## OUTREACH AND COMMUNICATIONS RESOURCES

# Office of Air and Radiation United States Environmental Protection Agency

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## GENERAL PUBLICATIONS

### The Plain English Guide to the Clean Air Act -

Published April 1993. Explains in non-technical, straightforward language the provisions of the Clean Air Act of 1990 and how they will clean the air. Document # EPA 400-K-93-001. [Contact: National Center for Environmental Publications and Information (NCEPI) (513) 489-8190]

## Implementation Strategy for the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 - Update, 1994

Published May 1994. Summarizes EPA's schedule for implementing the Clean Air Act Amendments from December 1990 through October 1995. This document is updated at least annually. Document # 410-K-94-001. [Contact: NCEPI (513) 489-8190 or Office of Radiation (202) 260-2632]

### What You Can Do To Reduce Air Pollution --

Published October 1992. A citizen's guide to what individuals can do to help meet the goals of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990. Also outlines the causes and effects of air pollution. Document # 450-K-92-002. [Contact: NCEPI (513) 489-8190]

## The Clean Air Act of 1990: An Introductory Guide to Smart Implementation --

Published by the Clean Air Act Advisory Committee in May 1992. A concise five page guide, written in layperson's terms, which covers the background, benefits, and philosophy of the new Clean Air Act. [Contact: NCEPI (513) 489-8190]

## The Clean Air Act of 1990: A Primer on Consensus-Building --

Published summer 1992. Outlines collaborative decision-making processes to assist agencies, organizations, and individuals embarking on consensus building activities in the implementation of the Clean Air Act. Document #450-K-92-004. [Contact: Office of Air and Radiation (202) 260-7400]



## The Clean Air Act of 1990: A Guide to Public Financing Options --

Published November 1992. Outlines ways for state and local governments to meet the funding obligations of the Clean Air Act of 1990, both within current air program financing arrangements and within the provisions of the Act. Document #450-K-92-005. [Contact: Office of Air and Radiation (202) 260-7400]

### The Clean Air Marketplace --

First issue published in June 1993. Periodic newsletter on business opportunities created by the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990. Document # 410-N-93-002. [Contact: Office of Air and Radiation (202) 260-7400]

### Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990: Detailed Summary of Titles --

Published in 1990. A highly detailed and relatively technical treatment of Titles I through XI of the Clean Air Act. Document # 400-R-90-100. [Contact: Office of Air and Radiation (202) 260-7400]

### The Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990: Overview Summary Materials --

Published on November 15, 1990. Contains an overview of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990, one page summaries of the key titles, a glossary of terms, and a legislative chronology. This document can serve as useful background, but has not been recently updated. [Contact: Office of Air and Radiation (202) 260-7400]

#### Clean Air Update --

A 2-3 page document, <u>published monthly</u>, with information on upcoming public meetings, upcoming regulatory actions, reports, and major Federal Register notices. [Contact: Lorraine Reddick (202) 260-7400]

## EPA Journal, "The New Clean Air Act: What it Means to You" (Vol. 17, No. 1) --

Published in January/February 1991 by the Office of Communications, Education and Public Affairs. The entire edition of the *Journal* is devoted to discussions of various issues concerning the new Clean Air Act. Document #21K-1004. [Contact: Office of Air and Radiation (202) 260-7400; or NCEPI (513) 489-8190]

## The Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990: A Guide for Small Businesses --

Published September 1992. Explains how the various parts of the Clean Air Act Amendments can affect small businesses and how small businesses can obtain information and assistance. Document # 450-K-92-001. [Contact: NCEPI (513) 489-8190]

## OTHER GENERAL INFORMATION

## Technology Transfer Network (TTN): Clean Air Act Computer Bulletin Board --

A system of integrated electronic bulletin boards. The Bulletin Board is run by the Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards and contains general documents, rules, and guidance documents that can be accessed electronically by the public. The system allows users to call in from anywhere in the world and download information on air quality models, air inventories, recently signed rules, and extensive information on operating permits, including model permits -- all for the price of a phonecall. A one page instruction sheet on how to access the bulletin board is available. [Bulletin Board Number (919) 541-5742 (8 bits, no parity, 1 stop bit, VT100 emulation) Contact: Office of Air & Raidation (919) 541-5618]

