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From: Wadlington, Christina [Wadlington.Christina@epa.gov]
Sent: 3/24/2025 6:50:17 PM
To: Deluca, Isabel [DeLuca.Isabel@epa.gov]; Millett, John [Millett.John@epa.gov]; Nitsch, Chad [Nitsch.Chad@epa.gov]; Bowles, Jack [Bowles.Jack@epa.gov]; Levine, Carolyn [Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov]
CC: Drinkard, Andrea [Drinkard.Andrea@epa.gov]; Landis, Jeffrey [Landis.Jeffrey@epa.gov]; Powell, Shayla [Powell.Shayla@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: OPA approval: upcoming OAR actions

Thanks Isabel! All good on our end.

From: Deluca, Isabel <DeLuca.Isabel@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2025 2:49 PM
To: Wadlington, Christina <Wadlington.Christina@epa.gov>; Millett, John <Millett.John@epa.gov>; Nitsch, Chad <Nitsch.Chad@epa.gov>; Bowles, Jack <Bowles.Jack@epa.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>
Cc: Drinkard, Andrea <Drinkard.Andrea@epa.gov>; Landis, Jeffrey <Landis.Jeffrey@epa.gov>; Powell, Shayla <Powell.Shayla@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: OPA approval: upcoming OAR actions

Hi Christina,

Regarding the Presidential Exemption action under section 112 of the CAA, we're going live at 3pm today with information in the banner of [this website](#) .

Statements and background in the comms plan --

Communication Strategy:  **Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)**
Web text (and text for emails to stakeholders) -  **Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)**

Desk statement

To advance President Trump's Executive Orders and Power the Great American Comeback, EPA has set up an electronic mailbox to allow the regulated community subject to nine Clean Air Act rules listed below, known as National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants, to request a Presidential Exemption under section 112(i)(4) of the Clean Air Act. A request for a Presidential Exemption may be submitted through airaction@epa.gov.

The Clean Air Act allows the President to exempt stationary sources of air pollution from compliance with any standard or limitation under section 112 for up to two years if the technology to implement the standard is not available and it is in the national security interests of the United States to do so.

An exemption may be extended for up to two additional years and can be renewed, if appropriate.

I'll confirm when the page is live @ about 3.

Thanks,
Isabel

From: Wadlington, Christina <Wadlington.Christina@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2025 10:25 AM
To: Deluca, Isabel <DeLuca.Isabel@epa.gov>; Millett, John <Millett.John@epa.gov>; Nitsch, Chad <Nitsch.Chad@epa.gov>; Bowles, Jack <Bowles.Jack@epa.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>
Cc: Drinkard, Andrea <Drinkard.Andrea@epa.gov>; Landis, Jeffrey <Landis.Jeffrey@epa.gov>; Powell, Shayla <Powell.Shayla@epa.gov>
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Please let us know when these are signed and live. Also, send any updated statements when ready. Flagging for OCIR and press awareness.

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Thanks!

From: Vaseliou, Molly <Vaseliou.Molly@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2025 9:28 AM
To: Wadlington, Christina <Wadlington.Christina@epa.gov>; Mandy, Cora <Mandy.Cora@epa.gov>; Drinkard, Andrea <Drinkard.Andrea@epa.gov>
Cc: Millett, John <Millett.John@epa.gov>; Deluca, Isabel <DeLuca.Isabel@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: OPA approval: upcoming OAR actions

Sorry for the delayed review. I think we can stick with a desk statement for the second one.

From: Wadlington, Christina <Wadlington.Christina@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2025 6:15 PM
To: Vaseliou, Molly <Vaseliou.Molly@epa.gov>; Mandy, Cora <Mandy.Cora@epa.gov>; Drinkard, Andrea <Drinkard.Andrea@epa.gov>
Cc: Millett, John <Millett.John@epa.gov>; Deluca, Isabel <DeLuca.Isabel@epa.gov>; Wadlington, Christina <Wadlington.Christina@epa.gov>
Subject: OPA approval: upcoming OAR actions

For OPA review. Note the second action, regarding a PR. Please let us know if you have a preferred approach.

From: Wadlington, Christina <Wadlington.Christina@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2025 6:13 PM
To: Deluca, Isabel <DeLuca.Isabel@epa.gov>; AO OPA News Release Coord <AO_OPA_News_Release_Coord@epa.gov>
Cc: Millett, John <Millett.John@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: upcoming OAR actions

Got it! We'll flag for folks. Thanks for sending!

From: Deluca, Isabel <DeLuca.Isabel@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2025 6:11:28 PM
To: AO OPA News Release Coord <AO_OPA_News_Release_Coord@epa.gov>
Cc: Millett, John <Millett.John@epa.gov>
Subject: upcoming OAR actions

Hi all,

I have two things to flag for next week (the first I just heard about a half hour ago). I'll try to send a two week look-ahead next week, but things are coming up quickly over here!

Thanks,
Isabel

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Timing: Monday 3/24, afternoon

Comms: Desk statement, social media message (will send comms plan /desk statement Monday AM)

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