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CHAPTER I—FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

[Docket No. 73-CE-20-AD, Amdt. 39-1748]

PART 39—AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVES

Cessna Model 310 Airplanes

As a result of a service history of fuel line corrosion, leaks, chafing and other potential fire hazards in the wing leading edge of Cessna Model 310I airplanes, Amendment 39-1617 (38 FR 8242), AD 73-7-7, was issued to require inspection and modifications in the wing leading edge area of these model airplanes to provide drainage of any possible flammable fluid leakage and remove possible sources of ignition. Subsequent to this action it has been found that the Cessna Model 310I airplanes have a cabin heater fuel pump relay installed in this area which could be a possible source of ignition should flammable leakage occur. The manufacturer has issued Cessna Service Letter No. ME73-5, Supplement No. 2, dated October 19, 1973, and Service Kit No. 310-90A which together provide instructions and parts for relocation of this relay to an area where it can present no hazard. Since the conditions described herein may exist in other airplanes of the same type design an Airworthiness Directive (AD) is being issued applicable to Cessna Model 310I airplanes making compliance with the Service Letter mandatory.

Since a situation exists which requires expeditious adoption of the amendment, notice and public procedure hereon are impracticable and good cause exists for making the amendment effective in less than thirty (30) days.

In consideration of the foregoing and pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Administrator, 14 CFR 11.89 (31 FR 13697) § 39.13 of Part 39 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended by adding the following new AD.

Cessna. Applies to Model 310I (Serial Numbers 310I-0001 thru 310I-0200) airplanes. Compliance: Required as indicated, unless already accomplished.

To remove possible sources of ignition in the wing leading edge area, within the next 25 hours' time in service after the effective date of this AD, accomplish the following:

Relocate the heater fuel pump relay from the existing location in the wing leading edge to the inboard side of the third trailing edge wing rib assembly (wing station 47.83) outboard of the wing root rib in accordance with Cessna Service Letter ME73-5, Supplement No. 2, incorporating Cessna Service Kit SK 310-90A, or later FAA-approved revisions or any other modification approved

by the Chief, Engineering and Manufacturing Branch, FAA, Central Region.

This amendment becomes effective December 10, 1973.

(Secs. 313(a), 601, 603, Federal Aviation Act of 1958; (49 U.S.C. 1354(a), 1421, 1423); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

Issued in Kansas City, Mo., on November 21, 1973.

JOHN R. WALLS,
Acting Director,
Central Region.

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[Docket No. 73-SO-29; Amdt. 39-1747]

PART 39—AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVES

Piper PA-34-200 Airplanes

Amendment 39-1639 (38 FR 13367), AD 73-11-2, as amended by Amendment 39-1649 (38 FR 14265), requires inspection of the main landing gear support structure and repair as necessary on Piper Model PA-34-200 airplanes. After issuing Amendment 39-1649, the Agency determined that after appropriate inspection and reservicing that repetitive inspections are no longer necessary. Therefore, the AD is being further amended to provide inspection and reservicing procedures to eliminate the need for repetitive inspections.

Since this amendment provides a means to relieve the requirement for repetitive inspections and imposes no additional burden on any person, notice and public procedure hereon are unnecessary and the amendment may be made effective in less than 30 days.

In consideration of the foregoing, and pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Administrator (31 FR 13697), § 39.13 of Part 39 of the Federal Aviation Regulations, Amendment 39-1639 as amended by Amendment 39-1649 is further amended as follows:

(1) By amending applicability to read:

Applies to Model PA-34-200 airplanes Serial Numbers 34-E4 and 34-7250001 through 34-7450039 certificated in all categories.

(2) By adding the following new paragraph and note at the end thereof:

When aft wing modification kit Piper Part No. 760 696V has been installed and the inspection and reservicing of the main landing gear oleo struts has been accomplished in accordance with the "instructions" section of Piper Service Bulletin No. 406, the repetitive inspections in (a), (b), and (c) above are no longer necessary.

NOTE: Serial Numbers 34-7250023; 34-7250090; 34-7250203; 34-7250262; 34-7250275; 34-7250282; 34-7250290; 34-7250296; 34-7250316; 34-7250317; 34-7250319; 34-7250322; 34-7250325; 34-7250326; 34-7250328; 34-

7250330; 34-7250331; 34-7250333; 34-7250334; and 34-7250336 and up have had Piper Kit No. 760696V installed at the factory.

This amendment becomes effective December 3, 1973.

(Secs. 313(a), 601, 603, Federal Aviation Act of 1958; (49 U.S.C. 1354(a), 1421, 1423); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

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P. M. SWATEK,
Director,
Southern Region.

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PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS

Alteration of Control Zone

The purpose of this amendment to Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is to alter the Pensacola, Fla., control zone.

The Pensacola control zone is described in § 71.171 (38 FR 351). In the description, a portion of the control zone is predicated on NAS Elyson Field. Since this field will be closed and all instrument approach procedures cancelled, effective December 14, 1973, the portion predicated on NAS Elyson Field will no longer be required. It is necessary to alter the description to reflect this change. Since this amendment is less restrictive in nature, notice and public procedure hereon are unnecessary.

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended, effective 0901 G.M.T., December 14, 1973, as hereinafter set forth.

In § 71.171 (38 FR 351), the Pensacola, Fla., control zone is amended as follows:

" * * * Pickens RBN, and within the portion of a 4-mile radius of NAS Elyson Field (Lat. 30°31'30" N., Long. 87°12'00" W.), extending clockwise from a line 2 miles southwest of and parallel to the 331° bearing from Brent LOM to the 5-mile radius zone * * * is deleted and * * * Pickens RBN * * * is substituted therefor.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958; (49 U.S.C. 1348(a)); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

Issued in East Point, Ga., on November 19, 1973.

PHILLIP M. SWATEK,
Director,
Southern Region.

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-SW-77]

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS**Alteration of Federal Airways**

The purpose of this amendment to Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is to change the name of the Page, Okla. VORTAC to Rich Mountain, Okla., where it appears in the description of VOR Federal Airways V-13 and V-315.

Since this amendment is a minor editorial change on which the public would have no particular reason to comment, notice and public procedure thereon are unnecessary. However, since it is necessary that sufficient time be allowed to permit appropriate changes to be made on aeronautical charts, this amendment will become effective more than 30 days after publication.

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended, effective 0901 G.m.t., January 31, 1974, as hereinafter set forth.

Section 71.123 (38 FR 307, 9488, 19814) is amended as follows:

a. In V-13, all between " * * * Texarkana 184° radials;" and "Neosho, Mo.; * * * " is deleted and "Rich Mountain, Okla.; Fort Smith, Ark.; INT Fort Smith 006° and Fayetteville, Ark., 190° radials; Fayetteville, including a W alternate from Rich Mountain to Fayetteville via INT Rich Mountain 006° and Fayetteville 205° radials;" is substituted therefor.

b. In V-315 "Page, Okla." is deleted and "Rich Mountain, Okla." is substituted therefor.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348(a)); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

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CHARLES H. NEWPOL,
Acting Chief, Airspace and Air
Traffic Rules Division.

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-AL-10]

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS**Alteration of Control Zone and Transition Area**

On September 27, 1973, a notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM) was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER (38 FR 26940) stating that the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) was considering an amendment to Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations that would alter the Sitka, Alaska, Control Zone and Transition Area to comply with U.S. Standard for Terminal Instrument Procedures (TERP's) and revised criteria for establishment of terminal controlled airspace.

Interested persons were afforded an opportunity to participate in the proposed rulemaking through the submission

of comments. All comments received were favorable.

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended, effective 0901 G.m.t., January 31, 1974, as hereinafter set forth.

1. In § 71.171 (38 FR 351) the Sitka, Alaska, Control Zone is amended to read as follows:

SITKA, ALASKA

Within a 5-mile radius of the Sitka Airport (Lat. 57°02'55" N., Long. 135°21'45" W.); within 2 miles each side of the Biorka Island VORTAC 029° and 209° radials, extending from the 5-mile-radius zone to 2 miles southwest of the VORTAC; within 2 miles each side of the Sitka RBN 027° and 207° bearings, extending from the 5-mile-radius zone to 2 miles southwest of the RBN; and within 2.5 miles each side of the localizer northwest course, extending from the 5-mile-radius zone to 14 miles northwest of the localizer.

2. In § 71.181 (38 FR 435) the Sitka, Alaska, 700-foot

Transition Area is amended to read as follows:

SITKA, ALASKA

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within 3 miles northwest and 2 miles southeast of the Sitka RBN 207° bearing, extending from the RBN to 8 miles southwest of the RBN; within 2 miles each side of the Biorka Island VORTAC 148° radial, extending from the VORTAC to 8 miles southeast of the VORTAC; within 2 miles each side of the Sitka RBN 147° bearing, extending from the RBN to 8 miles southeast of the RBN; and within 2.5 miles each side of the localizer northwest course, extending from 14 miles northwest to 22 miles northwest of the localizer.

The 1,200-foot portion of the transition area would remain unchanged.
(Sec. 307(a), 1110, Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348(a), 1510); Executive Order 10854 (24 FR 9565); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

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CHARLES H. NEWPOL,
Chief, Airspace and Air
Traffic Rules Division.

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[Airspace Docket No. 72-WA-31]

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS**Alteration of Terminal Control Area**

On September 27, 1973, FR Doc. 73-20594 was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER (38 FR 26905), altering Chicago, Ill., Group I Terminal Control Area (TCA) effective November 8, 1973.

The TCA floors in the rule were correctly charted and pilots are now following the rule as chartered. However, the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) in reviewing the language has identified the possibility of a misinterpretation of the TCA floor that should be positively prevented.

The phrase "within and underlying Area D" is added to the description of

Area C to make sure that no possibility of misunderstanding exists.

Since there will be no change in the operation of aircraft, this clarification is minor in nature.

The review also revealed minor errors of one degree in four radials used in the description of Area D. In terms of distance the error is so small that it would be difficult to determine by pilotage and it will not affect any air operations.

Therefore, it is determined that this amendment is of such minor nature that notice and public procedure hereon are unnecessary. In addition, since there is no practical possibility of any change in legal burden on users, no useful purpose would be served by delaying the effective date beyond the date of publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER and good cause exists for making this amendment effective upon such publication.

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended, effective December 4, 1973 as hereinafter set forth.

In § 71.401(a) (38 FR 622, 26905) the Chicago, Ill., Terminal Control Area is amended as follows:

In the description of Area C " * * * Excluding Areas A and B, previously described, Areas D and E described hereinafter, " * * * " is deleted and " * * * Excluding Areas A and B, previously described, Area E and the airspace within and underlying Area D described hereinafter " * * * " is substituted therefor.

In the description of Area D " * * * the west by the Chicago-O'Hare VORTAC 321° radial, on the south by the Northbrook VORTAC 269° and 094° radials, on the east by the Chicago-O'Hare VORTAC 018° radial " * * * " is deleted and " * * * the west by the Chicago-O'Hare VORTAC 322° radial on the south by the Northbrook VORTAC 270° and 095° radials, on the east by the Chicago-O'Hare VORTAC 019° radial " * * * " is substituted therefor.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348(a)); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

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CHARLES H. NEWPOL,
Acting Chief, Airspace and Air
Traffic Rules Division.

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-GL-40]

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS**Designation of Transition Area**

On Page 24914 of the FEDERAL REGISTER dated September 11, 1973, the Federal Aviation Administration published a notice of proposed rulemaking which would amend § 71.181 of part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations so as to designate a transition area at Hillsboro, Wisconsin.

Interested persons were given 30 days to submit written comments, suggestions or objections regarding the proposed amendment.

No objections have been received and the proposed amendment is hereby adopted without change and is set forth below.

This amendment shall be effective 0901 G.m.t., January 31, 1974.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

Issued in Des Plaines, Illinois, on November 2, 1973.

R. O. ZIEGLER,
Acting Director,
Great Lakes Region.

In § 71.181 (38 FR 435), the following transition area is added:

HILLSBORO, WISC.

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 8-mile radius of the Kickapoo Airport (latitude 43°39'24" N. longitude 90°19'41" W.).

This amendment is proposed under the authority of section 307(a) of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348), and of section 6(c) of the Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-GL-28]

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS

Alteration of Transition Area

On Page 16080 of the FEDERAL REGISTER dated June 20, 1973, the Federal Aviation Administration published a notice of proposed rulemaking which would amend § 71.181 of Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations so as to alter the transition area at Ashland, Wisconsin.

Interested persons were given 30 days to submit written comments, suggestions or objections regarding the proposed amendment.

No objections have been received and the proposed amendment is hereby adopted without change and is set forth below.

This amendment shall be effective 0901 G.m.t., December 6, 1973.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348); sec. 6(c) of the Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

Issued in Des Plaines, Illinois, on September 13, 1973.

R. O. ZIEGLER,
Acting Director,
Great Lakes Region.

In § 71.181 (38 FR 435), the following transition area is amended to read:

ASHLAND, WIS.

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within an 8-mile radius of the John F. Kennedy Memorial

Airport (lat. 46°32'59" N., long. 90°55'05" W.) and that airspace extending upward from 1,200 feet above the surface within 9½ miles southeast and 4½ miles northwest of the 208° bearing from the airport extending 18½ miles southwest of the airport; within 9½ miles north and 4½ miles south of the 126° bearing from the airport extending from the airport to 18½ miles southeast of the airport; within 5 miles each side of the 306° bearing from the airport extending from the airport to 12 miles northwest of the airport, excluding the portion that overlies the Ironwood, Mich., and Hayward and Cable, Wis., transition areas.

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-GL-39]

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS

Alteration of Transition Area

On Page 26812 of the FEDERAL REGISTER dated September 26, 1973, the Federal Aviation Administration published a notice of proposed rulemaking which would amend § 71.181 of Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations so as to alter the transition area at Hayward and Cable, Wisconsin.

Interested persons were given 30 days to submit written comments, suggestions or objections regarding the proposed amendment.

No objections have been received and the amendment as so proposed is hereby adopted, subject to the following change:

In § 71.181 (38 FR 435) the description of the Hayward and Cable, Wisconsin, transition area is amended by deleting the proposed 1200-foot transition area, the following transition area is amended to read:

HAYWARD AND CABLE, WISCONSIN

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 7-mile radius of Hayward Municipal Airport (latitude 46°01'00" N., longitude 91°27'00" W.) and within 8-mile radius of Cable Union Airport (latitude 46°11'30" W., longitude 91°15'00" W.), and within 4½ miles each side of the 206° bearing from the Hayward Airport extending from the 7-mile radius to 11 miles southwest of the airport and within 4½ miles east and 9½ miles west of the 023° bearing from the Hayward Airport extending from the 7-mile radius to 18½ miles northeast of the airport.

This amendment shall be effective 0901 G.m.t., January 31, 1974.

(Section 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958; (49 U.S.C. 1348); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

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R. O. ZIEGLER,
Acting Director,
Great Lakes Region.

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PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS

Alteration of VOR Federal Airways

On September 28, 1973, a notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM) was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER (38 FR 27081) stating that the Federal Aviation Administration was considering an amendment to Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations that would alter several VOR Federal Airways in the vicinity of Chicago, Ill., due to the planned decommissioning of the Naperville, Ill. VOR.

Interested persons were afforded an opportunity to participate in the proposed rulemaking through the submission of comments. All comments received were favorable.

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended, effective 0901 G.m.t., March 28, 1974, as hereinafter set forth.

Section 71.123 (38 FR 307, 8133, 26444, 15622, 19964, 19672, and 37 FR 23329) is amended as follows:

1. In V-6: "Naperville, Ill.;" is deleted, and "INT Cordova 087" and DuPage, Ill., 255° radials; to DuPage, From INT Chicago Heights, Ill., 358° and South Bend, Ind., 271° radials;" is substituted therefor.

2. In V-8: "INT Cordova 087" and Joliet, Ill., 316° radials;" is deleted, and "INT Cordova 087" and Joliet, Ill., 291° radials;" is substituted therefor.

3. In V-9: "Naperville, Ill.; INT Naperville 317° and Milwaukee, Wis., 205° radials; Milwaukee;" is deleted, and "INT Joliet 329° and Milwaukee, Wis., 209° radials; Milwaukee; including a W alternate via INT Pontiac 346° and Milwaukee 209° radials;" is substituted therefor.

4. In V-10: "INT Bradford 056° and Naperville, Ill., 253° radials; Naperville; South Bend, Ind., including a N alternate via INT Naperville 075° and South Bend 290° radials;" is deleted and "INT Bradford 056° and Chicago O'Hare, Ill., 236° radials; to Chicago O'Hare. From INT Chicago Heights, Ill., 358° and South Bend, Ind., 271° radials; South Bend;" is substituted therefor.

5. In V-97: "Chicago Heights, Ill.; Joliet, Ill.; INT Joliet 008° and Naperville, Ill., 340° radials; INT Naperville 340° and Janesville, Wis., 111° radials;" is deleted and "to Chicago Heights, Ill. From Northbrook, Ill.; Janesville, Wis.;" is substituted therefor.

6. In V-100: "INT Rockford 079°" is deleted, and "INT Rockford 080°" is substituted therefor.

7. In V-116: "Joliet, Ill.; Naperville, Ill.; Keeler, Mich., including a south alternate via Naperville 089° and Keeler 234° radials;" is deleted and "to Joliet, Ill. From INT Keeler, Mich., 256° and Knox, Ind., 335° radials; Keeler;" is substituted therefor.

8. In V-177: "From Naperville, Ill.;" is deleted, and "From DuPage, Ill., via" is substituted therefor.

9. In V-218: "Rockford, Ill.; INT Rockford 136° and Naperville, Ill., 290° radials; Naperville; Keeler, Mich.;" is deleted and "to Rockford, Ill. From Keeler, Mich., via" is substituted therefor.

10. In V-227: V-227 is amended to read: "From Lafayette, Ind., via Roberts, Ill.; Pontiac, Ill.; to Rockford, Ill."

11. In V-429; All after "Joliet, Ill.;" is deleted and "INT Joliet 351" and DuPage, Ill., 185° radials; DuPage; INT DuPage 346° and Oshkosh, Wis., 187° radials; to Oshkosh." is substituted therefor.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348(a)); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

Issued in Washington, D.C. on November 27, 1973.

CHARLES H. NEWPOL,

Acting Chief, Airspace and Air Traffic Rules Division.

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-GL-41]

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS

Designation of Transition Area

On Page 26813 of the FEDERAL REGISTER dated September 26, 1973, the Federal Aviation Administration published a notice of proposed rulemaking which would amend section 71.181 of part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations so as to designate a transition area at Staples, Minnesota.

Interested persons were given 30 days to submit written comments, suggestions or objections regarding the proposed amendment.

No objections have been received and the proposed amendment is hereby adopted without change and is set forth below.

This amendment shall be effective 0901 G.m.t., January 31, 1974.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

Issued in Des Plaines, Illinois, on November 13, 1973.

R. O. ZIEGLER,

*Acting Director,
Great Lakes Region.*

In § 71.181 (38 FR 435), the following transition area is added:

STAPLES, MINN.

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 5-mile radius of the Staples Municipal Airport (latitude 46°22'48" N., longitude 94°48'08" W.), and within 3 miles each side of the 311° bearing from Staples Municipal Airport, extending from the 5-mile radius to eight miles northwest of the 311° bearing from the airport, tending upward from 1200 feet above the surface within 4½ miles east and 9½ miles west of the 311° bearing from the airport, extending to 18½ miles northwest of the airport, excluding that portion south of latitude 46°30'00" N.

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-WA-46]

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF FEDERAL AIRWAYS, AREA LOW ROUTES, CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, AND REPORTING POINTS

Revocation of Compulsory Reporting Point

The purpose of this amendment to Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regu-

lations is to revoke compulsory reporting point, Sauflay, Fla.

Sauflay, Fla., is designated as a compulsory reporting point on V-198. However, V-198 between Brookley, Ala., and Crestview, Fla., via Sauflay, Fla., has been revoked (ASD 73-SO-32) effective November 8, 1973. Since V-198 was the only airway utilizing Sauflay VORTAC for its route alignment, there is no further requirement to retain it as a charted compulsory reporting point. Therefore, action is taken herein to revoke that reporting point.

Since this amendment is minor in nature with no substantive change in the regulations, and one in which the public would have no particular reason to comment, notice and public procedure thereon are unnecessary. However, since time must be allowed to make appropriate changes on aeronautical charts, this amendment will become effective January 3, 1973.

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended, effective 0901 G.m.t., January 31, 1974, as hereinafter set forth.

Section 71.203 (38 FR 606) is amended as follows:

"Sauflay, Fla." is deleted.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348(a)); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

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CHARLES H. NEWPOL,

Acting Chief, Airspace and Air Traffic Rules Division.

