-94; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6560-50-U

[ER-FRL-4709-8]

Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 260-5076 or (202) 260-5075.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements Filed March 21, 1994 Through March 25, 1994 Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 940094, DRAFT EIS, FHW, NB, SD, Missouri River Bridge (Project No. F-14-4(104) Construction, Connecting N-12 in Nebraska to SD-37 in South Dakota, COE Section 404, US Coast Guard Bridge and Flood Plain Permits, Knox Co., NB and Bon Homme Co., SD, Due: May 16, 1994, Contact: Philip E. Barnes (402) 437-5521.

EIS No. 940095, FINAL EIS, SFW, NV, Desert National Wildlife Ranger Mineral Withdrawal Project, Implementation, Clark and Lincoln Counties, NV, Due: May 09, 1994, Contact: Mark A. Strong (503) 231-2235.

EIS No. 940096, DRAFT EIS, EPA, General Provisions for 40 CFR Part 63: National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Source Categories, Implementation, Due: May 16, 1994, Contact: Shirley Tabler (919) 541-5256.

EIS No. 940097, DRAFT EIS, BLM, ID, Bennett Hills Resource Management Plan, Implementation, Shoshone District, Lincoln, Gooding, Camas, Jerome, Blaine and Elmore Counties, ID, Due: July 01, 1994, Contact: Mary Gaylord (208) 886-7201.

EIS No. 940098, DRAFT EIS, FAA, AR, Northwest Arkansas Regional Airport, Construction of Replacement Airport for Drake Field in Fayetteville, Funding, Land Acquisition and Airport Layout Plan, City of Fayetteville, AR, Due: May 09, 1994, Contact: Brad Kutchins (817) 222-5651.

EIS No. 940099, FINAL EIS, AFS, CA, Mount Baldy Land Exchange Project, Implementation and Special-Use Permit, Angeles National Forest, San

Antonio Canyon, Los Angeles and San Bernardino Counties, CA, Due: May 09, 1994, Contact: Michael J. Rogers (818) 574-1613.

EIS No. 940100, DRAFT EIS, AFS, MT, Bear Timber Sales, Implementation, Bitterroot National Forest, Darby Ranger District, Ravalli County, MT, Due: May 16, 1994, Contact: Rick Floch (406) 821-3913.

EIS No. 940101, DRAFT EIS, BPA, WY, CO, NM, UT, AZ, Salt Lake City Area Integrated Hydroelectric Power Plants Projects, Implementation, WY, CO, NM, UT and AZ, Due: June 30, 1994, Contact: Carol Borgstrom (202) 586-4600.

EIS No. 940102, FINAL EIS, COE, CA, New San Clemente Project, Danard Reservoir Construction, Monterey Peninsula Water Supply Management, New Information about the New Los Padres Project, Section 404 Permit, Carmel River, Monterey Counties, CA, Due: May 09, 1994, Contact: Roger Golden (415) 744-3344.

EIS No. 940103, DRAFT EIS, BPA, Energy Planning and Management Program to service (15) States from Minnesota in the northeast to California in the southwest, Power Marketing Initiative, Implementation, Due: May 16, 1994, Contact: Robert Fullerton (303) 275-1610.

EIS No. 940104, FINAL EIS, FTA, OR, WA, Hillsboro Corridor Transit Improvements, Implementation, Between S.W. 185th Avenue and downtown Hillsboro, Funding, Washington, Clackamas and Multnomah Counties, OR and Clark County, WA, Due: May 09, 1994, Contact: Donald J. Emerson (202) 366-0096.

EIS No. 940105, DRAFT EIS, BPA, OR, Hermiston Generating Project, Construction of a Gas-fired Cogeneration Power Plant, Approval of Permits, Umatilla County, OR, Due: May 16, 1994, Contact: Dawn Boorse (503) 230-5678.

EIS No. 940106, FINAL EIS, AFS, TN, 1996 Olympic Whitewater Slalom Venue, Construction and Operation, Site Selected, Ocoee River, Cherokee National Forest, Ocoee Ranger District, Polk County, TN, Due: May 09, 1994, Contact: Keith Sandifer (615) 476-9700.

EIS No. 940107, DRAFT EIS, GSA, WA, Seattle Federal Courthouse Building (Project No. ZWA-81061), Site Selection, Construction and Operation, King County, WA, Due: May 16, 1994, Contact: Donna M. Meyer (206) 931-7675.

EIS No. 940108, DRAFT EIS, FHW, WA, WA-525/Paine Field Boulevard Project, Improvements between WA-

99 to WA-526, Funding and COE Section 404 Permit, City of Mukiteto, Snohomish County, WA, Due: May 16, 1994, Contact: Barry F. Moorehead (206) 753-2120.

Amended Notices

EIS No. 940092, DRAFT EIS, SCS, WV, North Fork Hughes River Watershed Plan, Installation of a Multi-purpose Roller Compacted Concrete Dam, Implementation and Funding, Flood Protection and COE Section 404 Permits, Ritchie County, WV, Due: May 09, 1994, Contact: Rollin N. Swank (304) 291-4152. Published FR 03-25-94—Correction to the State, change WA to WV.

