

# Commission on Risk Assessment and Risk Management

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## INFORMATION

- Mandated under the 1990 Amendments to the Clean Air Act
- Considering issues related to how human health risk assessments are performed and, most importantly, how the results of human health risk assessments are used in regulatory decision-making
- Focussing on the five aspects of our mandate:
  - uses and limitations of risk assessment in decision-making
  - appropriate exposure scenarios
  - uncertainty and risk communication
  - risk management policy issues
  - consistency across agencies
- Also considering the 1994 National Research Council report, *Science and Judgment in Risk Assessment*
- Meeting monthly since May 1994; reporting to Congress in March and September 1996