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-SO-33]

PART 73—SPECIAL USE AIRSPACE

Revocation of Temporary Restricted Area

The purpose of this amendment to Part 73 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is to revoke temporary Restricted Area, R-3705, Brave Shield VII, Fort Campbell, Ky.

On October 15, 1973, an amendment to Part 73 of the Federal Aviation Regulations was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER (38 FR 28555) designating a temporary Restricted Area, R-3705, Brave Shield VII, Fort Campbell, Ky., effective 0901 G.m.t., December 6, 1973. The restricted area was designated to contain a joint military exercise "Brave Shield VII" scheduled from December 6 through 11, 1973.

As a result of its continuing review of Department of Defense activities in light of the energy conservation program, the Department of Defense has canceled the exercise. Accordingly, the justification for temporary Restricted Area, R-3705, no longer exists and the FAA has determined that its designation should be revoked.

Since the revocation of R-3705 is a minor matter on which the public would have no particular desire to comment, notice, and public procedure thereon are

unnecessary. Since the action relieves a restriction upon the public, it may become effective in less than 30 days after publication.

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 73 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended, effective December 4, 1973, as hereinafter set forth.

In § 73.37 (38 FR 650, 28555)

R-3705 Brave Shield VII, Fort Campbell, Ky., is revoked.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348(a)); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

Issued in Washington, D.C., on November 27, 1973.

CHARLES H. NEWPOL,

Acting Chief, Airspace and Air Traffic Rules Division.

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-WA-19]

PART 75—ESTABLISHMENT OF JET ROUTES AND AREA HIGH ROUTES

Alteration of RNAV Routes and Waypoints; Correction

On August 30, 1973, FR Doc. 73-18370 was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER (38 FR 23397) and amends Part 75 of the Federal Aviation Regulations, effective 0901 G.m.t., November 8, 1973, by altering several RNAV routes. FR Doc. 73-18370 described the location of Cedar Bluff Waypoint 38°29'43" N., 100°00'41" W., which should have correctly been 38°29'43" N., 100°10'41" W. FR Doc. 73-18370 showed the Walnut Ridge, Ark., Waypoint as being located in Ariz., instead of Ark. Action to make these corrections is taken herein.

Since amending the description of these waypoints is a minor editorial change on which the public would have no particular reason to comment, notice and public procedure thereon are unnecessary.

In consideration of the foregoing, effective December 4, 1973, FR Doc. 73-18370 (38 FR 23397) is amended as hereinafter set forth.

1. In center column, line three:

Delete "29°43' N., 100°00'41" W., Garden City," and substitute "29°43' N., 100°10'41" W., Garden City," therefor.

2. In the right column, line 22:

Delete "N., 89°57'35" W., Walnut Ridge, Ariz.," and substitute "N., 89°57'35" W., Walnut Ridge, Ark.," therefor. (Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958; (49 U.S.C. 1348(a)); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

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CLAUDE FEATHERSTONE,

Acting Chief, Airspace and Air Traffic Rules Division.

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[Airspace Docket No. 73-WA-43]

PART 75—ESTABLISHMENT OF JET ROUTES AND AREA HIGH ROUTES

Alteration of Waypoint Reference Facility

The purpose of this amendment to Part 75 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is to change the name of the reference facility of Tulsa, Okla., waypoint on J991R from Oklahoma City, Okla., to Tulsa, Okla.

Tulsa waypoint is used also in the description of J992R, effective November 8, 1973 (38 FR 26715), and reference facility for Tulsa waypoint on J992R will be changed to Tulsa to provide more precise navigational guidance. Use of a single reference facility for waypoints used on multiple routes reduces chart clutter and simplifies traffic control and flight procedures. Accordingly, action is taken herein to specify the same waypoint for Tulsa on J991R as will be used for Tulsa on J992R after November 8, 1973.

Since this amendment is a minor editorial change on which the public would have no particular reason to comment, notice and public procedure thereon are unnecessary, and it may be made effective less than 30 days after publication.

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 75 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended, effective 0901 G.m.t., November 8, 1973, as hereinafter set forth.

Section 75.400 (38 FR 700, 23397) is amended as follows:

In J991R "Tulsa, OK. 36°11'46" N. 95°47'16" W. Oklahoma City, OK." is deleted and Tulsa, Okla. 36°11'46" N., 95°47'16" W. Tulsa, Okla." is substituted therefor.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958; (49 U.S.C. 1348(a)); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).

Issued in Washington, D.C., on November 2, 1973.

CLAUDE FEATHERSTONE,
Acting Chief, Airspace and Air
Traffic Rules Division.

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Title 26—Internal Revenue

CHAPTER I—INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

SUBCHAPTER A—INCOME TAX

[Income Tax Regulations; T.D. 7291]

PART 1—INCOME TAX; TAXABLE YEARS BEGINNING AFTER DECEMBER 31, 1953

Definition of Dependent With Respect to American Samoans

This Treasury decision conforms the Income Tax Regulations (26 CFR Part 1) to subsection (a) of the Act of October 27, 1972 (Pub. L. 92-580, 86 Stat. 1276). These amendments extend the definition of "dependent" to include "nationals" of the United States who otherwise would qualify as dependents under prior law but for the fact that they are not citizens of the United States. In practice, this change will apply only to American Samoans as the residents of Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Virgin Islands are United States citizens.

Adoption of amendments to the regulations. The Income Tax Regulations (26 CFR Part 1) are amended as set forth below:

PARAGRAPH 1. Section 1.152(b)(3) is amended to read as set forth below:

PAR. 2. Paragraph (a)(1), (2)(i) and (iii) of § 1.152-2 is amended to read as set forth below:

Because this Treasury decision is not adverse to the interests of any taxpayer and merely conforms the regulations to statutory changes it is found that 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 of (5 U.S.C. 553 (d)).

(Sec. 7805 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (68A Stat. 917; (26 U.S.C. 7805))

[SEAL] DONALD C. ALEXANDER,
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Approved: November 21, 1973.

FREDERIC W. HICKMAN,
Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

§ 1.152. Statutory provisions; dependent defined.

SEC. 152. *Dependent defined.*—(a) *General definition.* For purposes of this subtitle, the term "dependent" means any of the following individuals over half of whose support, for the calendar year in which the taxable year of the taxpayer begins, was received from the taxpayer (or is treated under subsection (c) or (e) as received from the taxpayer):

(1) A son or daughter of the taxpayer, or a descendant of either,

(2) A stepson or stepdaughter of the taxpayer,

(3) A brother, sister, stepbrother, or stepsister of the taxpayer,

(4) The father or mother of the taxpayer, or an ancestor of either,

(5) A stepfather or stepmother of the taxpayer,

(6) A son or daughter of a brother or sister of the taxpayer,

(7) A brother or sister of the father or mother of the taxpayer,

(8) A son-in-law, daughter-in-law, father-in-law, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, or sister-in-law of the taxpayer,

(9) An individual (other than an individual who at any time during the taxable year was the spouse, determined without regard to section 153, of the taxpayer) who, for the taxable year of the taxpayer, has as his principal place of abode the home of the taxpayer and is a member of the taxpayer's household, or

(10) An individual who—

(A) Is a descendant of a brother or sister of the father or mother of the taxpayer,

(B) For the taxable year of the taxpayer receives institutional care required by reason of a physical or mental disability, and

(C) Before receiving such institutional care, was a member of the same household as the taxpayer.

(b) *Rules relating to general definition.* For purposes of this section—

(1) The terms "brother" and "sister" include a brother or sister by the half-blood.

(2) In determining whether any of the relationships specified in subsection (a) or paragraph (1) of this subsection exists, a legally adopted child of an individual (and a child who is a member of an individual's household, if placed with such individual by an authorized placement agency for legal adoption by such individual), or a foster child of an individual (if such child satisfies the requirements of subsection (a)(9) with respect to such individual), shall be treated as a child of such individual by blood.

(3) The term "dependent" does not include any individual who is not a citizen or national of the United States unless such individual is a resident of the United States, of a country contiguous to the United States, of the Canal Zone, or of the Republic of Panama. The preceding sentence shall not exclude from the definition of "dependent" any child of the taxpayer—

(A) Born to him, or legally adopted by him, in the Philippine Islands before January 1, 1956, if the child is a resident of the Republic of the Philippines, and if the taxpayer was a member of the Armed Forces of the United States at the time the child was born to him or legally adopted by him, or

(B) Legally adopted by him, if, for the taxable year of the taxpayer, the child has as his principal place of abode the home of the taxpayer and is a member of the taxpayer's household, and if the taxpayer is a citizen or national of the United States.

(4) A payment to a wife which is includible in the gross income of the wife under section 71 or 682 shall not be treated as a payment by her husband for the support of any dependent.

(5) An individual is not a member of the taxpayer's household if at any time during the taxable year of the taxpayer the relationship between such individual and the taxpayer is in violation of local law.

(c) *Multiple support agreements.* For purposes of subsection (a), over half of the support of an individual for a calendar year shall be treated as received from the taxpayer if—

(1) No one person contributed over half of such support;

(2) Over half of such support was received from persons each of whom, but for the fact that he did not contribute over half of such support, would have been entitled to claim such individual as a dependent for a taxable year beginning in such calendar year;

(3) The taxpayer contributed over 10 percent of such support; and

(4) Each person described in paragraph (2) (other than the taxpayer) who contributed over 10 percent of such support files a written declaration (in such manner and form as the Secretary or his delegate may by regulations prescribe) that he will not claim such individual as

a dependent for any taxable year beginning in such calendar year.

(d) *Special support test in case of students.* For purposes of subsection (a), in the case of any individual who is—

(1) A son, stepson, daughter, or stepdaughter of the taxpayer (within the meaning of this section), and

(2) A student (within the meaning of section 151(e)(4)),

amounts received as scholarships for study at an educational institution (as defined in section 151(e)(4)) shall not be taken into account in determining whether such individual received more than half of his support from the taxpayer.

(e) *Support test in case of child of divorced parents, etc.—(1) General rule.—If—*

(A) A child (as defined in section 151(e)(3)) receives over half of his support during the calendar year from his parents who are divorced or legally separated under a decree of divorce or separate maintenance, or who are separated under a written separation agreement, and

(B) Such child is in the custody of one or both of his parents for more than one-half of the calendar year,

Such child shall be treated, for purposes of subsection (a), as receiving over half of his support during the calendar year from the parent having custody for a greater portion of the calendar year unless he is treated, under the provisions of paragraph (2), as having received over half of his support for such year from the other parent (referred to in this subsection as the parent not having custody).

(2) *Special rule.* The child of parents described in paragraph (1) shall be treated as having received over half of his support during the calendar year from the parent not having custody if—

(A) (i) The decree of divorce or of separate maintenance, or a written agreement between the parents applicable to the taxable year beginning in such calendar year, provides that the parent not having custody shall be entitled to any deduction allowable under section 151 for such child, and

(ii) Such parent not having custody provides at least \$600 for the support of such child during the calendar year, or

(B) (i) The parent not having custody provides \$1,200 or more for the support of such child (or if there is more than one such child, \$1,200 or more for all of such children) for the calendar year, and

(ii) The parent having custody of such child does not clearly establish that he provided more for the support of such child during the calendar year than the parent not having custody.

For purposes of this paragraph, amounts expended for the support of a child or children shall be treated as received from the parent not having custody to the extent that such parent provided amounts for such support.

(3) *Itemized statement required.* If a taxpayer claims that paragraph (2)(B) applies with respect to a child for a calendar year and the other parent claims that paragraph (2)(B)(i) is not satisfied or claims to have provided more for the support of such child during such calendar year than the taxpayer, each parent shall be entitled to receive, under regulations to be prescribed by the Secretary or his delegate, an itemized statement of the expenditures upon which the other parent's claim of support is based.

(4) *Exception for multiple-support agreement.* The provisions of this subsection shall not apply in any case where over half of the support of the child is treated as having been received from a taxpayer under the provisions of subsection (c).

(5) *Regulations.* The Secretary or his delegate shall prescribe such regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this subsection.

[Sec. 152 as amended by sec. 2, Act of Aug. 9, 1955 (Public Law 333, 84th Cong., 69 Stat. 626); sec. 4, Technical Amendments Act of 1958 (72 Stat. 1607); sec. 1, Act of Sept. 23, 1959 (Public Law 86-376, 73 Stat. 699); sec. 1, Act of Aug. 31, 1967 (Public Law 90-78, 81 Stat. 191); sec. 1, Act of Oct. 27, 1972 (Pub. L. 92-580, 86 Stat. 1276)]

§ 1.552-2 Rules relating to general definition of dependent.

(a) (1) Except as provided in subparagraph (2) of this paragraph, to qualify as a dependent an individual must be a citizen or resident of the United States or be a resident of the Canal Zone, the Republic of Panama, Canada, or Mexico, or, for taxable years beginning after December 31, 1971, a national of the United States, at some time during the calendar year in which the taxable year of the taxpayer begins. A resident of the Republic of the Philippines who was born to or legally adopted by the taxpayer in the Philippine Islands before January 1, 1956, at a time when the taxpayer was a member of the Armed Forces of the United States, may also be claimed as a dependent if such resident otherwise qualifies as a dependent. For definition of "Armed Forces of the United States," see section 7701(a)(15).

(2) (i) For any taxable year beginning after December 31, 1957, a taxpayer who is a citizen, or, for any taxable year beginning after December 31, 1971, a national, of the United States is permitted under section 152(b)(3)(B) to treat as a dependent his legally adopted child who lives with him, as a member of his household, for the entire taxable year and who, but for the citizenship, nationality, or residence requirements of section 152(b)(3) and subparagraph (1) of this paragraph, would qualify as a dependent of the taxpayer for such taxable year.

(ii) Under section 152(b)(3)(B) and this subparagraph, it is necessary that the taxpayer both maintain and occupy the household. The taxpayer and his legally adopted child will be considered as occupying the household for the entire taxable year of the taxpayer notwithstanding

withstanding temporary absences from the household due to special circumstances. A nonpermanent failure to occupy the common abode by reason of illness, education, business, vacation, military service, or a custody agreement under which the legally adopted child is absent for less than six months in the taxable year of the taxpayer shall be considered temporary absence due to special circumstances. The fact that a legally adopted child dies during the year shall not deprive the taxpayer of the deduction if the child lived in the household for the entire part of the year preceding his death. The period during the taxable year preceding the birth of a child shall not prevent such child from qualifying as a dependent under this subparagraph. Moreover, a legally adopted child who actually becomes a member of the taxpayer's household during the taxable year shall not be prevented from being considered a member of such household for the entire taxable year, if the child is required to remain in a hospital for a period following its birth and if such child would otherwise have been a member of the taxpayer's household during such period.

(iii) For purposes of section 152(b)(3)(B) and this subparagraph, any child whose legal adoption by the taxpayer (a citizen or national of the United States) becomes final at any time before the end of the taxable year of the taxpayer shall not be disqualified as a dependent of such taxpayer by reason of his citizenship, nationality, or residence, provided the child lived with the taxpayer and was a member of the taxpayer's household for the entire taxable year in which the legal adoption became final. For example, A, a citizen of the United States who makes his income tax returns on the basis of the calendar year, is employed in Brazil by an agency of the United States Government. In October 1958 he takes into his household C, a resident of Brazil who is not a citizen of the United States, for the purpose of initiating adoption proceedings. C lives with A and is a member of his household for the remainder of 1958 and for the entire calendar year 1959. On July 1, 1959, the adoption proceedings were completed and C became the legally adopted child of A. If C otherwise qualifies as a dependent, he may be claimed as a dependent by A for 1959.

(b) A payment to a wife which is includible in her gross income under section 71 or section 682 shall not be considered a payment by her husband for the support of any dependent.

(c) (1) For purposes of determining the existence of any of the relationships specified in section 152(a) or (b)(1), a legally adopted child of an individual shall be treated as a child of such individual by blood.

(2) For any taxable year beginning after December 31, 1958, a child who is a member of an individual's household also shall be treated as a child of such individual by blood if the child was placed with the individual by an author-

ized placement agency for legal adoption pursuant to a formal application filed by the individual with the agency. For purposes of this subparagraph an authorized placement agency is any agency which is authorized by a State, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, a foreign country, or a political subdivision of any of the foregoing to place children for adoption. A taxpayer who claims as a dependent a child placed with him for adoption shall attach to his income tax return a statement setting forth the name of the child for whom the dependency deduction is claimed, the name and address of the authorized placement agency, and the date the formal application was filed with the agency.

(3) The application of this paragraph may be illustrated by the following example:

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Title 29—Labor

CHAPTER XVII—OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

PART 1910—OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS

PART 1926—SAFETY AND HEALTH REGULATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION

Ground Fault Circuit Protection; Deferral of Effective Date of Standard

In February of 1972, Subpart S of 29 CFR Part 1910 and Subpart K of 29 CFR Part 1926 were both amended in order, among other things, to adopt the updated version of the National Electrical Code, NFPA 70-1971; ANSI C1-1971 (Rev. of 1968) (37 FR 3431). The last paragraph of section 210-7 of the Code provides as follows:

All 15- and 20-ampere receptacle outlets on single-phase circuits for construction sites shall have approved ground-fault circuit protection for personnel. This requirement shall become effective on January 1, 1974.

Ground fault circuit interrupters (GFCI) presently approved are designed to interrupt electrical power if a ground fault current of 5 milliamperes or greater develops in the circuits or equipment being supplied by 15- and/or 20-ampere receptacles.

On November 8, 1973, the Department of Labor's Advisory Committee on Construction Safety and Health unanimously voted to recommend to the Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health to hold the January 1, 1974, effective date of the GFCI requirement in abeyance pending further study. Additionally, on November 19, 1973, representatives of the National Constructors Association also petitioned the Assistant Secretary to postpone the effective date of the requirement. The National Constructors Association alleges that a level of 5 milliamperes is too low a value for application at construction sites and that this results in "nuisance tripping" of the electrical power. It, therefore, requests that the January 1, 1974, effective date

be postponed pending reconsideration in order to determine whether the GFCI should be set to trip at some other higher level.

The recommendation of the Advisory Committee on Construction Safety and Health and the petition of the National Constructors Association raise serious questions as to whether the GFCI requirement is feasible. Therefore, it is necessary to defer the effective date of the requirement until it has been reconsidered on the basis of a public hearing, notice of which will appear shortly in the FEDERAL REGISTER. Accordingly, pursuant to section 6(b) of the Williams-Steiger Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (84 Stat. 1593; 29 U.S.C. 655); Section 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (83 Stat. 96; 40 U.S.C. 333), and Secretary of Labor's Order No. 12-71 (36 FR 8754) Parts 1910 and 1926 of Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations are amended as set forth below. Public notice and procedure on the suspension is impracticable because of the need to provide quick relief, and immediate notice thereof, to affected employers. For the same reasons, these amendments shall become effective on December 4, 1973.

1. Section 1910.309 of 29 CFR Part 1910 is amended by adding thereto a new paragraph (c) reading as follows:

§ 1910.309 National electrical code.

(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs (a) and (b) of this section, the effective date of the requirement in section 210-7 of the National Electrical Code, that all 15- and 20-ampere receptacle outlets on single-phase circuits for construction sites shall have approved ground-fault circuit protection for personnel, is postponed pending reconsideration of the requirement.

2. Section 1926.400 of 29 CFR Part 1926 is amended by adding thereto a new paragraph (h) to read as follows:

§ 1926.400 General requirements.

(h) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this part, the effective date of the requirement in section 210-7 of the National Electrical Code, that all 15- and 20-ampere receptacle outlets on single-phase circuits for construction sites shall have approved ground-fault circuit protection for personnel, is postponed pending reconsideration of the requirement.

(Secs. 6, Pub. L. 91-596, 84 Stat. 1593 (29 U.S.C. 655); Sec. 107, Pub. L. 91-54, 83 Stat. 96 (40 U.S.C. 333); Secretary of Labor's Order No. 12-71, 36 FR 8754).

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 29th day of Nov., 1973.

JOHN H. STENDER,
Assistant Secretary of Labor.

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Title 30—Mineral Resources

CHAPTER I—BUREAU OF MINES, DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

SUBCHAPTER O—COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

PART 75—MANDATORY SAFETY STANDARDS, UNDERGROUND COAL MINES

Fire Drills

On October 31, 1973, there was published and promulgated in the FEDERAL REGISTER (38 FR 29997) a new § 75.1101-23 which was added to Part 75. The purpose of this notice is to clarify the intent of § 75.1101-23 and to explain an apparent conflict in the provisions of the standard.

Paragraph (c) of § 75.1101-23 provides that the operator of an underground coal mine shall require all miners to participate in fire drills, which shall be held so as to ensure that all miners participate in such a drill no later than January 31, 1974, and at intervals of not more than 90 days thereafter. Paragraph (c)(2) provides that a fire drill shall simulate the actions required by an approved fire fighting and evacuation plan described in paragraph (a)(1) of § 75.1101-23.