## Overhead Presentation of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990

Provides an overview of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990. Written in 1991, so some information may be outdated. Limited quantities available. Document #400-R-90-100. [Contact: NCEPI (513) 489-8190]

#### Videotapes --

### PBS Teleconference on the Clean Air Act

The Legal Winds of Change: Business and the New Clean Air Act, broadcast on November 28, 1990. Tape of a videoconference in which panelists explain provisions of the 1990 Clean Air Act and their implications for business and the environment. (Limited quantities available.) Document #400-V-92-001. [Contact: NCEPI (513) 489-8190]

# Air and Waste Management Association/American Bar Association Teleconferences on the Clean Air Act

Update: Implementing the Clean Air Act - EPA Speaks, (Document #400-V-92-004) Tapes available for 1992, 1993, and 1994 from the American Bar Association (1-800-964-4253).

## INFORMATION BY SUBJECT

## Green Programs

- Green Lights: An Enlightened Approach to Energy Efficiency and Pollution Prevention -- July 1993. Brochure describing the Green Lights Program. Document # 430-K-93-001. [Contact: Green Lights Hotline (202) 775-6650].
- The Climate is Right for Action: Voluntary Programs to Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions
  Published October 1992. Overview of Green Program strategies. Document # 400-K92-005. [Contact: Green Lights Hotline (202) 775-6650].

## Green Lights - The Second Year --

Published March 1993. Annual Report of the Green Lights program. General introduction to the components, philosophy, and success to date of the voluntary energy efficient lighting program. Document # 430-R-93-005. [Contact: Green Lights Hotline (202) 775-6650]

## Green Lights Update --

Periodic publication in newsletter format which provides information on new developments in the Green Lights Program. Document # 430-N-93-011. [Contact: Green Lights Hotline (202) 775-6650]

## Green Lights General Material --

The Green Lights Programs distributes a variety of packages containing both specific and general information: Informational Package, Lists of Green Lights Participants, News Articles on Green Lights, Advertisements, Technical Information on Green Lights, Promotional Materials on Green Lights, General/Miscellaneous Information, Ally Information Package, Partner Welcome Aboard Package, Logo Press Kit, Media Information Kit, etc. [Contact: Green Lights Hotline (202) 775-6650]

## "Energy Star" Program Fact Sheets --

General information on the Energy Star Computers program, the Energy Star Buildings program, the Golden Carrot<sup>™</sup> Super Efficient Refrigerator program, and the Consortium for Energy Efficiency, Inc. [Contact: Linda Latham (202) 233-9114]

# Stratospheric Ozone Protection

## Stratospheric Ozone Information Hotline --

Hotline established to provide accurate, up-to-date information on rulemaking developments and requirements under Title VI. The Hotline also serves as a distribution and referral point for information on the issue of ozone depletion, including publications, NASA studies, Federal Register notices, and United Nations Environment Program assessment reports. The Hotline operates Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (EST). [Toll-free number (800) 296-1996]

## Stratospheric Ozone Fact Sheets --

Two fact sheets that provide general information on regulations required under Title VI: the National Recycling and Emissions Reduction Program final rule (Section 608); and the servicing of motor vehicle air conditioners final rule (Section 609). [Contact: Stratospheric Ozone Information Hotline (800) 296-1996]

## Stratospheric Ozone Brochures --

A series of brochures, most targeted at the general public, explaining the proper and safe handling of refrigerants in home and car air conditioners. The brochures are entitled: Help Protect the Ozone Layer: Recycle the Refrigerant in Your Car's Air Conditioner, Disposing of Appliances with Refrigerants: What You Should Know, and Halon: Recycling and Banking to Help Protect the Ozone Layer [Contact: Stratospheric Ozone Information Hotline (800) 296-1996]

## Questions and Answers: Stratospheric Ozone Protection --

Questions and Answers regarding stratospheric ozone depletion issues. These documents are entitled *The Most Commonly Asked Questions About Ozone Depletion, Alternative Blowing Agents, Halons and Their Substitutes, Ozone-Depleting Solvents and Their Substitutes,* and *Motor Vehicle Air Conditioner Servicing* [Contact: Stratospheric Ozone Information Hotline (800) 296-1996]

