

Because Appendix A merely collects and republishes the interest rates established by the IRS under IRC section 6601(a), the PBGC finds that notice of and public comment on this amendment would be unnecessary and contrary to the public interest. Moreover, because this amendment is correcting an interest rate listed in the Appendix that has been in effect since January 1, 1987, the PBGC also finds that good cause exists for making this amendment effective immediately upon publication in the Federal Register.

The PBGC has determined that this rule is not a "major rule" within the meaning of Executive Order 12291 because it will not have an annual effect on the economy of \$100 million or more; nor will it create a major increase in costs or price for consumers, individual industries, or geographic regions; nor will it have significant adverse effects on competition, employment, investment, innovation, or the ability of United States-based enterprises to compete with foreign based enterprises in domestic or export markets.

List of Subjects in 29 CFR Part 2622

Business and industry, Employee benefit plans, Pension insurance, Pensions, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Small businesses.

In consideration of the foregoing, Appendix A to Part 2622 of Chapter XXVI of Title 29, Code of Federal Regulations, is hereby amended as follows:

PART 2622—EMPLOYER LIABILITY FOR WITHDRAWALS FROM AND TERMINATIONS OF SINGLE-EMPLOYER PLANS

1. The authority citation for Part 2622 is revised to read as follows:

Authority: 29 U.S.C. 1302(b)(3), 1362-1364, 1367-1368, as amended by secs. 11011, 11016, Pub. L. 99-272, 100 Stat. 253, 268.

2. Appendix A to Part 2622 is amended by removing the heading for the first table, by removing all that follows the first table, and by adding a new entry at the end of the table, as follows:

Appendix A—Late Payment and Overpayment Interest Rates

The following table lists the late payment and overpayment interest rates under § 2622.7 for the specified time periods:

From	Through	Interest rate (pct)
January 1, 1987		9

Issued in Washington, DC, this 22d day of June, 1987.

Kathleen P. Utgoff,
Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Coast Guard

33 CFR Part 165

[COTP San Francisco Bay Regulation SF-87-09]

Security Zone Regulation; San Francisco Bay, CA

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DOT.

ACTION: Emergency rule.

SUMMARY: The USS MISSOURI will have a San Francisco port call, and moor at Pier 30/32 in San Francisco for 4 days. A security zone is considered necessary to ensure adequate waterside security during the vessel's port call.

EFFECTIVE DATES: These regulations are effective on 3 July 1987, at approximately 10:30 A.M., PDT, when the USS MISSOURI moors at Pier 30/32. They are terminated at approximately 8:00 A.M., PDT, 7 July 1987, when the USS MISSOURI departs the pier.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: LTJG George Cummings, Coast Guard Marine Safety Office, San Francisco Bay, CA, 415-437-3073.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 553, a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking was not published for this regulation and good cause exists for making it effective in less than 30 days after Federal Register publication. Detailed information on the vessel's port call was not received from the U.S. Navy until 16 June 1987. There was not sufficient time remaining to publish NPRM, and delaying the Security Zone's effective date would be contrary to the national interest.

Drafting Information

The drafters of this regulation are LTJG George Cummings, Project Officer for the Captain of the Port, and LCDR Joseph McFaul, Project Attorney, Eleventh Coast Guard District Legal Office.

Discussion of Regulation

The event requiring this regulation will occur on 3 July 1987 when the USS MISSOURI will arrive in San Francisco Bay for a port call and Fourth of July ceremonies. It is expected that the arrival of the USS MISSOURI will attract significant public and media attention and may be subject to protest demonstrations. A Security Zone will provide the Captain of the Port San Francisco Bay with the authority necessary to ensure the waterside security of the USS MISSOURI.

List of Subjects in 33 CFR Part 165

Harbors, Marine safety, Navigation (water), Security measures, Vessels, Waterways.

Regulation

PART 165—[AMENDED]

In consideration of the foregoing, Subpart D of Part 165 of Title 33, Code of Federal Regulations, is amended as follows:

1. The authority citation for Part 165 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 33 U.S.C. 1225 and 1231, 50 U.S.C. 191, 49 CFR 1.46 and 33 CFR 1.05-1(g), 6.04-1, 6.04-6, and 160.5.