Paragraph (a) of § 75.1101-23 provides that the operator shall adopt a program for the instruction of miners in the location and use of fire fighting equipment, location of escapeways, exits, and routes of travel to the surface, and proper evacuation procedures to be followed in the event of an emergency. The approved program shall include a specific fire fighting and evacuation plan. However, it is provided that operators shall have until June 30, 1974, to submit the program and fire fighting and evacuation plan for approval.

It was intended by paragraph (c) that one or more fire drills be held during the interim until the program of instruction and firefighting and evacuation plan is developed and approved in order to immediately acquaint miners with fire fighting and escape procedures existing at the mine. It was intended that the interim fire drills should simulate the actions required by an approved plan.

Therefore paragraph (c)(2) will not be applied to those interim fire drills required to be held until the program of instruction and the specific fire fighting and evacuation plan have been approved. After a fire fighting and evacuation plan has been approved a fire drill shall consist of a simulation of the actions required by the approved plan.

However, operators shall require all miners to participate in a fire drill no later than January 31, 1974, and at intervals of not more than 90 days thereafter, and shall keep a record of such fire drills as required by paragraph (c)(1) of § 75.1101-23.

Dated: November 28, 1973.

STEPHEN A. WAKEFIELD,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

[FR Doc.73-25592 Filed 12-3-73;8:45 am]

Title 40—Protection of Environment

CHAPTER I—ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION AGENCY

SUBCHAPTER E—PESTICIDE PROGRAMS

PART 180—TOLERANCES AND EXEMPTIONS FROM TOLERANCES FOR PESTICIDE CHEMICALS IN OR ON RAW AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

S-Ethyl Diethylthiocarbamate

A petition (PP 3F1383) was filed by Gulf Oil Corp., Gulf Building, Pittsburgh, PA 15230, in accordance with provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 346a), proposing establishment of a tolerance for negligible residues of the herbicide S-ethyl diethylthiocarbamate in or on the raw agricultural commodities corn grain, corn fodder and forage, and fresh corn including sweet corn (kernels plus cob with husk removed) at 0.1 part per million.

Based on consideration given the data submitted in the petition and other relevant material, it is concluded that:

1. The herbicide is useful for the purpose for which the tolerance is being established.

2. There is no reasonable expectation of residues in eggs, meat, milk, or poultry and § 180.6(a)(3) applies.

3. The tolerance established by this order will protect the public health.

Therefore, pursuant to provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 408(d)(2), 68 Stat. 512; (21 U.S.C. 346a(d)(2))), the authority transferred to the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (35 FR 15623), and the authority delegated by the Administrator to the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Pesticide Programs (36 FR 9038), Part 180 is amended as follows:

1. In § 180.3(e)(5), by alphabetically inserting in the list of cholinesterase-inhibiting pesticides a new item as follows:

§ 180.3 Tolerances for related pesticide chemicals.

(e) * * *

(5) * * *

Ethiolate (S-ethyl diethylthiocarbamate).

2. In Subpart C, by adding a new section as follows:

§ 180.343 Ethiolate; tolerances for residues.

A tolerance of 0.1 part per million is established for negligible residues of the herbicide ethiolate (S-ethyl diethylthiocarbamate) in or on the raw agricultural commodities corn grain, corn fodder and forage, and fresh corn including sweet corn (kernels plus cob with husk removed).

Any person who will be adversely affected by the foregoing order may at any time on or before January 3, 1973, file with the Hearing Clerk, Environmental Protection Agency, Room 1019E, 4th & M Streets, SW., Waterside Mall, Washing-

ton, D.C. 20460, written objections thereto in quintuplicate. Objections shall show wherein the person filing will be adversely affected by the order and specify with particularity the provisions of the order deemed objectionable and the grounds for the objections. If a hearing is requested, the objections must state the issues for the hearing. A hearing will be granted if the objections are supported by grounds legally sufficient to justify the relief sought. Objections may be accompanied by a memorandum or brief in support thereof.

Effective date. This order shall become effective December 4, 1973.

Dated: November 28, 1973.

HENRY J. KOPP,
Deputy Assistant Administrator
for Pesticide Programs.

[FR Doc. 73-25564 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

Title 47—Telecommunication

CHAPTER I—FEDERAL
COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[FCC 73-1214]

PART 76—CABLE TELEVISION SERVICE

Certificate of Compliance Required

Order. In the matter of amendment of Part 76, Subpart B, of the Commission's rules concerning procedures in the Cable Television Service.

1. In recent months, the Commission has received an increasing number of petitions for special relief or requests for special temporary authority in the Cable Television Service that seek either waiver of the certificate of compliance requirement of § 76.11 of the rules or expedited processing of a pending application for certificate in order to permit an existing cable television system to commence carriage of new "local" television signals or in-state non-local educational television signals.¹ Permitting cable systems to carry such signals is invariably unopposed, but the volume of other pending applications prevents prompt Commission or staff attention to such requests.

2. Because of the Commission's policy that favors carriage of "local" and educational signals by cable systems,² and its general support of newly emerging television stations, we have concluded that it would serve the public interest to modify the present procedures for authorizing cable carriage of the type of television signals described above, at least for existing cable systems. Accordingly, we are amending § 76.11 of the rules to permit an existing system to add "local" television signals (as defined in §§ 76.57, 76.61(a)(1)-(3), and 76.63(a) (as it relates to § 76.61(a)(1)-(3) of the rules), and the signals of noncommercial educational television stations that are oper-

ated by an agency of the state within which the system is located, without filing an application for a certificate of compliance or receiving a certificate.³ Instead, such an existing cable system need only serve the information required by § 76.13(b)(1) of the rules on the Commission and the parties named in § 76.13(a)(6) at least 30 days before commencing such carriage. If no objection is filed with the Commission within 30 days after such service is made, carriage may commence without further Commission action.

3. This amendment is designed to relieve unnecessary burdens and expedite Commission proceedings with respect to matters that our experience indicates are not the subject of dispute. Accordingly, we conclude that prior notice of rule-making and public procedure thereon are unnecessary, pursuant to section 4 of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. 553. Similarly, delay in implementing this amendment would be contrary to the public interest.

4. Authority for the rule amendment adopted herein is contained in sections 2, 4(i) and (j), 303, 307, 308, and 309 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

Accordingly, it is ordered, That effective December 5, 1973, Part 76 of the Commission's rules and regulations is amended as set forth below.

(Secs. 2, 4, 303, 307, 308, 309, 48 Stat., as amended, 1064, 1066, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085; 47 U.S.C. 152, 154, 303, 307, 308, 309)

Adopted: November 21, 1973.

Released: November 27, 1973.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,⁴

[SEAL] VINCENT J. MULLINS,
Secretary.

Chapter 1 of Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

A. In § 76.11, a proviso is added to paragraph (a), as follows:

§ 76.11 Certificate of compliance required.

(a) No cable television system shall commence operations or add a television broadcast signal to existing operations unless it receives a certificate of compliance from the Commission: *Provided, however,* That an existing system may add a television signal, pursuant to §§ 76.57(a)(1)-(3), 76.59(a)(1)-(3) and (5), 76.61(a)(1)-(3), or § 76.63(a) (as it relates to § 76.61(a)(1)-(3)), or the sig-

¹ "Significantly viewed" television signals are excluded from this special procedure, since it is likely that determining whether a signal is significantly viewed will involve special showings, which may be disputed, made pursuant to § 76.54 of the rules. Likewise, signals licensed to other communities in the same major or smaller television market are excluded, unless they qualify for carriage under other provisions of § 76.59(a), § 76.61(a), or § 76.63(a) (as it relates to § 76.61(a)). Here, too, carriage rights may be disputed.

⁴ Commissioner H. Rex Lee absent; Commissioners Wiley and Hooks concurring in the result.

¹ E.g., Letter to Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kennehan and Hildreth (Full V.U. Television), FCC 73-1020, FCC 2d ____.

² Paras. 78-87, 95, Cable Television Report and Order, 36 FCC 2d 143, 173-176, 180.

nal of a noncommercial educational television station that is operated by an agency of the state within which the system is located, pursuant to §§ 76.57(b), 76.59(c), 76.61(d), or § 76.63(a) (as it relates to § 76.61(d)), without filing an application or receiving a certificate of compliance, if the system serves the information required by § 76.13(b)(1) on the Commission and the parties named in § 76.13(a)(6) at least thirty (30) days before commencing such carriage and no objection is filed with the Commission within thirty (30) days after such service is made. See § 1.47 of this chapter.

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Title 49—Transportation

CHAPTER X—INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

SUBCHAPTER A—GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

[S. O. 1129, Amdt. 3]

PART 1033—CAR SERVICE

Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Co.

At a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Railroad Service Board, held in Washington, D.C., on the 27th day of November 1973.

Upon further consideration of Service Order No. 1129 (38 FR 8062, 9668, and 18026), and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered, That § 1033.1129 *Service Order No. 1129* (Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company authorized to operate over tracks of Burlington Northern Inc.) be, and it is hereby, amended by substituting the following paragraph (e) for paragraph (e) thereof:

(e) *Expiration date.* The provisions of this order shall expire at 11:59 p.m., February 28, 1974, unless otherwise modified, changed, or suspended by order of this Commission.

Effective date. This amendment shall become effective at 11:59 p.m., November 30, 1973.

(Secs. 1, 12, 15, and 17(2), 24 Stat. 379, 383, 384, as amended; (49 U.S.C. 1, 12, 15, and 17(2)). Interprets or applies Secs. 1(10-17), 15(4), and 17(2), 40 Stat. 101, as amended, 54 Stat. 911; (49 U.S.C. 1(10-17), 15(4), and 17(2))

It is further ordered, That a copy of this amendment shall be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of all railroads subscribing to the car service and car hire agreement under the terms of that agreement, and upon the American Short Line Railroad Association; and that notice of this amendment be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the Office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D.C., and by filing it with the Director, Office of the Federal Register.

By the Commission, Railroad Service Board.

[SEAL] ROBERT L. OSWALD,
Secretary.

[FR Doc.73-25651 Filed 12-3-73;8:45 am]

[S.O. 1131, Amdt. 2]

PART 1033—CAR SERVICE

Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Co.

At a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Railroad Service Board, held in Washington, D.C., on the 27th day of November 1973.

Upon further consideration of Service

Order No. 1131 (38 FR 9232 and 17845), and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered, That § 1033.1131 *Service Order No. 1131* (Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company authorized to operate over tracks of Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific Railroad Company) be, and it is hereby, amended by substituting the following paragraph (e) for paragraph (e) thereof:

(e) *Expiration date.* The provisions of this order shall expire at 11:59 p.m., February 28, 1974, unless otherwise modified, changed, or suspended by order of this Commission.

Effective date. This amendment shall become effective at 11:59 p.m., November 30, 1973.

(Secs. 1, 12, 15, and 17(2), 24 Stat. 379, 383, 384, as amended; (49 U.S.C. 1, 12, 15, and 17(2)). Interprets or applies Secs. 1(10-17), 15(4), and 17(2), 40 Stat. 101, as amended, 54 Stat. 911; (49 U.S.C. 1(10-17), 15(4), and 17(2))

It is further ordered, That a copy of this amendment shall be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of all railroads subscribing to the car service and car hire agreement under the terms of that agreement, and upon the American Short Line Railroad Association; and that notice of this amendment be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the Office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D.C., and by filing it with the Director, Office of the Federal Register.

By the Commission, Railroad Service Board.

[SEAL] ROBERT L. OSWALD,
Secretary.

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Proposed Rules

This section of the FEDERAL REGISTER contains notices to the public of the proposed issuance of rules and regulations. The purpose of these notices is to give interested persons an opportunity to participate in the rulemaking prior to the adoption of the final rules.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Marketing Service

[7 CFR Part 909]

GRAPEFRUIT GROWN IN ARIZONA AND DESIGNATED PART OF CALIFORNIA

Proposed Approval of Expenses and Fixing of Rates for 1973-74 Fiscal Period

This notice invites written comment relative to the proposed expenses of \$112,750 and rate of assessment of two and three-fourths cents (\$0.0275) per carton of grapefruit to support the activities of the Administrative Committee for the 1973-74 fiscal period under Marketing Order No. 909.

Consideration is being given to the following proposals submitted by the Administrative Committee, established under Marketing Order No. 909, as amended (7 CFR Part 909), regulating the handling of grapefruit grown in Arizona and designated part of California, effective under the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674), as the agency to administer the terms and provisions thereof:

(1) Expenses that are reasonable and likely to be incurred by the Administrative Committee during the period September 1, 1973, through August 31, 1974, will amount to \$112,750.

(2) That the rate of assessment for such period, payable by each handler in accordance with § 909.41, be fixed at two and three-fourths cents (\$0.0275) per carton, or equivalent quantity of grapefruit; and

(3) That unexpended assessment funds, in excess of expenses incurred during such period, shall be carried over as a reserve in accordance with the applicable provisions of § 909.42.

All persons who desire to submit written data, views, or arguments in connection with the aforesaid proposals should file the same, in quadruplicate, with the Hearing Clerk, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Room 112, Administration Building, Washington, D.C. 20250, not later than December 12, 1973. All written submissions made pursuant to this notice will be made available for public inspection at the office of the Hearing Clerk during regular business hours (7 CFR 1.27(b)).

Dated: November 29, 1973.

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

[FR Doc.73-25647 Filed 12-3-73;8:45 am]

[7 CFR Part 928]

PAPAYAS GROWN IN HAWAII

Proposed Increase in Expenses for 1973 Fiscal Period

This proposal, if accepted, would increase the maximum amount of expenses to be incurred by the Papaya Administrative Committee during fiscal 1973 to \$185,000 from the currently approved maximum amount of \$182,330, a difference of \$2,670.

Consideration is being given to the following proposal submitted by the Papaya Administrative Committee, established under 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), as the agency to administer the provisions thereof:

(a) That the Secretary find that provisions pertaining to the expenses in paragraph (a) of § 928.202 *Expenses, rate of assessment, and carryover of unexpended funds* (38 FR 5880) be amended as follows:

§ 928.202 *Expenses, rate of assessment, and carryover of unexpended funds.*

(a) *Expenses.* Expenses that are reasonable and likely to be incurred by the Papaya Administrative Committee during the period January 1, 1973 through December 31, 1973, will amount to \$185,000.

All persons who desire to submit written data, views, or arguments in connection with the aforesaid proposal shall file the same, in quadruplicate, with the Hearing Clerk, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Room 112, Administration Building, Washington, D.C. 20250, not later than December 19, 1973. All written submissions made pursuant to this notice will be made available for public inspection at the office of the Hearing Clerk during regular business hours (7 CFR 1.27(b)).

Dated: November 29, 1973.

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

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Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service

[7 CFR Part 818]

SWEETENED CHOCOLATE, CANDY, AND CONFECTIONERY

Proposed Import Quotas for Calendar Year 1974

Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of Agriculture, pursuant to authority vested in him by the Sugar Act of 1948 (7 U.S.C. 1100 et seq.), is considering the issuance of Sugar Regulation 818 which will establish import quotas on sweetened chocolate (other than in bars or blocks of 10 pounds or more each), candy, and confectionery for the calendar year 1974.

In accordance with the rule making requirements of 5 U.S.C. 553 (80 Stat. 373), all persons who desire to submit data, views or arguments for consideration in connection with the proposed regulation shall file the same in duplicate with the Director, Sugar Division, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250, not later than December 19, 1973.

The proposed regulation to establish import quotas on sweetened chocolate, candy and confectionery for the calendar year 1974 is set forth essentially in form and language appropriate for issuance, if adopted by the Secretary, as follows:

Purpose and basis. The purpose of this regulation is to implement the limitation on the importation of sweetened chocolate, candy and confectionery pursuant to paragraph (d) of section 206 of the Sugar Act which reads in pertinent part as follows:

... the Secretary shall each year, beginning with the calendar year 1972, limit the quantity of sweetened chocolate, candy and confectionery provided for in items 156.30 and 157.10 of part 10, schedule 1, of the Tariff Schedules of the United States which may be entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption in the United States as hereinafter provided. The quantity which may be so entered or withdrawn during any calendar year shall be determined in the fourth quarter of the preceding calendar year and the total amount thereof shall be equivalent to the larger of (1) the average annual quantity of products entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption under the foregoing items of the Tariff Schedules of the United States for the three calendar years immediately preceding the year in which such quantity is determined, or (2) a quantity equal to 5 per centum of the amount of sweetened chocolate and confectionery of the same description of United States manufacture sold in the United States during the most recent calendar year for which data are available. The total quantity to be imported under this subsection may be allocated to

countries on such basis as the Secretary determines to be fair and reasonable, taking into consideration the past importations or entries from such countries. For purposes of this subsection the Secretary shall accept statistical data of the United States Department of Commerce as to the quantity of sweetened chocolate and confectionery of United States manufacture sold in the United States.

Bases and considerations. The average annual quantity of products entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption under the Tariff Schedules of the United States (TSUS) items 156.30 and 157.10 for the calendar years 1970, 1971, and 1972 amounted to 148,804,615 pounds. That quantity was determined from data published by the Bureau of Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, in the annual reports FT 246 under the TSUSA reporting numbers 156.3020, 156.3040, 157.1020 and 157.1040.

The quantity of sweetened chocolate and confectionery of United States manufacture sold in the United States in 1972 amounted to 3,793,232,000 pounds as shown in "Confectionery Manufacturers' Sales and Distribution 1972" published by the Domestic and International Business Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce. Five percent of that quantity amounts to 189,661,650 pounds.

Accordingly, the quantity of sweetened chocolate, candy, and confectionery which may be imported for consumption under TSUS items 156.30 and 157.10 during the calendar year 1974 shall be limited to 189,661,650 pounds which is the larger of the two alternatives as provided in sec. 206(d) of the Sugar Act, i.e., the 1970-72 average imports or five percent of 1972 confectionery sales.

Pursuant to section 206(d) of the Act the total quantity permitted to be imported may be allocated to countries on such basis as the Secretary determines to be fair and reasonable taking into consideration the past importations or entries from such countries. This regulation does not establish import quotas for any individual countries but makes the total quota available for all countries as a group on a first-come, first-served basis.

The import limitations for 1974 are about 26 percent greater than imports classified under 156.30 and 157.10 in 1972 and 27 percent greater than the average annual imports from 1970 through 1972.

A global quota has been in effect for 1973, the second year of confectionery quotas, and through October 27, just over 108 million pounds of the global quota has been imported. This is only 61 percent of the 1973 global quota with 82 percent of the year gone. This compares with 106 million pounds imported through October 28, in 1972. In 1970 and 1971 the annual imports under global quotas were 127 and 120 million pounds, respectively. The quantities referred to in this paragraph include only confectionery imports for consumption at retail to which this proposal applies and exclude items imported under Tariff Schedules of the United States (TSUSA), 156.3040, which are not for consumption at retail and imports of which are limited

under Section 22 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act (7 U.S.C. 624).

In view of 1973 imports thus far and imports in past years, it is likely that total 1974 import limits will not be approached by actual imports. On the assumption that imports will not reach the liberal import limits, a global quota will provide the least impediment to commerce and to the play of economic factors and the least burden on Customs Service. A global quota will also eliminate the possibility of limiting imports from some countries when there is little likelihood that the total quota will be filled.

A portion of the global quota, representing 30 percent, is reserved for entry during the last quarter of the year. Recent import history indicates about 30 percent of such imports normally occur during the last quarter of each year.

The provision to exempt each shipment of articles with an aggregate value of not more than \$25 from import quotas is necessary so that tourists will be able to bring in small quantities of candy and confectionery for personal use.

The regulation provides that a quantity of the quota equivalent to the quota for "chocolate crumb" established pursuant to section 22 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, shall be reserved solely for the importation subject to the section 22 quota under licenses issued pursuant to regulations of the Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Sec.

818.20 Confectionery quotas for foreign countries.

818.21 Import requirements.

818.22 Restrictions on importation.

818.23 Revision of quota.

818.24 Delegation of authority.

AUTHORITY: 818.20 to 818.24 issued under Sec. 206, 403; 61 Stat. 927, as amended, 932, as amended; (7 U.S.C. 1116, 1153).

§ 818.20 Confectionery quotas for foreign countries, 1974.

(a) For the calendar year 1974, the quantity of sweetened chocolate, candy, and confectionery provided for in items 156.30 and 157.10 of Part 10, Schedule 1, of Tariff Schedules of the United States which may be entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption in the United States and Puerto Rico is 189,661,650 pounds. Of the total quota 21,680,000 pounds are reserved solely for the importation of sweetened chocolate for other than consumption at retail as candy or confectionery (TSUS item 156.3040). This quantity is subject to quotas established pursuant to section 22 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended (items 950.15 and 950.16 of Part 3 of the Appendix to TSUS), and may be imported only under licenses issued pursuant to regulations of the Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture as follows: Ireland—13,200,000 (9,450,000 under TSUS 950.15 and 3,750,000 under TSUS 950.16); United Kingdom—8,380,000 (7,450,000 under TSUS 950.15 and 930,000 under TSUS 950.16) and

Netherlands—100,000 (all under TSUS 950.15).

