Philadelphia, PA—North Philadelphia, VOR Rwy 24, Amdt. 17

2. By amending § 97.25 SDF-LOC-LDA SIAPs identified as follows:

* * * *Effective October 6, 1977.*

Baltimore, MD—Baltimore-Washington Int'l, LOC(BC) Rwy 33L, Amdt. 4
Milwaukee, WI—General Mitchell Field, LOC Rwy 25L, Amdt. 2

* * * *Effective September 22, 1977.*

Columbia, MO—Columbia Regional, LOC (BC) Rwy 20, Amdt. 4
St. Louis, MO—Lambert-St. Louis Int'l, LOC BC Rwy 6, Amdt. 22
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, LOC Rwy 28R, Originial
Columbia-Mt. Pleasant, TN—Maury County, SDF Rwy 23, Original

* * * *Effective September 8, 177.*

Philadelphia, PA—North Philadelphia, LOC (BC) Rwy 6, Amdt. 2

3. By amending § 97.27 NDB/ADF SIAPs identified as follows:

* * * *Effective October 6, 1977.*

Marathon, FL—Marathon Flight Strip, NDB Rwy 7, Original
Newport News, VA—Patrick Henry Int'l, NDB Rwy 7, Admt. 17
Milwaukee, WI—General Mitchell Field, NDB Rwy 1L, Amdt. 1
Milwaukee, WI—General Mitchell Field, NDB Rwy 7R, Amdt. 6
Mineral Point, WI—Iowa County, NDB Rwy 22, Original

* * * *Effective September 22, 1977.*

Tuscaloosa, AL—Tuscaloosa Muni., NDB Rwy 4, Amdt. 4
St. Louis, MO—Lambert-St. Louis Int'l, NDB Rwy 12R, Amdt. 7
St. Louis, MO—Lambert-St. Louis Int'l, NDB Rwy 24, Amdt. 30
Whiteville, NC—Columbus County Municipal, NDB Rwy 5, Original
Athens (Albany), OH—Ohio University, NDB Rwy 24, Amdt. 3
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, NDB Rwy 5R/L, Amdt. 13
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, NDB Rwy 23L/R, Amdt. 3
Gallipolis, OH—Gallia-Meigs Regional, NDB Rwy 23, Amdt. 1
Hamilton, OH—Hamilton, NDBA-A, Amdt. 8
Youngstown, OH—Lansdowne, NDB-B, Amdt. 6
Columbia-Mt. Pleasant, TN—Maury County, NDB Rwy 5, Amdt. 3, cancelled
Columbia-Mt. Pleasant, TN—Maury County, NDB Rwy 23, Original
Columbia-Mt. Pleasant, TN—Maury County, NDB Rwy 23, Amdt. 5, cancelled
Lufkin, TX—Angelina County, NDB Rwy 33, Original, cancelled
Juneau, WI—Dodge County, NDB Rwy 2, Amdt. 7
Juneau, WI—Dodge County, NDB Rwy 20, Amdt. 5
Racine, WI—Horlick-Racine, NDB Rwy 22, Amdt. 11

4. By amending § 97.29 ILSM-LMS SIAPs identified as follows:

* * * *Effective October 6, 1977.*

Baltimore, MD—Baltimore-Washington Int'l, ILS Rwy 10, Amdt. 8
Baltimore, MD—Baltimore-Washington Int'l, ILS Rwy 15R, Amdt. 8
Baltimore, MD—Baltimore-Washington Int'l, ILS Rwy 28, Amdt. 2
Newport News, VA—Patrick Henry Int'l, ILS Rwy 7, Amdt. 21
Milwaukee, WI—General Mitchell Field, ILS Rwy 1L, Amdt. 1
Milwaukee, WI—General Mitchell Field, ILS Rwy 7R, Amdt. 8
Milwaukee, WI—General Mitchell Field, ILS Rwy 19R, Amdt. 3

* * * *Effective September 22, 1977.*

Tuscaloosa, AL—Tuscaloosa Muni., ILS Rwy 4, Amdt. 6
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, ILS Rwy 5R, Amdt. 5
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, ILS Rwy 23L, Amdt. 5
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, ILS Rwy 28R, Amdt. 14
St. Louis, MO—Lambert-St. Louis Int'l Rwy 12R, Amdt. 11
St. Louis, MO—Lambert-St. Louis Int'l Rwy 24, Amdt. 34
St. Louis, MO—Lambert-St. Louis Int'l Rwy 30L, Amdt. 2

5. By amending § 97.31 RADAR SIAPs identified as follows:

* * * *Effective October 6, 1977.*

Baltimore, MD—Baltimore-Washington Int'l, RADAR-1, Amdt. 7
Milwaukee, WI—General Mitchell Field, RADAR-1, Amdt. 20

* * * *Effective September 22, 1977.*

St. Louios, MO—Lambert-St. Louis Int'l, RADAR-1, Amdt. 19
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, RADAR-1, Amdt. 24

* * * *Effective August 25, 1977*

Champaign-Urbana, IL—University of Illinois-Willard, RADAR-1, Original

6. By amending § 97.33 RNAV SIAPs identified as follows:

* * * *Effective October 6, 1977.*

Baltimore, MD—Baltimore-Washington Int'l, RNAV Rwy 22, Amdt. 3

* * * *Effective September 22, 1977.*

Palm Springs, CA—Palm Springs Municipal, RNAV-B, Orig. cancelled
St. Louis, MO—Lambert-St. Louis Int'l, RNAV Rwy 30L, Amdt. 4
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, RNAV Rwy 10L, Amdt. 5
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, RNAV Rwy 18R, Amdt. 5
Cleveland, OH—Cleveland Hopkins International, RNAV Rwy 36L, Amdt. 5
Hamilton, OH—Hamilton, RNAV Rwy 29, Amdt. 2
Portsmouth, OH—Greater Portsmouth Regional, RNAV Rwy 18, Amdt. 1

* * * *Effective September 8, 1977.*

Philadelphia, PA—North Philadelphia, RNAV Rwy 15, Amdt. 2
Philadelphia, PA—North Philadelphia, RNAV Rwy 33, Amdt. 3

(Secs. 307, 313(a), 601, and 1110, Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. §§ 1348, 1354 (a), 1421, and 1510); Sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)); Delegation: 25 FR 6489 and Paragraph 802 of Order FS P 1100.1, as amended March 9, 1973.)

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.

