dust as defined in the Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969.

Given the results of the recent coal dust particle size survey and large-scale explosion tests, NIOSH recommends a new standard of 80% TIC be required in the intake airways of bituminous coal mines. The survey results indicate that the current requirement of 80% TIC in return airways is still sufficient and appropriate. In addition, NIOSH agrees with and endorses an earlier recommendation that new rock dusting standards should be based on a worst-case scenario (using high volatile coals) with no relaxation for lower volatile coals.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Jeff Kohler, NIOSH Associate Director for Mining and Construction, 626 Cochrans Mill Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15236, (412) 386–6544, E-mail jkohler@cdc.gov.

Reference: Web address for this publication: http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/review/public/174/pdfs/RD-inertingOut ToExtReview.pdf.

Dated: August 14, 2009.

Christine M. Branche,

Acting Director, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Science and Technology (S&T) Directorate

[Docket No. DHS-2009-0107]

Submission for Review; Information Collection Request for the DHS S&T SAFETY Act Program

AGENCY: Science and Technology Directorate, DHS.

ACTION: 30-day Notice and request for comment.

SUMMARY: The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) invites the general public to comment on the following data collection forms for the DHS Science and Technology Directorate's Support Anti-Terrorism by Fostering Effective Technologies (SAFETY) Act Program: Registration of a Seller of an Anti-Terrorism Technology (DHS Form 10010), Request for a Pre-Application Consultation (DHS Form 10009), Notice of License of Qualified Anti-Terrorism Technology (DHS Form 10003), Application for Modification of SAFETY Act Benefits (DHS Form 10002), Request for Transfer of SAFETY

Act Benefits (DHS Form 10001), Application for SAFETY Act Renewal (DHS FORM 10057), Application for SAFETY Act Developmental Testing and Evaluation (DT&E) Designation (DHS Form 10006), Application for SAFETY Act Designation (DHS Form 10008), Application for SAFETY Act Certification (DHS Form 10007), Application for SAFETY Act Block Designation (DHS Form 10005), and Application for SAFETY Act Block Certification (DHS Form 10004).

In 2002, The Support Anti-Terrorism by Fostering Effective Technologies (SAFETY) Act (6 CFR part 25) was enacted as part of the Homeland Security Act of 2002, Public Law 107–296. The SAFETY Act program promotes the development and use of anti-terrorism technologies that will enhance the protection of the nation and provides risk management and litigation management protections for sellers of Qualified Anti-Terrorism Technology (QATT) and others in the supply and distribution chain.

The Department of Homeland Security, Science & Technology Directorate (DHS S&T) currently has approval to collect information for the implementation of the SAFETY Act program until January 31, 2010. With this notice, DHS S&T seeks approval to renew this information collection for continued use after this date. The SAFETY Act program requires the collection of this information in order to evaluate and qualify Anti-Terrorism Technologies, based on the economic and technical criteria contained in the SAFETY Act Final Rule, for protection in accordance with the Act, and therefore encourage the development and deployment of new and innovative anti-terrorism products and services.

This notice and request for comments is required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13, 44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

DATES: Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until October 20, 2009.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on the proposed information collection to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget. Comments should be addressed to Desk Officer for the Department of Homeland Security, Science & Technology Directorate, and sent via electronic mail to

oira_submission@omb.eop.gov or faxed to 202–395–5806. Please include docket number [DHS–2009–0107] in the subject line of the message.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Michael Bowerbank, 202–254–6895.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: DHS S&T provides a secure Web site, accessible through http://www.SAFETYAct.gov, through which the public can learn about the program, submit applications for SAFETY Act protections, submit questions to the Office of SAFETY Act Implementation (OSAI), and provide feedback. The data collection forms have standardized the collection of information that is both necessary and essential for the DHS OSAI.

Overview of Information Collection:

- (1) Type of Information Collection: Existing information collection.
- (2) Title of the Form/Collection: SAFETY Act Program.
- (3) Agency Form Number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Homeland Security sponsoring the collection: DHS Science & Technology Directorate, DHS Forms 10001, 10002, 10003, 10004, 10005, 10006, 10007, 10008, 10009, 10010, and 10057.
- (4) Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract: Business entities, Associations, and State, Local and Tribal Government entities. Applications are reviewed for benefits, technology/program evaluations, and regulatory compliance.
- (5) An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:
- a. Estimate of the total number of respondents: 950.
- b. An estimate of the time for an average respondent to respond: 18.2 burden hours.
- (6) An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: 17,300 burden hours.

Dated: August 15, 2009.

Gregg Piermarini,

Acting Chief Information Officer, Science and Technology Directorate, Department of Homeland Security.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

[Docket No. DHS-2009-0100]

The National Infrastructure Advisory Council

AGENCY: National Protection and Programs Directorate, DHS.

ACTION: Committee Management; Notice of Federal Advisory Council Meeting.

SUMMARY: The National Infrastructure Advisory Council (NIAC) will meet on Tuesday, September 8, 2009, at the J.W.