Of the remaining quantity of 167,981,650 pounds (189,661,650—21,680,000) a quantity not to exceed 117,587,155 pounds may be entered or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption in the United States and Puerto Rico on or before September 30, 1974.

(b) The quota established by paragraph (a) of this section shall not apply to articles with an aggregate value of \$25 or less in any shipment.

§ 818.21 Import requirements.

Articles subject to quota limitations pursuant to § 818.20 shall be entered on a first-come, first-served basis under the control of the Bureau of Customs, except articles subject to quotas established pursuant to section 22 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended.

§ 818.22 Restrictions on importations.

Subject to the exception in § 818.20(b) all persons are prohibited from entering or withdrawing from warehouse, for consumption in the United States and Puerto Rico any article provided for in TSUS items 156.30 and 157.10 after the applicable quotas set forth in § 818.20(a) have been filled.

§ 818.23 Revision of quotas.

The quota established under this order may be revised to reflect the substitution of revised or corrected data used in the quota determination.

§ 818.24 Delegation of authority.

The Director of the Sugar Division (or any person in such division designated by the Director) of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service of the Department is hereby authorized to act on behalf of the Secretary in administering §§ 818.20 through 818.22 except as otherwise provided for in §§ 818.20 and 818.21.

Signed at Washington, D.C., on November 30, 1973.

GLENN A. WEIR,
Acting Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

[25 CFR Part 60]

USE OR DISTRIBUTION OF INDIAN JUDGMENT FUNDS

Notice of Public Hearing

Proposed rules for the implementation of the Act of October 19, 1973 (Pub. L. 93-134, 87 Stat. 466, 467, 468) known as the Use or Distribution of Indian Judgment Funds Act of 1973, were published on pages 31430 through 31432 of the November 14, 1973, issue of the FEDERAL REGISTER. The Act provides that a public hearing be held on the proposed rules no later than thirty days prior to their promulgation as rules and regula-

tions, which rules and regulations must be promulgated within sixty days of the publication of the proposed rules. Accordingly, such hearing shall be held at the Federal Post Office Building, Room 269, 1823 Stout Street, Denver, Colorado on December 13, 1973, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. All interested parties are invited to attend; but in lieu of actual attendance or in addition to attendance, written comments, suggestions, or objections regarding the proposed rules may be submitted to the Division of Tribal Government Services, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Washington, D.C. 20245. Written comments should be submitted by December 14, 1973, but will be accepted and considered if postmarked no later than January 5, 1974.

Dated: November 28, 1973.

MARVIN L. FRANKLIN,
Assistant to the
Secretary of the Interior.

[FR Doc. 73-25585 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

[25 CFR Part 153]

NAVAJO-HOPI JOINT-USE AREA GRAZING REGULATIONS

Notice of Proposed Rulemaking

Notice is hereby given that it is proposed to add a new Part 153 to Subchapter N, Chapter I, of Title 25 of the Code of Federal Regulations. This addition is proposed pursuant to the authority contained in 5 U.S.C. 301 and sections 463 and 465 of the Revised Statutes (25 U.S.C. 2 and 9).

The purpose of the new Part 153 is to establish regulations governing grazing on the Navajo-Hopi Joint Use Area.

It is the policy of the Department of the Interior, whenever practicable, to afford the public an opportunity to participate in the rulemaking process. Accordingly, interested persons may submit written comments, suggestions, or objections regarding these proposed regulations to the Associate Solicitor for Indian Affairs, Office of the Solicitor, Department of the Interior, Washington, D.C. 20240, on or before January 3, 1974.

It is proposed to add a new Part 153 to Subchapter N, Chapter I, of Title 25 of the Code of Federal Regulations to read as follows:

PART 153—NAVAJO-HOPI JOINT-USE AREA GRAZING REGULATIONS

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AUTHORITY: (5 U.S.C. 301 and 25 U.S.C. 2 and 9).

§ 153.1 Definitions.

As used in this Part 153, terms shall have the meanings set forth in this section.

(a) "Joint-Use Committee" means a committee composed of three representatives selected by the Hopi Tribal Council and three representatives selected by the Navajo Tribal Council, to whom have been delegated the authority of each governing body to exercise the powers of each tribe in the Joint-Use Area. A representative of the Joint-Use Administrative Office, Flagstaff, Arizona 86001, shall be a non-voting representative. Rules of procedures shall be established by the Committee except the chairmanship of each successive meeting of the Committee shall be alternated between each tribal delegation and the individual delegate serving as chairman of any one meeting shall not have a vote.

(b) "Project Officer" means the Special Project Officer of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Joint-Use Administrative Office, Flagstaff, Arizona 86001, to whom has been delegated the authority of the Commissioner to act in all matters respecting the Joint-Use Area.

(c) "Joint-Use Area" means the area established by the United States District Court for the District of Arizona in the case entitled *Healing v. Jones*, 210 F. Supp. 125 (1962), which is inside the Executive Order Area (Executive Order of December 16, 1882) but outside Land Management District 6, and held and to be used by both the Navajo and Hopi Tribes jointly.

(d) "Range unit" means a tract of range land designated as a management unit for administration of grazing.

(e) "Permit" means a revocable privilege granted in writing limited to entering on and utilizing forage by domestic livestock on a specified tract of land.

(f) "Animal Unit" means the ratio established between livestock such as cattle, horses and sheep according to the rate of range forage consumption of such animals.

§ 153.2 Authority.

It is within the authority of the Secretary of Interior to protect Tribal lands against waste and to prescribe rules and regulations under which these lands may be leased or permitted for grazing.

§ 153.3 Purpose.

These regulations are issued to carry out the Secretary's trust responsibility of conserving range resources, promoting their proper use and affording equal utilization of these resources by both tribes according to the judgment in Civil No. 579 U.S.D.C. Arizona.

§ 153.4 Establishment of range units.

The Project Officer will establish range units on the Joint-Use Area to allow for a program of surface land use aimed at restoring the land to its full potential and maintaining this potential.

§ 153.5 Grazing capacity.

The Project Officer shall prescribe the maximum number of livestock which may be grazed on each range unit and the season, or seasons, of use to achieve the objectives of the land recovery program. Stocking rates shall be reviewed on a continuing basis and adjusted as conditions warrant.

§ 153.6 Grazing on range units authorized by permit.

Grazing use of range units is authorized only by a grazing permit. The Special Project Officer shall allocate grazing privileges to each tribe so that each may have not more than one-half the grazing capacity of the Joint-Use Area. The Joint-Use Committee will then, within 60 days, determine use by members of each tribe without competitive bidding. Grazing use by tribal enterprises will be permitted and permits may be issued in the name of the tribe. The eligibility requirements for receiving a permit shall be set forth by the Joint-Use Committee. The Project Officer shall issue permits based on the determination by the Joint-Use Committee.

§ 153.7 Kind of livestock.

The Joint-Use Committee may determine, subject to the grazing capacity, the kind of livestock that may be grazed on the range units.

§ 153.8 Grazing fees.

(a) The respective tribal governing bodies may determine whether grazing fees will be charged and the rate to be charged for the use of their respective shares of the Joint-Use Area by their members, and the proceeds therefrom shall inure to the benefit of the respective tribe charging fees.

(b) Annual grazing fees, if any, shall be paid in advance and payment shall be made to the Project Officer for immediate disbursement to the appropriate tribal treasurer.

§ 153.9 Duration of grazing permits.

The Joint-Use Committee may determine the maximum duration of grazing permits not to exceed 5 years per permit period and subject to § 153.10(b).

§ 153.10 Assignment, modification and cancellation of permits.

(a) Grazing permits shall not be assigned, subpermitted or transferred without the consent of the delegates to the Joint-Use Committee from the tribe involved and the Project Officer.

(b) The Project Officer may revoke or withdraw all or any part of the grazing permit by cancellation or modification on 30 days written notice of violation of permit or special conditions affecting the land or the safety of the livestock thereon, as may result from flood, disaster,

drought, contagious diseases, etc. Except in the case of extreme necessity, cancellation or modification shall be effected on the next annual anniversary date of the grazing permit following the date of notice. Revocation or withdrawal of all or any part of a grazing permit by cancellation or modification as provided herein shall be an appealable decision under 25 CFR Part 2, or any regulations which may supersede Part 2. The appeal from the decision of the Project Officer shall be to the Commissioner.

§ 153.11 Conservation and land use provisions.

Grazing operations shall be conducted in accordance with recognized principles of good range management. Conservation management plans necessary to accomplish this will be made a part of the grazing permit.

§ 153.12 Range improvements; ownership; new construction.

Improvements placed on the permitted land shall be considered affixed to the land unless specifically excepted therefrom under the permit terms. Written permission to construct or remove improvements must be obtained from the Joint-Use Committee and the Project Officer, who will specify the maximum time allowed for removal of improvements so excepted.

§ 153.13 Payment of tribal fees.

Fees and taxes exclusive of annual grazing rental which may be assessed by the respective tribes in connection with grazing permits shall be billed for by the respective tribe and paid annually in advance to the designated tribal official. Failure to make payments will subject the grazing permit to cancellation and may disqualify the permittee from receiving future permits.

§ 153.14 Special permit requirements and provisions.

All grazing permits shall contain the following provisions:

(a) When the lands covered by the permit are in trust or restricted status, all of the permittee's obligations on the permit and the obligations of his sureties are to the United States as well as to the owner of the land. Annual rent and other obligations under the terms of a valid grazing permit shall constitute a first lien on livestock permitted.

(b) The permittee agrees he will not use, cause, or allow to be used any part of the permitted area for any unlawful conduct or purpose.

(c) The permit authorizes the grazing of livestock only and the permittee shall not utilize the permitted area for hay cutting, hunting, post or timber cutting or any other use without authorization from the Project Officer.

§ 153.15 Violations.

Violation of the provisions of this Part are subject to penalties of the law and order code applicable to the Joint-Use Area.

§ 153.16 Fences.

Fencing may be erected by the Government around the perimeter of the Executive Order Area, Land Management District 6, and such other areas in the Joint-Use Area as from time-to-time may be required for a range recovery program, after consultation with the tribes. Such fencing shall be erected at Government expense and such ownership shall be clearly identified by appropriate posting on the fencing. Intentional destruction of federal property will be treated as a violation of the Federal Criminal Statutes (18 U.S.C. 1164).

§ 153.17 Livestock trespass.

The owner of any livestock grazing in trespass on the Joint-Use Area is liable to a penalty of \$1 per head for each animal thereof for each day of trespass, together with the reasonable value of the forage consumed and damages to property injured or destroyed. The Project Officer shall take action to collect all such penalties and damages and seek injunctive relief when appropriate. All payments for such penalties and damages shall be divided equally between each tribe and credited to them. The following acts are prohibited:

(a) The grazing upon or driving across any of the Joint-Use Area of any livestock without an approved grazing or crossing permit.

(b) Allowing livestock to drift and graze on lands without an approved permit.

(c) The grazing of livestock upon lands within an area closed to grazing of that class of livestock.

(d) The grazing of livestock by permittee upon any land withdrawn from use for grazing purposes to protect it from damage by reason of the improper handling of the livestock, after the receipt of notice from the Project Officer of such withdrawal, or refusal to remove livestock upon instructions from the Project Officer when an injury is being done to the Indian lands by reason of improper handling of livestock.

§ 153.18 Control of livestock diseases.

In order to prevent the introduction and spread of contagious or infectious diseases, the Joint-Use Committee may authorize the rounding-up of livestock for the purpose of inspecting for disease and may authorize the dipping of sheep, or the vaccinating or restricting of movement of other livestock.

§ 153.19 Impoundment and disposal of unauthorized livestock.

Unauthorized livestock within any range unit of the Joint-Use Area which are not removed therefrom within the periods prescribed by this regulation may be impounded and disposed of by the Project Officer as provided herein.

(a) When the Project Officer determines that unauthorized livestock use is occurring and has definite knowledge of the kind of unauthorized livestock, and knows the name and address of the owners, such livestock may be impounded anytime 5 days after written notice of

intent to impound unauthorized livestock is mailed by certified or registered mail or personally delivered to such owners.

(b) When the Project Officer determines that unauthorized livestock use is occurring but does not have complete knowledge of the kind of livestock, or if the name and address of the owner thereof are unknown, such livestock may be impounded anytime 15 days after the date of notice of intent to impound unauthorized livestock is first published in the local newspaper, posted at the nearest chapter house and in one or more local trading posts. The notice will identify the area or areas in which it will be effective.

(c) Unauthorized livestock on the Joint-Use Area which are owned by persons given notice under paragraph (a) of this section, and any unauthorized livestock in areas for which a notice has been posted and published under paragraph (b) of this section, may be impounded without further notice anytime within the twelve-month period immediately following the effective date of the notice or notices given under paragraphs (a) and (b) of this section.

(d) Following the impoundment of unauthorized livestock, a notice of sale of impounded livestock will be published in the local newspaper, posted at the chapter house and in one or more local trading posts. The notice will describe the livestock and specify the date, time and place of sale. The date set shall be at least 5 days after the publication and posting of such notice.

(e) The owner may redeem the livestock any time before the time set for the sale by submitting proof of ownership and paying for all expenses incurred in gathering, impounding, and feeding or pasturing the livestock.

(f) If the livestock are not redeemed before the time fixed for their sale, they shall be sold at public sale to the highest bidder, provided his bid is at or above the minimum amount set by the Project Officer. If a bid at or above the minimum is not received, the livestock may be sold at private sale at or above the minimum amount, reoffered at public sale, condemned and destroyed, or otherwise disposed of. When livestock are sold pursuant to this regulation, the Project Officer shall furnish the buyer a bill of sale or other written instrument evidencing the sale.

(g) The proceeds of any sale of livestock as provided herein shall be applied as follows: First, to the payment of all expenses incurred by the United States in gathering, impounding, and feeding or pasturing the livestock. Second, in payment of any penalties or damages assessed pursuant to § 153.17, which penalties or damages shall be divided equally between the two tribes as provided in said section. Third, any remaining amount shall be paid over to the owner of said livestock upon his submitting proof of ownership. If any proceeds remaining after payment of the first and second items noted above are not claimed within one year from the

date of the sale, such remaining proceeds will be divided equally between the two tribes owning the land.

MARVIN L. FRANKLIN,
Assistant to the
Secretary of the Interior.

NOVEMBER 29, 1973.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

[14 CFR Part 71]

[Airspace Docket No. 73-GL-51]

TRANSITION AREA

Proposed Alteration

The Federal Aviation Administration is considering amending Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations so as to alter the transition area at Quincy, Illinois.

Interested persons may participate in the proposed rulemaking by submitting such written data, views, or arguments as they may desire. Communications should be submitted in triplicate to the Director, Great Lakes Region, Attention: Chief, Air Traffic Division, Federal Aviation Administration, 2300 East Devon Avenue, Des Plaines, Illinois 60018. All communications received on or before January 3, 1974, will be considered before action is taken on the proposed amendment. No public hearing is contemplated at this time, but arrangements for informal conferences with Federal Aviation Administration officials may be made by contacting the Regional Air Traffic Division Chief. Any data, views, or arguments presented during such conferences must also be submitted in writing in accordance with this notice in order to become part of the record for consideration. The proposal contained in this notice may be changed in the light of comments received.

A public docket will be available for examination by interested persons in the Office of the Regional Counsel, Federal Aviation Administration, 2300 East Devon Avenue, Des Plaines, Illinois 60018.

Two new RNAV approach procedures have been developed for the Quincy Municipal Baldwin Field Airport, Quincy, Illinois. In addition, the criteria for designation of transition areas have been changed. Accordingly, it is necessary to alter the Quincy, Illinois transition area to adequately protect the aircraft executing the new approach procedures.

In consideration of the foregoing, the Federal Aviation Administration proposes to amend Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations as hereinafter set forth:

In § 71.181 (38 FR 435), the following transition area is amended to read:

QUINCY, ILL.

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within an 8.5 mile radius of Quincy Municipal Baldwin Field Airport (latitude 39°56'30" N, longitude 91°11'45" W), and within 5 miles northwest and 8 miles southeast of the Quincy ILS

localizer southwest course, extending from the 8.5 mile radius to 12 miles southwest of the OM.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

Issued in Des Plaines, Illinois on November 2, 1973.

R. O. ZIEGLER,
Acting Director,
Great Lakes Region.

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[14 CFR Part 71]

[Airspace Docket No. 73-SO-71]

TRANSITION AREA

Proposed Alteration

The Federal Aviation Administration is considering an amendment to Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations that would alter the Fayetteville, N.C., transition area.

Interested persons may submit such written data, views or arguments as they may desire. Communications should be submitted in triplicate to the Federal Aviation Administration, Southern Region, Air Traffic Division, P.O. Box 20636, Atlanta, Ga. 30320. All communications received on or before December 19, 1973 will be considered before action is taken on the proposed amendment. No hearing is contemplated at this time, but arrangements for informal conference with Federal Aviation Administration officials may be made by contacting the Chief, Airspace and Procedures Branch. Any data, views or arguments presented during such conferences must also be submitted in writing in accordance with this notice in order to become part of the record for consideration. The proposal contained in this notice may be changed in light of comments received.

The official docket will be available for examination by interested persons at the Federal Aviation Administration, Southern Region, Room 770, 3400 Whipple Street, East Point, Ga.

The Fayetteville transition area described in § 71.181 (38 FR 435) would be amended as follows:

" * * * longitude 79°00'55" W.) * * * " would be deleted and " * * * longitude 79°00'55" W.); within 10 miles north and 2 miles south of Runway 27 extended centerline, extending from the 10-mile radius area to 17.5 miles east of the runway end; * * * " would be substituted therefor.

The proposed alteration is required to permit radar vector service to Simmons AAF for arriving aircraft.

(Sec. 307(a), Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. 1348(a)); sec. 6(c), Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).)

Issued in East Point, Ga., on November 19, 1973.

PHILLIP M. SWATEK,
Director, Southern Region.

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National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

[49 CFR Part 567]

[Docket No. 73-28; Notice 1]

MOTOR VEHICLE CERTIFICATION

Labeling of Incomplete Vehicles

This notice proposes a requirement that incomplete vehicle manufacturers affix a certification label to incomplete vehicles, in accordance with a decision of the U.S. Court of Appeals.

In the case of *Rex Chainbelt, Inc. v. Volpe*, No. 72-1540 (7th Cir., September 19, 1973), the Court held that the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act, 15 U.S.C. 1381 et seq., requires incomplete vehicle manufacturers to certify their incomplete vehicles, and declared the NHTSA certification regulations to be invalid to the extent that they required final-stage manufacturers to make the "sole certification."

The NHTSA reserves the right to seek judicial review of the decision. To conform to the Court's opinion, however, this agency hereby proposes to amend the certification regulations, 49 CFR Part 567, to require incomplete vehicle manufacturers to affix a certification label to their incomplete vehicles. The label would state that the incomplete vehicle conforms to standards identified by number on the label. Since an incomplete vehicle is a product whose degree of completion is highly variable according to the wishes of the producer and his customers, and there are no safety standards applicable to incomplete vehicles, the determination of what standards are to be listed on the label would be made by the incomplete vehicle manufacturer. This requirement would be in addition to the present requirements of the certification and multistage vehicle regulations (Parts 567 and 568), which would otherwise remain unchanged.

In light of the foregoing, it is proposed that the Certification regulations, 49 CFR Part 567, be amended by renumbering paragraph (c) of § 567.5 as paragraph (c)(2), and inserting a new paragraph (c)(1) to read as follows:

§ 567.5 Requirements for manufacturers of vehicles manufactured in two or more stages.

(c)(1) Except as provided in paragraph (c)(2) of this section, each incomplete vehicle manufacturer shall affix a label to each incomplete vehicle, in the location and form specified in § 567.4, that states, "This Vehicle Conforms to Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards _____" completing the statement with the numbers (e.g., 101, 207) of the standards to which the incomplete vehicle conforms.

Interested persons are invited to submit comments on the proposal. Comments should refer to the docket number and be submitted to: Docket Section,

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Room 5221, 400 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590. It is requested but not required that 10 copies be submitted.

All comments received before the close of business on the comment closing date indicated below will be considered, and will be available for examination in the docket at the above address both before and after that date. To the extent possible, comments filed after the closing date will also be considered. However, the rulemaking action may proceed at any time after that date, and comments received after the closing date and too late for consideration in regard to the action will be treated as suggestions for future rulemaking. The NHTSA will continue to file relevant material, as it becomes available in the docket after the closing date, and it is recommended that interested persons continue to examine the docket for new material.

Comment closing date: January 3, 1974.

Proposed effective date: February 1, 1974.