Issued in Washington, D.C. on August 5, 1977.

JAMES M. VINES,
Chief, Aircraft Programs Division.

NOTE.—The incorporation by reference in the preceding document was approved by the Director of the FEDERAL REGISTER on May 12, 1969.

[FR Doc.77-23315 Filed 8-12-77;8:45 am]

Title 20—Employees Benefits

CHAPTER VIII—JOINT BOARD FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF ACTUARIES

PART 901—REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE PERFORMANCE OF ACTUARIAL SERVICES UNDER THE EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT INCOME SECURITY ACT OF 1974

PART 902—RULES REGARDING AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION

Adoption of Provisions Governing Enrollment of Actuaries and Public Availability of Information; Correction

AGENCY: Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries.

ACTION: Correction of final rule.

SUMMARY: This correction is necessary to eliminate technical mistakes in the summary and supplementary information portions of the statement preceding the final rules adopted by the Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries which appear at 42 FR 39200 (August 3, 1977).

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 14, 1976.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

Forest D. Montgomery, Counselor to the General Counsel, U.S. Department of the Treasury, Washington, D.C. 20220 (202-566-5311).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following changes are being made in the summary and supplementary information portions of the statement preceding the final rules adopted by the Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries (42 FR 39200).

(1) In the summary, insert "Circuit" following the word "Columbia" in the fifth line .

(2) On page 39200, in the first paragraph immediately following the heading "'Two-tier' Enrollment System", beginning at line 4, strike the words "actuaries working on", plus the remainder of that sentence, and substitute the following words: "persons with a high level of actuarial skills examining the larger pension plans, and a second enrollment standard (or second tier) for actuaries working on smaller and simpler plans who may not possess a high level of actuarial skills." (This change is necessary to make the discussion of the suggested two classes of enrollment in the first paragraph under "'Two-Tier' Enrollment System", which refers to actuaries working on smaller and simpler plans as being in the "first tier," more consistent with the next to last paragraph under

that heading, which refers to such actuaries as being in the "second tier.")

(3) In the last sentence of the same paragraph, change "ERIS" to "ERISA."

Dated: August 10, 1977.

FOREST D. MONTGOMERY,
Acting Chairman, Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries.

[FR Doc.77-23437 Filed 8-12-77;8:45 am]

Title 25—Indians

CHAPTER I—BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

PART 221—OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Flathead Irrigation Project

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Final publication of amendment.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this amendment is to establish the lump sum assessments against the Flathead, Mission, and Jocko Valley Irrigation Districts within the Flathead Irrigation Project for the season of 1978. This action is necessary to cover the increase in operation and maintenance costs of the Irrigation Project. The notice of intent to modify was published in Volume 42, No. 117, Friday, June 17, 1977, on page 30867. Comments were invited until July 18. No comments were received, therefore, this final publication is in order.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 30, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mr. George L. Moon, Project Engineer, Flathead Irrigation Project, Box 198, St. Ignatius, Mont. 59865. Telephone: 406-745-2661.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The primary author of this document is Mr. George L. Moon. It is hereby certified that the economic and inflationary impacts of this amendment have been carefully evaluated in accordance with Executive Order 11821. The three mentioned Irrigation District Boards of Commissioners have, by resolution, supported this amendment.

Accordingly, §§ 221.24, 221.26 and 221.28 are amended to read as follows:

§ 221.24 Charges.

Pursuant to a contract executed by the Flathead Irrigation District, Flathead Indian Irrigation Project, Mont., on May 12, 1928, as supplemented and amended by later contracts dated February 27, 1929, March 28, 1934, August 26, 1936, and April 5, 1950, there is hereby fixed for the season of 1978 an assessment of $550,607.19 for the operation and maintenance of the irrigation system which serves that portion of the project within the confines and under the jurisdiction of the Flathead Irrigation District. This assessment involves an area of approximately 88,097.15 acres, which does not include any land held in trust for Indians and covers all proper general charges and project overhead.

§ 221.26 Charges.

Pursuant to a contract executed by the Mission Irrigation District, Flathead Indian Irrigation Project, Mont., on March 7, 1931, approved by the Secretary of the Interior on April 21, 1931, as supplemented and amended by later contracts dated June 2, 1934, June 6, 1936, and May 15, 1951, there is hereby fixed, for the season of 1978 an assessment of $97,448.34 for the operation and maintenance of the irrigation system which serves that portion of the project within the confines and under the jurisdiction of the Mission Irrigation District. This assessment involves an area of approximately 16,241.39 acres, which does not include any land held in trust for Indians and covers all proper general charges and project overhead.

§ 221.28 Charges.

Pursuant to a contract executed by the Jocko Valley Irrigation District, Flathead Indian Irrigation Project, Mont., on November 13, 1931, approved by the Secretary of the Interior on February 26, 1935, as supplemented and amended by later contracts dated August 26, 1936, April 18, 1950, and August 24, 1967, there is hereby fixed for the season of 1978 an assessment of $45,201.30 for the operation and maintenance of the irrigation system which serves that portion of the project within the confines and under the jurisdiction of the Jocko Valley Irrigation District. This assessment involves an area of approximately 7,471.29 acres, which does not include any lands held in trust for Indians and covers all proper general charges and project overhead.

GEORGE L. MOON,
Project Engineer.

[FR Doc.77-23442 Filed 8-12-77;8:45 am]

Title 27—Alcohol, Tobacco Products, and Firearms

CHAPTER I—BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO, AND FIREARMS, DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

[T.D. ATF-45]

PART 178—COMMERCE IN FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION

Ammunition Recordkeeping Requirements

AGENCY: Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms.

ACTION: Final rule (Treasury decision).

SUMMARY: This document revises ammunition recordkeeping requriements by exempting all Federal licensees from recording retail sales of certain types of ammunition. This amendment is necessary to implement statutory modifications of the Gun Control Act of 1968.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 15, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

A. N. Stickney, ATF&E Specialist, Research and Regulations Branch, Regulations and Procedures Division (Regulatory Enforcement), Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Washington, D.C. 20226 (202-566-7626).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pub. L. 91-128 amended the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 by adding section 4182(c) to provide that notwithstanding the provisions of sections 922(b)(5) and 923(g) of title 18, United States Code, no person holding a Federal firearms license shall be required to record the name, address, or other information about the purchaser of shotgun ammunition, ammunition suitable for use only in rifles generally available in commerce, or component parts of the aforesaid types of ammunition. The amendment did not affect the recordkeeping requirements for pistol and revolver ammunition or ammunition interchangeable between rifles and handguns.

