

## NTP Testing Program: Update on Nominations and West Virginia Chemical Spill

### Background Materials:

NTP web site: [West Virginia Chemical Spill -  
http://ntp.niehs.nih.gov/results/areas/wvspill/index.html](http://www.niehs.nih.gov/results/areas/wvspill/index.html)

### New Nominations to the Testing Program

The NTP continually accepts and reviews nominations for studies in its research and testing program. For new studies or research projects of substantial scope and complexity, NTP research concepts are prepared and presented to the BSC for review and public comment. Occasionally, the NTP receives nominations for substances for which the NTP has previously conducted studies or that are closely aligned with current research efforts. The purpose of this presentation is to provide an update on how the NTP is responding to three recent nominations that fit this description. The table below identifies the nominated substances with links to testing results and status, if available.

Chemical	CASRN	Nomination Summary
Decabromodiphenylethane	84852-83-9	<a href="#">N21017</a>
Firemaster 550 and constituents: 2-Ethylhexyl-2,3,4,5-tetrabromobenzoate Bis(2-ethylhexyl) tetrabromophthalate Triphenyl phosphate Isopropylated phenol phosphate	183658-27-7 <a href="#">26040-51-7</a> <a href="#">115-86-6</a> <a href="#">68937-41-7</a>	<a href="#">N21305</a>
Hydrochlorothiazide	<a href="#">58-93-5</a>	<a href="#">N21407</a>

### NTP Research Response to the West Virginia Chemical Spill

A separate presentation will provide an update on the NTP's research response to the West Virginia Chemical Spill. In July 2014, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention/Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry nominated chemicals involved in the West Virginia Elk River Spill to the NTP for toxicological characterization. In response to this request for additional toxicology data, the NTP plans to perform several studies to provide health hazard information in a relatively short timeframe. A fact sheet, project plan and other information are available on the NTP West Virginia Chemical Spill website.