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Title 7—Agriculture

CHAPTER IX—AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE (MARKETING AGREEMENTS AND ORDERS; FRUITS, VEGETABLES, NUTS), DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

[Valencia Orange Reg. 556]

PART 908—VALENCIA ORANGES GROWN IN ARIZONA AND DESIGNATED PART OF CALIFORNIA

Limitation of Handling

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This regulation establishes the quantity of California-Arizona Valencia oranges that may be shipped to fresh market during the weekly regulation period May 20-26, 1977. This regulation is needed to provide for orderly marketing of fresh Valencia oranges for the regulation period because of the production and marketing situation confronting the orange industry.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 20, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Charles R. Brader, Deputy Director, Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250 (202-447-3545).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: (a) *Findings*. (1) Pursuant to the amended marketing agreement and Order No. 908, as amended (7 CFR Part 908), regulating the handling of Valencia oranges grown in Arizona and designated part of California, effective under the applicable provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674), and upon the basis of the recommendations and information submitted by the Valencia Orange Administrative Committee, established under the amended marketing agreement and order, and upon other available information, it is found that the limitation of handling of Valencia oranges, as provided in this regulation will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act.

(2) The need for this regulation to limit the quantities of Valencia oranges that may be marketed from District 1, District 2, or District 3 during the specified week stems from the production and marketing situation confronting the Valencia orange industry.

(i) The committee has submitted its recommendation for the quantities of Valencia oranges that should be marketed during the specified week. The recommendation, designed to provide equity of marketing opportunity to handlers in all districts, resulted from consideration of the factors covered in the order. The committee further reports the fresh market demand for Valencia oranges continues to improve.

Average f.o.b. price was $3.49 per carton on 363 cars for the week ended May 12, as compared with $3.33 per carton on 254 cars the previous week.

Track and rolling supplies at 137 cars were down 56 cars from last week.

(ii) Having considered the recommendation and information submitted by the committee, and other available information, the Secretary finds that the quantities of Valencia oranges which may be handled should be established as provided in this regulation.

(3) It is hereby further found that it is impracticable and contrary to the public interest to give preliminary notice, engage in public rule-making procedure, and postpone the effective date of this regulation until 30 days after publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER (5 U.S.C. 553), because the time intervening between the date when information becomes available upon which this regulation is based and the time when this regulation must become effective in order to effectuate the declared policy of the act is insufficient. A reasonable time is permitted for preparation for such effective time; and good cause exists for making the regulation effective as specified. The committee held an open meeting during the current week, after giving due notice, to consider supply and market conditions for Valencia oranges and the need for regulation. Interested persons were afforded an opportunity to submit information and views at this meeting. The recommendation and supporting information for regulation during the period specified were promptly submitted to the Secretary after the meeting was held, and information concerning such provisions and effective time has been provided to handlers of Valencia oranges. It is necessary, to effectuate the declared policy of the act, to make this regulation effective during the period specified. The committee meeting was held on May 17, 1977.

§ 908.856 Valencia Orange Regulation 556.

(b) Order. (1) The quantities of Valencia oranges grown in Arizona and designated part of California which may be handled during the period May 20, 1977, through May 26, 1977, are hereby fixed as follows:

(i) District 1: 287,000 cartons;
(ii) District 2: 413,000 cartons;
(iii) District 3: Unlimited.

(2) As used in this section, "handled", "District 1", "District 2", "District 3", and "carton" have the same meaning as when used in the amended marketing agreement and order.

(Secs. 1-19, 48 Stat. 31, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 601-674.)

Dated: May 18, 1977.

CHARLES R. BRADER,
Deputy Director, Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agricultural Marketing Service.

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[Papaya Reg. 7, Amdt. 2]

PART 928—PAPAYAS GROWN IN HAWAII

Limitation of Shipments

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This amendment relaxes the quality and size requirements for Hawaiian papayas shipped out-of-state during the period May 16 through May 25, 1977. It also deletes or revises certain terms used in previous regulations. Due to a delay in the seasonal peak production of Hawaiian papayas, this amendment is needed to increase the supply of papayas available for export to the benefit of producers and consumers.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 16, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Charles R. Brader, Deputy Director, Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250 (202-447-3545).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to the marketing agreement and Order No. 928 (7 CFR Part 928), regulating the handling of papayas grown in Hawaii, effective under the applicable provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674), and upon the recommendations of the Papaya Administrative Committee, established under the marketing agreement and order, and upon other available information, it is found that this amendment will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act.