Although existing regulations require all firearms licensees to keep records of the sales of all types of ammunition, the Bureau advised all firearms licensees in Industry Circular No. 69-26, dated December 4, 1969, and Industry Circular No. 70-7, dated February 2, 1970, that they no longer were required to record the name, address, or other information about the retail purchaser of shotgun ammunition, ammunition suitable for use only in rifles, or component parts for these types of ammunition. This Treasury decision updates the present regulations by implementing the provisions of Pub. L. 91-128 (83 Stat. 261).

Consequently, 27 CFR 178.125(c) which requires the maintenance of records on all sales or other dispositions of ammunition is revised to reflect the provisions of 26 U.S.C. 4182(c) and to clarify the recordkeeping requirements of a licensee on sales or other dispositions of ammunition between licensees. Paragraphs in this section are assigned headings to promote readability of the text, and citation of authority is added at the end of the section. Additionally, the title, "Assistant Regional Commissioner", wherever used in § 178.125(g) is replaced by "regional regulatory administrator" (T.D. ATF-32 (41 FR 44038)).

(The originating drafter of this Treasury decision is A. N. Stickney of the Research and Regulations Branch, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms. Officials from the Bureau and from the Treasury Department, however, participated in developing the Treasury decision, both on matters of substance and style.)

Because this Treasury decision is liberalizing in nature and requires no public initiative, it is unnecessary to issue this Treasury decision with notice and public procedure thereon under 5 U.S.C. 553(b) or subject to the effective date limitation in 5 U.S.C. 553(d). This Treasury decision is issued under the authority contained in 18 U.S.C. 926 (82 Stat. 1214).

Accordingly, 27 CFR Part 178 is amended as follows:

Section 178.125 is revised to read as follows:

§ 178.125 Record of receipt and disposition.

(a) *Ammunition received by licensed dealers.* * * *

(b) *Ammunition received by licensed collectors.* * * *

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(c) *Ammunition disposition.*—(1) *Sales to nonlicensees.* The sale or other disposition of ammunition, or of an ammunition curio or relic, shall be recorded in a bound record at the time a transaction is made, except that no record need be maintained for the sale of shotgun ammunition, ammunition suitable for use only in rifles generally available in commerce, or component parts of these types of ammunition. Sales or other dispositions of ammunition which are interchangeable between rifles and pistols or revolvers (for example, .22 Rimfire, .45 Pistol and Revolver, and the like) must be recorded. The bound record shall be maintained in chronological order by date of sale or disposition of the ammunition, and shall be retained on the licensed premises of the licensee for a period not less than two years following the date of the recorded sale or disposition of the ammunition.

The bound record entry shall show:

(i) The date of the transaction;

(ii) The name of the manufacturer;

(iii) The caliber or gauge (or the type of ammunition component);

(iv) The quantity of ammunition (or component);

(v) The name, address, and date of birth of the nonlicensee; and

(vi) The method used to establish the identity of the ammunition purchaser.

The format required for the bound record is as follows:

DISPOSITION RECORD FOR PISTOLS, REVOLVERS, AND INTERCHANGEABLE AMMUNITION

Date	Manufacturer	.22 Caliber Rimfire	Other		Purchaser		Enter a (✓) in the "Known" column if purchaser is personally known to you. Otherwise, establish the purchaser's identification		
		Enter only a (✓) if 10 boxes or less. Enter number of boxes if more than 10.	Caliber, gauge, or type of component	No. of boxes	Name and address	Date of birth	Known	Driver's License	Other type (specify)

However, when a commercial record is made at the time a transaction is made, a licensee may delay making an entry into the bound record if he or she complies with provisions of paragraph (d) of this section.

(2) *Sales to licensees.* Sales or other dispositions of all ammunition from a licensee to another licensee shall be recorded and maintained in the manner prescribed in § 178.122(b) for importers.

(d) *Commercial records of ammunition sales.* * * *

(e) *Firearms receipt and disposition.* * * *

(f) *Commercial records of firearms received.* * * *

(g) *Alternate records.* * * *

(h) *Requirements for importers and manufacturers.* * * *

(Sec. 5, Pub. L. 91-128, 83 Stat. 261 (26 U.S.C. 4182(c)).)

Signed: July 14, 1977.

REX D. DAVIS,
Director.

Approved: August 8, 1977.

BETTE B. ANDERSON,
Under Secretary of the Treasury.

[FR Doc.77-23507 Filed 8-12-77;8:45 am]

Title 29—Labor

CHAPTER I—NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

PART 102—RULES AND REGULATIONS, SERIES 8

Representation Case Procedures

AGENCY: National Labor Relations Board.

ACTION: Amendments to rules.

SUMMARY: This document establishes procedures for requests for review of representation cases and for conduct of elections pending review by the Board. The changes are designed to facilitate consideration and disposition of requests for review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 15, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

John C. Truesdale, Esquire, Executive Secretary, National Labor Relations Board, 1717 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, D.C. 20570.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 102.67 of the Rules and regulations of the National Labor Relations Board establishes representation case procedures providing for certain actions by the regional director upon petitions for the conduct of elections, and for Board review of such actions. The procedures have provided that when a request for review is filed from the action of the regional director directing an election, that election should not be conducted until the Board has ruled upon the request for review. The amendments to sections 102.67 (b) and (j) promulgated hereby change that procedure. Under those amendments the regional director will now conduct the election, as scheduled, irrespective of the pendency or granting of a request for review. However, all ballots which might be affected by the Board's decision on the request for review shall be segregated in an appropriate manner, and all ballots impounded without opening until the Board's final decision has issued. It is expected that this changed procedure will contribute to the stability of labor relations and the effectiveness of the Board's election process by permitting the parties to plan their election campaigns in confidence that the election will be held as scheduled, and by providing the employees the opportunity to cast their ballots at a time when they are best informed and interested concerning the election issues.

The changes in sections 102.67 (d) and (g) are designed to facilitate consideration and disposition of requests for review of regional directors' decisions, thereby further contributing to the prompt resolution of representation issues. Section 102.67(d) as amended will permit the Board to examine the record in evaluating a request for review, although such requests are still required to be a self-contained document. The amendments to section 102.67(g) will now permit the Board to rule upon the issues on review at the same time it grants the request. Such action will avoid the delay associated with the briefing time after a grant of review, when the issues are clear and readily resolved.

