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On April 29, 2010, the following proposed rules were signed and apply to ALL Industrial/Commercial/Institutional Boilers:

- Boiler MACT (Major Source)
- Boiler GACT (Area Source)
- Solid Waste Definition
- CISWI (Commercial and Industrial Solid Waste Incineration)

CIBO Meetings:

June 8-9, 2010
Technical
Focus/Environmental/Energy
Committee Meeting
Arlington, VA

On May 3, 2010 EPA Office of Solid Waste proposed: Hazardous and Solid Waste Management System; Identification and Listing of Special Waste; Disposal of Coal Combustion Residuals from Electric Utilities.

In all over 1500 pages of Rules that have the potential to "KILL" Coal, Oil and Gas other than Natural Gas or Refinery Gas as a fuel and energy feed stock for New Units and require tremendous, significant and substantial Control Technology additions for the industrial, Commercial and Institutional sectors of the country. If we think of today's financial Sector as being in the Survival Mode, these Rules could very well throw the country's Energy Sector into Survival Mode. Anyone that needs energy, generates energy and uses energy in the United States, to do anything, will be impacted. It will take all our efforts with "Energy, Environment and the Economy Working Together for Survival" – the theme of this year's Annual Meeting.

CIBO's 2010 Conferences

May 24-26, 2010
Fluidized Bed
Combustion XXIII
Conference
Jacksonville, FL

With more than 50 pages of summary information and copies of all the rules on the website, it is impossible to do a good summary here. However, here are a few of the many major concerns or questions we have at this point:

August 2-5, 2010
Industrial Emissions
Control Technology VIII
Conference
Regulatory Workshop
Portland, ME

Will Averaging be allowed across similar fuel for Stokers, PC and FBC units?

Will the energy audit requirements require companies to look into their production processes and operations?

Is a 1 PPM CO limit possible for oil and gasses? Can we get guarantees?

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How does one meet a Dioxin Standard on a Coal fired boiler?

Why does the Regulatory Impact Analysis project no new coal or biofuel ICI Boilers?

Can there be provisions for a total Selected Metals alternative as in the original Rule?

What about a Health Based Compliance Alternative?

Does anyone believe that a hazardous "C" Ash Classification will be just for utilities?

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A number of small groups are working on issue lists and beginning to generate comments for all these rules. These will be discussed in detail during our June Committee Meetings. A copy of that agenda is on the website with all the rules and a rather long list of supporting information. If you have specific issues and want to participate within one or more of these small groups, you should let the CIBO Staff know. Since we expect comments on the MACT Rules to be due 45 Days following their publication in the Federal Register (probably around May 19) to be due around the end of June, we are not planning a detailed General CIBO Member briefing and discussion prior to the June 8-9 Meetings. We will however be talking about them during the Fluidized Bed Conference in Jacksonville May 24th and 25th.

If you have not done so yet, you should register for June's extremely important members-only Committee Meetings (June 8-9) where details of the above mentioned proposed rules will be presented and discussed, and comments formulated.

For your convenience you can register for the meetings [online](#).

Dinner on Tuesday night will be at Jaleo Restaurant in Crystal City (walking distance from the hotel). Please register early, limited to the first 50 people.

We are now giving .25 CEU credits for the focus group if you complete a survey after the meeting.

The meetings will be at the Radisson Hotel Reagan National Airport, 2020 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia. Please call the Radisson Hotel directly at (703) 920-8600 or (800) 333-3333 to make your room reservation. A block of rooms has been set aside at the special rate of \$199.00 single/double per night. Mention "CIBO" when making your room reservations. You may go to www.radisson.com/arlingtonva to make your reservations. The on-line promotional code is CIBO10. With our new contract, we are allowed shoulder dates of 3 days prior and 3 days post meeting based on availability. Hotel room cut-off date is **May 10, 2010**. After the room block is released, reservations will be accepted based on room and rate availability. It would be to your advantage to reserve your room as soon as possible before the hotel is filled. The hotel is located 1.5 blocks from the Crystal City Metro Station and 1 mile from Ronald Reagan National Airport and downtown Washington, D.C. Complimentary shuttle to and from National Airport, please call the hotel to schedule a pickup time.

Please let us know if you need a password or can't remember yours for our members' only website.