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<b>EPA WITNESS</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>HEARING SUBJECT</b>	<b>COMMITTEE</b>	<b>PRGM</b>	<b>STAFF</b>
Carol M. Browner	1/28/99	Global Environment	Senate Finance Committee	OPPE	M. Schneider
Tim Fields	2/10/99	Dissemination of Worst Case Scenario Information on the Internet	House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations/Health and Environment Subcommittee	OSWER	G. Hull
Tim Fields J. Charles Fox	2/10/99	Agency Budgets [OW & Superfund – Priorities for FY 2000	House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment	OW OSWER	R. Deitz
Robert Perciasepe	2/10/99	Radiation Standards of H.R. 45, the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1999	House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Energy and Power	OAR	R. Meni
Carol M. Browner	2/24/99	EPA FY'2000 Budget	Senate Environment and Public Works Committee	OARM	A. Hannon K. Sykes
J. Charles Fox Dr. Norine Noonan	3/3/99	Implementation of the SDWA	Senate Environment and Public Works Committee Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, and Drinking Water	OW ORD	T. Dickerson

Gary Guzy	3/3/99	Designate General Counsel - Confirmation	Senate Environment and Public Works Committee	OGC	K. Sykes
Tim Fields	3/16/99	EPA Risk Management Plan Rule	Senate Environment and Public Works Committee Subcommittee on Private Property and Nuclear Safety	OSWER	G. Hull
Dr. Norine Noonan	3/18/99	Overview of EPA's Research Budget and Priorities for FY'2000	House Science Committee Subcommittee on Energy and Environment	ORD	D. Hicks
Tim Fields	3/23/99	Current Status of the Superfund Program	House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Finance and Hazardous Materials	OSWER	R. Deitz
Elaine Davies	3/24/99	Oil Pollution Act of 1990	House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment	OSWER	G. Hull
Jim Aidala	3/24/99	Pending Plant Pesticide Regulation	House Agriculture Committee	OPPTS	P. Pagano
Carol M. Browner	4/13-14 99	EPA's FY'2000 Budget	House Appropriations Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agency's	Budget Office	A. Hannon K. Sykes
David Gardiner	4/14/99	Climate Change Technology Initiative (CCTI)	House Science Committee Subcommittee on Energy and Environment	OP	D. Hicks
Jim Aidala	4/22/99	Food Safety Quality Protection Act	House Agriculture Committee Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition and Forestry	OPPTS	P. Pagano

<b>Carol M. Browner</b>	<b>4/29/99</b>	<b>EPA's FY'2000 Budget</b>	<b>Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agency's</b>	<b>Budget Office</b>	<b>A. Hannon K. Sykes</b>
<b>Tim Fields</b>	<b>5/5/99</b>	<b>Designate Assistant Administrator for Solid Waste and Emergency Response - Confirmation</b>	<b>Senate Environment and Public Works Committee</b>	<b>OSWER</b>	<b>R. Deitz</b>
<b>Robert Perciasepe</b>	<b>5/6/99</b>	<b>H.R. 11, Bilbray Reformulated Gasoline Bill</b>	<b>House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Health and Environment</b>	<b>OAR</b>	<b>E. Cummings</b>
<b>James Makris</b>	<b>5/10/99</b>	<b>Y2K Activities at EPA</b>	<b>Senate Special Y2K Committee</b>	<b>Field Hearing Trenton N.J.</b>	<b>B. Rosing</b>
<b>Carol M. Browner</b>	<b>5/12/99</b>	<b>H.R. 1300 - Superfund</b>	<b>House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment</b>	<b>OSWER</b>	<b>R. Deitz</b>
<b>Carol M. Browner</b>	<b>5/13/99</b>	<b>Clean Water Action Plan</b>	<b>Senate Environment and Public Works Committee</b>	<b>OW</b>	<b>P. Gaskins</b>
<b>Tim Fields</b>	<b>5/19/99</b>	<b>H.R. 1790, The Chemical Safety Information and Site Security Act of 1999</b>	<b>House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Health and Environment</b>	<b>OSWER</b>	<b>G. Hull</b>
<b>Carol M. Browner</b>	<b>5/20/99</b>	<b>EPA's Proposed Sulfur Standard for Gasoline - Proposed Tier Standards for Automobiles</b>	<b>Senate Environment and Public Works Committee Subcommittee on Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property, and Nuclear Safety</b>	<b>OAR</b>	<b>D. Frantz</b>