The National Labor Relations Board hereby promulgates amendments to § 102.67 (b), (d), (g), and (j) of its Rules and Regulations, 29 CFR 102.67, and revises those subsections to read as follows:

§ 102.67 Proceedings before the regional director; further hearing; briefs; action by the regional director; appeals from action by the regional director; statement in opposition to appeal; transfer of case to Board; proceedings before the Board; Board action.

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(b) A decision by the regional director upon the record shall set forth his findings, conclusions, and order or direction. The decision of the regional director shall be final: *Provided, however,* That within 10 days after service thereof any party may file eight copies of a request for review with the Board in Washington, D.C. Such request shall be printed or otherwise legibly duplicated: *Provided, however,* That carbon copies shall not be filed and if submitted will not be accepted. Simultaneously therewith, copies thereof shall be served on all other parties to the proceeding and the regional director, and a statement of such service filed with the Board. The regional director shall schedule and conduct any election directed by the decision notwithstanding that a request for review has been filed with or granted by the Board. The filing of such a request shall not, unless otherwise ordered by the Board, operate as a stay of the election or any other action taken or directed by the regional director: *Provided, however,* That if a pending request for review has not been ruled upon or has been granted, ballots whose validity might be affected by the final Board decision shall be segregated in an appropriate manner; and all ballots shall be impounded and remain unopened pending such decision.

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(d) Any request for review must be a self-contained document enabling the Board to rule on the basis of its contents without the necessity or recourse to the record; however, the Board may, in its discretion, examine the record in evaluating the request. With respect to ground (2), and other grounds where appropriate, said request must contain a summary of all evidence or rulings bearing on the issues together with page citations from the transcript and a summary of argument. But such request may not raise any issue or allege any facts not timely presented to the regional director.

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(g) The granting of a request for review shall not stay the regional director's decision unless otherwise ordered by the Board. Except where the Board rules upon the issues on review in the order granting review, the appellants and other parties may, within 7 days after the issuance of an order granting review, file eight copies of a brief with the Board, which shall be duplicated and served in accordance with the requirements of subsection (b) of this section. A statement of such service shall be filed simultaneously with the Board. Such briefs may be reproductions of those previously filed with the regional director and/or other briefs which shall be limited to the issues raised in the request for review. Where review has been granted, the Board will consider the entire record in the light of the grounds relied on for review. Any request for review may be withdrawn with the permission of the Board at any time prior to the issuance of the decision of the Board thereon.

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(j) Upon transfer of the case to the Board, the Board shall proceed, either forthwith upon the record, or after oral argument or the submission of briefs, or further hearing, as it may determine, to decide the issues referred to it or to review the decision of the regional director, and shall direct a secret ballot of the employees or the appropriate action to be taken on impounded ballots of an election already conducted, dismiss the petition, affirm or reverse the regional director's order in whole or in part, or make such other disposition of the matter as it deems appropriate.

[FR Doc.77-23429 Filed 8-12-77;8:45 am]

Title 32—National Defense

CHAPTER 1—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

PART 199—IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CIVILIAN HEALTH AND MEDICAL PROGRAM OF THE UNIFORMED SERVICES (CHAMPUS)

Opportunity for Oral Presentation of Views on CHAMPUS Regulation DOD 6010.8–R

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary of Defense.

ACTION: Public hearing.

SUMMARY: This document announces a public hearing on the recently adopted CHAMPUS Regulation DOD 6010.8–R (42 FR 17972, April 4, 1977). The purpose of the hearing is to provide an opportunity for oral presentation to those who had submitted written comments on the CHAMPUS Regulation during the period April 4 to June 4, 1977, the formal comment period.

DATES: September 7, 8, and 9, 1977, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1:15 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Air Force Auditorium, Room GE086, Forrestal Building, Washington, D.C.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Lieutenant Commander James T. Dalton, Room 3E172, Pentagon, Washington, D.C. 20301; Telephone 202–697–2115.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Any changes resulting from these written comments and oral presentations which operate to increase the rights, benefits, or privileges currently provided in the Regulation as published in the FEDERAL REGISTER, Part II, April 4, 1977, pages 17972 through 18032, and to be codified as 32 CFR 199, will be effective retroactively to April 4, 1977, insofar as administratively feasible. Those who submitted written views during the sixty-day comment period and who wish to supplement their views orally may request to make a presentation at the hearing by writing or calling Lieutenant Commander James T. Dalton. A request should include a general description of the subject to be addressed and the names and titles of those who will appear at the hearing to make the oral presentation. Requesters will be notified individually of the hearing schedule as soon after the close of the fourteen day period for requests as practicable.

MAURICE W. ROCHE,
Director, Correspondence and Directives, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller).

AUGUST 8, 1977.

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Title 33—Navigation and Navigable Waters

CHAPTER I—COAST GUARD, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

[CGD 76-210]

PART 117—DRAWBRIDGE OPERATION REGULATIONS

Niagara River, N.Y.

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This amendment revises the operation regulations for the Canadian National Railway Company drawbridge across the Niagara River, mile 0.6, to allow the draw to remain closed to the passage of vessels. The draw was last opened for the passage of vessels in 1946. The amendment will relieve the owner of the bridge of the burden of maintaining it in operable condition.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This amendment is effective on September 19, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Frank L. Teuton, Jr., Chief, Drawbridge Regulations Branch (G–WBR/73), Room 7300, Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, D.C. 20590 (202–426–0942).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On November 18, 1976, the Coast Guard published a proposed rule (41 FR 50842) concerning this amendment. The Commander, Ninth Coast Guard District, also published this proposal as a public notice dated December 20, 1976. Interested persons were given until January 21, 1977, to submit comments.

DRAFTING INFORMATION

The Principal persons involved in drafting this proposal are: Frank L. Teuton, Jr., Project Manager, Office of Marine Environment and Systems, and Lieutenant Edward J. Gill, Project Attorney, Office of the Chief Counsel.

DISCUSSION OF COMMENTS

Two comments were received which objected to the proposal on the grounds that there might be a need in the future for this bridge to be operational. The Coast Guard feels that since no opening for navigation has been required for 31 years, and alternate routes are available, the regulations, as proposed, should be adopted.

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 117 of Title 33 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended by revising § 117.708 to read as follows:

§ 117.708 Niagara River; Canadian National Railway bridge (International Bridge) between Buffalo, N.Y., and Fort Erie, Ontario, Canada.

