**NSC Technical Subcommittee Call Minutes – October 20, 2015**

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Includes the power point presentation used by Kristin Fitzgerald & Josh Smeraldi, US EPA

**Attending:**

Reg 1: Sara Johnson - NH

Reg 3: Jeremy Hancher & Carrie Wintersteen - PA

Reg 4: Donovan Grimwood – TN; John Yntema - GA; Melissa Collier - MS

Reg 5: Christine Grossman – MI; Erin Conley - IL; Jenifer Dixon - MI; Lisa Ashenbrenner & Barb Bickford - WI; Rick Carleski & Todd Nein - OH; Mark Stoddard - IN

Reg 6: Diane Wilkins - OK; Patty Avery – TX

Reg 7: Barb Goode & Larey Sadiq – KS

Reg 9: Genevieve Salmonson – HI; Jenna Latt – CA

US EPA: Kristin Fitzgerald & Josh Smeraldi

**Approval of September minutes:** approved as is.

**Management Standards for Hazardous Waste Pharmaceuticals Proposed Rule – Josh Smeraldi and Kristin Fitzgerald, US EPA**

Highlights from presentation:

1. Health care facilities and reverse distributors
2. No comprehensive list of which pharmaceuticals are hazardous waste
3. Point of generation at the Reverse Distributor
4. Creditable – removed from shelf; shipping receipt
5. Non-creditable – similar to Universal Waste; manifesting
6. Not counted towards HW generator status
7. Sewer ban including a CESQG
8. RCRA empty – unit dose (i.e., containers, syringes) fully dispensed
9. Comments must be received by Tuesday, November 24, 2015
10. What do you like?
11. What do you wish to change?
12. Why?
13. Requests for extension being considered
14. Segregate from household hazardous waste collections

**Potential Future Topics**

* Proposed Rules: Hazardous Waste Generator Improvements
  + <http://www2.epa.gov/hwgenerators/proposed-rule-hazardous-waste-generator-improvements>
  + Q&A: <http://www2.epa.gov/hwgenerators/frequent-questions-about-hazardous-waste-generator-improvements-proposed-rule>
  + Comments must be received by Tuesday, November 24, 2015
* UST regulatory changes
* Secondary Aluminum Processing NESHAP
* Isobutane and propane as refrigerants
* Ohio EPA’s new Permit Wizard Online Guide and use of webinar to educate users

**Next Call:** November 17, 2015

2-3pm EST (3rd Tuesday of month)

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