(Sec. 103, 108, 112, 114, 119, Pub. L. 89-563, 80 Stat. 718 (15 U.S.C. 1392, 1397, 1401, 1403, 1407); delegations of authority at 49 CFR 151 and 49 CFR 501.8.)

Issued on November 30, 1973.

ROBERT L. CARTER,
Associate Administrator,
Motor Vehicle Programs.

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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

[16 CFR Part 1508]

FULL-SIZE BABY CRIBS TO BEAR DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE

Notice of Proposed Rule Making

In the FEDERAL REGISTER of November 21, 1973 (38 FR 32129), the Consumer Product Safety Commission promulgated a regulation banning hazardous full-size baby cribs (16 CFR 1500.18 (a)(13)) and regulations establishing safety requirements for full-size baby cribs (16 CFR Part 1508). In the preamble of the document, the Commission announced that it would subsequently propose to require cribs subject to 16 CFR Part 1508 to bear affirmative labeling; that is, a declaration that the article is in compliance with the regulations. That is the purpose of this proposal.

To aid consumers in making a knowledgeable choice between conforming and nonconforming cribs, the Commission proposes that manufacturers attach to each complying full-size baby crib, and its retail carton, a label stating that the crib has been manufactured in accordance with applicable Consumer Product Safety Commission requirements. This will pertain to such cribs shipped in interstate commerce on or after February 1, 1974, through January 31, 1976.

Accordingly, pursuant to provisions of the Federal Hazardous Substances Act

(secs. 2(f)(1)(D), (q)(1)(A), (s), 3(e)(1), 74 Stat. 372, 374, 375, as amended, 80 Stat. 1304-05, 83 Stat. 187-89 (15 U.S.C. 1261, 1262)), and under authority vested in the Commission by the Consumer Product Safety Act (sec. 30(a), 86 Stat. 1231 (15 U.S.C. 2079(a))), the Commission proposes that 16 CFR Part 1508 be amended by revising the heading of § 1508.9 and adding a new paragraph (f) to that section, as follows:

§ 1508.9 Identifying marks, warning statement, and compliance declaration.

(f) Each crib and its retail carton shall bear a conspicuous label stating that the crib conforms to applicable regulations promulgated by the Consumer Product Safety Commission. The label need not be permanently attached to the crib, nor is any particular wording required for the statement. The label on the crib must be conspicuous under normal conditions of retail display. Any full-size baby crib introduced into interstate commerce on or after February 1, 1974, through January 31, 1976, must bear this label.

Interested persons are invited to submit, on or before December 19, 1973, written comments regarding this proposal. Comments and any accompanying material or data should be submitted, preferably in five copies, addressed to the Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission, Washington, D.C. 20207. Comments may be accompanied by a memorandum or brief in support thereof. Received comments may be seen in the Office of the Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 10th floor, 1750 K Street NW., Washington, D.C., during working hours Monday through Friday.

Dated: November 27, 1973.

SADYE E. DUNN,
Secretary, Consumer Product
Safety Commission.

[FR Doc.73-25623 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[47 CFR Part 73]

[Docket No. 19816]

EDUCATIONAL BROADCAST LICENSE

Order Extending Time for Filing Comments and Reply Comments

In the matter of ascertainment of community problems by Educational Broadcast Applicants; amendment of section IV (Statement of Program Service) of FCC Broadcast application forms 340 and 342 (Noncommercial Educational Broadcast Applications); and formulation of rules and policies relating to the renewal of educational broadcast licenses; Docket No. 19816, RM-1851, RM-1874.

1. On September 6, 1973, the Commission adopted a notice of inquiry and notice of proposed rulemaking in the above-entitled proceeding. Publication was

given in the FEDERAL REGISTER on September 19, 1973, 38 FR 26212. The dates for filing comments and reply comments are presently December 14, 1973 and January 14, 1974, respectively.

2. On November 20, 1973, counsel for Public Broadcasting Service requested that the time for filing comments and reply comments be extended to February 1 and March 1, 1974, respectively. Counsel states that due to the importance and complexity of the issues raised in this proceeding, more time is required to formulate a meaningful proposal for educational ascertainment. Counsel further states PBS believes that the nature of current ascertainment practices by educational television licensees is an important factor which the Commission should take into account in formulating any specific educational ascertainment requirements. He adds that PBS has undertaken a poll of its member stations in order to determine the present state of educational ascertainment. Counsel states that the requested extension will allow PBS to complete this poll and to provide meaningful data to the Commission.

3. We are of the view that the public interest would be served by extending the time in this proceeding. Accordingly, it is ordered, That the dates for filing comments and reply comments are extended to and including February 1 and March 1, 1974, respectively.

4. This action is taken pursuant to authority found in sections 4(i), 5(d)(1), and 303(r) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and § 0.281(b)(6) of the Commission's rules.

Adopted: November 26, 1973.

Released: November 27, 1973.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] WALLACE E. JOHNSON,
Chief, Broadcast Bureau.

[FR Doc.73-25626 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

[47 CFR Part 73]

[Docket No. 19840]

FM BROADCAST STATIONS IN BATH, MAINE

Proposed Table of Assignments; Order Extending Time for Filing Reply Comments

In the matter of amendment of § 73.202(b), Table of assignments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Bath, Maine), Docket No. 19840, RM-2090.

1. On October 3, 1973, the Commission adopted a notice of proposed rulemaking (FCC 73-1032) in the above-entitled proceeding. Publication was given in the FEDERAL REGISTER on October 10, 1973, 38 FR 28305. The Notice proposed the substitution of Channel 290 for Channel 237A at Bath, Maine. The date for filing comments was November 16, 1973, and the date for filing reply comments is November 26, 1973.

2. On November 16, 1973, Andy Valley Broadcasting System, Inc. (Andy Valley), filed a timely counter-proposal which would assign Channel 292A to Au-

burn, Maine, and substitute Channel 240A for Channel 292A at Saco, Maine, in lieu of assigning Channel 290 to Bath, Maine.

3. On November 21, 1973, counsel for Porter Broadcasting Services, Inc. (proponent), filed a request for extension of the reply comment date from November 26 to December 10, 1973. Counsel states that the additional time is necessary in order to fully analyze the counterproposal of Andy Valley and to prepare a complete response thereto. Counsel further states that Andy Valley has consented to a grant of the requested extension of time.

4. It appears that the requested extension of time would be in the public interest: *Accordingly, it is ordered*, That the date for filing reply comments is extended to and including December 10, 1973.

5. This action is taken pursuant to authority found in sections 4(i), 5(d)(1), and 303(r) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and § 0.281(b)(6) of the Commission's rules.

Adopted: November 23, 1973.

Released: November 26, 1973.

[SEAL] HAROLD L. KASSENS,
Acting Chief,
Broadcast Bureau.
[FR Doc.73-25630 Filed 12-3-73;8:45 am]

[47 CFR Part 73]

[Docket No. 19842]

FM BROADCAST STATIONS IN
CERTAIN CITIES IN MISSOURI

Proposed Table of Assignments; Order Extending Time for Filing Comments and Reply Comments

In the matter of amendment of § 73.202(b), *Table of assignments*, FM Broadcast Stations. (Cape Girardeau, Dexter, Portageville, Caruthersville, and Malden, Missouri), Docket No. 19842, RM-2005, RM-2117.

1. On October 3, 1973, the Commission adopted a notice of proposed rulemaking in the above-entitled proceeding. Publication was given in the FEDERAL REGISTER on October 15, 1973, 38 FR 28573. The dates for filing comments and reply com-

ments are November 16 and November 26, 1973, respectively.

2. On November 16, 1973, Earl Bradsher, requested that the time for filing comments be extended so that he may prepare a counterproposal believed to be in the public interest. He states that the counterproposal is in preparation but requires an unusually extensive presentation for fair and equitable evaluation.

3. It appears that the requested extension is warranted. *Accordingly, it is ordered*, That the dates for filing comments and reply comments are extended to and including November 30 and December 14, 1973, respectively.

4. This action is taken pursuant to authority found in sections 4(i), 5(d)(1), and 303(r) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and § 0.281(b)(6) of the Commission's rules.

Adopted: November 23, 1973.

Released: November 26, 1973.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,
[SEAL] HAROLD L. KASSENS,
Acting Chief,
Broadcast Bureau.

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Notices

This section of the FEDERAL REGISTER contains documents other than rules or proposed rules that are applicable to the public. Notices of hearings and investigations, committee meetings, agency decisions and rulings, delegations of authority, filing of petitions and applications and agency statements of organization and functions are examples of documents appearing in this section.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Delegation of Authority No. 127-1]

DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY FOR MANAGEMENT

Delegation of Authority

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the act of June 20, 1874 (18 Stat. 90; (22 U.S.C. 2664)) and by section 4 of the act of May 26, 1949 (63 Stat. 111, (22 U.S.C. 2658)), as amended, Delegation of Authority No. 127 of April 4, 1973 (38 FR 9336) is amended by deleting everything after "I hereby delegate:" and substituting:

"(1) All duties, functions, and responsibilities vested in the Deputy Under Secretary of State for Management, to the Honorable Curtis W. Tarr;

"(2) In the absence of the officer named in section (1), all duties, functions, and responsibilities vested in the Deputy Under Secretary for Management, to the Assistant Secretary for Administration; and

"(3) In the absence of the officer named in section (1), and when the Assistant Secretary of State for Administration is absent or the latter position is vacant, all duties, functions, and responsibilities vested in the Deputy Under Secretary of State for Management, except for the issuance of those rules and regulations and the taking of other actions required by law to be approved by higher authority, to the Director General of the Foreign Service."

This Delegation of Authority includes the authority to redelegate any of the functions herein delegated, and it shall be effective on November 26, 1973.

Dated: November 15, 1973.

KENNETH RUSH,
Acting Secretary of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Customs Bureau

[T. D. 73-327]

FOREIGN CURRENCIES

Certification of Rates

NOVEMBER 27, 1973.

Rates of exchange certified to the Secretary of the Treasury by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

The Federal Reserve Bank of New York, pursuant to section 522(c), Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (31 U.S.C. 372 (c)), has certified the following rates of exchange which varied by 5 per centum or more from the quarterly rate pub-

lished in Treasury Decision 73-294 for the following countries. Therefore, as to entries covering merchandise exported on the dates listed, whenever it is necessary for Customs purposes to convert such currency into currency of the United States, conversion shall be at the following daily rates:

Austria schilling:	
November 19, 1973.....	\$0.0528
November 20, 1973.....	.0527
November 21, 1973.....	.0524
November 22, 1973.....	Holiday
November 23, 1973.....	.0514
Belgium franc:	
November 20, 1973.....	0.025685
November 21, 1973.....	.025600
November 22, 1973.....	Holiday
November 23, 1973.....	.025125
Denmark krone:	
November 23, 1973.....	0.1635
France franc:	
November 23, 1973.....	0.2205
Germany deutsche mark:	
November 19, 1973.....	.3872
November 20, 1973.....	.3863
November 21, 1973.....	.3860
November 22, 1973.....	Holiday
November 23, 1973.....	.3750
Italy lira:	
November 21, 1973.....	.001682
November 22, 1973.....	Holiday
November 23, 1973.....	.001657
Japan yen:	
November 19, 1973.....	.003570
November 20, 1973.....	.003566
November 21, 1973.....	.003570
November 22, 1973.....	Holiday
November 23, 1973.....	.003563
Netherlands guilder:	
November 19, 1973.....	.3724
November 20, 1973.....	.3709
November 21, 1973.....	.3701
November 22, 1973.....	Holiday
November 23, 1973.....	.3620
Portugal escudo:	
November 23, 1973.....	.0402
Sweden krona:	
November 23, 1973.....	.2238
Switzerland franc:	
November 23, 1973.....	.3096
[SEAL] R. N. MARRA, Director, Appraisal and Collections Division.	
[FR Doc.73-25672 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]	

Internal Revenue Service

[Revocation Notice Order No. 34]

COMPROMISE OF CERTAIN LIABILITIES

Authority To Reject or Accept Offers

1. Commissioner's Delegation Order No. 34, issued July 27, 1956, delegated the

authority to accept or reject offers in compromise of:

a. Tax liabilities arising from:

(i) The illegal production of untaxed distilled spirits, wines, or beer, and

(ii) The failure to file returns of, or to pay, occupational taxes with respect to distilled spirits, wines, or beer, and

b. Criminal liabilities of retail dealers in liquor arising from violations of the Internal Revenue laws relating to liquor, including the reuse of liquor bottles

to each Regional Commissioner and to each Assistant Regional Commissioner (Alcohol and Tobacco Tax).

2. Treasury Department Order No. 221, establishing the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, transferred the functions, powers and duties of the Internal Revenue Service arising under laws relating to alcohol, tobacco, firearms, and explosives (including the Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Division of the Internal Revenue Service) to the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms. Since this authority is no longer vested in the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Delegation Order No. 34, issued July 27, 1956, is revoked.

Issued: November 26, 1973.

Effective: November 26, 1973.

[SEAL] DONALD C. ALEXANDER,
Acting Commissioner.

[FR Doc.73-25641 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

Office of the Secretary

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REFORM OF THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY SYSTEM

Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Advisory Committee on Reform of the International Monetary System will meet at the Treasury Department in Washington, D.C., on December 12, 1973.

The meeting is called for the purpose of considering the basic issues involved in the current international negotiations for the reform of the international monetary system.

A determination as required by section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463) has been made that this meeting of the Committee will consider matters falling within one or more of the exemptions to public disclosure set forth in 5 U.S.C. 552(b) and that the

public interest requires such meetings to be closed to public participation.

Dated: November 29, 1973.

[SEAL]

PAUL A. VOLCKER,
Under Secretary
for Monetary Affairs.

[FR Doc.73-25783 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

TAPERED ROLLER BEARINGS FROM JAPAN

Antidumping Proceeding Notice

NOVEMBER 30, 1973.

On October 31, 1973, information was received in proper form pursuant to §§ 153.26 and 153.27, Customs regulations (19 CFR 153.26, 153.27), indicating a possibility that tapered roller bearings from Japan are being, or are likely to be, sold at less than fair value within the meaning of the Antidumping Act, 1921, as amended (19 U.S.C. 160 et seq.).

There is evidence on record concerning injury to or likelihood of injury to or prevention of establishment of an industry in the United States.

Having conducted a summary investigation as required by § 153.29 of the Customs regulations (19 CFR 153.29) and having determined as a result thereof that there are grounds for so doing, the United States Customs Service is instituting an inquiry to verify the information submitted and to obtain the facts necessary to enable the Secretary of the Treasury to reach a determination as to the fact or likelihood of sales at less than fair value.

A summary of information received from all sources is as follows:

The information received tends to indicate that the prices of the merchandise sold for exportation to the United States are less than the prices for home consumption.

This notice is published pursuant to § 153.30 of the Customs regulations (19 CFR 153.30).

[SEAL]

EDWARD L. MORGAN,
Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

[FR Doc.73-25801 Filed 12-3-73; 9:04 am]

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary of Defense ADVISORY GROUP ON ELECTRON DEVICES, ET AL.

Notice of Meetings

The Department of Defense Advisory Group on Electron Devices, and various working groups thereof, will meet in closed sessions as indicated below.

a. Advisory Group on Electron Devices, 201 Varick Street, New York, New York, December 18, 1973.

b. Working Group on Special Devices, Institute for Defense Analyses, Science and Technology Division, 400 Army-Navy Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22202, December 6, 1973.

c. Working Group on Microwave Devices, Harry Diamond Laboratories, Connecticut

Avenue and Van Ness St. NW., Washington, D.C., December 6, 1973.

d. Working Group on Low Power Devices, Naval Electronic Systems Command, National Center Building No. 1, Rm. 9W67, Washington, D.C., December 6, 1973.

The purpose of the DoD Advisory Group on Electron Devices, and various working groups thereof, is to provide the Director of Defense Research and Engineering and the Military Departments with advice and recommendations on the conduct of economical and effective research and development programs in the field of electron devices, e.g., lasers, radar tubes, transistors, infrared sensors, etc. The group is also the vehicle for interservice coordination of planned R&D efforts.

In accordance with Pub. L. 92-463, section 10d, the Director of Defense Research and Engineering has determined, on 28 February 1973, that the meetings of the Advisory Group are matters which fall within policies analogous to those recognized in section 552(b) of Title 5 of the United States Code and that the public interest requires such activities to be withheld from disclosure insofar as the requirements of subsection (a) (1) and subsection (b) of section 10, Pub. L. 92-463 are concerned.

MAURICE W. ROCHE,
Director, Correspondence and
Directives OASD (Comptrol-
ler).

DECEMBER 3, 1973.

[FR Doc.73-25840 Filed 12-3-73; 11:03 am]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Domestic and International Business Administration

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, ET AL.

Consolidated Decision on Applications for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Articles

The following is a consolidated decision on applications for duty-free entry of electron microscopes pursuant to section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89-651, 80 Stat. 897) and the regulations issued thereunder as amended (37 FR 3892 et seq.). (See especially § 701.11(e).)

A copy of the record pertaining to each of the applications in this consolidated decision is available for public review during ordinary business hours of the Department of Commerce, at the Special Import Programs Division, Office of Import Programs, Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00064-33-46040. APPLICANT: Princeton University, Purchasing & Office Services, P.O. Box 33, Princeton, New Jersey 08540. ARTICLE: Electron Microscope, Model Elmiskop IA. MANUFACTURER: Siemens AG, West Germany. INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE: The foreign article is intended to be used in the following research studies on (1) high resolution ultra-structural analysis of microtubules from the nerve axon, spindle apparatus,

cilia and flagella, and other parts of eucaryotic cells, (2) the relationships between the microtubules and their associated structures, (3) characterization of the microtubule organizing centers in these organelles, (4) the *in vivo* and *in vitro* growth and assembly of microtubules, and (5) monitoring the content and purity of cell fractions in conjunction with biochemical and biophysical studies on microtubules. APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS: August 8, 1973. ADVICE SUBMITTED BY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE ON: November 9, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00069-33-46040. APPLICANT: Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Department of Pathology, 1300 Morris Park Avenue, Bronx, New York 10461. ARTICLE: Electron Microscope, Model Elmiskop 102 and accessories. MANUFACTURER: Siemens AG, West Germany. INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE: The foreign article is intended to be used to study the morphological effects of prolonged and chronic exposure to high oxygen tensions in lung using tissue from experimental animals, cells from tissue gradients and isolated material taken from fractions run on gradients. The article will also be used to train students and post-doctoral fellows in use of the electron microscope and its application. APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS: August 13, 1973. ADVICE SUBMITTED BY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE ON: November 9, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00073-33-46040. APPLICANT: University of California, Davis California Primate Research Center, Davis, California 95616. ARTICLE: Electron Microscope, Model EM 10. MANUFACTURER: Carl Zeiss, West Germany. INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE: The foreign article is intended to be used in research on pulmonary diseases, reproductive and perinatal biology, infectious diseases, and behavioral biology. The article will be required to examine (1) tissue from the respiratory system of nonhuman primate required to examine (1) tissues from the central nervous system, locomotor system, and integumentary system of embryonic and fetal nonhuman and human primates including tissue of the maternal reproductive system and placenta, and (3) tissues of nonhuman primate hosts for experimental spontaneous viral, bacterial, and parasite diseases. The article will also be used in the education of postdoctoral fellows and graduate students studying the problems related to research in pulmonary diseases, reproductive and perinatal biology, infectious diseases, and behavioral biology. The courses will be numbered for the graduate students and nonspecific for the postdoctoral fellows. APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS: August 17, 1973. ADVICE SUBMITTED BY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE ON: November 9, 1973.

PARE ON: November 9, 1973. **COMMENTS:** No comments have been received in regard to any of the foregoing applications. **DECISION:** Applications approved. No instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign articles, for the purposes for which the articles are intended to be used, is being manufactured in the United States. **REASONS:** Each foreign article has a specified resolving capability equal to or better than 3.5 Angstroms. The most closely comparable domestic instrument is the Model EMU-4C electron microscope which is manufactured by the Forglow Corporation (Forglo). The Model EMU-4C has a specified resolving capability of five Angstroms. (Resolving capability bears an inverse relationship to its numerical rating in Angstrom units, i.e., the lower the rating, the better the resolving capability.) We are advised by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare in the respectively cited memoranda, that the additional resolving capability of the foreign articles is pertinent to the purposes for which each of the foreign articles to which the foregoing applications relate is intended to be used. We, therefore, find that the Forglow Model EMU-4C is not of equivalent scientific value to any of the articles to which the foregoing applications relate, for such purposes as these articles are intended to be used. The Department of Commerce knows of no other instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to any of the foreign articles to which the foregoing applications relate, for such purposes as these articles are intended to be used, which is being manufactured in the United States.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 11.105, Importation of Duty-Free Educational and Scientific Materials.)