The draw need not open for the passage of vessels. However, the draw shall be returned to operable condition within six months after notification from the Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, to take such action.

(Sec. 5, 28 Stat. 362, as amended, sec. 6(g)(2), 80 Stat. 937; 33 U.S.C. 499, 49 U.S.C. 1655(g)(2); 49 CFR 1.46(c)(5).)

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

Dated: August 8, 1977.

O. W. SILER,
Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard, Commandant.

[FR Doc.77-23467 Filed 8-12-77;8:45 am]

CHAPTER II—CORPS OF ENGINEERS, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

[ER 1130-2-413]

PART 274—PEST CONTROL PROGRAM FOR CIVIL WORKS PROJECTS

AGENCY: Corps of Engineers, DOD.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The final rule assigns responsibilities and prescribes procedures concerning the use of chemicals in the pest control program at all Civil Works projects. It also presents guidance for the preparation and submission of pest control reports. Under the provisions of Section 4, Pub. L. 92-516, the Environmental Protection Agency is responsible for Federal certification of pesticide applicators through its development of a single Government Agency Plan (GAP). By letter dated 30 December 1976, the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency has stated that Federal certification will no longer be undertaken pursuant to a single GAP. Instead, the Environmental Protection Agency will exercise its responsibilities by approving individual Agency Plans which will permit each Federal Agency to certify its own employees. The Department of Defense has developed an Agency Plan for certification of its pesticide applicators which has been approved in principle and concept. It has been determined that the DOD Agency Plan satisfies the training requirement for certification of civil works personnel. Pending final approval of the DOD Agency Plan, Corps of Engineers pesticide supervisors and applicators will be certified in accordance with the criteria described in the regulation. The effect of this action is to make the public aware of the procedures concerning the use of pesticides by Corps of Engineers personnel at all Civil Works projects.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The effective date of this regulation is 15 August 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mr. Dale Crane, (202-693-7177), Recreation-Resource Management Branch, HQDA (DAEN-CWO-R), WASH DC 20314.

NOTE: The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has determined that this document does not contain a major proposal requiring preparation of an Inflation Impact Statement under Executive Order 11821 and OMB Circular A-107.

Dated: August 4, 1977.

JAMES N. ELLIS,
Colonel, Corps of Engineers, Chief of Staff

Accordingly, 33 CFR is amended by adding Part 274 as follows:

PROJECT OPERATION

AUTHORITY: Pub. L. 92-516, Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act of 1972 (86 Stat. 973, 21 Oct 72, 40 CFR Part 171, Federal Certification of Pesticide Applicators.

PROJECT OPERATION

§ 274.1 Purpose.

The purpose of this regulation is to assign responsibilities and prescribe procedures concerning the use of chemicals in the Corps pest control program at all civil works projects. It also presents guidance for the preparation and submission of an annual pest control summary report.

§ 274.2 Applicability.

This regulation is applicable to all OCE elements and all field operating agencies having Civil Works responsibilities.

§ 274.3 References.

(a) Public Law 92-516, Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act of 1972, (86 Stat 973), 21 October 1972.

(b) Public Law 91-596, Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, (84 Stat. 1609, 29 USC 668) 29 December 1970.

(c) Medical Surveillance Guide, U.S. Army Environmental Hygiene Agency, January 1975.

(d) Guide for the Medical Surveillance of Pest Controllers, U.S. Army Environmental Hygiene Agency, March 1976, as amended.

(e) Pesticide Applicator Training Manual, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, September 1974.

(f) Plan for Certification of Pesticide Applicators, DOD, June 1976.

§ 274.4 Pesticide management.

(a) *Administration*. The Division Engineer is responsible for implementation of the program, and providing for the training of pest control personnel, safe use of highly toxic materials and the proper application of restricted-use pesticides. District programs will be reviewed by the Division Engineer for the selection of suitable pest control agents, up-to-date and economical methods of control, and the proper use and maintenance of pest control equipment. Field Operating Agencies (FOA) will designate a single point of contact for pesticide matters.

(b) *Personnel actions*. Pesticide duties will be identified in applicable job descriptions whether they constitute a major duty or not. Such job descriptions will also note the employees responsibility for using personal protective equipment and clothing provided and for following established health and safety practices and procedures. Standard Form 78 medical examination will be augmented by the specific diagnostic tests for the occupations identified in § 274.4(c). Prescribed preplacement medical examinations will be provided as part of the personnel action process before anyone is permitted to perform pesticide duties

(c) *Medical surveillance*. Preplacement, periodic and pretermination medical examinations of the type and extent set forth in Section III, U.S. Army Environmental Hygiene Agency (USAEHA) "Guide for the Medical Surveillance of Pest Controllers" will be provided for personnel involved in pesticide operations. Additional information is contained in USAEHA "Medical Surveillance Guide (Guide for Job-Related Examinations)." Appropriate medical records will be maintained in official personal folders.

(d) *Personnel training*. All personnel directly involved in pest control must be properly trained in the safe application of herbicides, insecticides, rodenticides, fumigants and fungicides. The current plan for training and certification of pest control personnel requires that all pest control applicators and/or supervisors satisfactorily complete (1) the correspondence course, "Basic Pest Control Technology" NTTC 150, available from NAVFAC Technical Training Command, Norfolk, Virginia 23511 and a three day (20 hr) conference training course conducted by the Army Health Services Command (AHSC) at Fort Sam Houston, Texas 78234, for Civil Works personnel, or a three day (20 hr) special training course conducted by the Division Engineer, to include information presented in the "Pesticide Applicator Training Manual", § 274.3(e) or (2) a B.S. degree in agronomy, entomology, forestry or horticulture from an accredited college or university.

(e) *Restricted-use pesticide training*. For agency certification § 274.3(f) Civil Works supervisors and applicators using the higher toxicity Restricted-Use pesticides are required to complete Restricted-Use Pesticide training as given at Navy facilities at Jacksonville, Florida or Alemeda, California, Wichita Falls Air Base, or the Army Health Services Command, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. College and University programs which are acceptable for State certification of restricted-use pesticide applicators may be used in lieu of the above.

(f) *Coordination with EPA*. The Environmental Protection Agency is expected to publish regulations listing pesticides classified for restricted-use by October 1977. The Division Engineer will be responsible for close coordination with EPA Regional Offices in order to comply with the regulatory requirements for restricted-use pesticides.

