

PEER REVIEW PLAN

Title:

NANOMATERIAL CASE STUDY: NANOSCALE SILVER IN
DISINFECTANT SPRAY (EXTERNAL REVIEW DRAFT)

Purpose/Objective:

The information presented in the case study and the questions raised in this document are a foundation for a process to determine priorities among various research topics and directions. After that process has been completed, a final chapter will be added to this document to summarize highlights from preceding chapters and the major research issues that have emerged.

Product Completion Date
(Projected):

06/30/2011

OMB Category:

Influential

Peer Review Leader:

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External Peer Review Mechanism:

Letter Review by Independent Subject Experts

Peer Review Expected to Begin:

1st Quarter, Fiscal Year 2011

EPA's Fiscal Years run from October to September.
Quarters for Fiscal Year 2011:
1st: October - December, 2010
2nd: January - March, 2011
3rd: April - June, 2011
4th: July - September, 2011

Was a deferral to peer review invoked?

No

Will an alternative peer review process be employed?

No

Number of Peer Reviewers

4 to 10

Primary Disciplines needed in the review:

Chemistry-Environmental, Risk
Assessment-Ecological, Toxicology-General

Who will select the reviewers?

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Will the public, including scientific or professional societies be asked to nominate peer reviewers?		No
Will public nominations be allowed through the Peer Review Agenda?		No
Will there be opportunity for public comment on the product?		Yes
Describe How and When	Federal Register Notice open 8/13/10 to 9/27/10	
Will the Agency provide significant and relevant public comments to the peer reviewers before they conduct their review?		Yes
Will the review be a panel, conducted in public?		No
Will public comments be allowed at the panel review?		No