A. H. STUART,
Director, Special
Import Programs Division.

[FR Doc. 73-25643 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

TULANE MEDICAL SCHOOL

Decision on Application for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Article

The following is a decision on an application for duty-free entry of a scientific article pursuant to section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89-651, 80 Stat. 897) and the regulations issued thereunder as amended (37 FR 3892 et seq.).

A copy of the record pertaining to this decision is available for public review during ordinary business hours of the Department of Commerce, at the Office of Import Programs, Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00062-00-54500. **APPLICANT:** Tulane Medical School, Department of Ophthalmology, 1430 Tulane Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana 70112. **ARTICLE:** Optical Attachment for Zeiss Photocoagulator. **MANUFACTURER:** SADAMEL, Switzerland.

INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE: The foreign article is intended to be used in training resident-trainees in a prescribed course in the use of the laser photocoagulator. Specifically, the article as an attachment will facilitate both the means of clinical treatment and the adaptation of the resident-trainee staff to the mode and method of clinical treatment.

COMMENTS: No comments have been received with respect to this application.

DECISION: Application approved. No instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign article, for such purposes as this article is intended to be used, is being manufactured in the United States.

REASONS: The application relates to a compatible accessory for an instrument that had been previously imported for the use of the applicant institution. The article is being furnished by the manufacturer which produced the instrument with which the article is intended to be used and is pertinent to the applicant's purposes.

The Department of Commerce knows of no similar accessory being manufactured in the United States, which is interchangeable with or can be readily adapted to the instrument with which the foreign article is intended to be used.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 11.105, Importation of Duty-Free Educational and Scientific Materials.)

A. H. STUART,
Director, Special
Import Programs Division.

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UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, ET AL.

Applications for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Articles

The following are notices of the receipt of applications for duty-free entry of scientific articles pursuant to section 6 (c) of the Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89-651; 80 Stat. 897). Interested persons may present their views with respect to the question of whether an instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value for the purposes for which the article is intended to be used is being manufactured in the United States. Such comments must be filed in triplicate with the Director, Special Import Programs Division, Office of Import Programs, Washington, D.C. 20230, on or before December 24, 1973.

Amended regulations issued under cited Act, as published in the February 24, 1972 issue of the FEDERAL REGISTER, prescribe the requirements applicable to comments.

A copy of each application is on file, and may be examined during ordinary Commerce Department business hours at the Special Import Programs Division, Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00190-75-77065. **APPLICANT:** University of Maryland, Baltimore County Campus, 5401 Wilkens Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland

21228. **ARTICLE:** Mossbauer Effect Analyser. **MANUFACTURER:** Elscint, Inc., Israel. **INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE:** The article is intended to be used in high resolution Mossbauer transmission and scattering experiments to study the dependence of hyperfine fields on external influences such as temperature surface condition and chemical environment. **APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS:** October 26, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00191-80-17800. **APPLICANT:** Washington, State University, Purchasing Department, Pullman, WA 99163. **ARTICLE:** Hombak Type ZOA 18 Drum Type Wood Flaker. **MANUFACTURER:** Hombak Maschinenfabrik KG, West Germany. **INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE:** The article is intended to be used in evaluating the potential of converting sawmill waste, plywood waste, and forest slash into flakes for further manufacture into building products. Variables to be researched are: species, moisture content, flake size and geometry, and type and quality of residue. **APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS:** October 30, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00192-01-07500. **APPLICANT:** University of California, Department of Food Science & Technology, Davis, California 95616. **ARTICLE:** Microcalorimeter, LKB 10700-2. **MANUFACTURER:** LKB Produkter AB, Sweden. **INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE:** The article is intended to be used to study the energy changes (heats of reaction) which accompany the chemical or physical interactions of molecules of biological interest. The article will be used in a number of projects, most notably, in investigations which study the base-specific interactions of polynucleotides or nucleic acids as a function of varying ionic strength and solvent composition, in studies which address themselves to the heat effects associated with protein denaturation and protein hydrolysis, in experiments which measure the heats of the binding of a substrate to an enzyme, and in investigations which study the energy changes associated with polyelectrolyte-metal ion interactions (e.g., the binding of calcium ions to casein, myosin, etc.). The article will also be used in a graduate program to demonstrate the principles of calorimetry to the variety of changes in biological materials that involve emission or absorption of heat. **APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS:** October 30, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00193-01-77040. **APPLICANT:** Stanford University, 820 Quarry Road, Palo Alto, California 94304. **ARTICLE:** Mass Spectrometer, Model MAT 711. **MANUFACTURER:** Varian, MAT, West Germany. **INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE:** The article is intended to be used in the development of a closed-loop mass spectrometer-computer system which in turn is to be used for the automatic analysis of the constituents of human urine for the detection of metabolic disorders of genetic origin.

The system is also required for analysis of trace amounts of steroids from biological sources. APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS: October 31, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00194-91-73610. APPLICANT: Cornell University, N.Y.S. Agricultural Experiment Station, Department of Plant Pathology, Geneva, New York 14456. ARTICLE: Recording Volumetric Spore Trap. MANUFACTURER: Burkard Scientific Sales Ltd., United Kingdom. INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE: The article is intended to be used in the investigation of live biological material to determine the type and quantity of spores in the air in relation to weather conditions in order to develop better control of plant diseases caused by fungi. APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS: October 30, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00196-33-30950. APPLICANT: Wistar Institute, 36th Street at Spruce, Philadelphia, Pa. 19104. ARTICLE: High Vacuum Freeze Etch Unit, BAF 301. MANUFACTURER: Balzers Limited, Switzerland. INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE: The article is intended to be used in the investigation of nuclear pores of different cell lines to determine whether or not the DNA initiation takes place at the site of the nuclear pores on the nuclear membrane. APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS: October 26, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00197-33-46040. APPLICANT: William Beaumont Hospital, 3601 W. 13 Mile Road, Royal Oak, Michigan 48072. ARTICLE: Electron Microscope, Model EM 201. MANUFACTURER: Philips Electronic Instruments NVD, The Netherlands. INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE: The article is intended to be used to study the ultrastructure of glomerular and cellular abnormalities in the kidney, both as a means of identifying the disease process and as a method of conducting research. Similarly, cellular alterations in patients suffering from hepatic disease will be studied ultrastructurally to identify and investigate the disease process. The article will also be used as an adjunct to the research into the identifying characteristics of embryonal malignancies; as a means of characterizing the cellular types involved in thyroid tumors and of studying their response to different therapeutic and pharmacologic modalities; as a means of studying lymphoid and lymphocytic reactions in disease states and in malignancies of the hematopoietic systems. APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS: October 31, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00200-33-46500. APPLICANT: Medical College of Ohio at Toledo, P.O. Box 6190, 945 S. Detroit Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43614. ARTICLE: Ultramicrotome, Model Om U3. MANUFACTURER: C. Reichert Optische Werke AG, Austria. INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE: The article is intended to be used to section single light microscopi-

cally preselected cells or structures of 50 Angstrom units thickness or less for electron microscopy as part of research involving such phenomena as elucidation of melanogenesis of tissue cultures of malignant cells during their cell cycle. The article will also be used to obtain aforementioned thin sections of various tissues in order to demonstrate disease processes on electron microscopic level, which will serve as a very significant visual aid in education of medical students in formal classes as well as in training programs of resident physicians. APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS: November 5, 1973.

DOCKET NUMBER: 74-00201-33-46040. APPLICANT: Hamilton College, Clinton, New York 13323. ARTICLE: Electron Microscope, Model EM 98-2. MANUFACTURER: Carl Zeiss, West Germany. INTENDED USE OF ARTICLE: The article is intended to be used for individual research programs in embryology, genetics, and microbiology. The Anatomy Dept. will use the article to study the fine structure of vertebrate germ cells and their interrelations with enveloping somatic cells during the entire life history of the animal. The article will also be used in the course, Biology 35. Cellular Ultrastructure to teach students rudiments of preparation of biological materials for transmission electron microscopy, primarily thin sections, and the operation of the instrument to obtain the best possible micrographs. Students will be provided with firsthand knowledge of the procedures of electron microscopy for subsequent studies in medical or biological school. APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS: November 5, 1973.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 11.105, Importation of Duty-Free Educational and Scientific Materials.)

A. H. STUART,
Director, Special
Import Programs Division.

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Office of the Secretary

WATCHES AND WATCH MOVEMENTS

Allocation of Quotas for Calendar Year 1974 Among Producers Located in the Virgin Islands, Guam, and American Samoa

Pursuant to the authority granted the Secretaries by Pub. L. 89-805 the Departments of Commerce and the Interior are considering rules which will govern the allocation of duty-free quotas of watches and watch movements among producers in the Virgin Islands, Guam and American Samoa for calendar year 1974.

Interested parties may participate in the proposed rulemaking by submitting such written data, views or arguments as they may desire regarding the proposed rules set out below. All communications should be submitted within 15 days from the filing date of this Notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER, and addressed to the:

Office of Import Programs
U.S. Department of Commerce
Washington, D.C. 20230
Attention: Special Import Programs Division

Such communications shall be submitted in an original and three copies and must include the following information:

(a) The name, address, and telephone number of the party submitting the brief.

(b) The name, address, telephone number and official position of the person submitting the brief on behalf of the party referred to in subparagraph (a).

SECTION 1. Upon effective date of these rules, or as soon thereafter as practicable, each producer located in the Virgin Islands, Guam, and American Samoa which received a duty-free watch quota allocation for calendar year 1973, will receive an initial quota allocation for calendar year 1974 equal to 50 percent of the number of watch units assembled by such producer in the particular territory and entered duty-free into the customs territory of the United States during the first ten months of calendar year 1973, or 5,000 units, whichever is greater. (For new entrants see Section 7 below.)

SEC. 2. Each producer to which an initial quota has been allocated pursuant to Section 1 hereof must, on or before April 1, 1974, have assembled and entered duty-free into the customs territory of the United States at least 30 percent of its initial quota allocation. Any producer failing to enter duty-free into the customs territory of the United States on or before April 1, 1974, a number of watch units assembled by it in a particular territory equal to, or greater than, 30 percent of the number of units initially allocated to such producer for duty-free entry from that territory will, upon receipt of a show cause order from the Departments, be given an opportunity, within 30 days from such receipt, to show cause why the duty-free quota which it would otherwise be entitled to receive should not be cancelled or reduced by the Departments. Such a show cause order may also be issued whenever there is reason to believe that shipments through December 31, 1974, by any producer under the quota allocated to it for calendar year 1974 will be less than 90 percent of the number of units allocated to it. Upon failure of any such producer to show good cause, deemed satisfactory by the Departments, why the remaining, unused portion of the quota to which it would otherwise be entitled should not be cancelled or reduced, said remaining, unused portion of its quota shall be either cancelled or reduced, whichever is appropriate under the show cause order. In the event of a quota cancellation or reduction under this section, or in the event a firm voluntarily relinquishes a part of its quota, the Departments will promptly reallocate the quota involved, in a manner best suited to contribute to the economy of the territories, among the remaining producers: *Provided however*, That if in the judgment of the Departments it is appropriate, applica-

tions from new firms may, in lieu of such reallocation, be invited for any part or all of any unused portions of quotas remaining unallocated as a result of cancellation or reduction hereunder. Every producer to which a quota is granted is required to file a report on April 15, July 15 and October 15, of each year covering the periods January 1 to March 31, April 1 to June 30 and July 1 to September 30 respectively via registered mail on Form DIB-321P (formerly OIPF-844) copies of which will be forwarded to each producer at its territorial address of record at least 15 days prior to the required reporting date. Copies of this form may also be obtained from the Special Import Programs Division, Office of Import Programs, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230. Form DIB-321P will provide the Departments with information regarding the producer's watch movement assembly operation in the insular possessions. Such information may include the status of beginning and ending inventories of finished watch movements and component parts, scheduled delivery dates and number of watch movement parts and components ordered, number of watch movements assembled, number of watch movements entered into the customs territory of the United States, and a list of confirmed orders for shipment of finished watch movements into the customs territory of the United States prior to December 31, 1974. Each producer to which a quota is granted will also report on Form DIB-321P any change in ownership and control which has occurred subsequent to the filing of an application for a watch quota on Form DIB-334P (formerly OIPF-764) (see section 8, below).

Sec. 3. Application forms will be mailed to recipients of initial quota allocations as soon as practicable and must be filed with the Departments on or before January 31, 1974. All data required must be supplied as a condition for annual allocations and are subject to verification by the Departments. In order to accomplish this verification it will be necessary for representatives of the Departments to meet with appropriate officials of quota recipients in the insular possessions in order to have access to company records. Representatives of the Departments plan to perform this verification beginning on or about February 15, 1974 in Guam and American Samoa and beginning on or about March 1, 1974 in the Virgin Islands, and will contact each producer locally regarding the verification of its data.

Sec. 4. (Virgin Islands only) The annual quotas for calendar year 1974 for the Virgin Islands will be allocated as soon as practicable after April 1, 1974, on the basis of (1) the number of units assembled by each producer in the territory and entered by it duty-free into the customs territory of the United States during calendar year 1973, (2) the total dollar amount of wages subject to FICA taxes paid by such producer in the territory during calendar year 1973 to persons whose pay was and (3) the total net dollar amount of income taxes applicable

to its calendar year 1973 Headnote 3(a) watch assembly operation, irrespective of whether such taxes are partially or fully exempt by the territorial government. In making allocations under this formula, an equal weight of 40% will be assigned to production and shipment history and to wages subject to FICA taxes, and a weight of 20% will be assigned to the total net dollar amount of income taxes applicable to calendar year 1973 Headnote 3(a) watch assembly operations.

Sec. 5. (Guam only) The annual quotas for calendar year 1974 for Guam will be allocated as soon as practicable after April 1, 1974 on the basis of the number of units assembled by each producer in the territory and entered by it duty-free into the customs territory of the United States during calendar year 1973, and the total dollar amount of wages subject to FICA taxes paid by such producer in the territory during calendar year 1973 to persons whose pay was attributable to its Headnote 3(a) watch assembly operation. In making allocations under this formula, equal weight will be assigned to production and shipment history and to wages subject to FICA taxes.

Sec. 6. (Virgin Islands and Guam) For purposes of allocating watch quotas for calendar year 1974 under Sections 4 and 5 above, any watches or watch movements shipped from the Virgin Islands or Guam during calendar year 1973 for duty-free entry into the customs territory of the United States against a producer's 1973 watch quota, and which were lost prior to entry into the customs territory of the United States, shall nevertheless be considered as having been entered into the customs territory for purposes of quota fulfillment: *Provided*, That the Departments have been satisfied that shipment was in fact made but lost prior to entry into the customs territory.

Sec. 7. (Virgin Islands only) In the determination of initial and annual watch quota allocations for calendar year 1974, the Departments propose to take into account and make appropriate adjustments for any new entrant or entrants to whom a quota allocation was made during calendar year 1973 pursuant to Section 7 of the Rules for Allocation of Watch Quotas for Calendar Year 1973 (37 FR 28768, December 29, 1972), and who would not have a full year's operation as a basis for computation of a quota for calendar year 1974.

Sec. 8. The rules restricting transfers of duty-free quotas issued on January 29, 1968 and published in the *FEDERAL REGISTER* on January 31, 1968 (33 FR 2399), are hereby incorporated by reference as applicable to transfers of quotas issued during calendar year 1974 except that detailed reporting of ownership and control will be reported on an annual basis on Form DIB-334P at the time the producer applies for an annual duty-free watch quota for calendar year 1974. Subsequent change in ownership and control will be reported on April 15, July 15, and October 15, 1974, on Form DIB-321P required in Section 2 above.

Any interested party has the right to petition for the amendment or repeal of the foregoing rules and may seek relief from the application of any of their provisions upon a showing of good cause under the procedures relating to reviews by the Secretaries of Commerce and the Interior which were published in the *FEDERAL REGISTER* on November 17, 1967 (32 FR 15818).

Dated: November 29, 1973.

SETH M. BODNER,
Deputy Assistant Secretary for
Resources and Trade Assistance,
Department of Commerce.

FRED NODEWAY,
Acting Director, Office of Ter-
ritorial Affairs, Department of
the Interior.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

Food and Drug Administration

[FAP 3H2894]

DIAMOND SHAMROCK CORP.

Notice of Filing of Petition for Food Additive

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b) (5), 72 Stat. 1786 (21 U.S.C. 348 (b) (5))), notice is given that a petition (FAP 3H2894) has been filed by Nopco Chemical Division, Diamond Shamrock Chemical Co., Diamond Shamrock Corp., 350 Mt. Kemble Ave., P.O. Box 2386-R, Morristown, NJ 07960, proposing that § 121.2505 *Slimicides* (21 CFR 121.2505) be amended to provide for the safe use of 3,3,4,4-tetrachlorotetrahydrothiophene 1,1-dioxide as a slimicide in the manufacture of paper and paperboard in contact with food.

Dated: November 21, 1973.

VIRGIL O. WODICKA,
Director, Bureau of Foods.

[FR Doc. 73-25613 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

National Institutes of Health NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE

Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to Pub. L. 92-463, notice is hereby given of the meeting of the Molecular Control Working Group, National Cancer Institute, December 14, 1973, at 9:00 a.m., National Institutes of Health, Building 31, Conference Room 8. This meeting will be open to the public from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., to discuss policy matters pertaining to the Molecular Control Working Group. Attendance by the public will be limited to space available.

Mr. Frank Karel, Associate Director for Public Affairs, NCI, Building 31, Room 10A31, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Md. 20014, 301-496-1911, will furnish summaries of the open meeting and roster of committee members.

Dr. Timothy E. O'Connor, Executive Secretary, Bldg. 41, Room A107, National

Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Md. 20014, 301-496-3647, will provide substantive program information.

Dated: November 23, 1973.

JOHN F. SHERMAN,
Deputy Director,
National Institutes of Health.

[FR Doc.73-25584 Filed 12-3-73;8:45 am]

ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

FUTURE HIGH LEVEL WASTE FACILITIES SAVANNAH RIVER PLANT, AIKEN, S.C.

Relocation of Project

Notice is hereby given that the Atomic Energy Commission plans to relocate four radioactive waste storage tanks and an evaporator from the originally planned "F" Chemical Separations Area to the "H" Chemical Separations Area. The environmental impact of construction of the tanks and evaporator in the "F" area was covered in an environmental statement (WASH 1528) which was issued in April 1973. Due to a subsequent change in planned reactor operational modes there is a greater need for the tanks to be located in the "H" area. The environmental impact of this change was evaluated by means of an environmental assessment and it was determined that the action would have no impact significantly different from that covered in the April 1973 environmental statement. Therefore, it is not planned to issue another statement. The environmental assessment of this action can be made available upon request in writing to Dr. James L. Liverman, Assistant General Manager for Biomedical and Environmental Research and Safety Programs, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D.C. 20545.

Dated at Germantown, Maryland this 28th day of November 1973.

For the Atomic Energy Commission.

PAUL C. BENDER,
Secretary of the Commission.

[FR Doc.73-25637 Filed 12-3-73;8:45 am]

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS SUBCOMMITTEE ON THE SAVANNAH RIVER PROJECT

Notice of Meeting

NOVEMBER 30, 1973.

In accordance with the purposes of section 29 and 182 b. of the Atomic Energy Act (42 U.S.C. 2039, 2232 b.), the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards Subcommittee on the Savannah River Project will hold a meeting on December 10, 1973, at the Savannah River Laboratory. The subject scheduled for discussion is safety of production reactors and facilities at the Savannah River project.

I have determined, in accordance with subsection 10(d) of Pub. L. 92-463, that the discussion at the meeting will consist of classified matters which fall

within exemptions (1) and (3) of 5 U.S.C. 552(b) and it is essential to close this meeting to protect the discussion of these classified matters.

JOHN C. RYAN,
Advisory Committee,
Management Officer.

[FR Doc.73-25818 Filed 12-3-73;10:11 am]

[Docket No. PR-Misc. Notice (Development of Siting Criteria)]

NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS

Notice of Availability of Draft Report Prepared for General Environmental Siting Guides for Nuclear Power Plants

On February 1, 1973, the Atomic Energy Commission published in the FEDERAL REGISTER (38 FR 3106) a Notice of Intent to Develop General Siting Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants.

Notice is hereby given that the Atomic Energy Commission is making available to the public for comment a draft report entitled "General Environmental Siting Guides for Nuclear Power Plants—Topics and Bases." This document was prepared by Battelle Memorial Institute, Columbus Laboratories, to assist the Commission in acquiring and organizing the information from existing sources, including existing criteria, that will provide the bases for general siting guides for nuclear power plants. The topics considered are geology, hydrology, meteorology, ecology, land use, population density, and esthetics. The Commission's purpose is to develop criteria that will provide general guidance relative to site suitability and the potential impacts from nuclear power plants on the environment and on the health and welfare of man.