The committee reports that due to a delay in seasonal peak production of Hawaiian papayas, ample supplies of larger sized fruit will be later than normal. Therefore, the committee has recommended that the current requirements for papayas for export of at least Hawaii No. 1 grade and a weight of not less than 10 ounces each set to expire on May 15, 1977, be extended through May 25, 1977. During the remainder of 1977, papayas for export are required to weight at least 11 ounces each and grade at least Hawaii No. 1 except that the tolerance for defects is 5 percent instead of 10 percent. This amendment also deletes the requirement that papayas for export be of pyriform shape and revises certain regulation terms to conform with current standards.

It is further found that it is impracticable, unnecessary, and contrary to the public interest to give preliminary notice, engage in public rulemaking procedure, and postpone the effective date of this amendment until 30 days after publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER (5 U.S.C. 553) in that the time intervening between the date when information upon which this amendment is based became available and the time when this amendment must become effective in order to effectuate the declared policy of the act is insufficient; and this amendment relieves restrictions on the handling of papayas grown in Hawaii.

Order. The provisions of § 928.307 (Papaya Regulation 7; 42 FR 1; 17099) are hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 928.307 Papaya Regulation 7.

(a) During the period January 1 through December 31, 1977, no handler shall ship any container of papayas to any destination within the production area unless said papayas grade at least Hawaii No. 1 and are of a size which individually weigh not less than 14 ounces: *Provided*, That papayas handled as Hawaii Fancy grade shall be of a size which individually weigh not less than 16 ounces.

(b) During the period January 1 through May 25, 1977, no handler shall ship any container of papayas to any export destination unless said papayas grade at least Hawaii No. 1: *Provided*, That such papayas shall weigh not less than 10 ounces each.

(c) During the period May 26 through December 31, 1977, no handler shall ship any container of papayas to any export destination unless said papayas grade at least Hawaii No. 1, except that the allowable tolerances for defects shall be 5 percent: *Provided*, That not more than 3 percent shall be permitted for serious damage, not more than 1 percent for immature fruit, and not more than 1 percent for decay: *Provided further*, That such papayas shall weigh not less than 11 ounces each.

(d) When used herein "Hawaii Fancy" and "Hawaii No. 1" shall have the same meaning as set forth in the State of Hawaii Standards for Hawaii-Grown Papayas, Subsection 5.32, as amended. All other terms shall have the same meaning as when used in the marketing agreement and order.

(Secs. 1-19, 48 Stat. 31, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674).)

Dated: May 13, 1977, to become effective May 16, 1977.

CHARLES R. BRADER,
Acting Director, Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agricultural Marketing Service.

[FR Doc.77-14279 Filed 5-18-77;8:45 am]

PART 953—POTATOES GROWN IN SOUTHEASTERN STATES

Expenses and Rate of Assessment

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This regulation authorizes expenses of $11,125 and establishes a rate of assessment of one-fourth cent per hundredweight of potatoes for the functioning of the Southeastern Potato Committee for the 1977-78 fiscal period. The regulation will enable the committee to collect assessments from first handlers on all assessable potatoes handled and to use the resulting funds for its expenses.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 1, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Charles R. Brader, Deputy Director, Fruit and Vegetable Division, AMS, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250, Telephone 202-447-3545.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Marketing Agreement No. 104 and Order No. 953, both as amended, regulate the handling of potatoes grown in designated counties of Virginia and North Carolina. It is effective under the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674). The Southeastern Potato Committee, established under the order, is responsible for its local administration.

Notice was published in the April 22, 1977, FEDERAL REGISTER (42 FR 20825) regarding the proposal. It afforded interested persons an opportunity to submit written comments not later than May 13, 1977. None was received.

After consideration of all relevant matters, including the proposals in the notice, it is found that the following expenses and rate of assessment should be approved.

It is further found that good cause exists for not postponing the effective date of this section until 30 days after publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER (5 U.S.C. 553) because this part requires that the rate of assessment for a particular period shall apply to all assessable potatoes from the beginning of such period.

The regulation is as follows:

§ 953.214 Expenses and rate of assessment.

(a) The expenses the Secretary finds may be necessary to be incurred during the fiscal period June 1, 1977, through May 31, 1978, by the Southeastern Potato Committee for its maintenance and functioning will amount to $11,125.

