

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Technical Amendment to List of Commercial Chemical Products in 40 CFR 261.33 and List of Hazardous Constituents in Appendix VIII

FROM: David Bussard, Director Characterization and Assessment Division (OS-330)

TO: Sylvia K. Lowrance, Director Office of Solid Waste (OS-300)

Attached for your review is a technical amendment to the list of hazardous commercial chemical products (40 CFR 261.33(e)) and the list of hazardous constituents of concern (§261 Appendix VIII) to instruct the Federal Register to remove strontium sulfide (SrS) from these two lists.

On October 31, 1988, the Agency promulgated a rule removing SrS (EPA Hazardous Waste No. P107) from §261.33(e), §261 Appendix VIII, and the list of hazardous substances with Reportable Quantities (RQ) under §302.4. Due to an error in the amendatory language, SrS was not removed from the P list or Appendix VIII in the Code of Federal Regulations. As a result, implementation of this rule (i.e., adoption by the states) has become more difficult. In addition, manufacturers of strontium products have had difficulties marketing their products due to this error.

This technical amendment needs no notice and comment; it requires signature by the Assistant Administrator to be adopted by the Federal Register. The Office of General Counsel has given approval to this notice.

Attachments

Technical Amendment Rule  
ACTION MEMORANDUM