

estimated time for each practitioner to maintain the necessary records is 30 minutes.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* This information collection creates an annual burden of 50,500 hours.

If additional information is required contact: Brenda E. Dyer, Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Justice Management Division, Policy and Planning Staff, Patrick Henry Building, Suite 1600, 601 D Street, NW., Washington, DC 20530

Dated: February 9, 2005.

Brenda E. Dyer,

Department Clearance Officer, Department of Justice.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Drug Enforcement Administration

Manufacturer of Controlled Substances Notice of Application

Pursuant to Section 1301.33(a) of Title 21 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), this is notice that on March 16, 2004, Clariant LSM (Missouri) Inc., 2460 W. Bennett Street, (or P.O. Box 1246, zip: 65801), Springfield, Missouri 65807-1229, made application to the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) for registration as a bulk manufacturer of Methylphenidate (1724), a basic class of controlled substance listed in Schedule II.

The company plans to manufacture the listed controlled substance in bulk for research purposes.

Any other such applicant and any person who is presently registered with DEA to manufacture such substance may file comments or objections to the issuance of the proposed registration pursuant to 21 CFR 1301.33(a).

Any such written comments or objections being sent via regular mail may be addressed, in quintuplicate, to the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, Washington, DC 20537, Attention: DEA Federal Register Representative, Liaison and Policy Section (ODL); or any being sent via express mail should be sent to DEA Headquarters, Attention: DEA Federal Register Representative/ODL, 2401 Jefferson-Davis Highway, Alexandria, Virginia 22301; and must be filed no later than April 18, 2005.

Dated: February 9, 2005.

William J. Walker,

Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Mine Safety and Health Administration

Petitions for Modification

The following parties have filed petitions to modify the application of existing safety standards under section 101(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977.

1. Mississippi Lignite Mining Company

[Docket No. M-2005-003-C]

Mississippi Lignite Mining Company, Rt. 3 Box 98, Ackerman, Mississippi 39735 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 77.803 (Fail safe ground check circuits on high-voltage resistance grounded systems) to its Red Hills Mine (MSHA I.D. No. 22-00690) located in Choctaw County, Mississippi. The petitioner requests a modification of the existing standard to allow an alternative method of compliance when raising or lowering the boom mast at construction sites during initial Dragline assembly. This method would only be used during the boom mast raising or lowering, and the machine will not be performing mining operations when raising or lowering the boom for construction or maintenance. The procedure would also be applicable in instances of disassembly or major maintenance which require the boom to be raised or lowered. The petitioner has listed specific guidelines in this petition that would be followed to minimize the potential for electrical power loss during this critical boom procedure. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

2. Lone Mountain Processing, Inc.

[Docket No. M-2005-004-C]

Lone Mountain Processing, Inc., Drawer C, St. Charles, Virginia 24282 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.901 (Protection of low- and medium-voltage three-phase circuits used underground) to its Clover Fork Mine (MSHA I.D. No. 15-18647) located in Harlan County, Kentucky. The petitioner proposes to use a 480-volt, three-phase, 300KW/375KVA diesel powered generator (DPG) set to supply power to a three-phase wye

connected 300 KVA autotransformer and three-phase, 480-volt and 995-volt power circuits. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

3. R S & W Coal Company, Inc.

[Docket No. M-2005-005-C]

R S & W Coal Company, Inc., 207 Creek Road, Klingerstown, Pennsylvania 17941 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.332(b)(1) & (b)(2) (Working sections and working places) to its R S & W Drift Mine (MSHA I.D. No. 36-01818) located in Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania. The petitioner requests a modification of the existing standard to permit the use of air passing through inaccessible abandoned workings and additional areas not examined under 30 CFR 75.360, 30 CFR 75.361, and 30 CFR 75.364, to ventilate the only active working section provided the air meets the required quality specified in 30 CFR 75.321(a). This will ensure the maintenance of air quality by alternative methods of compliance through the sampling of section intake air at the gangway level during pre-shift, and on-shift examinations to test for carbon dioxide, methane, and oxygen deficiency and to suspend mine production when air quality contains more than 0.5 percent methane and 0.25 percent carbon dioxide. The petitioner has listed in this petition specific terms and conditions that would be followed when using its alternative method. The petitioner states that records will be maintained of all examinations. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

4. Eastern Associated Coal Corp.

[Docket No. M-2005-006-C]