(b) The rate of assessment to be paid by each handler in accordance with the amended Marketing Agreement and this part shall be one-fourth cent ($0.0025) per hundredweight of potatoes handled by him as the first handler thereof during the said fiscal period except potatoes for canning, freezing, and other processing shall be exempt.

(c) Unexpended income in excess of expenses for the fiscal period may be carried over as a reserve.

(d) Terms used in this section shall have the same meaning as when used in the said amended marketing agreement and this part.

(Secs. 1-19, 48 Stat. 31, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 601-674.)

Dated: May 16, 1977.

CHARLES R. BRADER,
Deputy Director, Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agricultural Marketing Service.

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CHAPTER XIV—COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

SUBCHAPTER B—LOANS, PURCHASES, AND OTHER OPERATIONS

[CCC Grain Price Support Regs., 1976 Crop Corn Supplement, Amdt. 1]

PART 1421—GRAINS AND SIMILARLY HANDLED COMMODITIES

1976 Crop Corn Loan and Purchase Program; Correction

AGENCY: Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture.

ACTION: Correction.

SUMMARY: This document corrects a final rule that appeared at pages 10302 and 10303 in the FEDERAL REGISTER of February 22, 1977 (FR Doc. 77-5264).

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 19, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Merle Strawderman, (ASCS) (202-447-9223).

The following corrections are made to § 1421.113(a):

1. On page 10302, left column, under heading "Iowa" the entry that reads "Kossuth $1.52" is changed to read "Kossuth $1.42".

2. On page 10303, right column, under heading "Texas" the entry that reads "Lamb $1.52" is changed to read "Lamb $1.57".

Signed at Washington, D.C., on May 12, 1977.

VICTOR A. SENECHAL,
Acting Executive Vice President, Commodity Credit Corporation.

[FR Doc.77-14330 Filed 5-18-77;8:45 am]

Title 10—Energy

CHAPTER I—NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

GAO CLEARANCES

Reporting and Record Keeping Requirements

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Nuclear Regulatory Commission is amending its regulations which include reporting or record keeping requirements subject to clearance by the General Accounting Office. The amendments add notations, or up-date existing notations, which state that the reporting or record keeping requirements have been approved by the General Accounting Office, and include the appropriate GAO approval number. These amendments are required in order to conform with the regulations of the General Accounting Office "Clearance of proposals by independent Federal regulatory agencies to conduct or sponsor the collection of information." The amendments will furnish currently effective information regarding GAO clearances of NRC reporting and record keeping requirements.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 19, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Gerald L. Hutton, Division of Rules and Records, Office of Administration, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, 301-492-7211.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Because these amendments relate solely to minor matters, good cause exists for omitting notice of proposed rule making, and public procedure thereon, as unnecessary. Since the amendments do not impose obligations on persons other than the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, the Commission has found that good cause exists for making the amendments effective immediately without the customary 30-day notice.

Pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974, as amended, and sections 552 and 553 of Title 5 of the United States Code, the following amendments to Title 10, Chapter I, Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 20, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 40, 50, 55, 70, 71, 73, 140, and 150 are published as a document subject to codification.

§ 20.601 [Amended]

1. The note at the end of Appendix D of Part 20 is deleted and a note is added following § 20.601 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0043), (R0044), and (R0084).

§ 30.71 [Amended]

2. A note is added following § 30.71 of Part 30 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0079), (R0089), and (R0173).

§ 31.5 [Amended]

§ 31.11 [Amended]

3. Footnote 3 to § 31.5 of Part 31 is deleted and a note is added following § 31.11 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0088), (R0160).

§ 32.51 [Amended]

§ 32.110 [Amended]

4. Footnote 4 to § 32.51 of Part 32 is deleted and a note is added following § 32.110 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0038).

§ 33.100 [Amended]

5. A note is added following § 33.100 of Part 33 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0085).

§ 34.51 [Amended]

6. A note is added following § 34.51 of Part 34 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0052), (R0335).

§ 35.100 [Amended]

7. A note is added following § 35.100 of Part 35 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0068), (R0334).

§ 36.50 [Amended]

8. A note is added following § 36.50 of Part 36 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0090).

§ 40.65 [Amended]

§ 40.90 [Amended]

9. Footnote 1 to § 40.65 of Part 40 is deleted and a note is added following § 40.90 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0128), (R0147), (RO203), (RO413), (RO040).