## Regulatory Summaries --

Available for the following Sections of the Clean Air Act: 606, 608, 609, 610, 611, and 612. [Contact: Stratospheric Ozone Information Hotline (800) 296-1996]

## Stratospheric Ozone Applicability Determinations --

Answers to questions concerning the applicability of Title VI regulations. [Contact: Craig Haas (703) 308-8682]

Refrigerant Retrofit and Replacement Fact Sheets --

Three fact sheets that provide information on retrofitting or replacing equipment to non-CFC refrigerant substitutes. The factsheets are entitled *Cooling and Refrigerating without CFCs, Short List of Alternative Refrigerants*, and *Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Resources*. [Contact: Stratospheric Ozone Information Hotline (800) 296-1996]

Documents on Alternative Solvent Cleaning Agents --

Documents developed by the Industry Cooperative for Ozone Layer Protection (ICOLP) and EPA regarding conservation of ozone depleting solvents and the available alternatives. These documents are entitled *Eliminating CFC-113* and *Methyl Chloroform in Precision Cleaning Operations*, *Alternatives for CFC-113* and *Methyl Chloroform in Metal Cleaning*, *Aqueous and Semi-Aqueous Alternatives for CFC-113* and *Methyl Chloroform for Cleaning of Printed Circuit Board Assemblies*, and *Conservation and Recycling Practices for CFC-113* and *Methyl Chloroform* [Contact: Stratospheric Ozone Information Hotline (800) 296-1996]

Stratospheric Protection Division Publications

(The following publications may be obtained by calling the Stratospheric Ozone Information Hotline (800) 296-1996)

Final Rule Summary: Accelerated Phaseout. 12/93	EPA-430-F-93-057
Final Rule Summary: Complying with Refrigerant Recycling Rule. 6/93	EPA-430-F-93-010
Refrigerant Recycling in Motor Vehicle Air Conditioners: Guide for Professionals. 9/92	EPA-400-K-92-003
Cooling and Refrigerating without CFCs. 9/93	EPA-430-F-93-003
Final Rule Summary: Meeting Labeling Regulation Requirement. 3/93	EPA-430-F-93-004
Short List of Alternatives Refrigerants. 9/93	EPA-430-F-93-004
Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Resources. 9/93	EPA-430-F-93-005
Air Conditioners and the Ozone Layer.  A Citizen Checklist. 6/93	EPA-430-F-93-006
Auto Air Conditioners and the Ozone Layer: A Consumer Guide. 6/93	EPA-430-F-93-009

Protecting the Ozone Layer: Safe Disposal of Home	
Appliances Containing Ozone-Depleting Substance. 7/93	EPA-430-K-93-001
Moving to Alternative Refrigerants. 11/93	EPA-430-K-93-002
Aqueous and Semi-Aqueous Alternatives for CFC-113 and Methyl Chloroform Cleaning of Printed Circuit Board Assemblies. 6/91	EPA-400-1-91-016
Conservation and Recycling Practices for CFC-113 and Methyl Chloroform. 6/91	EPA-400-1-91-017
Eliminating CFC-113 and Methyl Chloroform in Precision Cleaning Operations. 6/91	EPA-400-1-91-018
Alternatives for CFC-113 and Methyl Chloroform in Metal Cleaning. 6/91	EPA-400-1-91-019
How to Survive the Phaseout of 1, 1, 1-Trichloromethane (Methyl Chloroform. 1/93	EPA-430-F-92-027
No-Clean Soldering to Eliminate CFC-113 and Methyl Chlord Cleaning of Printed Circuit Board Assemblies. 10/93	oform EPA-430-B-93-005
Eliminating CFC-113 and Methyl Chloroform In Aircraft Maintenance Procedures.	EPA-430-B-93-006

# Acid Rain Reduction

### Acid Rain Hotline --

The Hotline offers the convenience of one phone number to access all available materials as well as leave technical/policy questions on the system. A staff member will respond to all requests within 24 hours. The Hotline is in operation 24 hours a day, seven days a week. [(202) 233-9620]

## Acid Rain Program Brochures --

The Acid Rain Program offers two colorful brochures entitled: *The Acid Rain Program* -- It's Working and the Environmental Benefits of Reducing Acid Rain. The brochures are in a question and answer format and are linguistically accessible to a wide variety of audiences. (1) Document # 430-F-92/027 (2) Document # 430-F-92/026. [Contact: Acid Rain Hotline (202) 233-9620]