(g) *Exposure to and protection from pesticide hazards*. Basic health and safety practices and procedures including personal protective equipment and clothing, work area layouts, storage and application considerations are identified in Appendix A of this regulation. Additional guidance is contained in Section II and Appendix A of the USAEHA "Guide for Medical Surveillance of Pest Controllers."

(h) *Contracting for pest control services*. All contracts for pest control services must receive Technical review and approval from professional pest control management personnel prior to advertisement of the contract and procurement of services. The contractor will be required to submit proof that his supervisory personnel to be employed on the contract are certified in the specific categories for operations being conducted in accordance with an approved state plan in effect in the area concerned.

§ 274.5 **Certification.**

Under the provisions of Section 4, Pub. L. 92-516, the Environmental Protection Agency is responsible for Federal certification of pesticide applicators through its development of a single Government Agency Plan (GAP). By letter dated December 30, 1976, the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency has stated that Federal certification will no longer be undertaken pursuant to a single GAP. The Department of Defense has developed an Agency Plan for certification of its pesticide applicators which has been approved in principle and concept. It has been determined that the DOD Agency Plan satisfies the training requirements for certification of Civil Works personnel. Pending final approval of the DOD Agency Plan, all Corps of Engineers pesticide applicators will be certified in accordance with the criteria described in this regulation by issue of a certificate of training and competency (DA Form 87, 1 Sep 54), signed by the Training Officer and the Division Engineer.

§ 274.6 **Division/district pest control programs.**

(a) *Guides.* Referenced technical manuals, and Engineer Circulars issued from time to time, will be used as guides in selecting the type of chemicals and the method of application in the control of vegetation and pests at civil works projects.

(b) *Responsibilities and reports (RCS DAEN-CWO-48).* Districts will prepare and submit to the Divisions detailed descriptions or their anticipated use of pesticides for review and approval by the appropriate Division.

§ 274.7 **Authorization of pesticide use.**

(a) Programs approved in § 274.6(b) must be those as described on the pesticide label. Pesticide uses which are different from the registered use, require amendment of the label, approved by the Environmental Protection Agency. Data requirements for this use must be supplied before an amendment will be made by the Agency. Substantial Time and effort are required for such action.

(b) If an unexpected outbreak of a pest requires control measures which are not according to the registered use, such control effort is viewed as an emergency measure and may be undertaken at the discretion of the Division Engineer. An emergency will be deemed to exist when:

(1) A pest outbreak has or is about to occur and no pesticide registered for the particular use, or alternative method of control, is available to eradicate or control the pest.

(2) Significant economic or health problems will occur without the use of the pesticide.

(3) The time available from discovery or prediction of the pest outbreak is insufficient for a pesticide to be registered for the particular use. In determining whether an emergency condition exists, the Administrator will also give consideration to such additional facts requiring the use of Section 18 § 274.3(a) as are presented by the applicant.

(c) Emergency operations should be documented by a request for a specific exemption, prepared by the District and forwarded through channels to HQDA (DAEN-CWO-R) WASH DC 20314 for transmittal to EPA.

(1) Each specific exemption must be requested in writing, by the head of the Federal agency or the Governor of the State involved, or other official designee, addressed to the Administrator, setting forth the following information:

(i) The nature, scope and frequency of the emergency.

(ii) A description of the pest known to occur, the places or times it may be likely to occur and the estimated time when treatment must be commenced to be effective.

(iii) Whether a pesticide registered for the particular use, or other method of eradicating or controlling the pest, is available to meet the emergency, and the basis for such determination.

(iv) A listing of the pesticide or pesticides the agency proposes to use in the event of an outbreak.

(v) Description of the nature of the program for eradication or control. Such description should include:

(A) Quantity of the pesticide expected to be applied;

(B) Specific Area or place of application;

(C) Method of application;

(D) Duration of application;

(E) Qualifications of personnel involved in such application.

(vi) Statement of economic benefits and losses anticipated with and without the exemption and under reasonable alternatives.

(vii) Analysis of possible adverse effects on man and the environment. If an Environmental Impact Statement has been prepared by an agency, in accordance with that agency's regulations implementing the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, and is relevant to the above, it shall be submitted with the application.

(viii) Such exemptions, if granted, are valid only for the specific situation involved and are subject to such restrictions as the Administrator may prescribe in granting the exemption. Such restrictions may include, among others, limitations on the quantity of the pesticide to be used, the conditions under which the pesticide may be applied, restrictions as to the person who may apply the pesticide and the type of monitoring activities which should be conducted. Within one year of the granting of the exemption, a summary report on what action was taken to meet the emergency and on the outcome of such action, must be forwarded to HQDA (DAEN-CWO-R) WASH DC 20314, for forwarding to EPA.

APPENDIX A

PREVENTIVE SAFETY MEASURES IN HANDLING OF PESTICIDES

1. Follow the label on each container before using the contents. The manufacturers are required by law to list recommendations and precautions.

2. Weather conditions are important. Winds could carry toxic sprays and dusts to areas not under your control, causing accidental poisoning to the public or domestic animals.

3. Smoking is not permitted while pesticides are being handled.

4. All pesticides must be handled in well-ventilated areas to minimize inhalation of toxic vapors.

5. Shower and washing facilities must be near pesticide mixing areas.

6. Any contamination of skin, particularly with liquid concentrations or solutions, must be immediately washed off with detergent and water.

7. Protective clothing is used in conjunction with respiratory protective devices to prevent skin contact and inhalation of pesticides. Recommended articles of protective clothing are rubber aprons, coveralls, chemical splash goggles, safety shoes, and hard hats. A lightweight water and chemical resistant throw away type protective clothing that is impervious to herbicides is now available. In warm geographical areas this type of lightweight protective clothing would be beneficial in reducing physical stress to applicators. Additional protection is afforded by protective skin cream.

8. Clothing contaminated by spillage must be removed immediately and thoroughly laundered before wearing. Special care is required to prevent contamination of the inside of gloves.

9. Approved respirators must be worn while pesticides are being mixed, and when dusts or liquids are being handled or sprayed. Care should be exercised when selecting the respirator type to insure that it is designated specifically for the substance to be used. Each respirator must be labeled and approved by the U.S. Department of Agriculture or NIOSH. Filters or canisters must be changed after 8 hours use and more often if odor of the pesticide is detected. (Always have extra cartridges available when needed).