§ 50.33a [Amended]

§ 50.65 [Amended]

§ 50.110 [Amended]

10. Footnote 1 to § 50.33a, footnote 2 to § 50.65, and the note following § 50.110 of Part 50 are deleted and a note is added following § 50.110 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0071).

§ 55.60 [Amended]

11. A second note is added following § 55.60 of Part 55 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0113), (R0358).

§ 70.22 [Amended]

§ 70.57 [Amended]

§ 70.59 [Amended]

§ 70.71 [Amended]

12. Footnote 1 to § 70.22, footnote 1 to § 70.57, footnote 2 to § 70.59, and the note at the end of § 70.71 are deleted and a note is added following § 70.71 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0061), (R0172), (R0041), (R0040).

§ 71.64 [Amended]

13. The note at the end of Appendix D of Part 71 is deleted and a note is added following § 71.64 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0056).

§ 73.80 [Amended]

14. A note is added following § 73.80 of Part 73 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0039).

§ 140.90 [Amended]

15. A note is added following § 140.90 of Part 140 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0115).

§ 150.30 [Amended]

16. A note is added following § 150.30 of Part 150 to read as follows:

NOTE.—The reporting and record keeping requirements contained in this part have been approved by the General Accounting Office under B-180225 (R0040), (R0078), (R) 414).

Effective date: These amendments become effective on May 19, 1977.

(Sec. 161, 68 Stat. 948 (42 U.S.C. 2201; Sec. 201, 88 Stat. 1242 (42 U.S.C. 5841)).)

Dated at Bethesda, Md., this 11th day of May 1977.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

LEE V. GOSSICK,
Executive Director for Operations.

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Title 14—Aeronautics and Space

CHAPTER I—FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

[Docket No. 76-EA-65; Amdt. 39-2885]

PART 39—AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVES

Canadair Aircraft

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration, DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This rule (AD) requires an inspection for cracks in the main landing gear wheel well angles P/N 215-32200-58, -59, -60, -61 in the Canadair CL-215-1A10 type airplanes. The cracks had been reported by an operator of the aircraft.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 9, 1977.

ADDRESSES: Canadair Circular 104-CL-215 may be acquired from the manufacturer at P.O. Box 6087, Montreal, Canada.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

L. Lipsius, Airframe Section, Engineering and Manufacturing Branch, AEA-212, Federal Building, J.F.K. International Airport, Jamaica, New York 11430, Tel. 212-995-2875.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FAA published a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on this subject on page 5701 of the FEDERAL REGISTER for January 31, 1977. Interested parties were given 30 days in which to respond. There were no objections received. Further, there are no CL-215 type aircraft presently registered in the United States.

It has been determined that the expected impact of the proposed regulation is so minimal that the proposal does not warrant an evaluation.

Accordingly, and pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Administrator (14 CFR 11.89), § 39.13 of Part 39 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 39.13) is amended, effective May 9, 1977, as published.

CANADAIR: Applies to Canadair CL-215-1A10 airplanes, Serial Nos. 1001 to 1040 inclusive, not altered with Canadair Reinforcement Kit K215-30043 or an FAA approved equivalent

Compliance is required as indicated.

To assure the structural integrity of the main landing gear wheel well angles, P/N 215-32200-58, -59, -60, -61, accomplish the following:

(a) On aircraft with 1000 or more hours in service, compliance with paragraph (c) is required before the next flight. The inspection of paragraph (c) must be repeated at intervals not to exceed 150 hours in service.

(b) On aircraft with less than 1000 hours in service, compliance with paragraph (c) is required at or before 1000 hours in service. The inspections of paragraph (c) must be repeated at intervals not to exceed 150 hours in service.

(c) Inspect for cracks and modify in accordance with Canadair Service Information Circular No. 104-CL-215 dated September 5, 1975, or an equivalent approved by the Chief, Engineering and Manufacturing Branch, Eastern Region.

(d) Upon submission of substantiating data by an owner or operator through an FAA Maintenance Inspector, the Chief, Engineering and Manufacturing Branch, FAA, Eastern Region, may adjust the compliance time in this AD.

(Secs. 313(a), 601, and 603, Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended 49 U.S.C. 313(a), 1421, and 1423; Sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act, 49 U.S.C. 1655(c).)

NOTE: The Federal Aviation Administration has determined that this document does not contain a major proposal requiring preparation of an Economic Impact Statement under Executive Order 11821, as amended by Executive Order 11949, and OMB Circular A-107.