#### Acid Rain Fact Sheets --

Series of fact sheets which cover all aspects of the program, including: the allowance system, auction and sales, allowance allocations, permits, continuous emissions monitoring, excess emissions, the opt-in program, a program overview, and environmental benefits. Publications listed below. [Contact: Acid Rain Hotline (202) 233-9620]

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Environmental Benefits of Reducing Acid Rain		430/F-92/015
Permits		430/F-92/016
Auctions and Direct Sales	All the second	430/F-92/017
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Allowance System		430/F-92/019
Program Overview	430/F-	1 1
Continuous Emissions Monitoring	·· TJU/1/	430/F-92/XX
Allowance Allocations		430/F-92/022
Phase I Extensions		
Conservation and Renewable Energy		430/F-93/023
NOx		430/F-92/014
Proposed Rule Revisions to Permits		430/S-93/001
Proposed Opt-In Program		430/F-93/013
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# U.S./Canada Air Quality Progress Report --

November 1994. Published jointly by the governments of the United States and Canada (the International Joint Commission - IJC). This is an interim report on the effects of acid rain in the U.S. and Canada. The report also contains general information on the U.S.-Canada Air Quality Agreement. Document #430-R-94-006. [Contact: Acid Rain Hotline (202) 233-9620]

# Acid Rain, A Student's First Sourcebook --

Published in July 1990. Simple and concise educational text that explores the effects of acid rain on human health, forests, water quality, and buildings. This is a popular teaching tool as it also provides experiments and activities that demonstrate the effects of acid rain. Document # 60099-0027. [Contact: NCEPI (513) 489-8190]

# Acid Rain Quizzes and Wordfinds --

Educational materials on acid rain designed for school children. [Contact: Rosemary Wolfe (202) 233-9176]

## ARD in the News --

A weekly compilation of articles from major journals and trade press on acid rain or the acid rain program. [Contact: Rosemary Wolfe (202) 233-9585]

## Acid Rain Slide Library ---

The Acid Rain Division maintains an extensive slide library, covering all aspects of the program, that is used for dozens of presentations given to outside groups by management and staff. [Contact: Katya Jestin (202) 233-9189]

EPA Journal Articles on Acid Rain: Acid Rain: The Problem and Acid Rain: The Solution General overview of acid rain issue and the acid rain program. [Contact: Rosemary Wolfe (202) 233-9176]

# Acid Rain Program Directory --

Listing of all Headquarters and Regional acid rain contacts, with phone and fax numbers, broken down by subject matter. [Contact: Drew Willison (202) 233-9175]

# Acid Rain Program: Update No. 1

Published September 1994. A periodic report on the progress of the acid rain program. Document # EPA 430-K-94-012. [Contact: Rosemary Wolfe (202) 233-9176]

## Mobile Sources

Your Car (or Truck) and the Environment --

September 1993. Consumer's guide to motor vehicle air pollution issues. Document #420-K-93-001. [Contact: GSA Consumer Information Center (719) 948-3334; or NCEPI (513) 899-6561]

Mobile Source Fact Sheets and Other Materials --

Several Fact Sheets and informational materials in other formats, such as video tape, published by the Office of Mobile Sources, containing general information on issues related to the mobile source program. [Contact: Office of Mobile Sources (313) 668-4333]

Packet of Information on National Vehicle Fuels Emission Laboratory --

Information Packet offering general information on responsibilities of the National Vehicle Fuel Emissions Laboratory. [Contact: Office of Mobile Sources (313) 668-4333]

# National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) Attainment

Air Quality Atlas --

Published by the Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards in May 1992. A color brochure presenting maps of the nation's air quality monitoring network and maps illustrating how air quality varies across the country. Document # 400-K-92-002. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

National Air Quality and Emissions Trends Report --

Most recently published by the Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards in 1992. Eighteenth annual report documenting air pollution trends in the United States for those pollutants for which the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has established National Ambient Air Quality Standards. Document # EPA-450/4-91-023. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

