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Obama's Red Tape Roadmap

April 27 marks **100 days** since President Obama issued an Executive Order to relieve regulatory *["burdens that have stifled innovation and have had a chilling effect on growth and jobs."](#)* In 2011 alone, his Administration has already filled 20,214 pages of the Federal Register with 255 proposed or enacted regulations with regulatory costs of over \$24.4 billion.

Major regulations that will have a damaging economic impact:

January 2011

- EPA TAILORING RULE STEP 1: Facilities that must already obtain New Source Review and Title V permits for other pollutants must account for GHGs if they increase their emissions by at least 75,000 tons of GHGs per year. (Goes through June 30, 2011)

February 2011

- Boiler MACT – FINAL RULE (EPA)

March 2011

- 316(b) Standards for Cooling Water Intake Structures – PROPOSED RULE (EPA)
- Utility MACT – PROPOSED RULE (EPA)

April 2011

- Medicare Shared Savings Program: Accountable Care Organizations – PROPOSED RULE (HHS)
- US-VISIT Exit System for Air and Sea Ports – FINAL RULE (DHS)

May 2011

- CO2 NSPS for Refineries – FINAL RULE (EPA)
- Pulp and Paper Integrated Rule – FINAL RULE (EPA)
- Ozone Protection: Amendments to Section 608 Leak Repair Regulations – FINAL RULE (EPA)

June 2011

- Definition of Solid Waste – PROPOSED RULE (EPA)
- Construction Storm Water Permit – FINAL RULE (EPA)
- Clean Air Transport Rule – FINAL RULE (EPA)
- State Health Benefit Exchanges Section 1311 of the ACA – PROPOSED RULE (HHS)
- Energy Efficiency Standards for Appliances – FINAL RULE (DOE)

July 2011

- CO2 NSPS for Power Plants – PROPOSED RULE (EPA)
- EPA TAILORING RULE STEP 2 – New facilities that emit at least 100,000 tons of GHGs and existing facilities that increase emissions by at least 75,000 tons will be subject to permitting rules, even if they do not exceed thresholds for other pollutants. (Goes through June 30, 2013)

- GHG emission standards for heavy-duty trucks and buses – FINAL RULE (EPA)
- Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards – FINAL RULE (EPA)
- Secondary NO2/SO2 NAAQS – PROPOSED RULE (EPA)
- Toxic Substances Control Act Inventory Reporting – FINAL RULE (EPA)
- Aerospace MACT – PROPOSED RULE (EPA)

August 2011

- Carbon Monoxide (CO) NAAQS – FINAL RULE (EPA)

September 2011

- Community Living Assistance Services and Supports (CLASS) Enrollment and Eligibility Rules under the Affordable Care Act – PROPOSED RULE (HHS)

October 2011

- PM 2.5 NAAQS – FINAL RULE (EPA)

November 2011

- NSPS for nitric acid plants – FINAL RULE (EPA)
- NSPS for oil and gas production – FINAL RULE (EPA)
- Utility MACT – FINAL RULE (EPA)

December 2011

- GHG emission regulations in regards to refineries – PROPOSED RULE (EPA)
- Refinery CO2 NSPS – PROPOSED RULE (EPA)
- Regulation of exterior renovations in public and commercial buildings posing lead-based paint hazards – FINAL RULE (EPA)

January 2012

- Medicare Shared Savings Program: Accountable Care Organizations – FINAL RULE (HHS)
- Labor Certification and Enforcement for H-2B Program – FINAL RULE IMPLEMENTED (DOL)

May 2012

- CO2 NSPS for power plants – FINAL RULE (EPA)

July 2012

- EPA TAILORING RULE STEP 3: Rulemaking to discuss whether smaller sources can be excluded from permitting.
- 316(b) standards for cooling water intake structures – FINAL RULE (EPA)

November 2012

- Refinery CO2 NSPS – FINAL RULE (EPA)

December 2012

- Definition of solid waste – FINAL RULE (EPA)

Dates TBD

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| Dust Rule (MSHA) | Oil Shale Regulation (BLM) |
| Coverage for Preventative Services (HHS) | Grandfathered Plans (HHS) |
| Essential Health Benefits (HHS) | Commercial Driver Hours (DOT) |
| Net Neutrality (FCC) | Dodd-Frank (330 rule-makings on the way) |