

NEPA BOOK

A step-by-step guide on how to comply with the National Environmental Policy Act

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Ideal for environmental specialists, agency reviewers and decision makers, attorneys, consultants, students, and citizens who want to effectively influence environmental decisions that shape their communities.

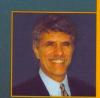
This edition includes—

- Detailed advice on how to comply with the National Environmental Policy Act
- Expanded discussions of Environmental Assessments (EAs), Findings of No Significant Impact (FONSIs), and Environmental Impact Statements (EISs)
- Flow charts and diagrams explaining the entire NEPA process
- Chapters on integrating NEPA with other environmental laws, Internet resources for NEPA compliance, the globalization of NEPA, and NEPA's effectiveness
- Sections on Environmental Justice and International Trade Agreements
- · Discussions of important case law
- Recent advisory memoranda from CEQ on the implementation of NEPA

This book will help you-

- Determine if and when a particular action is subject to NEPA
- Decide whether an environmental assessment or a FONSI is appropriate
- Prepare legally-adequate environmental documents
- Write effective mitigation measures
- Understand the relationship between NEPA and other environmental laws

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