

FISCAL YEAR 2007 PROJECT Persistent, Bioaccumulative, & Toxics (PBT) & Other Priority Chemicals

High Production Volume Chemicals National Conference

Project Strategy: develop and hold a national conference on High Production Volume (HPV) chemicals in partnership with EPA Headquarters

NEWMOA will take the lead to organize a three-day national conference to be held in December 2006 to:

- Educate a wide variety of stakeholders about the EPA High Production Volume (HPV) Challenge Program, as well as other sources of HPV chemical health and safety data
- Share experiences of key stakeholders with the use of and research involving HPV health and safety information
- Engage attendees to develop ideas on how to make HPV chemicals health and safety information user friendly, accessible, and relevant to a diverse audience

Conference partners & co-sponsors will include: Association of State and Territorial Solid Waste Management Officials (ASTSWMO); Council on Environmental Cooperation (CEC); Environmental Council of States (ECOS); National Pollution Prevention Roundtable (NPPR); and the Lowell Center for Sustainable Production (LCSP). The target audience for the conference will include: federal, state, tribal, and local environmental and public health officials; academic researchers; industry representative; non-governmental organizations; and others with an interest in HPV chemical health and safety data.

In FY 2007, NEWMOA will finalize the conference agenda, communicate with speakers and the conference steering committee, manage registration through the NEWMOA website, collect presentations for the conference, and manage all of the conference logistics.

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