Catalytic Woodstoves: Installation, Operation, and Maintenance --

Published by the Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards in March 1992. A brochure which presents important tips woodstove owners can use with most catalytic woodstoves and which supplements the model-specific instruction found in the owner's manual. Document # 22A-4001. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

# Noncatalytic Woodstoves: Installation, Operation and Maintenance --

Published by the Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards in March 1992. A brochure which presents important tips woodstove owners can use with most noncatalytic woodstoves and which supplements the model-specific instruction found in the owner's manual. Document # 22A-4002. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

## Certified Woodstove List --

A current list of all woodstoves on the market that have been EPA-certified. [Contact: Yolanda Hatton (703) 308-8688]

## Buying an EPA-Certified Woodstove --

Published in February 1990 by the Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards. A brochure which helps consumers select the appropriate woodstove for their needs. Document #450-K-90-101. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

# Residential Leaf Burning - An Unhealthy Solution to Leaf Disposal -

Brochure published in October 1992. EPA Document # EPA-452/R-92-007. One two-sided sheet of tri-folded paper. Describes the adverse health effects of particulate matter, hydrocarbons, and carbon monoxide. Suggests composting as an alternative. [Contact: Scott Voorhees (919) 541-5348]

## Public Service Announcements on Leaf-Burning --

Three video PSAs designed for television broadcast, each 30 seconds in length, encouraging alternatives to backyard leaf burning. *The Magician* explains that burning produces air pollution and that composting is more environmentally friendly. *Mother and Daughter* describes the large quantities of pollutants that burning produces, and promotes composting. *Fall Flashback* looks nostalgically at burning leaves, reminding the viewer that composting is more in tune with the times. 10 second versions of two of these PSAs are also available. 30 and 10 second audio versions of *Mother and Daughter* and *Fall Flashback* are available for radio broadcast. [Contact: Scott Voorhees (919) 541-5348]

#### CTC News ---

A quarterly newsletter for state and local air pollution control staff involved in evaluating air pollutants. Document # 453/N-93-011/12/13/14. [Contact: Bob Blaszczak (919) 541-5432]

## AMTIC News --

A quarterly newsletter focusing on emerging issues surrounding ambient air quality monitoring. Document # 450-N-93-093, Volume 3 #3 of 1993. [Contact: Joe Elkins (919) 541-5653]

### The CHIEF --

A quarterly newsletter providing guidance and other information on the development of emission inventories for air pollution control, Fall 1993. Document # 454/N-93-054. [Contact: Whitmel Joyner (919) 541-5493]

#### AIRSLetter --

A quarterly newsletter for states, local governments, universities, industry, consultants, and others on air quality data base systems. [Contact: Gary Wilder (919) 541-5447]

#### SCRAM News --

A newsletter issued three times a year addressing problems and issues associated with air quality modeling. [Contact: Dennis Atkinson (919) 541-0518]

#### STACKNOTES --

A quarterly newsletter discussing new or ongoing method developments, field testing projects, and other issues related to emission testing. [Contact: Peter Westlin (919) 541-1058]

## Air Toxics Reduction

## Citizens Guide to Risk Assessment --

Published by the Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards. Contains general information for the layperson on the content, terms, and meaning of a risk assessment. Document # 450/3-90-024. [Contact: Holly Reid (919) 541-5344]

# Chemical Accident Prevention and Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 (fact sheet) --

Published by the Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention Office, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response. General information concerning the provision of the Clean Air Act which relate to prevention and management of accidental chemical releases. Document #550-K-94-001. [Contact: Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Hotline (800) 535-0202]

Managing Chemicals Safely: Putting It All Together --

Published by the Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention Office, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, in March 1992, in conjunction with the Occupational Safety and Health Administration. Introductory document for owners and managers of smaller enterprises on how to get started in chemical safety management. Document #EPA-510-K-92-001. [Contact: Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Hotline (800) 535-0202]

### NATICH Newsletter --

Bimonthly newsletter providing technical information on Federal, state, and local activities related to air toxics and Title III of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990. Document #453-/N-93-004, July 1993. [Contact: Laurel Driver (919) 541-2859]

# Indoor Air/Radon/Electromagnetic Fields

### Indoor Air

Indoor Air Pollution: An Introduction for Health Care Professionals -Published September 1994. Document # EPA 402-R-94-007. [Contact: IAQINFO (800) 438-4318 OR (301) 585-9020]

