Title of planned report:	OMB Proposed Bulletin on Risk Assessment
Subject and purpose:	This Bulletin provides clear minimum standards for the scientific quality and presentation of federal risk assessments.
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The report is likely to be:	Highly Influential
Timing of the review:	Anticipated completion of the entire review process (including NAS review), is expected in late 2006.
The peer review will be conducted by:	The National Academies of Science (NAS)
Will the agency provide opportunities for the public to comment on the work product to be peer reviewed?	The public can participate at the NAS workshop, and public comments can be submitted to OMB at OMB_RAbulletin@omb.eop.gov. Comments are due by June 15, 2006.
Will the agency provide significant and relevant public comments to the peer reviewers before they conduct their review?	OMB will provide the NAS with all public comments during their review.
Anticipated number of reviewers:	8-15
Primary disciplines or expertise needed in the review:	Risk assessment, clinical medicine, toxicology, industrial hygiene, statistics, engineering (chemical, environmental, energy-systems, and physical structures), epidemiology, uncertainty, decision analysis, benefit-cost analysis.
Reviewers will be selected by:	NAS
Will the public, including scientific or professional societies, be asked to nominate potential peer reviewers?	Through the NAS process, the public can suggest names to the NAS and also comment on a proposed slate of reviewers.