10. Pesticide storage, mixing, and formulation facilities:

(a) All pesticides must be stored in a dry, well ventilated, separate room, building, or covered area not accessible to unauthorized personnel or the public and placed under lock and key.

(b) Identification signs should be placed on rooms, buildings, and fences to advise of the contents and warn of their hazardous nature.

(c) Where applicable, the outside of each storage area should be labeled with "Danger," "Poison," and "Pesticide Storage" signs.

(d) Fire extinguishers must be installed near the door of materiel storage rooms. Diluted oil based pesticides are flammable and must be stored separae from other materials.

(e) All pesticide storage, mixing, and formulation areas must have adequate ventilation in order to reduce inhalation of toxic vapors. Sparkproof lighting fixtures should be installed in closed storage areas to eliminate ignition hazards.

11. Empty pesticide containers must be disposed of properly. Do not burn them. When herbicides or defoliants volatilize the resulting vapors may be poisonous to humans, and they may damage nearby plants, crops, or shrubbery; also, pesticides or defoliants containing chlorates may be a serious fire hazard when heated.

12. Glass pesticide containers should be disposed of by breaking. Chop holes in top, bottom, and sides of metal containers or crush them so they cannot collect water or be reused. After breaking or puncturing

them, bury the containers at least 18 inches deep in an isolated area provided for this purpose, away from water supplies or high water tables. Records to locate such buried pesticides within the landfill site should be maintained. Post warning signs.

13. Safety programs developed for the safe handling and mixing of toxic chemicals should be coordinated with the Safety Office prior to implementation.

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Title 40—Protection of Environment

CHAPTER I—ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

SUBCHAPTER C—AIR PROGRAMS

[FRL 772-3]

PART 52—APPROVAL AND PROMULGATION OF IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

California Plan Revision: Ventura County APCD

AGENCY: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Final rulemaking.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) takes final action to approve and, where appropriate, disapprove or take no action on changes to the Ventura County Air Pollution Control District (APCD) portion of the California State Implementation Plan (SIP) submitted by the Governor's designee. The intended effect of this action is to update rules and regulations and to correct certain deficiencies in the SIP.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 15, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Frank M. Covington, Director, Air and Hazardous Materials Division, Environmental Protection Agency, 100 California Street, San Francisco, CA 94111, Attn.: David R. Souten, 415-556-7288.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On April 29, 1977, in 42 FR 21819, EPA published a notice of proposed rulemaking for revisions to the Ventura County Air Pollution Control District Rules and Regulations submitted on December 13, 1972; July 25, 1973; July 19, 1974; October 23, 1974; November 3, 1975; April 21, 1976; and November 10, 1976, by the California Air Resources Board for inclusion in the California SIP. Because the July 25, 1973 submission supersedes the December 13, 1972 submission, the latter submission is not addressed in this notice.

Rules concerning in-stack monitoring, gasoline vapor recovery, emergency episode action, equipment malfunction (Rule 32) and new source review have all been submitted; however, no action is being taken at this time, and these rules will be acted upon in separate FEDERAL REGISTER notices.

The changes contained in these submittals and being acted upon by this notice include the following: changes to incorporate the recodification of the California Health and Safety Code; administrative and procedural changes in fee requirements and in advisory committee and hearing board activities; the deletion of final compliance dates that have already passed; the renumbering of regulations; additions and amendments to the "Definitions" rule; new rules dealing with public records and public availability of emission data; the inclusion of levee and reservoir maintenance, range improvement, and forest management as permissible open fires; a replacement of the emission limitation for disposal of solid and liquid wastes in incinerators with a performance specification; the inclusion of control requirements for dry cleaning, metal surface coating thinners and reducers and surface cleaning and degreasing in the "Organic Solvent" rule; the addition of new source performance standards; and the addition of emission standards for hazardous air pollutants. A list of the Rules being considered by this action was published as part of the notice of proposed rulemaking and can be found in 42 FR 21819 (April 29, 1977).

No comments were received addressing the proposed action.

It is the purpose of this notice to approve all changes contained in the July 25, 1973; July 19, 1974; October 23, 1974; November 3, 1975; April 21, 1976; and November 10, 1976 submittals and incorporate them into the California SIP with the exceptions of those rules not being acted upon and the rules discussed below.

Rule 31, Public Disclosure of Data, has been revised and regulation IX, Public Records (Rule 200-204), has been added; these rules are consistent with the requirements of 40 CFR 51.10(e). These new and revised rules are being approved, and Ventura County is being rescinded from the disapproval notice in 40 CFR 52.224(a) and from the substitute regulation in 40 CFR 52.224(b).

Rule 37, Source Recordkeeping and Reporting, has been added and is consistent with the requirements of 40 CFR 51.19. This rule is being approved, and Ventura County is being rescinded from the disapproval notice in 40 CFR 52.234 (a) and from the substitute regulation in 40 CFR 52.234(d).

Rule 66, Organic Solvents, has been revised by adding three new sections that contain control requirements for dry cleaning, metal surface coating thinners and reducers, and surface cleaning and degreasing. These sections contain control requirements analogous to Federally promulgated regulations, 40 CFR 52.246, 52.253, and 52.252, respectively. These new sections are being approved, and Ventura County is being rescinded from those Federally promulgated regulations. EPA is approving Rules 72 and 73, rules establishing New Source Performance Standards and National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants. The State of California, on behalf of the Ventura County APCD, has received delegation of authority for Rules 72.1-72.8 and for Rules 73.1-73.4. This approval does not constitute delegation of authority for Rules 72.9 and 72.10, which will be the subject of a separate FEDERAL REGISTER notice.

Regulation VII, Procedures for Variances, is being approved, however, each variance that is granted must satisfy the requirements of Section 110 of the Clean Air Act and 40 CFR Part 51 in order to be approved by EPA as a revision to the SIP.

The California Air Resources Board has certified that the public hearing requirements of 40 CFR 51.4 have been satisfied.

Pursuant to Section 110 of the Clean Air Act, as amended, and 40 CFR Part 51, the Administrator is required to approve or disapprove the regulations as State Implementation Plan revisions. The Administrator finds good cause for making this rulemaking effective immediately since the regulations being approved are currently being enforced by the State and County Air Pollution Control Agencies, and therefore pose no further requirements on any affected facility.

(Sections 110 and 301 of the Clean Air Act, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 1857c-5 and 1857(g).)

Dated: August 8, 1977.

DOUGLAS COSTLE,
Administrator.