## Current Federal Indoor Air Quality Activities --

Updated in 1993. This booklet describes activities of Federal agencies that are part of the Interagency Committee on Indoor Air Quality (CIAQ). Each agency describes the status and contacts for ongoing research, policy, and program development activities as well as a list of publications available to the public. Document #400-/B-93/003. [Contact: Indoor Air Quality Information Clearinghouse (IAQINFO) (800) 438-4318 or (301) 585-9020]

## Targeting Indoor Air Pollution: EPA's Approach and Progress --

Published in 1992. This brochure describes the health and economic impacts of indoor air pollution and the EPA's program and approaches to reducing pollutant levels indoors. Also discussed are the carpet policy dialogue and outreach efforts to improve access to indoor air information. Document # 400/R-92-012. [Contact: Indoor Air Quality Information Clearinghouse (IAQINFO) (800) 438-4318 or (301) 585-9020]

#### Indoor Air Fact Sheets --

These general information pamphlets were published between 1989 and 1992. The seven fact sheets cover subjects such as environmental tobacco smoke, sick building syndrome, residential air cleaners, and home humidifiers. [Contact: Indoor Air Quality Information Clearinghouse (IAQINFO) (800) 438-4318 or (301) 585-9020]

# Building Air Quality: A Guide for Building Owners and Managers --

Published in December 1991. Three ring binder containing detailed information designed to increase the effectiveness of building owners and managers in preventing and resolving indoor air quality problems. Available for \$24.00 from the Government Printing Office. GPO Document # 055-000-00390-4. EPA Document # 400/91-033. [Contact: Order forms may be obtained from the Indoor Air Division or the Indoor Air Quality Information Clearinghouse (IAQINFO) (800) 438-4318 or (301) 585-9020]

Combustion Appliances and Indoor Air Pollution --

Published in 1991 in conjunction with the Consumer Product Safety Commission and the American Lung Association. Brochure containing information on the nature of combustion pollutants, common household sources of combustion pollutants, and how exposure to these pollutants can be minimized. GPO Document # 1991-1302/40790. [Contact: Indoor Air Quality Management Clearinghouse (IAQINFO) (800) 438-4318 or (301) 585-9020]

Indoor Air Quality and New Carpet: What You Should Know --

Published in March 1992. Document # 560/2/91-003. [Contact: Indoor Air Quality Information Clearinghouse (IAQINFO) (800) 438-4318 or (301) 585-9020]

The Inside Story: A Guide to Indoor Air Quality ---

Most recent edition published in 1993 in cooperation with the Consumer Product Safety Commission. Provides an overview of common household indoor air pollution sources, health effects of indoor air pollutants from these sources, and what can be done to mitigate, prevent or reduce levels of these pollutants. EPA Document # 400/88-004. [Contact: Indoor Air Quality Information Clearinghouse (IAQINFO) (800) 438-4318 or (301) 585-9020]

#### Asbestos in Your Home --

Published in 1990 in conjunction with the American Lung Association and the Consumer Product Safety Commission. Introduction to how to identify asbestoscontaining materials in the home, how to manage those materials, and how to hire a professional inspector and corrective-action contractor. GPO Document # 1990-276-202. [Contact: Indoor Air Quality Information Clearinghouse (IAQINFO) (800) 438-4318 of (301) 585-9020]

Introduction to Indoor Air Quality: Learning Module and Reference Manual --

Published in 1991 in conjunction with the U.S. Public Health Service and the National Environmental Health Association. Two volume set of materials that provide self-paced lessons on key indoor air topics. Documents # EPA/400/3-91/002 and 003. [Contact: Indoor Air Quality Information Clearinghouse (IAQINFO) (800) 438-4318 or (301) 585-9020]

Respiratory Health Effects of Passive Smoking --

This 530 page report documents some of the health effects of exposure to environmental tobacco smoke (ETS). The report, with approval of the EPA's science advisory board, classifies ETS as a Group A (known human) carcinogen. EPA Document # 600690006F. A limited number of copies are available from the Indoor Air Division (202) 233-9030.