Eastern Associated Coal Corp., HCR 78, Box 113, Wharton, West Virginia 25208 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.1711-1 (Sealing of shaft openings) to its Harris Mine (MSHA I.D. No. 46-01271) located in Boone County, West Virginia. The petitioner proposes to use an alternative method of compliance to seal and abandon the Bandy Branch bleeder/drainage shaft at the Harris No. 1 Mine using specific terms and conditions listed in the petition. The petitioner asserts that to completely fill the shaft would not be practical due to the relatively small opening left in the previous cap; that attempts to backfill the shaft with soil/rock materials would likely result in bridging of the materials

at the opening and incomplete backfilling of the shaft and future settlement and/or shifting of the material could lead to unintentional venting of mine gases. The petitioner further states that capping and venting the shaft would not be practical due to the mine spoil placement activities associated with the valley fill. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

Request for Comments

Persons interested in these petitions are encouraged to submit comments via Federal eRulemaking Portal: <http://www.regulations.gov>; e-mail: Comments@MSHA.gov; Fax: (202) 693-9441; or Regular Mail/Hand Delivery/Courier: Mine Safety and Health Administration, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances, 1100 Wilson Boulevard, Room 2350, Arlington, Virginia 22209. All comments must be postmarked or received in that office on or before March 17, 2005. Copies of these petitions are available for inspection at that address.

Dated in Arlington, Virginia this 9th day of February 2005.

Rebecca J. Smith,

Acting Director, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards, Ad Hoc Subcommittee Meeting on Early Site Permit Applications; Notice of Meeting

The ACRS Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Early Site Permit Applications will hold a meeting on March 2, 2005, Room T-2B3, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

The entire meeting will be open to public attendance.

The agenda for the subject meeting shall be as follows: Wednesday, March 2, 2005—1 p.m. until 5 p.m.

The Subcommittee will review and discuss the North Anna Draft Safety Evaluation Report for early site permit, and the industry proposed plant parameter envelope information. The Subcommittee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff and Dominion Nuclear regarding this matter. The Subcommittee will gather information, analyze relevant issues and

facts, and formulate proposed positions and actions, as appropriate, for deliberation by the full Committee.

Members of the public desiring to provide oral statements and/or written comments should notify the Designated Federal Official, Dr. Medhat M. El-Zeftawy (telephone 301-415-6889) between 7:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. (e.t.) five days prior to the meeting, if possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made. Electronic recordings will be permitted.

Further information regarding this meeting can be obtained by contacting the Designated Federal Official between 7:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. (e.t.). Persons planning to attend this meeting are urged to contact the above named individual at least two working days prior to the meeting to be advised of any potential changes to the agenda.

Dated: February 9, 2005.

John H. Flack,

Acting Branch Chief, ACRS/ACNW.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Sunshine Federal Register Notice

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETINGS: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

DATE: Weeks of February 14, 21, 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2005.

PLACE: Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

STATUS: Public and closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Weeks of February 14, 2005

Tuesday, February 15, 2005

9:30 a.m. Briefing on Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards Programs, Performance, and Plans—Waste Safety (Public Meeting) (Contact: Jessica Shin, 301-415-8117).

This meeting will be Webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

Week of February 21, 2005—Tentative

Tuesday, February 22, 2005

9:30 a.m. Briefing on Status of Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO) Programs, Performance, and Plans (Public Meeting) (Contact: Patricia Wolfe, 301-415-6031).

This meeting will be Webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

1:30 p.m. Briefing on Emergency Preparedness Program Initiatives (Closed—Ex. 1).

Wednesday, February 23, 2005

9:30 a.m. Briefing on Status of Office of Chief Financial Officer (OCFO) Programs, Performance, and Plans (Public Meeting) (Contact: Edward New, 301-415-5646).

This meeting will be Webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

Thursday, February 24, 2005.

1 p.m. Briefing on Nuclear Fuel Performance (Public Meeting) (Contact: Frank Akstulewicz, 301-415-1136).

This meeting will be Webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

Week of February 28, 2005—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of February 28, 2005.

Week of March 7, 2005—Tentative

Monday, March 7, 2005

10 a.m. Briefing on Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards Programs, Performance, and Plans—Materials Safety (Public Meeting) (Contact: Shamica Walker, 301-415-5142).

This meeting will be Webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

Week of March 14, 2005—Tentative

Wednesday, March 16, 2005

9:30 a.m. Meeting with Advisory Committee on Nuclear Waste (ACNW) (Public Meeting) (Contact: John Larkins, 301-415-7360).

This meeting will be Webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

Weeks of March 21, 2005—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of March 21, 2005.

The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. To verify the status of meetings call (recording)—(301) 415-1292. Contact person for more information: Dave Gamberoni, (301) 415-1651.

Additional Information: "discussion of Security Issues (Closed—Ex. 1)" originally scheduled for Thursday, February 24, 2005, at 9 a.m. was canceled.

The NREC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the Internet at: <http://www.nrc.gov/what-we-do/policy-making/schedule.html>.

The NRC provides reasonable accommodations to individuals with disability where appropriate. If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in these public meetings, or need this meeting notice or the transcript or other information from the public meetings in another format (e.g.