

EPA Announces Peer Review Meeting of the Microbial Risk Assessment Guideline

DATES: The peer review panel meeting on the draft document, “*Microbial Risk Assessment Guideline: Pathogenic Microorganisms with Focus on Food and Water*” will be held on Monday, November 7, 2011 beginning at 8:30 a.m. and ending at 5 p.m. Eastern Standard Time.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at L’Enfant Plaza Hotel, 480 L’Enfant Plaza, SW, Washington, DC 20024.

Internet: The draft document can be downloaded from <http://www.epa.gov/raf/microbial.htm>.

Instructions: To attend the peer review meeting as an observer, you must register no later than November 3, 2011. You may do this by calling ERG on (781) 674-7374 or toll free on (800) 803-2833 (ask for the MRA peer review coordinator, Laurie Waite); sending a facsimile to (781) 674-2906 (reference the “MRA Peer Review Meeting” and include your name, title, affiliation, full address and contact information); or sending an email to meetings@erg.com (reference the “MRA Peer Review Meeting” and include your name, title, affiliation, full address and contact information). You can also register via the Internet at

<https://www2.ergweb.com/projects/conferences/peerreview/register-mra.htm>.

Space is limited, and registrations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. There will be a limited amount of time for comments from the public at the peer review meeting. Please inform ERG if you wish to make oral comments during the meeting.

Information on Services for Individuals with Disabilities: EPA welcomes public attendance at the MRA Peer Review Meeting and will make every effort to accommodate persons with disabilities. For information on access or services for individuals with disabilities, contact ERG on (781) 674-7374 or toll free on (800) 803-2833 (ask for the MRA peer review coordinator, Laurie Waite); sending a facsimile to (781) 674-2906 (reference the “MRA Peer Review Meeting” and include your name and contact information); or sending an email to meetings@erg.com (reference the “MRA Peer Review Meeting” and include your name and contact information).

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