The Draft Report is available for inspection by the public in the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 H Street NW, Washington, D.C. Copies may be obtained by request addressed to the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D.C. 20545, Attention: Assistant Director for Site and Health Standards, Directorate of Regulatory Standards.

Comments on the Draft Report from interested members of the public are hereby solicited and should be sent to the Secretary of the Commission, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D.C. 20545, Attention: Chief, Public Proceedings Staff by January 18, 1974. Copies of the comments on the Draft Report may be examined at the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 H Street NW, Washington, D.C. All comments received will be considered in the development of environmental siting guides by the AEC.

(5 U.S.C. 552(a))

Dated at Bethesda, Md., this 29th day of November 1973.

For the Atomic Energy Commission.

LESTER ROGERS,
Director of Regulatory Standards.

[FR Doc.73-25817 Filed 12-3-73;10:11 am]

CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD

[Docket No. 26131]

BRITISH AIRWAYS BOARD

Transfer of Foreign Air Carrier Permits of British Overseas Airways Corporation

Notice is hereby given that a prehearing conference in the above-entitled matter is assigned to be held on December 20, 1973, at 10:00 a.m. (local time) in Room 503, Universal Building, 1825 Connecticut Avenue NW., Washington, D.C., before Administrative Law Judge Thomas P. Sheehan.

Notice is also given that the hearing may be held immediately following conclusion of the prehearing conference unless a person objects or shows reason for postponement on or before December 12, 1973.

Dated at Washington, D.C., November 28, 1973.

[SEAL] RALPH L. WISER,
Chief Administrative Law Judge.

[FR Doc.73-25640 Filed 12-3-73;8:45 am]

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES PAY COUNCIL

Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, notice is hereby given that the Federal Employees Pay Council will meet at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 12, 1973, to continue discussions on the fiscal year 1974 comparability adjustment for the statutory pay systems of the Federal Government.

In accordance with the provisions of section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, it was determined by the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Chairman of the Civil Service Commission, who serve jointly as the President's Agent for the purposes of the Federal pay comparability process, that this meeting of the Federal Employees Pay Council would not be open to the public.

For the President's Agent.

RICHARD H. HALL,
Advisory Committee Management
Officer for the President's Agent.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS AND OTHER ACTIONS IMPACTING THE ENVIRONMENT

Availability of Environmental Protection Agency Comments

Pursuant to the requirements of section 102(2)(C) of the National Environ-

mental Policy Act of 1969, and section 309 of the Clean Air Act, as amended, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed and commented in writing on Federal agency actions impacting the environment contained in the following appendices during the period of October 16, 1973, and October 31, 1973.

Appendix I contains a listing of draft environmental impact statements reviewed and commented upon in writing during this review period. The list includes the Federal agency responsible for the statement, the number and title of the statement, the classification of the nature of EPA's comments as defined in Appendix II, and the EPA source for copies of the comments as set forth in Appendix V.

Appendix II contains the definitions of the classifications of EPA's comments on the draft environmental impact statements as set forth in Appendix I.

Appendix III contains a listing of final environmental impact statements reviewed and commented upon in writing during this reviewing period. The listing will include the Federal agency responsible for the statement, the number and title of the statement, a summary of the nature of EPA's comments, and the EPA source for copies of the comments as set forth in Appendix V.

Appendix IV contains a listing of proposed Federal agency regulations, legislation proposed by Federal agencies, and any other proposed actions reviewed and commented upon in writing pursuant to section 309(a) of the Clean Air Act, as amended, during the referenced reviewing period. The listing includes the Federal agency responsible for the proposed action, the title of the action, a summary of the nature of EPA's comments and the EPA source for copies of the comments as set forth in Appendix V.

Appendix V contains a listing of the names and addresses of the sources for copies of EPA comments listed in Appendices I, III, and IV.

Copies of the EPA Manual setting forth the policies and procedures for EPA's review of agency actions may be obtained by writing the Public Inquiries Branch, Office of Public Affairs, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, D.C. 20460. Copies of the draft and final environmental impact statements referenced herein are available from the originating Federal department or agency or from the National Technical Information Service, U.S. Department of Commerce, Springfield, Virginia 22151.

Dated: November 21, 1973.

SHELDON MEYERS,
Director,
Office of Federal Activities.

APPENDIX I

DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS FOR WHICH COMMENTS WERE ISSUED BETWEEN OCTOBER 16, 1973 AND OCTOBER 31, 1973

Responsible Federal Agency	Identifying Number and Title	General nature of comments	Source for copies of comments
Atomic Energy Commission.....	D-AEC-06115-GA: Alvin W. Vogtle Nuclear Plant, Units 1-4, Ga.	LO-2	A
Department of Agriculture.....	D-AFS-39054-GU: Shore protection, Talofofo Bay, Territory of Guam.	LO-2	J
Do.....	D-AFS-61152-MN: Boundary Waters Canoe Area, Superior National Forest, Minn.	LO-2	F
Do.....	D-AFS-61161-MT: Spanish Peaks Multiple-use plan, Mont.	LO-1	I
Do.....	D-AFS-65088-MT: Upper West Fork Planning Unit, Ravalli County, Mont.	ER-2	I
Do.....	D-AFS-65045-MT: South Cottonwood Multiple-use plan, Mont.	ER-2	I
Do.....	D-AFS-65046-VA: Cave Mountain Lake Unit Plan, Jefferson National Forest, Va.	LO-1	D
Do.....	D-AFS-65048-CA: North Shore Huntington Lake Timber Sales, Fresno, Calif.	LO-1	J
Do.....	D-DOA-36159-ID: Georgetown Creek Watershed Plan, Idaho.	LO-1	K
Do.....	D-REA-08009-MD: 230 KV Transmission line Ryecroft to Lexington, Md.	LO-1	D
Corps of Engineers.....	D-COE-32456-AL: Black Warrior and Tombigbee Rivers (navigation), Ala.	ER-2	E
Do.....	D-COE-36300-CO: Arkansas River and Great Bend, John Martin Dam, Colo.	ER-1	I
Do.....	D-COE-36314-CA: Water Resource Development along Calleguas Creek, Calif.	LO-1	J
Do.....	D-COE-36316-PA: Pottstown Flood Protection Project, Pa.	ER-2	D
Do.....	D-COE-36318-ND: Flood Control at Grafton, Park River, N.Dak.	LO-1	I
Do.....	D-COE-39065-AK: Operation and maintenance of Anchorage Harbor, Alaska.	LO-2	K
Do.....	D-COE-34050-NC: Reddies Lake Project, Wilkes County N.C.	LO-2	E
Do.....	D-COE-30,009-IN: Newburgh Bank Revetment, Ohio River, Newburgh, Ind.	LO-2	F
Department of defense.....	D-DOD-12032-CA: U.S. Air Force Space Launch Vehicle, Calif.	LO-2	J
Do.....	D-USN-11046-FL: Navy Family Housing Construction, at McCoy Air Force Base, Orlando, Fla.	ER-2	E
Do.....	D-UAF-11043-CO: Air Force Accounting and Finance Facility, Colo.	LO-1	I
Federal Power Commission.....	D-FPC-03045-NY: Escogee LNG, Inc., and Distrigas Corp. (CP73-47), New York.	ER-2	C
Department of the Interior.....	D-IBR-08010-00: Cureanti-Shiprock No. 2, 230 kV Transmission Line, Colorado and New Mexico.	ER-2	I
Do.....	D-BOR-99049-00: Continental Divide, Kit Carson National Scenic Trails.	ER-2	A
Do.....	D-NPS-61167-TX: Proposed Big Thicket National Biological Reserve, Tex.	LO-1	G
Do.....	D-SFW-64021-WI: Horicon National Wildlife Refuge, Wis.	LO-2	F
Do.....	LD-DOI-03043-00: Deregulation of natural gas prices.	LO-1	A
Department of Transportation.....	D-FAA-51316-LA: Lakefront Airport, New Orleans, La.	ER-2	G
Do.....	D-FHW-41890-CA: Widening of I-80, Auburn to East Auburn, Placer County, Calif.	3	J
Do.....	D-FHW-41946-TX: U.S. Highway 60, Farnner County and Castro County, Tex.	LO-2	G
Do.....	D-FHW-41969-MT: 8221(3) and 8221(7) Thompson Falls West, Mont.	LO-1	I
Do.....	D-FHW-41984-MO: Route 36, Mason County, Mo.	LO-2	H
Do.....	D-FHW-42033-WI: ST.H. 35, Caseburg Road, Vernon County, Wis.	LO-2	F
Do.....	D-FHW-41988-CA: FT. Weaver Road realignment and widening, Calif.	LO-1	J
Do.....	D-FHW-42023-AK: Chitina-McCarthy Highway, Alaska.	LO-1	K
Energy Policy Office.....	RD-EPO-00100-00: Establishment of priorities of use and allocations of supply for certain low sulfur petroleum products.	ER-2	A

APPENDIX II

DEFINITION OF CODES FOR THE GENERAL NATURE OF EPA COMMENTS

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF THE ACTION

LO—LACK OF OBJECTION

EPA has no objections to the proposed action as described in the draft impact statement; or suggests only minor changes in the proposed action.

ER—ENVIRONMENTAL RESERVATIONS

EPA has reservations concerning the environmental effects of certain aspects of the proposed action. EPA believes that further study of suggested alternatives or modifications is required and has asked the originating Federal agency to reassess these impacts.

EU—ENVIRONMENTALLY UNSATISFACTORY

EPA believes that the proposed action is unsatisfactory because of its potentially harmful effect on the environment. Furthermore, the Agency believes that the potential safeguards which might be utilized may not adequately protect the environment from hazards arising from this action. The Agency recommends that alternatives to the action be analyzed further (including the possibility of no action at all).

ADEQUACY OF THE IMPACT STATEMENT

CATEGORY 1—ADEQUATE

The draft impact statement adequately sets forth the environmental impact of the proposed project or action as well as alternatives reasonably available to the project or action.

CATEGORY 2—INSUFFICIENT INFORMATION

EPA believes that the draft impact statement does not contain sufficient information to assess fully the environmental impact of the proposed project or action. However, from the information submitted, the Agency is able to make a preliminary determination of the impact on the environment. EPA has requested that the originator provide the information that was not included in the draft statement.

CATEGORY 3—INADEQUATE

EPA believes that the draft impact statement does not adequately assess the environmental impact of the proposed project or action, or that the statement inadequately analyzes reasonable available alternatives. The Agency has requested more information and analysis concerning the potential environmental hazards and has asked that substantial revision be made to the impact statement.

APPENDIX III

FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS FOR WHICH COMMENTS WERE ISSUED BETWEEN OCTOBER 16, 1973 AND OCTOBER 31, 1973

Identifying number	Title	General nature of comments	Source for copies of comments
Department of Agriculture			
F-SCS-38234-KY	Narge Creek Watershed; Lake County, Fla.	EPA has no objections to the proposed project. The final statement adequately accommodated the EPA comments on the draft statement.	E
Corps of Engineers			
F-COE-32325-MS	Greenville Harbor, (navigation), Miss.	do	E
F-COE-36319-MS	Mississippi River, east bank, Vicksburg-Yazoo area, Wilkinson County, Miss.	do	E
F-COE-36320-MS	Mississippi River, east bank, Natchez area, Wilkinson County, Miss.	EPA generally agreed with the proposed project. However, EPA recommended the inclusion of data relating to the cumulative project effects on water quality.	E
F-COE-84019-NO	Duck, North Carolina Field Research Facility, Coastal Engineering Research Center, North Carolina.	EPA has no objections to the proposed project. The final statement adequately accommodated the EPA comments on the draft statement.	E
F-COE-30031-FL	Beach erosion control study on Gulf Shore of Anna Marie Key, Manatee County, Fla.	do	E

APPENDIX IV

REGULATIONS, LEGISLATION AND OTHER FEDERAL AGENCY ACTIONS FOR WHICH COMMENTS WERE ISSUED BETWEEN OCTOBER 16, 1973 AND OCTOBER 31, 1973

Identifying number	Title	General nature of comments	Source for copies of comments
Atomic Energy Commission			
R-AEC-09008-00.	10 CFR Parts 50, 115 Licensing of production and Utilization Facilities Procedures for Review of Certain Nuclear Reactors Exempted from licensing requirements.	EPA is concerned whether procedures and determinations surrounding material alterations or changes in operating practices in facilities covered by these proposed regulations include environmental considerations. In particular, the "Significant Hazards Consideration(s)" and determination concerning "Unreviewed Safety Question(s)" as specified in the proposed regulations should include explicit consideration of significant environmental factors and adherence to applicable environmental quality standards.	A
Department of Health, Education, and Welfare			
R-FDA-99024-00.	21 CFR Part 121, Prior-Sanctioned Polyvinyl Chloride resin.	EPA suggests that consideration should be given to the possibility of contamination of nonalcoholic foods by the monomer, vinyl chloride. As an alternative, controlling the amount of residual monomer in the PVC should also be considered.	A
Interstate Commerce Commission			
A-ICC-53925-00.	Illinois Central Gulf Railroad Company, Electric Commuter Train Fares, No. 35889.	EPA recommends that the proposed fare increase be approved as a short-term measure only. EPA noted that the Chicago area transportation control plan and the creation of a RTA should serve to increase overall ridership, thereby eliminating the need for increased fares.	F

APPENDIX V

SOURCE FOR COPIES OF EPA COMMENTS

- A. Director, Office of Public Affairs
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- G. Director of Public Affairs
Region VI
Environmental Protection Agency
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Dallas, Texas 75201
- H. Director of Public Affairs
Region VII
Environmental Protection Agency
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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[Report No. 876]

COMMON CARRIER SERVICES INFORMATION¹Domestic Public Radio Services Applications Accepted for Filing²

NOVEMBER 26, 1973.

Pursuant to §§ 1.227(b)(3) and 21.30 (b) of the Commission's rules, an application, in order to be considered with any domestic public radio services application appearing on the list below, must be substantially complete and tendered for filing by whichever date is earlier: (a) The close of business 1 business day preceding the day on which the Commission takes action on the previously filed application; or (b) within 60 days after the date of the public notice listing the first prior filed application (with which subsequent applications are in conflict) as having been accepted for filing. An application which is subsequently amended by a major change will be considered to be a newly filed application. It is to be noted

¹ All applications listed in the appendix are subject to further consideration and review and may be returned and/or dismissed if not found to be in accordance with the Commission's rules, regulations, and other requirements.

² The above alternative cutoff rules apply to those applications listed below as having been accepted in Domestic Public Land Mobile Radio, Rural Radio, Point-to-Point Microwave Radio, and Local Television Transmission Services (Part 21 of the Rules).

that the cutoff dates are set forth in the alternative—applications will be entitled to consideration with those listed below if filed by the end of the 60-day period, only if the Commission has not acted upon the application by that time pursuant to the first alternative earlier date. The mutual exclusivity rights of a new application are governed by the earliest action with respect to any one of the earlier filed conflicting applications.

The attention of any party in interest desiring to file pleadings pursuant to section 309 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, concerning any domestic public radio services application accepted for filing, is directed to § 21.27 of the Commission's rules for provisions governing the time for filing and other requirements relating to such pleadings.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[SEAL] VINCENT J. MULLINS,
Secretary.

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING

DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICE

- 20549-C2-AL-(2)-74—Howard R. Jones d.b. as Myrtle Beach Communications. Consent to Assignment of License from Myrtle Beach Communications, ASSIGNOR to John W. Blanton d.b. as Myrtle Beach Radio Telephone & Paging Service, ASSIGNEE. Stations: KRM944 and KIK581, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.
- 20550-C2-AL-74—Irene M. Neely and Grace C. Holmbraker d.b. as Tel-Rad Message Center. Consent to Assignment of License from Tel-Rad Message Center, ASSIGNOR to Tel-Rad Message Center, Inc., ASSIGNEE. Station: KEC520, Middletown, New York.
- 20551-C2-P-74—General Communications Service, Inc. (KOH280), C.P. for additional facilities to operate on 43.580 MHz located atop South Mountain, 7.5 miles South of Phoenix, Arizona.
- 20552-C2-P-74—Wisconsin Telephone Company (KSJ619), C.P. to change antenna system and location, replace and relocate transmitter operating on 152.75 MHz located 6.3 miles West of Graham Corners, Town of Empire, Wisconsin.
- 20553-C2-P-74—Wisconsin Telephone Company (KSC871), C.P. to change antenna system and location, replace and relocate transmitter operating on 152.54 MHz located 5 miles Northwest of Manitowoc, Wisconsin.
- 20554-C2-P-(3)-74—Professional Communications, Inc. (KGH857), C.P. for additional facilities to operate on 454.125, 454.175, and 454.225 MHz located at WSEE TV Tower, 5 miles South of Erie, Pennsylvania.
- 20555-C2-P-74—Mobilephone-Paging Radio Corporation (KRS653), C.P. for additional facilities to operate on 158.70 MHz to be located at a new site described as Loc. #3: Rt. 165, 6.3 miles West of Exeter, Rhode Island.
- 20556-C2-AL-74—Minnesota Telephone Company (KAF651). Consent to Assignment of License from Minnesota Telephone Company, ASSIGNOR to Continental Telephone Company of Minnesota, Inc., ASSIGNEE. Station: KAF651, International Falls, Minnesota.
- 20557-C2-AL-(2)-74—Gopher State Telephone Company. Consent to Assignment of License from Gopher State Telephone Company, ASSIGNOR to Continental Telephone Company of Minnesota, Inc., ASSIGNEE. Stations: KAF647, Two Harbors, Minnesota, and KAD928, Ely, Minnesota.

20558-C2-P-74—Project Mutual Telephone Cooperative Association, Inc. (KOH281), C.P. for additional facilities to operate on 152.78 MHz at Loc. #2: 15 miles NW of Rupert, Kimama Butte, Idaho.

RURAL RADIO SERVICE

- 60104-C6-AL-74—Howard R. Jones d.b. as Myrtle Beach Communications. Consent to Assignment of License from Myrtle Beach Communications, ASSIGNOR to John W. Blanton d.b. as Myrtle Beach Radio Telephone & Paging Service, ASSIGNEE. Station: KJD21, Temporary-fixed.
- 60105-C6-P-74—RCA Alaska Communications, Inc. (WOG24), C.P. to change antenna system operating on 152.51 152.60 152.75 and 152.78 MHz located 70 miles NE of King Salmon, Alaska, South shore of Lake Iliamna, Big Mountain WACS, Alaska.
- 60106-C6-P-74—Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Maryland (NEW), C.P. for a new rural subscriber station to operate on 157.89 and 157.80 MHz to be located at Maryland Route 335, South of Fishing Creek, Honga, Maryland.
- 60107-C6-P-74—Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Maryland (NEW), C.P. for a new rural subscriber station to operate on 157.89 and 157.80 MHz to be located 8 mile NW of Wingate Post Office, Wingate, Maryland.
- 60108-C6-P-74—RCA Alaska Communications, Inc. (WGP-31), C.P. to change frequency and replace transmitter to operate on 85.1 MHz and change antenna system and relocate to Cooper Landing, Alaska.
- 60109-C6-P-74—RCA Alaska Communications, Inc. (NEW), C.P. for a new central office station to operate on 77.1 MHz to be located 10.5 miles NW of Cooper Landing, Tern Lake, Alaska.
- 60110-C6-AL-(8)-74—Gopher State Telephone Company. Consent to Assignment of License from Gopher State Telephone Company, ASSIGNOR to Continental Telephone Company of Minnesota, Inc., ASSIGNEE. Stations: KAM26, Ely, Minnesota, KAN20, Ely, Minnesota, KBC89, Burntside Lake, Minnesota, KBH69, Ely, Minnesota, KBH70, SE of Ely, Minnesota, KBI95, NE of Ely, Minnesota, KBI96, NW of Ely, Minnesota, and KTF63, Ely, Minnesota.