#### Radon

#### Radiation - Risks and Realities --

Document #402-K-92-004. [Contact: NCEPI (513) 489-8190]

#### Home Buyer's and Seller's Guide to Radon --

Published in March 1993. For anyone buying or selling a home who wants to learn about radon. Provides consumers with guidance on how to address radon in connection with real estate transfers, including testing before selling and obtaining test results before buying. Document # 402-R-93-003. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

# A Citizen's Guide to Radon (Second Edition): The Guide to Protecting Yourself and Your Family From Radon --

Published in May 1992 in conjunction with the Department of Health and Human Services, the U.S. Public Health Service, and the Centers for Disease Control. Contains general information on how to test for radon, how to protect a home from radon, the dangers of radon, and sources of further information. Document # 402-K92-001. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

#### Consumer's Guide to Radon Reduction: How to Reduce Radon Levels in Your Home --

Published in August 1992. For people who have tested their home for radon and confirmed that they have elevated radon levels - 4 picocuries per liter (pCi/L) or higher. Includes how to select a mitigation contractor and describes radon mitigation techniques. Document #402-K-92-003. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

#### Physicians Guide to Radon --

To be published in conjunction with the American Medical Association. Provides general information on radon health risks, and targeted specifically at physicians. Currently under revision. [Contact: Radon Division (202) 233-9370]

#### Radon Public Service Announcements (PSAs) --

General information on radon risks contained in 10 to 60 second segments. [Contact: Ad Council PSA Clearinghouse 1-800-933-PSAS]

#### Radon: TV Documentary --

Introduction to the risks associated with radon, and methods of home testing. Produced in conjunction with the American Medical Association and the Discovery Channel. Twenty-five minutes long. [Contact: Nina Shaw (202) 233-9417]

### Radon Community Leader Kit --

Public relations kit aimed at community leaders and association heads. Kit contains a video, slide show, and radon brochures. It also contains a letter, to the general population from the community leader, that can be personalized for the needs, tone, and intent of the sender. [Contact: Nina Shaw (202) 233-9417]

## Radon Public Relations Campaign Kit --

Communications kit containing written materials designed for state and local administrators. Contains sample letters to the media, advice on how to get a radon story in the news, fact sheets on radon, a map illustrating the radon problems across the nation, and over 20 suggestions on mobilizing public participation. [Contact: Nina Shaw (202) 233-9417]

# Reducing Radon Risks: There are two ways to protect your family from Radon. First, the hard way, holding your breath. --

Published in October 1991. Two page color brochure provides overview of radon health risks and steps that can be taken to test homes for radon. Document # 520/1-89-027. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

### **Electromagnetic Fields**

EMF In Your Environment: Magnetic Field Measurements of Everyday Electrical Devices - Published April 1993. Booklet describing electromagnetic fields (EMF) of some common household appliances. Also provides general information on EMF. EPA document # 402-R-92-008. [Contact: Available from GPO, stock # 055-000-00436-6; \$1.50; (202) 783-3238. Also available in limited quantities from EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

## Questions and Answers about Electromagnetic Fields (EMF) --

Published in February 1993. A booklet answering the most common questions that the Agency receives from the public regarding EMF. Document #402-R-92-009. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

## Radioactive Waste and Emergency Response

Ready to Respond: EPA's Radiological Emergency Preparedness and Response Program -Published in February 1992. Informative booklet describing the radiological emergency response program. Booklet has been distributed to radiological emergency response planners and responders nationwide. A colorful exhibit and slide presentation complement the booklet. Document # 520/1-91-027. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

Big Apple - Hot Apple --

A film documentary of the radioactive material emergency removal action at the Radium Chemical Company Superfund site in New York City. [Contact: Miles Kahn (202) 233-9384]. Limited quantities available for Loan.

Ionizing Radiation Series No. 1: General Description --

Published in September 1990 by the Office of Radiation Programs. A fact sheet containing general information on the types and sources of ionizing radiation. Document #402-F-90-100. [Contact: EPA's Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]

- Ionizing Radiation Series No. 2: Health Effects From Exposure to Ionizing Radiation —
  Published in June 1991 by the Office of Radiation Programs. A fact sheet containing general information on the sources, results, and health effects of exposure to ionizing radiation. Document #402-F-91-100. [Contact: Public Information Center (202) 260-7751]
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