Subpart F of Part 52 of Chapter I, Title 40, of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

Subpart F—California

1. Section 52.220, paragraph (c) is amended as follows:

§ 52.220 Identification of plan.

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(xiii) Ventura County APCD.

(A) Rules 2, 37, 56, 59, 60, and 101.

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(x) Ventura County APCD.

(A) Rules 2, 3, 31, 32, 200, 203, and 204.

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(v) Ventura County APCD.

(A) Rules 2 and 125.

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(vi) Ventura County APCD.

(A) Rules 65, 66, 72, and 73.

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(xiii) Ventura County APCD.

(A) Rules 2, 4, 36, 40, 41, 42, 43, 104, 201, and 202.

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(B) Rules 2, 57, 72, and 73 and Regulation VII (Rules 110-129).

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2. Section 52.224 is amended as follows:

§ 52.224 **General requirements.**

(a) * * *

(8) Metropolitan Los Angeles Intrastate:

(i) Ventura County APCD.

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3. Section 52.234 is amended as follows:

§ 52.234 **Source surveillance.**

(a) * * *

(4) Metropolitan Los Angeles Intrastate:

(i) Ventura County APCD.

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4. Section 52.246 is amended as follows:

§ 52.246 **Control of dry cleaning solvent vapor losses.**

(a) * * *

(b) * * *

(2) In the following portions of the Metropolitan Los Angeles Intrastate Region, this section is rescinded:

(i) Ventura County APCD.

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5. Section 52.252 is amended as follows:

§ 52.252 **Control degreasing operations.**

(a) * * *

(b) * * *

(2) In the following portions of the Metropolitan Los Angeles Intrastate Region, this section is rescinded:

(i) Ventura County APCD.

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6. Section 52.253 is amended as follows:

§ 52.253 **Metal surface coating thinner and reducer.**

(a) * * *

(b) * * *

(2) In the following portions of the Metropolitan Los Angeles Intrastate Region, this section is rescinded:

(i) Ventura County APCD.

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7. Section 52.273 is amended as follows:

§ 52.273 **Open burning.**

(a) * * *

(2) Los Angeles Metropolitan Intrastate Region:

(i) Ventura County APCD.

(A) Paragraph (A)(1) of Rule 56.

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[FRL 777-2]

PART 60—STANDARDS OF PERFORMANCE FOR NEW STATIONARY SOURCES

Amendments to Subpart D; Correction

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Correction.

SUMMARY: This document corrects the final rule that appeared at page 51397 in the FEDERAL REGISTER of Monday, November 22, 1976 (FR Doc. 76-33966).

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 15, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Don R. Goodwin, Emission Standards and Engineering Division, Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, N.C. 27711, Telephone No. 919-541-5271.

Dated August 8, 1977.

EDWARD F. TUERK,
Acting Assistant Administrator, for Air and Waste Management.

In FR Doc. 76-33966, §§ 60.45(f)(4) and 60.45(f)(5) on page 51399 are corrected as follows:

§ 60.45 **[Amended]**

1. In § 60.45(f)(4)(iii) "F_c=0.384 scm CO_2/J" in the fourth line is corrected to read "$F_c=0.384\times10^{-7}$ scm CO_2/J."

2. In § 60.45(f)(4)(iv) a left parenthesis is inserted in the second line between "dscm/J" and "8,740."

3. § 60.45(f)(4)(v) is corrected to read as follows:

§ 60.45 **Emission and fuel monitoring.**

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(v) For bark $F=2.589\times10^{-7}$ dscm/J (9,640 dscf/million Btu) and $F_c=0.500\times10^{-7}$ scm CO_2/J (1,860 scf CO_2/million Btu). For wood residue other than bark $F=2.492\times10^{-7}$ dscm/J (9,280 dscf/million Btu) and $F_c=0.494\times10^{-7}$ scm CO_2/J (1,840 scf CO_2/million Btu).

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4. In § 60.45(f)(5) the F factor and F_c factor equations in SI units are corrected to read as follows:

$$F=10^{-6}\frac{[227.2\ (\text{pct. H})+95.5\ (\text{pct. C})+35.6\ (\text{pct. S})+8.7\ (\text{pct. N})-28.7\ (\text{pct. O})]}{\text{GCV}}.$$

$$F_c=\frac{2.0\times10^{-5}\ (\text{pct. C})}{\text{GCV}}.$$

(Sec. 111, 114, 301(a) of the Clean Air Act as amended (42 U.S.C. 1857c-6, 1857c-9, 1857g(a)).)

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Title 43—Public Lands: Interior

CHAPTER I—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION, DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

PART 423—1976-77 DROUGHT LOANS, GRANTS, AND DEFERMENTS

Rules for Emergency Loans, Grants, and Deferments Under the Emergency Drought Act of 1977

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Final rules.

SUMMARY: These rules amend the rules published on April 14, 1977, in 42 FR 19610 to provide guidelines on the implementation of the Bureau of Reclamation Emergency Drought Act of 1977, approved April 7, 1977. This legislation allows qualified applicants to obtain loans, grants, and deferments to remedy the effects of actual or prospective substantial economic injury resulting from the 1976-77 drought. Areas eligible for assistance may be designated by the President or by the Secretary of the Interior. The program authorizes short-term studies and actions to increase water supplies; makes funds available for loans for the purpose of undertaking construction, management, conservation activities, or the acquisition and transportation of water which can be expected to have an effect in mitigating losses and damages resulting from the 1976-77 drought period, and provides authority to establish a water bank of available water for redistribution.

DATES: These rules are effective on publication and expire on September 30, 1977.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Eugene Hinds, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, Washington, D.C. 20240 (202-343-5104).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: These amendments bring the rules into conformity with the Memorandum of Understanding between the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, and the Farmers Home Administration, Department of Agriculture, entered into on July 15, 1977. That agreement and these rules provide for the aid available under the Act to individual irrigators, as defined in Section 3(b) of the Act. A new § 423.22 has been added to govern applications by individual irrigators.

Section 5 of the Act provides that actions taken pursuant thereto are in response to emergency conditions. To effect their prompt implementation, it has been decided not to publish the rules in proposed form for public comment. However, the public may submit comments for consideration in possible future revisions.

Section 5 further provides that such actions are not a major Federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment for the purposes of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4332(2)(c)).

This document does not contain a major proposal requiring preparation of an Inflation Impact Statement under Executive Order 11821 and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-107.

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