2. A new § 165.T1165 is added to read as follows:

§ 165.T1165 Security Zone: San Francisco Bay, CA.

(a) *Location.* The following area is a Security Zone: A Security Zone is established extending 100 yards around the USS MISSOURI while moored to Pier 30/32, San Francisco, CA.

(b) *Effective date.* This regulation becomes effective when the vessel moors at Pier 30/32, San Francisco, CA at approximately 10:30 A.M., PDT, on 3 July 1987, and remains effective whenever moored at this location. It terminates when the USS MISSOURI departs San Francisco Bay at approximately 8:00 A.M., PDT, 7 July 1986.

(c) *Regulations.* In accordance with the general regulation in § 165.33 of this part, entry into this zone is prohibited unless authorized by the Captain of the Port San Francisco Bay, CA. Section 165.33 also contains other general requirements.

(33 U.S.C. 1225 and 1231; 49 CFR 1.46; and 33 CFR 160.5)

Dated: June 19, 1987.

David Zawadzki,

Captain, U.S. Coast Guard, Captain of the Port, San Francisco Bay.

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Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army**33 CFR Part 209****Administrative Procedures; Removal of Obsolete Requirements; Correction****AGENCY:** Army Corps of Engineers, DoD.**ACTION:** Final rule; Correction.

SUMMARY: The regulations which prescribe the procedures used by the Corps of Engineers in the review and promulgation of regulations governing navigable waters were amended to remove obsolete and unnecessary requirements on December 22, 1986, 51 FR 45765. An error made in the designation of paragraphs in 33 CFR 209.200 in hereby corrected.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 29, 1987.**ADDRESS:** USACE, DAEN-CECW-OR, Washington, DC 20314-1000.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Mr. Ralph T. Eppard or Mr. Sam Collinson at (202) 272-1783.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The amendatory language to § 209.200 as it appeared in 51 FR 45765, December 22, 1986, is corrected as follows:

5. Section 209.200 *Regulations governing navigable waters* is amended by revising paragraph (a), removing paragraphs (d) and (f) and redesignating paragraph (e) as (d), paragraph (g) as (e) and redesignating paragraph (h) as (f), as follows:

Dated: June 22, 1987.

John O. Roach, II,*Army Liaison Officer With the Federal Register.*

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**40 CFR Parts 795 and 799**

[OPTS-42065B; FRL-3223-9]

2-Ethylhexanoic Acid; Technical Modification**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).**ACTION:** Final rule.

SUMMARY: EPA has approved minor modifications of the test standards for the 2-ethylhexanoic acid (EHA) test rule at 40 CFR 795.223(c)(2)(ii)(C) and 799.1650 (c)(2)(ii)(C) and (c)(3) in response to a request from the test sponsors.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 29, 1987.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Edward A. Klein, Director, TSCA Assistance Office (TS-799), Office of Toxic Substances, Rm. E-543, 401 M St. SW., Washington, DC. 20460, (202) 554-1404.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA has approved minor modifications of the test standards for the 2-ethylhexanoic acid test rule at 40 CFR 795.223 and 799.1650.

Test Rule Modifications

EPA issued a final test rule for EHA, published in the *Federal Register* of November 6, 1986 (51 FR 40318). On March 19, 1987, the Chemical Manufacturers Association (CMA) submitted a request to remove the requirement that the subchronic toxicity test be administered by the same route as the pharmacokinetics test. The Agency reviewed the request and has decided to grant the requested modification. Because the modification merely clarifies an inconsistency, the minor changes to 40 CFR 795.223(c) (2) (ii)(C) and 799.1650 (c)(2)(ii)(C) and (c)(3) requested by CMA clearly do not pose any substantive issues. Moreover, the Agency has determined that obtaining comment on these modifications would be impracticable, unnecessary, and contrary to the public interest in that doing so would delay both the start of testing and the submission of the study data. Therefore, in accordance with the procedures in 40 CFR 790.55(b)(1)(ii) and section 553(b)(3)(B) of the Administrative Procedure Act, the Agency notified the test sponsors by letter of its approval of these modifications on April 7, 1987 without seeking public comment (Ref. 2). In accordance with 40 CFR 790.55(b)(2), EPA is issuing this notice which describes the associated modifications to the test standards and reporting requirements for publication in the *Federal Register*. For a more detailed description of the rationale for these modifications, refer to CMA's letter (Ref. 1) and EPA's letter in response (Ref. 2). The rule is modified as follows:

The EHA rule requires an oral subchronic toxicity study to develop data comparable with other data on EHA and data on related chemicals like 2-ethylhexanol and di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate. To accomplish this, the Agency believes it is unnecessary to restrict the EHA oral subchronic toxicity test to gavage and encapsulation as required for the pharmacokinetics test (Ref. 2). Furthermore, the test sponsors have conducted a preliminary stability study (Ref. 3) that indicates a traditional feeding study may be technically feasible. Therefore, the Agency has decided to remove the requirement in

the final rule that both the pharmacokinetics and subchronic toxicity tests utilize either gavage or encapsulation.

The 3-month extension in the final reporting requirement for the oral subchronic toxicity test allows the test sponsors adequate time to complete validation studies for alternative oral routes of administration and to complete testing using a fully validated oral route of administration.

Public Record

EPA has established a public record for this rulemaking [docket number OPTS-42065B]. The record includes the information considered by the Agency in evaluating the requested modifications to this rule.

(1) The Chemical Manufacturers Association (CMA). Letter from Geraldine Cox, Ph.D., to the Director, Office of Compliance Monitoring, Office of Pesticides and Toxic Substances, USEPA. (March 19, 1987).

(2) USEPA. Letter from Charles E. Elkins, Director, Office of Toxic Substances, to Geraldine Cox, CMA. (April 7, 1987).

(3) Eastman Kodak Co. Dose verification, Analysis, and Recovery of 2-Ethylhexanoic Acid in Rat Chow, prepared for the EHA Panel of CMA, Washington, DC 20037 (December 19, 1986).

The record is available for inspection from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays, in Rm. G-004, NE Mall, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460.

Dated: June 17, 1987.

John A. Moore,*Assistant Administrator for Pesticides and Toxic Substances.*

Therefore, 40 CFR Chapter I is amended as follows:

PART 795—[AMENDED]**1. In Part 795:**

a. The authority citation continues to read as follows:

Authority: 15 U.S.C. 2603, 2625.

b. In § 795.223 by revising paragraph (c)(2)(ii)(C), to read as follows:

§ 795.223 Pharmacokinetics test.

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(c) * * *

(2) * * *

(ii) * * *

(C) Oral dosing shall be performed by gavage or by administering encapsulated test substance.

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Part 799—[AMENDED]**2. In Part 799:**

a. The authority citation for Part 799 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 15 U.S.C. 2603, 2611, 2625.

b. In § 799.1650 by revising paragraphs (c)(2)(ii)(C) and (c)(3) to read as follows:

§ 799.1650 2-Ethylhexanoic acid.

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(c) * * *

(2) * * *

(ii) * * *

(C) The final report of results shall be submitted to the Agency no later than 18 months from the effective date of the final test rule.

(3) *Administration of test substance.* Dosing for the testing required under paragraph (c) (1) and (2) of this section shall be by the oral route for both tests, and as specified in § 795.233(c)(2)(ii)(C) and § 795.260(d)(7) of this chapter

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

41 CFR Part 101-20

[FPMR Amdt. D-84]

Management of Buildings and Grounds

AGENCY: General Services Administration.

ACTION: Final rule; Correction.

SUMMARY: General Services Administration is correcting minor, nonsubstantive errors to the final rule, FPMR Amendment D-84, which governs the operation of, and the activities in Federal buildings. This regulation was developed by a subcommittee of the Interagency Advisory Committee on Regulatory Review and is designed to clarify the content, eliminate duplication, and remove obstacles to effective building management.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 8, 1987.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James Steele (202-566-1563).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In FR document 87-7694 appearing at 52 FR 11263, Apr. 8, 1987, GSA revised Part 101-20. This document corrects several incorrect internal references.

