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ENVIRONMENTALLY PREFERABLE PURCHASING

EPA-742-N-02-001

Update #10: Environmentally Preferable Purchasing Program

(12 pp) * January 2002

Highlights include an article on how Environmental Management Systems (EMS) are driving agencies to meet EPP goals; a profile of EPP Pioneer Cathy Berlow of EPA's New Headquarters Project; and news on the Federal Electronics Stewardship Forum, Biobased Lubricants, the EPA-National Park Service Partnership to integrate green purchasing into our national parks, and EPP Grants information.

Also available online at:

http://www.epa.gov/opptintr/epp/pdfs/update10.pdf

DESIGN FOR THE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM

General DfE Information

EPA-744-F-00-020

Design for the Environment: Partnerships for a Cleaner Future

Brochure * March 2001

Brochure providing overview of the Design for the Environment (DfE) Program, including information on DfE approaches to pollution prevention (Cleaner Technologies Substitutes Assessments; Integrated Environmental Management Systems; Life-Cycle Assessments; Best Shop Practices; Greening the Supply Chain; and the Formulator Initiative), along with information on how to partner with DfE.

Similar information available on the DfE Website in:

About DfE:

http://www.epa.gov/dfe/about/about.htm

Approaches and Tools:

http://www.epa.gov/dfe/tools/tools.htm

DESIGN FOR THE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM (cont.)

Computer Displays

EPA-744-R-01-004a Desktop Computer Displays: A Life Cycle Assessment

Vol. 1: Report * (383 pp) * December 2001

EPA-744-R-01-004b Vol. 2: Appendices * (566 pp) * December 2001

Study designed to provide the electronics industry with information to improve environmental attributes of desktop computer displays. Considers impacts related to material consumption, energy, air resources, water resources, landfills, human toxicity, and ecological toxicity. Provides industry and consumers with valuable information to make an environmentally informed decision regarding display technologies, and enables them to consider the relative environmental merits of a technology along with performance and cost.

Also available online at:

http://www.epa.gov/oppt/dfe/pubs/comp-dic/lca/

Gravure Printing

EPA-744-F-01-001 Effect of Ink Temperature on Solvent Losses and Print Quality

(6 pp) * February 2001

Overview of the Design for the Environment (DfE) Gravure Printing Partnership, with information on risk reduction opportunities in the gravure industry, and data on a temperature control study.

Also available online:

http://www.epa.gov/dfe/pubs/pdf/gravure.pdf

You may also order many of these items online at:

http://www.epa.gov/opptintr/library/ppicdist.htm

Other P2 information available online at:

http://www.epa.gov/p2/