

In response to a flood of email and voicemail messages regarding the status of the draft standards for MMPP; I have decided to send out this email message. The draft proposal for MMPP was submitted to EPA's Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation (OPEI) in Washington, D.C. on April 5, 2002. We hope it reaches the Administrator's office for signature sometime this month; however, OPEI has been inundated with many packages requiring their attention. Therefore, it will probably take significantly longer. After OPEI has completed their review it will be forwarded on to the Administrator for review and signature. It will be published in the Federal Register within 2 weeks following signature. It typically takes about 1 year between proposal and promulgation of standards; therefore, I would expect to publish the promulgation approximately 12 months following publication of the proposal. For your convenience I have included a table of the **draft** limits undergoing management review. However, please note that the limits expressed in this document are **DRAFT, PRELIMINARY, PRE-DECISIONAL** and have not been signed (approved) by the Administrator and are, therefore, subject to change. In fact, we have already revised the limits (since the "022002.doc" file) for the **Rubber-to-Metal** subcategory due to some mathematical errors in converting from the English units to the Metric units. The limits included in the **draft** proposal for review are as follows:

**Table 1. Emission Limits for New Affected Sources**

Coating Type	Emission Limit	
	(kg HAP/Liter of Coating Solids)	(lb HAP/Gal of Coating Solids)
General Use Subcategory		
\$ General Use Coatings	0.23	1.94
\$ High Performance Coatings	3.30	27.54
Magnet Wire Subcategory	0.05	0.44

<b>Rubber-to-Metal Subcategory</b>	<b>0.81</b>	<b>6.80</b>
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**Table 2. Emission Limits for Existing Affected Sources**

Coating Type	Emission Limit	
	(kg HAP/Liter of Coating Solids)	(lbs HAP/Gal of Coating Solids)
General Use Subcategory		
\$ General Use Coatings	0.31	2.60
\$ High Performance Coatings	3.30	27.54
Magnet Wire Subcategory	0.12	1.00
<b>Rubber-to-Metal Subcategory</b>	<b>4.51</b>	<b>37.70</b>

If you have any questions regarding Section 112(j) (i.e., hammer provisions) you can contact Mr. Rick Colyer at colyer.rick@epa.gov or (919) 541-5262 or visit <http://www.epa.gov/ttn/atw/112j/112jaypg.html>. I will continue sending email update messages to recipients of the MMPP Stakeholder Notification List as I receive status updates from Washington, D.C. If you'd like to be added to the MMPP Stakeholder Notification List, please send me an email message requesting to be added to the MMPP Stakeholder Notification List.

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