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II. Background

EPA is convening a focus group to receive comments on the Instructions for Reporting for the 2006 Partial Updating of the TSCA Chemical Substances Inventory. EPA is required by section 8(b) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) to compile and update an inventory of chemical substances manufactured or imported in the United States. Every 4 years, manufacturers (including importers) of certain chemical substances on the Chemical Substances Inventory have been required to report data specified in the TSCA Section 8(a) Inventory Update

Rule (IUR), 40 CFR part 710. Past updates included information on the chemical's production volume, site-limited status, and plant site information. Amendments to the IUR published in the **Federal Register** of January 7, 2003 (68 FR 848) (FRL-6767-4), expanded the data reported on certain chemicals to assist EPA and others in screening potential exposures and risks resulting from manufacturing, processing, and use of TSCA chemical substances. At the same time, EPA amended the IUR regulations to increase the production volume threshold which triggers reporting requirements from 10,000 pounds per year to 25,000 pounds per year and established a new higher threshold of 300,000 pounds per year above which manufacturers must report additional information on downstream processing and use of their chemical substances. The 2003 amendments to the IUR also revoked the exemption from reporting for inorganic chemical substances, provided a partial exemption from reporting of processing and use information for chemical substances of low current interest, and continued the current exemption from reporting for polymers, microorganisms, and naturally occurring chemical substances. These changes modify requirements for information collected in calendar year 2005 and submitted in 2006 and thereafter. The meeting of the focus group may be of interest to persons currently reporting under the IUR and to manufacturers of inorganic chemical substances.

The meeting of the focus group will include a series of presentations by representatives of EPA on the Instructions for Reporting for the 2006 Partial Updating of the TSCA Chemical Inventory Database. Presentation topics will include reporting requirements, instructions for completing the reporting form, how to assert confidentiality claims, and how to submit completed reports to EPA. After each presentation, members of the focus group will be invited to comment on the clarity and completeness of the Instructions. Subsequently, other persons attending the meeting will be invited to comment on the Instructions. The purpose of the focus group is to receive input for improving the Instructions; subsequent meetings are planned for 2004 to provide training to persons who must report in 2006 under the IUR.

There is no charge for attending this meeting.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Chemicals, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

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Petitions for Reconsideration and Clarification of Action in Rulemaking Proceedings

July 7, 2003.

Petitions for Reconsideration and Clarification have been filed in the Commission's Rulemaking proceedings listed in this Public Notice and published pursuant to 47 CFR 1.429(e). The full text of this document is available for viewing and copying in Room CY-A257, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC or may be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, Qualex International (202) 863-2893. Oppositions to these petitions must be filed by July 29, 2003. See Section 1.4(b)(1) of the Commission's rule (47 CFR 1.4(b)(1)). Replies to an opposition must be filed within 10 days after the time for filing oppositions have expired.

Subject: In the Matter of the Implementation of the Subscriber Carrier Selection Changes Provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (CC Docket No. 94-129);

Policies and Rules Concerning Unauthorized Changes of Consumers' Long Distance Carriers.

Number of Petitions Filed: 3.

Subject: Amendment of the FM Table of Allotments (Cheboygan, Rogers City, Bear Lake, Bellaire, Rapid River, Manistique, Ludington, Walhalla and Onaway, Michigan) (MM Docket No. 00-69, RM-9850, RM-9945, RM-9946).

Number of Petitions Filed: 1.

Subject: Amendment of the FM Table of Allotments (Quanah, Archer City, Converse, Flatonia, Georgetown, Ingram, Keller, Knox City, Lakeway, Lago Vista, Llano, McQueeney, Nolanville, San Antonio, Seymour, Waco and Wellington, Texas, and Ardmore, Durant, Elk City, Healdton, Lawton and Purcell, Oklahoma.) (MM Docket No. 00-148, RM-9939, RM-10198).

Number of Petitions Filed: 1.

Subject: Amendment of the Commission's Rules and Policies for