Dated: March 29, 1994.

Marshall Cain,

Senior Legal Advisor, Office of Federal Activities.

[FR Doc. 94-7863 Filed 3-31-94; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6560-50-U

[OPP-66171B; FRL-4770-9]

Methazole; Amendment of Cancellation Order

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice; extension of existing stocks provision.

SUMMARY: On January 13, 1993, EPA published a cancellation order that restricted the distribution, sale, and use of methazole (2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-4-methyl-1,2,4-oxadiazolidine-3,5-dione). This restriction was an interim measure until the Agency reviewed additional toxicological data. Sandoz had earlier requested voluntary cancellation of all remaining methazole products and the January 1993 cancellation order also announced receipt and acceptance of their cancellation request. EPA subsequently received the additional toxicological data and concluded based on it, that distribution, sale, and use of remaining stocks of methazole would be conditionally allowed until December 31, 1993. This notice is amending the Agency's existing stocks provision to allow the conditional distribution, sale, and use of remaining methazole product until December 31, 1994.

DATES: The extension of the conditional distribution, sale, and use of existing stocks until December 31, 1994, is being granted in order to allow the use of the remaining stocks of methazole product.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: Joseph Bailey, Special Review and Reregistration Division (7508W), Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460.

Office location and telephone number: Special Review Branch, 3rd Floor, Crystal Station 1, 2800 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA (703) 308-8173.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

Methazole, a selective herbicide used to control several varieties of weeds in cotton, was registered for preemergence use west of the Mississippi and directed postemergence use both east and west of the Mississippi. Most of the methazole produced for cotton production is applied in Louisiana and Mississippi with some use occurring in other cotton producing States. The season for methazole use typically begins in April/May.

On May 18, 1992, as provided for under FIFRA section 6(f)(1)(A), Sandoz Agro., Inc. requested that EPA cancel their remaining pesticide registrations containing methazole. Prior to the submission of the voluntary cancellation request, Sandoz Agro, Inc. had submitted to the Agency, pursuant to FIFRA section 6(a)(2), preliminary results from a rat reproduction study indicating that a high percentage of the dosed generation's offspring developed cataracts. The Agency concluded from these test results that an unacceptable risk was possible to those workers exposed to methazole, particularly mixer/loaders and applicators. The products for which cancellation was requested are listed in Table 1 below.

TABLE 1.—METHAZOLE SECTION 3 (NATIONAL) REGISTRATIONS: VOLUNTARY CANCELLATION REQUESTS

Company Registration Number	Company Name/Address	Product Registration Number	Product Name
55947	Sandoz Agro, Inc., 1300 East Touhy Avenue	55947-22	Technical Probe
		55947-23	Probe 75 Wettable Powder
	Des Plaines, IL 60018		

In September 1992, Sandoz offered to conduct two studies, a dermal absorption study and a developmental toxicity study, in order to provide additional data on the potential risks. The Agency agreed to wait and consider the additional data to revise the risk assessment for worker exposure before making a final decision on disposition

of the existing stocks. In the Federal Register of January 13, 1993 (58 FR 4167), the Agency published a Notice of Receipt of Request for Voluntary Cancellation/Cancellation Order which announced acceptance of Sandoz' request for voluntary cancellation of its methazole products and restricted the distribution, sale, and use of all remaining stocks of methazole until the Agency had considered the additional data. In case the Agency's revised risk assessment indicated an acceptable risk to workers, Sandoz requested the Agency to review supplemental labeling revisions that would be applicable to the existing stocks and would lower worker exposure to methazole. The Agency reviewed the proposed supplemental labeling revisions and on February 26, 1993, notified Sandoz that, should the Agency allow any further distribution, sale, and use of the canceled methazole products, it would condition such distribution, sale and use on the revised supplemental labeling being provided at the time of sale of all existing stocks. The approved supplemental label revisions are as follows: (1) Deletion of all preemergence uses for methazole, (2) limit use to post-emergence, directed band application only, and (3) reduce the allowable rate of application to a maximum of 0.33 pound of product (0.25 pound of active ingredient) per acre applied on a band.

In March 1993, Sandoz provided the results of the two studies as agreed upon with the Agency. The Agency reviewed the data and concluded that risks to adult workers are acceptable when exposed to methazole used in accordance with approved supplemental labeling. As a result, the Agency amended the January 1993 cancellation order with a Federal Register notice (May 26, 1993, 58 FR 30166) that announced the removal of the restriction on the distribution, sale, and use of existing stocks of methazole products. Based on the annual usage of approximately 350,000 to 400,000 pounds of product, Sandoz felt that the estimated 50,000 pounds of product remaining in the hands of distributors and sellers would be sold and used during the 1993 growing season. The Agency requested Sandoz to report any stocks that remained with distributors or sellers as of December 31, 1993. The end-of-year accounting of those distributors and sellers originally holding inventories of existing stocks showed that 1,925 pounds remained. In order to allow this small amount of product to be sold and used, Sandoz has requested the Agency to extend the date by which all existing stocks must be