<b>David Gardiner</b>	<b>5/20/99</b>	<b>Global Climate Change</b>	<b>JOINT HEARING: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Energy Research, Development, Production and Regulation – House Government Reform and Oversight Committee Subcommittee on Natural Economic Growth, Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs</b>	<b>OP</b>	<b>D. Hicks</b>
<b>William Sanders</b>	<b>6/17/99</b>	<b>High Production Volume Chemical Testing Program</b>	<b>House Science Committee Subcommittee on Energy and Environment</b>	<b>OPTS</b>	<b>P. Pagano</b>
<b>J. Charles Fox</b>	<b>6/22/99</b>	<b>Clean Water Infrastructure and Wet Weather Flows Legislation</b>	<b>House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment</b>	<b>OW</b>	<b>T. Dickerson</b>
<b>Sallyanne Harper</b>	<b>7/1/99</b>	<b>Performance Budgeting – focusing on April 1999 GAO Report &gt; Favorable to EPA</b>	<b>House Government Reform Committee / Subcommittee on Government Management, Information and Technology</b>	<b>OARM</b>	<b>A. Hannon</b>
<b>Dana Minerva</b>	<b>7/13/99</b>	<b>Clean Water Act - related legislation, including H.R. 1775, H.R. 1237, H.R. 1096, H.R. 855 and H.R. 673</b>	<b>House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Water Resources and the Environment</b>	<b>OW</b>	<b>P. Gaskins</b>
<b>Robert Perciasepe</b>	<b>7/14/99</b>	<b>Conformity</b>	<b>Senate Environment and Public Works Committee</b>	<b>OAR</b>	<b>D. Frantz</b>
<b>Margo Oge</b>	<b>7/21/99</b>	<b>Sulfur in Gasoline</b>	<b>House Science Committee Subcommittee on Energy and Power</b>	<b>OAR</b>	<b>E. Cummings</b>

<b>Tim Fields</b>	<b>7/21/99</b>	<b>Nuclear Regulatory Commission Funding Authorization</b>	<b>House Commerce Committee</b>	<b>OSWER</b>	<b>M. McKeever</b>
<b>J. Charles Fox</b>	<b>7/22/99</b>	<b>Clean Water Act - related legislation including H.R. 999, S. 522, S.835, S.119, S. 492 and S. 878</b>	<b>Senate Environment and Public Works Committee</b>	<b>OW</b>	<b>P. Gaskins</b>
<b>Steve Herman</b>	<b>7/27/99</b>	<b>NEPA Streamlining Provisions</b>	<b>House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Ground Transportation</b>	<b>OECA</b>	<b>M. Muller</b>
<b>James Makris</b>	<b>7/29/99</b>	<b>H.R. 1301, a bill to exempt propane from EPA's Risk Management Program Reporting Requirements</b>	<b>House Small Business Committee</b>	<b>OSWER</b>	<b>G. Hull</b>
<b>Robert Perciasepe</b>	<b>7/29/99</b>	<b>Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property and Nuclear Safety</b>	<b>Senate Environment and Public Committee Subcommittee on Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property, and Nuclear Safety</b>	<b>OAR</b>	<b>D. Frantz</b>
<b>Cynthia Dougherty</b>	<b>7/29/99</b>	<b>Rural Drinking Water Projects</b>	<b>House Resource Committee</b>	<b>OW</b>	<b>T. Dickerson</b>
<b>Peter Robinson</b>	<b>8/3/99</b>	<b>Impact of the Food Quality Protection Act (FQPA) on Public Health</b>	<b>House Agriculture Committee Subcommittee on Department Operations</b>	<b>OPPTS</b>	
<b>Tim Fields</b>	<b>8/4/99</b>	<b>Brownfields and Superfund Liability</b>	<b>House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Finance and Hazardous Materials</b>	<b>OSWER</b>	<b>R. Deitz</b>
<b>Margo Oge</b>	<b>9/14/99</b>	<b>Reformulated Gasoline Program</b>	<b>House Science Committee Subcommittee on Energy and Commerce</b>	<b>OAR</b>	<b>R. Meni</b>

