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### **U.S. EPA DECISION TO REGULATE PERCHLORATE**

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency or EPA recently issued their decision to regulate the level of perchlorate in drinking water. This is a reversal of the EPA decision issued under the George W. Bush Administration. At that time, the EPA determined that there was no value in issuing a Federal control limit on perchlorate.

The **Perchlorate Information Bureau** or **PIB** (affiliated with the Perchlorate Study Group or PSG) issued a statement on February 2, 2011, reinforcing the former Bush position.

**February 2, 2011: [STATEMENT FROM THE PERCHLORATE INFORMATION BUREAU](#)**

For more information on the Perchlorate Information Bureau, visit their website at [www.perchlorateinfo.org](http://www.perchlorateinfo.org).

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The Perchlorate Information Bureau is supported by Aerojet, American Pacific Corporation, ATK and Lockheed Martin. These companies have worked cooperatively with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to increase scientific and medical understanding of perchlorate's risk to human health.

Grounded in the most credible, up-to-date science and education, the Perchlorate Information Bureau is dedicated to improving the public dialogue on the facts about perchlorate in drinking and irrigation water, as well as food, and the potential impacts of perchlorate regulation on human health, water supply, water rates and taxpayers.

To provide public agencies, businesses, the media and the public with a greater understanding of these issues, the Perchlorate Information Bureau will assist in explaining scientific information related to the effects of perchlorate in water; state and federal policies and programs; regulatory issues; and treatment technologies

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