rulemaking process and the functions of the notice of intent have either already been met or are provided for in this notice. Moreover, the Negotiated Rulemaking Act specifically provides that its provisions are not mandatory.

The Negotiated Rulemaking Act does anticipate an outreach to ensure that people who were not contacted during the convening process can come forward to explain why they believe they would be significantly affected and yet not represented on the Committee or to argue why they believe the rule should not be negotiated. The MMS believes that the interests who would be significantly affected by this rule will be represented when representatives from Conoco Inc., Meridian Oil Inc., Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, and as attorney with clients from the oil and gas industry join the informal study group already in place which includes representatives from the Indian tribes, allottee associations, BIA, and MMS. If anyone believes that their interests will not be adequately represented by these organizations, they must demonstrate and document that assertion through an application submitted no later than 10 calendar days following publication of this notice. You may fax your documentation to (303) 231-3194.

Certification

I hereby certify that the Indian Gas Valuation Negotiated Rulemaking Committee is in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed on the Department of the Interior by 30 U.S.C. 1701 et. seq.

Dated: January 31, 1995.

Bruce Babbitt,

Secretary of the Interior.

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POSTAL SERVICE

39 CFR Part 111

System Certification Program (SCP)

AGENCY: Postal Service.

ACTION: Proposed program; extension of

comment period.

SUMMARY: The Postal Service published in the Federal Register (59 FR 60927-60930) on November 29, 1994, a proposal for the System Certification Program. The proposed program would evaluate and recognize the overall ability of mailers to prepare high-quality mailings consistently and to enhance the ability of the Postal Service to verify and accept these mailings efficiently. The Postal Service requested comments

by January 30, 1995. Owing to the needs of the mailing public, from whom several requests for additional time were received, the Postal Service is extending the comment period to March 1, 1995. DATES: Comments must be received on or before March 1, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be mailed or delivered to the Manager, Business Mail Acceptance, 475 L'Enfant Plaza SW, room 8430, Washington, DC 20260-6808. Copies of all written comments will be available for inspection and photocopying between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the above address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: George T. Hurst, (202) 268-5232. Stanley F. Mires,

Chief Counsel, Legislative. [FR Doc. 95-2914 Filed 2-6-95; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7710-12-P

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52

[KY-069-2-6785b; FRL-5118-2]

Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Commonwealth of Kentucky

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The EPA proposes to approve the State implementation plan (SIP) revision submitted by the Commonwealth of Kentucky through the Natural Resources and **Environmental Protection Cabinet** approving the redesignation to attainment and maintenance plan of the Paducah area because it meets the maintenance plan and redesignation requirements. EPA also proposes to approve the 1990 baseline emissions inventory of the area. In the final rules section of this Federal Register, the EPA is approving the Commonwealth's SIP revision as a direct final rule without prior proposal because the Agency views this as a noncontroversial revision amendment and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for the approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If no adverse comments are received in response to that direct final rule, no further activity is contemplated in relation to this proposed rule. If EPA receives adverse comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule

based on this proposed rule. The EPA will not institute a second comment period on this document. Any parties interested in commenting on this document should do so at this time.

DATES: To be considered, comments must be received by March 9, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Written comments on this action should be addressed to Scott Southwick, at the EPA Regional Office listed below. Copies of the documents relative to this action are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following locations. The interested persons wanting to examine these documents should make an appointment with the appropriate office at least 24 hours before the visiting day.

Air and Radiation Docket and Information Center (Air Docket 6102), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460

Environmental Protection Agency, Region IV, Air Programs Branch, 345 Courtland Street NE, Atlanta, GA 30365

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, Department for **Environmental Protection, Division** for Air Quality, 803 Schenkel Lane, Frankfort, KY 40601

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Scott Southwick of the EPA Region IV Air Programs Branch at (404) 347–3555 extension 4207 and at the above address.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: For additional information see the direct final rule which is published in the rules section of this Federal Register.

Dated: November 28, 1994.

Patrick M. Tobin,

Acting Regional Administrator. [FR Doc. 95-2776 Filed 2-6-95; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6560-50-P

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Office of the Secretary

43 CFR Part 11

RIN 1090-AA21

Natural Resource Damage Assessments: Type A Procedure for **Great Lakes Environments**

AGENCY: Department of the Interior. **ACTION:** Proposed rule; extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: On August 8, 1994, the Department of the Interior issued a