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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: The 2006 Scientific and Technological Achievement Awards (STAA) Program

FROM: E. Timothy Oppelt
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TO: Assistant Administrators
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I am pleased to issue this year's call for nominations for the 2006 Scientific and Technological Achievement Awards (STAA). STAA is an Agency-wide competition, judged by the Science Advisory Board (SAB), that recognizes outstanding published scientific and technical papers by the Agency's staff. Attached are (1) nomination procedures and guidelines, (2) program schedules, and (3) nomination forms. Official 2006 nomination forms are available for your convenience in Word and screen fillable Portable Document Format (PDF) at http://es.epa.gov/ncer/rfa/#STAA (scroll down to 2006 Intramural Competition). All nominations must be received no later than COB February 1, 2006. Instructions for completing and mailing nomination packages are attached. Should questions arise, please contact Ms. Maggie Breville at breville.maggie@epa.gov.

cc: EPA Science Advisory Board
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Attachments