The principal authors of this document are Mr. L. Lipsius, Airframe Section, and Mr. T. Halloran, Office of the Regional Counsel, Eastern Region.

Issued in Jamaica, New York, on April 25, 1977.

WILLIAM E. MORGAN,
Director, Eastern Region.

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[Docket No. 76-EA-66; Amdt. 39-2886]

PART 39—AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVES

Canadair Aircraft

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration, DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This rule (AD) requires Canadair CL-215-1A10 type airplanes with 12 months or more service time to be restricted to land operations until the nose landing gear door closing rods and sequencing redundancy mechanism rods have been inspected and reworked. Exposure to water leakage has affected the rods.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 9, 1977.

ADDRESSES: Canadair Circular 101-CL-215 dated May 6, 1975, may be acquired from the manufacturer at P.O. Box 6087, Montreal, Canada.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

L. Lipsius, Airframe Section, Engineering and Manufacturing Branch, AEA-212, Federal Building, J.F.K. International Airport, Jamaica, New York 11430, Tel. 212-995-2875.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FAA published a Notice of Proposed Rule Making on this subject on page 5702 of the FEDERAL REGISTER for January 31, 1977. Interested parties were given 30 days in which to comment. No objections have been received. Further there are no Canadair Cl-215 type airplanes registered with the United States.

It has been determined that the expected impact of the proposed regulation is so minimal that the proposal does not warrant an evaluation.

Accordingly, and pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Administrator (14 CFR 11.89), § 39.13 of Part 39 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 39.13) is amended, effective May 9, 1977, as published.

CANADAIR: Applies to Canadair CL-215-1A10 airplanes, Serial Numbers 1001 to 1040 inclusive, in all categories.

Compliance is required as indicated unless already accomplished.

To assure the structural integrity of the nose landing gear door closing rods, P/N 215-85009, and the sequencing redundancy mechanism rod, P/N 215-85026, accomplish the following:

(a) On aircraft that have been in service for 12 months or more, compliance with paragraph (c) is required and flight operations are restricted to land operations until compliance is shown.

(b) On aircraft that have been in service less than 12 months, compliance with paragraph (c) is required before achieving 12 months in service.

(c) Inspect and rework in accordance with Canadair Service Information Circular No. 101-CL-215 dated May 6, 1975 or an equivalent method of compliance. A later revision and an equivalent method of compliance must be approved by the Chief, Engineering and Manufacturing Branch, FAA, Eastern Region.

(d) Upon request, with substantiating data submitted through an FAA Maintenance Inspector, the compliance time specified in this AD may be increased by the Chief, Engineering and Manufacturing Branch, FAA, Eastern Region.

(Secs. 313(a), 601, and 603, Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended 49 U.S.C. 313(a), 1421, and 1423; sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act, 49 U.S.C. 1655(c).)

NOTE.—The Federal Aviation Administration has determined that this document does not contain a major proposal requiring preparation of an Economic Impact Statement under Executive Order 11821, as amended by Executive Order 11949, and OMB Circular A-107.

The principal authors of this document are Mr. L. Lipsius, Airframe Section, and Mr. T. Halloran, Office of the Regional Counsel, Eastern Region.

Issued in Jamaica, New York, on April 25, 1977.

WILLIAM E. MORGAN,
Director, Eastern Region.

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[Docket No. 76-EA-67; Amdt. 39-2887]

PART 39—AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVES

Canadair Aircraft

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration, DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This rule (AD) requires a periodic inspection and rework where necessary, of the lower rudder bearing of corrosion on Canadair CL-215-1A10 type airplanes. Water contamination through leakage appears to have affected the bearing.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 9, 1977. Initial compliance requires an inspection prior to 1200 hours in service.

ADDRESSES: Canadiar Circular 110-CL-215, dated October 27, 1975, may be acquired from the manufacturer at P.O. Box 6087, Montreal, Canada.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

L. Lipsius, Airframe Section, Engineering and Manufacturing Branch, AEA-212, Federal Building, J.F.K. International Airport, Jamaica, New York 11430, 212-995-2875.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FAA published a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on this subject on page 7160 of the FEDERAL REGISTER for February 7, 1977. Interested parties were given 30 days in which to respond to the NPRM. No objections have been received. Further, there are no Canadair CL-215 type airplanes presently registered in the United States.