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## RULE 512 Preliminary Matters

Preliminary matters such as setting a date for hearing, granting continuances, approving petitions for filing, allowing amendments and other preliminary rulings not determinative of the merits of the case may be made by the Chairman or any three members of the Hearing Board without a hearing or meeting of the Hearing Board and without notice.

[SIP: Deletion Challenged, U.S. 9<sup>th</sup> Cir. Case # 97-71117; Deleted 6/27/97 62 FR 34641, 40 CFR 52.220(c)(39)(iii)(F) and 40 CFR 52.220(c)(30)(x)(B); Approved 9/8/78, 43 FR 40011, 40 CFR 52.220(c)(39)(iii)(C); Approved 6/14/78, 43 FR 25684, 40 CFR 52.220(c)(30)(x)(A)]

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