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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Calculation of the Part 71 Per Ton Fee for Calendar Year 2005

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Regions I-X

For Part 71 programs administered by EPA, the per ton fee for calendar year 2005 is \$39.61. This fee amount represents an increase of 2.30% from the fee amount in effect for calendar year 2004 (\$38.72). This increase is based on a calculation of the average monthly change in the Consumer Price Index (All Urban Consumers) for the period of September 2003 through August 2004.