

**U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
SCIENCE ADVISORY BOARD (SAB)  
Quality Review Teleconference**

**AGENDA**

**January 19, 2011, 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m. Eastern Time**

**Purpose:** to conduct a quality review of two draft SAB reports: 1) *Advisory on EPA's Draft Report on Aquatic Ecosystem Effects of Mountaintop Mining and Valley Fills*, and 2) *Review of Field-Based Aquatic Life Benchmark for Conductivity in Central Appalachian Streams*

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| 12:00 noon | <b>Convene the Teleconference and call the Roll</b>                                | <b>Dr. Thomas Armitage</b><br><i>Designated Federal Officer<br/>EPA SAB</i>                                  |
| 12:05 p.m. | <b>Purpose and Review of the Agenda</b>  | <b>Dr. Deborah L. Swackhamer</b><br><i>Chair, EPA SAB</i>  |
| 12:10 p.m. | <b>Public Comments</b>   | <b>See list of public speakers</b>   |
| 12:25 p.m. | <b>Quality Review of Report on Aquatic Ecosystem Effects of Mountaintop Mining</b> |  |
|            | - Overview of Draft Report   | <b>Dr. Duncan Patten</b><br><i>Chair, Panel on Ecological Impacts of Mountaintop Mining and Valley Fills</i> |
|            | - Chartered SAB Discussion and Disposition of the Report                           | <b>Lead reviewers and SAB members</b>  |
| 1:35 p.m.  | <b>Quality Review of Report on Conductivity Benchmark</b>                          |  |
|            | - Overview of Draft Report   | <b>Dr. Duncan Patten</b><br><i>Chair, Panel on Ecological Impacts of Mountaintop Mining and Valley Fills</i> |
|            | - Chartered SAB Discussion and Disposition of the Report                           | <b>Lead reviewers and SAB members</b>  |
| 2:50 p.m.  | <b>Summary and Next Steps</b>  | <b>Dr. Deborah L. Swackhamer</b>   |
| 3:00 p.m.  | <b>Adjourn the Teleconference</b>  | <b>The DFO</b>   |