Marriott's Salons I and II, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, DC 20004

DATES: The NIAC will meet Tuesday, September 8, 2009, from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Please note that the meeting may close early if the committee has completed its business. For additional information, please consult the NIAC Web site, http://www.dhs.gov/niac, or contact Matthew Sickbert by phone at 703–235–2888 or by e-mail at Matthew.Sickbert@associates.dhs.gov.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the J.W. Marriott's Salon I and II, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, DC 20004. While we will be unable to accommodate oral comments from the public, written comments may be sent to Nancy J. Wong, Department of Homeland Security, National Protection and Programs Directorate, Washington, DC 20528. Written comments should reach the contact person listed no later than September 1, 2009. Comments must be identified by Docket No. DHS–2009–0100 and may be submitted by one of the following methods:

Federal eRulemaking Portal: http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments. E-mail:

matthew.sickbert@associates.dhs.gov. Include the docket number in the subject line of the message.

Fax: 703–235–3055.

Mail: Nancy J. Wong, Department of Homeland Security, National Protection and Programs Directorate, Washington, DC 20528.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the words "Department of Homeland Security" and the docket number for this action. Comments received will be posted without alteration at http://www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided.

Docket: For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received by the NIAC, go to http://www.regulations.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Nancy J. Wong, NIAC Designated Federal Officer, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20528; telephone 703–235–2888.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice of this meeting is given under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (Pub. L. 92–463). The NIAC shall provide the President through the Secretary of Homeland Security with advice on the security of the critical infrastructure sectors and their information systems.

The NIAC will meet to address issues relevant to the protection of critical

infrastructure as directed by the President. The September 8, 2009, meeting will include the final report from the Critical Infrastructure Resilience Working Group.

The meeting agenda is as follows:

I. Opening of Meeting

II. Roll Call of Members

III. Opening Remarks and Introductions

IV. Approval of July 2009 Minutes

V. Working Group Final Presentation and Deliberation of Final Report a. The Critical Infrastructure Resilience

Working Group

VI. Continuing Business

VII. Closing Remarks

VIII. Adjournment

Procedural

While this meeting is open to the public, participation in the NIAC deliberations is limited to committee members, Department of Homeland Security officials, and persons invited to attend the meeting for special presentations.

Information on Services for IndividualsWith Disabilities

For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities or to request special assistance at the meeting, contact the NIAC Secretariat at 703–235–2888 as soon as possible.

Signed: August 11, 2009.

Nancy J. Wong,

Designated Federal Officer, National Infrastructure Advisory Council.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5345-N-01]

Notice of HUD-Held Noncompetitive Sales of Assets

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner, HUD.

ACTION: Notice of sales of two portfolios of Secretary-held mortgage loans to units of Local Government using Section 237 of Fiscal Year 2009 Omnibus Appropriations Act.

SUMMARY: This notice announces HUD's intention to sell certain subsidized and nonsubsidized multifamily and healthcare mortgage loans in noncompetitive sales to units of State and Local Government.

DATES: Acceptance of pricing and closing of the sale of the assets.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John Lucey, Deputy Director, Asset Sales

Office, Room 3136, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410–8000; telephone 202–708–2625, extension 3927. Hearing- or speechimpaired individuals may call 202–708–4594 (TTY). These are not toll-free numbers.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: HUD announces its intention to sell certain subsidized and nonsubsidized mortgage loans (Mortgage Loans) secured primarily by multifamily properties and one healthcare property to units of State and Local Government in noncompetitive transactions. The subsidized mortgage loans contain Section 8 assistance, Below Market Interest Rates, or Section 236 Interest Rate Reduction Payments. The final listings of the Mortgage Loans will be available upon request. The Mortgage Loans will be sold without FHA insurance and with servicing released to a unit of State and Local Government which will service and maintain the mortgage loans as an important element of continuing the mission of providing affordable housing.

Two loan portfolio sales are in process:

(1) A portfolio of ten subsidized multifamily loans collateralized by 1,763 affordable units in New York City; and

(2) A portfolio of seven multifamily loans (six nonsubsidized loans, one subsidized loan), collateralized by 2,274 units, in Arizona, California, the District of Columbia, Illinois, and Tennessee.

Due Diligence Review

Upon HUD's receipt of an executed Confidentiality Agreement by the interested purchaser, they will be granted access to the available loan information for the loans to be offered in the sale. Access to loan information will be provided through electronic transfer of files.

Mortgage Loan Sale Policy

HUD reserves the right to add Mortgage Loans to or delete Mortgage Loans from any sale at any time prior to the Award Date. Mortgage Loans will not be withdrawn after the Award Date except as is specifically provided in the Loan Sale Agreement. The new mortgagor will be bound to the terms indicated by the Loan Sale Agreement. Regulatory Agreements and Escrow Accounts may continue and may be assigned to the mortgagee.

These are sales of Mortgage Loans to a unit of local government, pursuant to Section 203(k)(3) of the Housing and Community Development Amendments of 1978, Section 204 of the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and