Title V Task Force: Overview

- Reminder: Purpose of Task Force
 - Answer Two Questions
 - How well is the title V program performing?
 - What elements of the program are working well/poorly?
 - Reflect real world experience, examples
 - Report to CAAAC reflecting all views
 - Possible recommendations

Title V Task Force: Process

- Where Process Stands
 - 18-member task force
 - Still Conducting Outreach
 - Public Meetings have been held in Washington, D.C. and Chicago
 - Transcripts on CAAAC website
 - Regular task force planning meetings/calls
 - Outreach concludes in March
 - Goal: to complete report by end of 2005

Title V Task Force: Sample Issues

- What we're hearing from public (a sample)
 - Title V has focused attention on air issues and has improved industry management of air pollution
 - Use of tools improving (better forms, use of Internet, etc.)
 - Inadequate efforts to inform public and consider their input
 - Permits contain terms that are ambiguous, contradictory, paraphrased, without basis in applicable requirements
 - Slow processing of initial permits, modifications
 - Effort, resources spent for little benefit (IEUs, some monitoring)
 - Staff helpful, but lack necessary expertise, experience
 - Programs not using fee mechanism to ensure adequate resources; fees not going to program
 - Permits build in needless, overly burdensome monitoring terms
 OR monitoring not sufficient to assure compliance
 - And more!

Title V Task Force Next Steps

- Opportunities to Participate
 - San Francisco Meeting February 7, 2005
 - Details in upcoming FR Notice, CAAAC website
 - State conference call February 8, 2005
 - Written Comments Due in March 2005
 - See May 17 or August 16 FR notices
 - Docket number OAR-2004-0075
 - Task Force would like full range of perspectives