

**Summary Minutes of the
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC)
Public Teleconference
May 3, 2010
10:00 am – 1:00 pm, Eastern Time**

CASAC Members: Dr. Jonathan Samet, Chair
Dr. Ted Russell
Dr. Helen Suh
Dr. Kathie Weathers

CASAC NO_x-Sox
Secondary Panel: Dr. David Shaw
Dr. Myron Mitchell
Dr. Praveen Amar
Dr. Charlie Driscoll

Purpose: To review the draft letter on the *Policy Assessment for the
Review of the Secondary National Ambient Air Quality
Standard for NO_x and SO_x: First Draft*

Designated
Federal Officer: Dr. Holly Stallworth, Designated Federal Officer

Other EPA Staff: Kyndall Barry, Bryan Hubbell, Sarah Mazur

Public: Steve Gouze, California Air Resources Board
Andrew Childers, Daily Environment Report
John Jansen, Southern Company
Tim Morphy, Teledyne
Linda Wilson, New York Attorney General's Office

Requests for
Phone Number: Aaron Flynn, Hunton & Williams*
Tamara Theis, National Cattlemen's Beef Association**
Renee Baecker, South Carolina Bureau of Air Quality*
Doug Austin, Institute of Clean Air Companies*
Scott Dibiase, Pinal County Air Quality*

Webpage: The meeting agenda and the draft CASAC letter may be
found at the following URL:

* These individuals requested the call-in number but did not announce themselves on the call.

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Meeting Summary:

Dr. Stallworth convened the meeting and explained that CASAC operates under the Federal Advisory Committee Act. Dr. Ted Russell, Chair of the Oxides of Nitrogen (NO_x) and Sulfur Oxides (SO_x) Secondary Review Panel, talked about EPA's unique work in setting a multi-pollutant standard based on an Atmospheric Acidification Potential Index. Dr. Russell said the review had also challenged the panel and required some extra thought and effort on the part of panelists as well.

Dr. Samet then walked the Committee through the letter and responses to charge questions page by page. Aside from a single minor typo and word change, there were no objections to any of the language contained in the draft letter or responses to 26 charge questions. Dr. Samet said that he had minor editorial changes to the letter.

Thus the letter was approved by CASAC and the meeting was adjourned after 15 minutes.

On Behalf of the Committee,
Respectfully Submitted,

Holly Stallworth, Ph.D. /s/
Designated Federal Officer

Certified as True:

Jonathan Samet, M.D. /s/
Chair, Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee
Sulfur Oxides Primary NAAQS Review Panel

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