Dated: June 23, 1987.

Rodney P. Lantier,

Chief, Directives and Reports Management Branch.

PART 101-20—[AMENDED]

Therefore, 41 CFR Part 101-20 is corrected as follows:

§ 101-20.103-4 [Corrected]

On page 11267, first column, in paragraph (a) the reference reading "§ 101-20.003-7" is corrected to read "§ 101-20.003(g)." In the second column, in paragraph (a) the reference reading "§ 101-20.003-23" is corrected to read "§ 101-20.003(w)." In paragraph (c) the reference reading "§ 101-20.003-24" is corrected to read "§ 101-20.003(x)." In paragraph (d) the reference reading "§ 101-20.003-22" is corrected to read "§ 101-20.003(v)."

§ 101-20.107 [Corrected]

On page 11270, third column, the section title reading "Energy management" is corrected to read "Energy conservation." On page 11271, second column, in paragraph (h) the reference reading "§ 101-20.116" is corrected to read "§ 101-20.107."

§ 101-20.302 [Corrected]

On page 11273, first column, the reference reading "§ 101-20.003-7" is corrected to read "§ 101-20.003(g)."

§ 101-20.309 [Corrected]

On page 11273, third column, the reference reading "§ 101-20.003-26" is corrected to read "§ 101-20.003(z)."

§ 101-20.403 [Corrected]

On page 11274, third column, in paragraph (a)(2) the reference reading "§ 101-20.003-4" is corrected to read "§ 101-20.003(d)."

§ 101-20.404 [Corrected]

On page 11274, third column, in paragraph (a) the reference reading "§ 101-20.003-13" is corrected to read "§ 101-20.003(m)."

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

42 CFR Part 57

Programs for the Training of Physician Assistants and Grants for Physician Assistant Training Programs

AGENCY: Public Health Service, HHS.

ACTION: Final regulations.

SUMMARY: These final regulations: (1) Amend the current regulatory definition of programs for the training of physician assistants in accordance with section 701(8) of the Public Health Service Act (the Act) (42 CFR Part 57, Subpart I), as amended by the Health Professions Training Assistance Act of 1985 (Pub. L.

99-129); and (2) amend the existing regulations governing the Grants for Physician Assistant Training Programs, authorized by section 783 of the Act (42 CFR Part 57, Subpart H) to: (a) Conform the regulations with amendments made to the Act by Pub. L. 99-129, the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1981 (Pub. L. 97-35), and the Compact of Free Association Act of 1985 (Pub. L. 99-239), which are of a technical and ministerial nature; and (b) add provisions to encourage efforts to attract, maintain and graduate minority and disadvantaged students.

EFFECTIVE DATE: These regulations are effective June 29, 1987.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Donald L. Weaver, M.D. Director, Division of Medicine, Bureau of Health Professions, Health Resources and Services Administration, Parklawn Building, Room 4C25, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857; telephone: 301 443-6190.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

On October 10, 1986, the Assistant Secretary for Health, Department of Health and Human Services, with the approval of the Secretary, published in the Federal Register (51 FR 36412), a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) to amend Subpart I of 42 CFR Part 57 to implement changes in section 701(8) of the Act. Pub. L. 99-129, amended section 701(8) by: (a) Substituting the term "primary health" for "health" to describe the type of care that graduates of physician assistant training programs must be capable of providing under the supervision of a physician; and (b) adding a requirement that physician assistant programs train students in primary care, disease prevention, health promotion, geriatric medicine, and home health care. The statute further directs the Secretary to consult with appropriate organizations and then promulgate regulations to implement the amendments. The American Medical Association, American Academy of Physician Assistants and the Association of Physician Assistant Programs provided comments to the Public Health Service in the development of the proposed new definitions.

In the NPRM of October 10, 1986 (51 FR 36414), the Department also proposed to amend the existing regulations governing grants under section 783 of the Act, codified at 42 CFR Part 57, Subpart H. This amendment is necessary to provide an added emphasis on the national need to train more minority and disadvantaged students.