<b>Tim Fields</b>	<b>9/22/99</b>	<b>Superfund – H.R. 1300, H.R. 2580 / Liability and Remedy Issues</b>	<b>House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Finance and Hazardous Materials</b>	<b>OSWER</b>	<b>R. Deitz</b>
<b>Richard Green</b>	<b>9/23/99</b>	<b>Paducah Kentucky Gaseous Diffusion Plant</b>	<b>House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations</b>	<b>EPA Region 4</b>	<b>G. Hull</b>
<b>Sallyane Harper</b>	<b>9/30/99</b>	<b>EPA’s Financial Data Quality [DOT and GSA]</b>	<b>House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Oversight, Investigations, and Emergency Management</b>	<b>OARM</b>	<b>B. Rosing</b>
<b>Reid Wilson</b>	<b>9/30/99</b>	<b>Tax Incentives For Land Conservation</b>	<b>House Ways and Means Committee/Subcommittee on Oversight</b>	<b>OA</b>	<b>K. Sykes</b>
<b>Gary Guzy</b>	<b>10/6/99</b>	<b>Is CO2 a Pollutant and Does EPA Have the Power to Regulate it</b>	<b>House Government Reform Committee/Subcommittee on National Economic Growth, Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs</b>	<b>OGC</b>	<b>D. Hicks</b>
<b>J. Charles Fox</b>	<b>10/7/99</b>	<b>Clean Water Infrastructure - - H.R. 2720, S. 914, and S. 968</b>	<b>Senate Environment and Public Works Committee</b>	<b>OW</b>	<b>P. Gaskins</b>
<b>Dr. Janet L. Andersen</b>	<b>10/7/99</b>	<b>Biotechnology Issues</b>	<b>Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee</b>	<b>OPPTS</b>	<b>P. Pagano</b>
<b>J. Charles Fox</b>	<b>10/13/99</b>	<b>S. 188, S. 669, and S. 1706</b>	<b>Senate Environment and Public Works Committee</b>	<b>OW</b>	<b>P. Gaskins</b>
<b>Robert Perciasepe</b>	<b>10/14/99</b>	<b>Reauthorization of the Clean Air Act</b>	<b>Senate Environment and Public Works Committee Subcommittee on Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property, and Nuclear Safety</b>	<b>OAR</b>	<b>D. Frantz</b>

<b>J. Charles Fox</b>	<b>10/18/99</b>	<b>Clean Lakes and Water Quality Management</b>	<b>House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment</b>	<b>Field Hearing Cooper-town, NY</b>	<b>P. Gaskins</b>
<b>Dr. Janet L. Andersen</b>	<b>10/19/99</b>	<b>Biotechnology Pesticide Issues</b>	<b>House Science Committee Subcommittee on Basic Research</b>	<b>OPPTS</b>	<b>P. Pagano</b>
<b>Dr. Norine Noonan GAO Cynthia Dougherty</b>	<b>10/20/99</b>	<b>EPA's Drinking Water Program and the Agency's Research Supporting the Program</b>	<b>House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Health and Environment</b>	<b>ORD GAO OGDW</b>	<b>T. Dickerson</b>
<b>Dr. Norine Noonan</b>	<b>10/21/99</b>	<b>Superfund Research and Development</b>	<b>House Science Committee Subcommittee on Energy and Environment</b>	<b>ORD</b>	<b>D. Hicks</b>
<b>Richard Green</b>	<b>10/26/99</b>	<b>Paducah Kentucky Gaseous Diffusion Facility</b>	<b>Senate Appropriations Committee - Subcommittee on Energy and Water</b>	<b>EPA Region 4</b>	<b>G. Hull</b>
<b>J. Charles Fox</b>	<b>10/28/99</b>	<b>TMDL's</b>	<b>House Agriculture Committee Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition and Forestry</b>	<b>OW</b>	<b>P. Gaskins</b>
<b>Sallyanne Harper</b>	<b>10/28/99</b>	<b>The Federal Activities Inventory Reform Act</b>	<b>House Government Reform Committee - Subcommittee on Government Management, Information and Technology</b>	<b>OARM</b>	<b>P. Pagano</b>
<b>Romy Diaz</b>	<b>11/4/99</b>	<b>EPA Grants Management Policy and Practices</b>	<b>House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Oversight, Investigations and Emergency Management</b>	<b>OARM</b>	<b>B. Rosing</b>

<b>Tim Fields</b>	<b>11/4/99</b>	<b>B rownfields Cleanup Revolving Loan Fund</b>	<b>House Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations</b>	<b>OSWER</b>	<b>R. Coronado</b>
<b>Kathleen Callahan</b>	<b>11/5/99</b>	<b>To Examine the Effects on Living Marine Resources from Dredged Materials Disposed in the New York Bight</b>	<b>House Resources Committee Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans</b>	<b>EPA Region 2</b>	<b>T. Dickerson</b>
<b>THERE WERE NO EPA HEARINGS HELD FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER</b>					
<b>FOR THE FIRST SESSION OF THE 106<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS (1999) ... TOTAL HEARINGS HELD [58]</b>					