chemical substances as subcategory II-

On July 17, 1992, EPA published a **Federal Register** notice (57 FR 31714) establishing an "open season." The open season was a period of time during which industry and other interested parties could submit to EPA proposals for enforceable consent agreements (ECAs) to test chemical substances for which the Agency had not issued final test rules. In the July 17, 1992 notice, EPA indicated that it would review these submissions and select candidates for negotiation of ECAs pursuant to 40 CFR 790.22. EPA also indicated that it would, at a future date, publish a Federal Register notice soliciting persons interested in participating in or monitoring negotiations for the development of ECAs on the chemical substances selected, to notify the

Agency in writing.
On August 18, 1993, EPA published a Federal Register notice (58 FR 43893) that solicited all "interested parties" who wished to monitor or participate in ECA negotiations for testing the abovenamed six chemical substances contained in the proposed test rule (subcategory II-A) to identify themselves in writing to the Agency.

II. Testing Proposal

In response to the open season initiative, a testing proposal for alkyl glycidyl ethers was submitted. Alkyl $(C_{12}-C_{13})$ glycidyl ether (CAS No. 120547-52-6) was recommended as the test substance. This mixture, also known as oxirane, mono[(C₁₂-C₁₃alkyloxy)menthyl]-derivatives, is subsumed within alkyl (C₁₂–C₁₄) glycidyl ether (CAS No. 68609-97-2) and alkyl (C₁₀–C₁₆) glycidyl ether (CAS No. 68081-84-5), and, therefore, within subcategory II-A of the proposed test rule.

III. Identification of Interested Parties

Since alkyl (C_{12} – C_{13}) glycidyl ether (CAS No. 120547-52-6) is subsumed within subcategory II-A of the proposed test rule, EPA believes that the August 18, 1993 **Federal Register** notice provides sufficient notice to parties that may be interested in monitoring or participating in ECA negotiations to test the six chemical substances specifically named in subcategory II-A and alkyl $(C_{12}-C_{13})$ glycidyl ether. However, to ensure that all potentially interested parties have an opportunity to identify themselves to the Agency, EPA is soliciting interested parties to monitor or participate in ECA negotiations on the following substances: lauryl glycidyl ether (CAS No. 2461-18-9); hexadecyl glycidyl ether (CAS No. 15965–99–8); n-

octadecyl glycidyl ether (CAS No. 16245–97–9); tetradecyl glycidyl ether (CAS No. 38954–75–5); alkyl (C_{10} – C_{16}) glycidyl ether (CAS No. 68081-84-5); alkyl (C_{12} – C_{14}) glycidyl ether (CAS No. 68609-97-2); and alkyl (C₁₂-C₁₃) glycidyl ether (CAS No. 120547-52-6).

These negotiations will be conducted pursuant to the procedures described in 40 CFR 790.22. Submitters of testing proposals in response to the **Federal** Register notices of July 17, 1992, and August 13, 1993, are already considered interested parties and do not need to respond to this notice. Any persons who respond to this notice on or before July 13, 1995 will be given the status of interested parties and will be afforded an opportunity to monitor or participate in the negotiation process. Interested parties will not incur any obligations by being so designated.

Negotiations will be conducted in one or more meetings open to the public. Interested parties will have an opportunity at the public meeting(s) to make comments concerning the possible inclusion of alkyl (C₁₂-C₁₃) glycidyl ether in the ECA, and any other relevant subject. If EPA and the interested parties are not able to agree upon the terms of an ECA, negotiations will be terminated and testing will be required under a test

IV. Notice of Public Meeting

A public meeting is scheduled for July 26, 1995, to initiate negotiations on an ECA to test the seven chemical substances identified in section III., paragraph one of this notice, for which the Agency is soliciting interested parties. The public meeting will be held in Rm. East Tower 217 at USEPA Headquarters, 401 M St. SW., Washington, DC 20460, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. EPA will use its best efforts to send copies of a draft ECA to interested parties prior to the public meeting.

Those persons who identify themselves as interested parties may submit written comments to EPA by July 13, 1995. Submit written comments in triplicate, to TSCA Document Receipts Office (7407), Rm. East Tower G-99, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St. SW., Washington, DC 20460. All submissions should bear the document control number OPPTS-42185; FRL-4960-3. EPA will address these comments at the public meeting. A transcript of the public meeting will be made available as part of the public docket.

EPA believes that generally under 40 CFR 790.22(b)(3), the Agency need only inform interested parties of a public meeting to negotiate an ECA and is not obligated to announce the meeting in

the **Federal Register**. The Agency is announcing this public meeting in the **Federal Register** to ensure that all parties interested in ECA negotiations on any of the seven chemical substances identified in section III., paragraph one of this notice, as opposed to the six specifically named in subcategory II-A of the proposed test rule, will have notice and the opportunity to be designated interested parties.

A record has been established for this notice under docket control number OPPTS-42185, FRL-4960-3 (including comments and data submitted electronically as described below). A public version of this docket, including printed, paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as confidential business information (CBI), is available for inspection from 12 noon to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The public docket is located in the TSCA Nonconfidential Information Center, Rm. NE-B607, 401 M St. SW., Washington, DC 20460. Written requests for copies of documents contained in this docket may be sent to the above address or faxed to $(202)\ 260-9555.$

Electronic comments can be sent directly to EPA at:

ncic@epamail.epa.gov

Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form

of encryption.

The official record for this notice, as well as the public version, as described above will be kept in paper form. Accordingly, EPA will transfer all comments received electronically into printed, paper form as they are received and will place the paper copies in the official notice record which will also include all comments submitted directly in writing. The official notice record is the paper record maintained at the address in ADDRESSES at the beginning of this document.

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