POINT-TO-POINT MICROWAVE RADIO SERVICE

- 1725-C1-P-74—Standard Telephone Company (New), Highway 17-75-76, Hiawasee, Georgia. Lat. 34°57'05" N, Long. 83°45'30" W. C.P. for a new station on freq. 10775V MHz toward Brasstown Bald, Ga., on azimuth 209°24'.
- 1726-C1-P-74—Same (New), Brasstown Bald, 6.1 Miles SW of Hiawasee, Georgia. Lat. 34°52'27" N, Long. 83°48'40" W. C.P. for a new station on freq. 11305V MHz toward Hiawasee, Ga., on azimuth 29°22'; freq. 11505V MHz toward Cleveland, Ga., on azimuth 172°24'.
- 1727-C1-P-74—Same (New), Highway 115, Cleveland, Georgia. Lat. 34°35'49" N, Long. 83°45'59" W. C.P. for a new station on freq. 10975V MHz toward Hiawasee, Ga., on azimuth 352°25'.
- 1749-C1-P-74—Puerto Rico Communications Authority (New), Puerto Rico State Road #710, Guayama, Puerto Rico. Lat. 17°57'06" N, Long. 66°08'37" W. C.P. for a new station on freq. 2178.0H MHz toward Cerro Punta, P.R., on azimuth 301°38'.
- 1750-C1-P-74—Same (WWR70), Puerto Rico State Rd. #143, Cerro Punta Jayuya, Puerto Rico. Lat. 18°10'27" N, Long. 66°35'28" W. C.P. for a new station on freq. 2128.0H MHz toward Guayama, P.R., on azimuth 113°18'.
- 1751-C1-P-74—American Telephone and Telegraph Company (KOV44), 6.5 Miles SE,

- of Billings, Montana. Lat. 45°43'44" N, Long. 108°23'43" W. C.P. to add freq. 3870V MHz toward Ft. Custer, Mont., on azimuth 120°30'.
- 1752-C1-P-74—Same (KOV22), Ft. Custer, 20.0 Miles SW of Hardin, Montana. Lat. 45°30'55" N, Long. 107°52'57" W. C.P. to add freq. 3910V MHz toward Billings Jet., Mont., on azimuth 300°53'; freq. 3910H MHz toward Wyola, Mont., on azimuth 145°35'; change in geographical coordinates.
- 1753-C1-P-74—Same (KOV21), 6.0 Miles WNW of Wyola, Montana. Lat. 45°09'00" N, Long. 107°31'46" W. C.P. to change geographical coordinates & add freq. 3870H MHz toward Ft. Custer, Mont., on azimuth 325°50'; add freq. 3870H MHz toward Sheridan, Wyo., on azimuth 141°16'.
- 1754-C1-P-74—Same (KOV20), 13.0 Miles South of Sheridan, Wyoming. Lat. 44°36'29" N, Long. 106°55'23" W. C.P. to add freq. 3910H MHz toward Wyola, Wyo., on azimuth 321°42'; freq. 3910H MHz toward Ft. McKinney, Wyo., on azimuth 156°38'.
- 1755-C1-P-74—Same (KOU99), 8.0 Miles South of Buffalo, Wyoming. Lat. 44°14'06" N, Long. 106°41'57" W. C.P. to add freq. 3870H MHz toward Sheridan, Wyo., on azimuth 336°48'; freq. 3870H MHz towards Mayoworth, Wyo., on azimuth 177°39'.
- 1756-C1-P-74—Same (KOU98), 7.5 Miles NE of Mayoworth, Wyoming. Lat. 43°53'42" N, Long. 106°40'48" W. C.P. to add freq. 3910H MHz toward Ft. McKinney, Wyo., on azimuth 357°40'; freq. 3910H MHz toward Midwest, Wyo., on azimuth 136°05'.
- 1757-C1-P-74—American Telephone and Graph Company (KOU97), 9.0 Miles NE of Midwest, Wyoming. Lat. 43°29'42" N, Long. 106°09'07" W. C.P. to add freq. 3870H MHz toward Mayoworth, Wyo., on azimuth 316°27'; freq. 3870H MHz toward Teapot, Wyo., on azimuth 196°59'.
- 1758-C1-P-74—Same (KOU96), Teapot, 18.0 Miles North of Casper, Wyoming. Lat. 43°07'10" N, Long. 106°18'30" W. C.P. to add freq. 3910H MHz toward Midwest, Wyo., on azimuth 16°53'; freq. 3910H MHz toward Casper Jet., Wyo., on azimuth 182°09'.
- 1759-C1-P-74—Same (KOU94), Casper Jet., 2.8 Miles SSW of Casper, Wyoming. Lat. 42°46'17" N, Long. 106°19'34" W. C.P. to add freq. 3870H MHz toward Teapot, Wyo., on azimuth 02°09'; freq. 4110V MHz toward Orpha, Wyo., on azimuth 86°35'.
- 1760-C1-P-74—Same (KOU93), 8.0 Miles SW of Orpha, Wyoming. Lat. 42°48'01" N, Long. 105°37'16" W. C.P. to add freq. 4150V MHz toward Casper Jet., Wyo., on azimuth 267°03'; freq. 4150V MHz toward Douglas, Wyo., on azimuth 108°16'.
- 1761-C1-P-74—Same (KOU92), 4.3 Miles SE of Douglas, Wyoming. Lat. 42°43'23" N, Long. 105°18'20" W. C.P. to add freq. 4110V MHz toward Orpha, Wyo., on azimuth 288°29'; freq. 4110V MHz toward Wendover, Wyo., on azimuth 151°55'.
- 1762-C1-P-74—Same (KOU91), 8.0 Miles WNW of Wendover, Wyoming. Lat. 42°20'46" N, Long. 105°02'05" W. C.P. to add freq. 4150V MHz toward Douglas, Wyo., on azimuth 332°06'; freq. 4150V MHz toward Chugwater, Wyo., on azimuth 164°11'.
- 1763-C1-P-74—Same (KOU90), 0.5 Mile North of Chugwater, Wyoming. Lat. 41°46'02" N, Long. 104°48'57" W. C.P. to add freq. 4110V MHz toward Wendover, Wyo., on azimuth 344°20'; freq. 4110V MHz toward Horse Creek, Wyo., on azimuth 186°20'.
- 1764-C1-P-74—Same (KOU89), 16.0 Miles North of Cheyenne, Wyoming. Lat. 41°22'57" N, Long. 104°52'21" W. C.P. to add freq. 4150V MHz toward Chugwater, Wyo., on azimuth 06°18'; freq. 4150V MHz toward Cheyenne Jet., Wyo., on azimuth 182°27'.

1765-C1-P-74—Same (KOU87), Cheyenne Jet., 7.0 Miles SW. of Cheyenne, Wyoming. Lat. 41°02'54" N., Long. 104°53'29" W. C.P. to add freq. 4110V MHz toward Horse Creek, Wyo., on azimuth 02°26'; freq. 4050H MHz toward Cheyenne, Wyo., on azimuth 32°41'.

1766-C1-P-74—Same (KOU88), 1919 Capitol Avenue, Cheyenne, Wyoming. Lat. 41°08'11" N., Long. 104°49'00" W. C.P. to add freq. 4090H MHz toward Cheyenne Jet., Wyo., on azimuth 212°43'.

1767-C1-AP-(6)-74—Gopher State Telephone Company. Consent to Assignment of Permit from Gopher State Telephone Company, ASSIGNOR to Continental Telephone Company of Minnesota, Inc., ASSIGNEE for stations: KBC53—Aurora, Minn.; KBC54—Mesabe, Minn.; KBK91—Ely, Minn.; KBK92—Embarrass, Minn.; KBK 93—Wales, Minn. & KBK94—Two Harbors, Minn.

1768-C1-AP-(3)-74—Minnesota Telephone Company. Consent to Assignment of Permit from Minnesota Telephone Company, ASSIGNOR to Continental Telephone Company of Minnesota, Inc., ASSIGNEE for stations: WAX91—Big Falls, Minn.; WAX 92—International Falls, Minn. & WAX93—Little Fork, Minn.

Major amendments

6295-C1-P-73—Public Service Telephone Company (KVU90). Change frequency to 2168.4H MHz toward Culloden, Ga., on azimuth 324°16'. (All other particulars same as reported on Public Notice #638, dated 3-5-73.)

6296-C1-P-73—Same (New). Change frequency to 2118.4H MHz toward Knoxville, Ga., on azimuth 144°12'. (All other particulars same as reported on Public Notice #638, dated 3-5-73.)

Corrections

1123-C1-P-73—American Television & Communications (New), 1.0 Mile West of Del Ray Beach, Florida. This entry, appearing on Public Notice of October 23, 1973, is corrected to show site longitude 80°06'21" West, instead of site longitude 80°16'21" West. (All other particulars same as reported.)

Corrections

Multipoint distribution service:

50015-C5-MP-74—Microband Corporation of America (WLJ79). CORRECT File No. to read: 50015-C5-MP-74. (All other particulars same as reported on Public Notice #675, dated 11-19-73.)

SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE

International

45-CSG-R-74—Kentron Hawaii, Ltd. (DEVELOPMENTAL) Fairbanks, Alaska, RE-NEWAL of authority expiring December 31, 1973. TERM requested 12-31-73, to 12-31-74.

Domestic

4-DSE-P-74—American Satellite Corporation (NEW), C.P. for T.T. & C. earth station at Germantown, Maryland, at 39°11'00" North

Latitude; 77°15'49" West Longitude. Station will use one 33 foot diameter antenna. The earth station will transmit with a frequency of 6420.0 MHz and will receive in the band 3700-4200 MHz. Maximum EIRP will be 87.5 dBW/4kHz in the main beam with a maximum of 15 dBW/4kHz in the horizontal plane.

APPLICATIONS FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 214 OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED

Telephone Wire Facilities

P-C-8783 The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Virginia INFORMAL (SECTION 63.03) For authority to construct and operate 42.4 KHz channels between various locations in Virginia.

P-C-8784 New England Telephone and Telegraph Company INFORMAL (SECTION

63.03) For authority to supplement existing facilities at various locations in the States of Vermont, Massachusetts, and New Hampshire.

P-C-8783 RCA Global Communications, Inc. FORMAL (SECTION 63.01) For authority to acquire and operate terrestrial channels of communication from American Telephone and Telegraph Company connecting domestic satellite earth stations at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, and Bonsall, California, with points of termination at New York, New York, and Los Angeles, California.

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BAHAMAS

Notification List No. 3/73

Call letters	Location	Power (kW)	Frequency (kHz)	Antenna	Schedule	Class
(New)---	Freeport, Grand Bahama Island, N. 26°33'00", W. 78°45'00".	10	810	DA-1	U	II
(New)---	George Town, Great Exuma Island, N. 23°32'00", W. 75°50'00".	10D/5N	970	DA-2	U	II
(New)---	Marsh Harbour, Great Abaco Island, N. 26°33'00", W. 77°05'00".	1	1070	DA-1	U	II

FCC Note.—By letter dated November 15, 1973, the Federal Communications Commission received notification from the Bahamian Government of basic and supplementary information for these new assignments.

[SEAL]

WALLACE E. JOHNSON,
Chief, Broadcast Bureau,
Federal Communications Commission.

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FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. RI74-68, etc.]

EXXON CORP. ET AL.

Order Providing for Hearing on and Suspension of Proposed Changes in Rates, and Allowing Rate Changes To Become Effective Subject to Refund¹

NOVEMBER 23, 1973.

Respondents have filed proposed changes in rates and charges for jurisdictional sales of natural gas, as set forth in Appendix A below.

The proposed changed rates and charges may be unjust, unreasonable, unduly discriminatory, or preferential, or otherwise unlawful.

The Commission finds: It is in the public interest and consistent with the Natural Gas Act that the Commission enter upon hearings regarding the lawfulness of the proposed changes, and that the supplements herein be suspended and their use be deferred as ordered below.

The Commission orders: (A) Under the Natural Gas Act, particularly sec-

¹ Does not consolidate for hearing or dispose of the several matters herein.

tions 4 and 15, the regulations pertaining thereto [18 CFR, Chapter I], and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, public hearings shall be held concerning the lawfulness of the proposed changes.

(B) Pending hearings and decisions thereon, the rate supplements herein are suspended and their use deferred until date shown in the "Date Suspended Until" column. Each of the supplements shall become effective, subject to refund, as of the expiration of the suspension period without any further action by the Respondent or by the Commission. Each Respondent shall comply with the refunding procedure required by the Natural Gas Act and §154.102 of the regulations thereunder.

(C) Unless otherwise ordered by the Commission, neither the suspended supplements, nor the rate schedules sought to be altered, shall be changed until disposition of these proceedings or expiration of the suspension period, whichever is earlier.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

KENNETH F. PLUMB,
Secretary.

APPENDIX A

Docket No.	Respondent	Rate schedule No.	Supplement No.	Purchaser and producing area	Amount of annual increase	Date filing tendered	Effective date unless suspended	Date suspended until—	Cents per Mcf ^a Rate in effect Proposed increased rate	Rate in effect subject to refund in docket Nos.
R174-68	Exxon Corp.	134	11	El Paso Natural Gas Co. (Vinegarone Field, Val Verde County) (Permian Basin).		10-29-73	11-29-73	¹⁰ Accepted		
	do		12	do	\$17,734	10-29-73	11-29-73	¹⁰ Accepted	15.5581	23.0
	do		13	do	4,989	10-29-73	11-29-73	¹⁰ Accepted	23.0	25.0983
	do	138	9	El Paso Natural Gas Co. (Buckhorn Field, Schleicher County, Tex.) (Permian Basin).		10-29-73	11-29-73	¹⁰ Accepted		
	do		10	do	19,420	10-29-73	11-29-73	¹⁰ Accepted	16.06	23.92
	do		11	do	221	10-29-73	11-29-73	¹⁰ Accepted	23.92	24.0097
R174-69	Atlantic Richfield Co.	492	24	El Paso Natural Gas Co. (Jalmat et al. Fields, Lea County, N. Mex.) (Permian Basin).	81,293	10-29-73		(7)	17.9023	35.0
	do		25	do		11-5-73	12-6-73	¹¹ Accepted		
	do		26	do	218,423	11-5-73		(7)	17.9023	35.0
R174-70	Phillips Petroleum Co.	509	5	El Paso Natural Gas Co. (South Carlsbad Field, Eddy County, N. Mex.) (Permian Basin).	66,430	10-24-73		6-1-74	35.0	37.0
	do	513	3	El Paso Natural Gas Co. (Northwest James Ranch Prospect, Eddy County, N. Mex.) (Permian Basin).	25,003	10-24-73		6-1-74	35.0	37.74

^a Unless otherwise stated, the pressure base is 14.65 p.s.i.a.

¹ Contract amendment dated Oct. 8, 1973.

² Amended by filing of Nov. 5, 1973.

³ Includes Btu adjustment.

⁴ Applicable only to sales made pursuant to Supplement No. 23 (agreement dated July 11, 1973) which new wells are to be drilled.

⁵ Contract agreement dated Oct. 12, 1973.

⁶ Applicable only to sales made pursuant to Supplement No. 25 (agreement dated Oct. 12, 1973).

⁷ Accepted as of Nov. 26, 1973, insofar as the proposed rate does not exceed the applicable area ceiling rate (23 cents) as adjusted for quality pursuant to Opinion No. 662.

662, and suspended until Apr. 26, 1974, insofar as the proposed rate exceeds the applicable area ceiling rate (23 cents) as adjusted for quality pursuant to Opinion No. 662.

⁸ Accepted as of Dec. 6, 1973, insofar as proposed rate does not exceed the applicable area ceiling rate (23 cents) as adjusted for quality pursuant to Opinion No. 662 and suspended until May 6, 1974, insofar as proposed rate exceeds the applicable area ceiling rate (23 cents) as adjusted for quality pursuant to Opinion No. 662.

⁹ Amended by filing dated Nov. 13, 1973.

¹⁰ Accepted to be effective Nov. 29, 1973, thirty days after filing.

¹¹ Accepted to be effective Dec. 6, 1973, thirty days after filing.

The proposed increases of Atlantic Richfield Company are accepted insofar as they do not exceed the applicable area rate pursuant to Opinion No. 662 and suspended for five months insofar as they exceed the applicable area rate pursuant to Opinion No. 662.

Exxon under Supp. Nos. 13 and 11 to its FPC Gas Rate Schedule Nos. 134 and 138, respectively, and Phillips Petroleum Company have filed for proposed rates which exceed the applicable area ceiling rate set forth in Opinion No. 662 and they are suspended for five months. Exxon has also filed for two increases which do not exceed the ceiling in Opinion No. 662 and they are accepted.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

ALLIED BANCSHARES, INC.

Acquisition of Bank

Allied Bancshares, Inc., Houston, Texas, has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a) (3) of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(a) (3)) to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Clear Creek Bank, Seabrook, Texas. The factors that are considered in acting on the application are set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)).

The application may be inspected at the office of the Board of Governors or at the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas. Any person wishing to comment on the application should submit his views in writing to the Reserve Bank, to be received not later than December 19, 1973.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, November 26, 1973.

[SEAL] THEODORE E. ALLISON,
Assistant Secretary of the Board.

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CENTRAL BANCSHARES OF THE SOUTH, INC.

Order Approving Acquisition of Bank

Central Bancshares of the South, Inc., Birmingham, Alabama, a bank holding company within the meaning of the Bank Holding Company Act, has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a) (3) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(a) (3)) to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares (less directors' qualifying shares) of the successor by merger to The First State Bank of Oxford, Oxford, Alabama (Bank). The bank into which Bank is to be merged has no significance except as a means to facilitate the acquisition of the voting shares of Bank. Accordingly, the proposed acquisition of the successor organization is treated herein as the proposed acquisition of the shares of Bank.

Notice of the application, affording opportunity for interested parties to submit comments and views, has been given in accordance with section 3(b) of the Act. The time for filing comments and views has expired, and none has been received. The application has been considered in light of factors set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)).

Applicant presently controls four subsidiary banks with total deposits of \$630.2 million. (Banking data are as of December 31, 1972.) Acquisition of Bank will increase Applicant's share of State deposits from 9.84 percent to 10.05 percent, an insignificant increase, and will not change Applicant's ranking among Alabama banking organizations. Accordingly, acquisition of Bank will not significantly affect statewide concentration.

Applicant's nearest subsidiary, in Gadsden, Alabama, is located approximately 30 miles north of Oxford. Neither Bank nor the Gadsden bank derives any loans or deposits from the service area of the other and no competition exists between them. Furthermore, it does not appear that significant future competition between them would develop in view of the distance between them and the large number of banks presently serving the market area. The proposed acquisition has no anti-competitive effects and, accordingly, competitive considerations are consistent with approval of the application.

The financial condition and managerial resources of Applicant and its subsidiary banks are considered to be satisfactory and prospects for each appear favorable. Banking factors are consistent with approval of the application. Applicant has proposed no changes in the services offered by Bank. However, Applicant does propose to research the market and then respond to the convenience and needs of the community of Bank. Probable new services include extended banking hours, trust services, overdraft loan services, and industrial development support from the Industrial Development Department of Applicant's lead bank. In addition, the acquisition will increase the maximum loan limits of Oxford Bank, add flexibility for providing services, add depth to management and strengthen Oxford Bank's capital structure. Considerations relating to convenience and needs of the community to be served lend support to approval of the application. It is the Board's judgment that consummation of the proposed transaction would be in

the public interest and that the application should be approved.

On the basis of the record in this case, the application is approved for the reasons summarized above. However, the transaction shall not be made (a) before the thirtieth calendar day following the effective date of this Order or (b) later than three months after the date of this Order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors,¹ effective November 26, 1973.

[SEAL] CHESTER B. FELDBERG,
Secretary of the Board.

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EXCHANGE BANCORPORATION, INC.

Acquisition of Bank

Exchange Bancorporation, Inc., Tampa, Florida, has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(3) of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(a)(3)) to acquire 99 percent of the voting shares of The Exchange National Bank of Largo, Largo, Florida. The factors that are considered in acting on the application are set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)).

The application may be inspected at the office of the Board of Governors or at the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta. Any persons wishing to comment on the application should submit his views in writing to the Reserve Bank, to be received not later than December 18, 1973.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, November 26, 1973.

[SEAL] THEODORE E. ALLISON,
Assistant Secretary of the Board.

[FR Doc.73-25597 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

FIRST SECURITY NATIONAL CORP.

Order Approving Acquisition of Bank

First Security National Corporation, Beaumont, Texas, a bank holding company within the meaning of the Bank Holding Company Act, has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(3) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(a)(3)) to acquire all of the voting shares (less directors' qualifying shares) of the successor by merger to First National Bank in Grand Prairie, Grand Prairie, Texas (Bank). The bank into which Bank is to be merged has no significance except as a means to facilitate the acquisition of the voting shares of Bank. Accordingly, the proposed acquisition of the successor organization is treated herein as the proposed acquisition of the shares of Bank.

Notice of the application, affording opportunity for interested persons to submit comments and views, has been given

in accordance with section 3(b) of the Act. The time for filing comments and views has expired, and none have been timely received.

Applicant controls eight banks with deposits of \$230.4 million, representing 0.66 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the State of Texas, and Applicant is the nineteenth largest banking organization in the state.¹ Approval of the proposed acquisition would not produce a significant increase in the concentration of banking resources in Texas.

Bank is situated in Grand Prairie, Texas, a suburban community bordering Dallas, and is located within the Dallas RMA. Bank has deposits of \$20.5 million, a 0.27 percent share of market deposits, and ranks 30th of 99 banking organizations in the Dallas market. Applicant currently has two bank subsidiaries located in the Dallas market: Colonial National Bank in Garland, Garland, Texas, and Bank of Lancaster, Lancaster, Texas, with total deposits of \$18.2 million or 0.24 percent of the market. Approval of this application would cause Applicant to control 0.52 percent of deposits in the Dallas RMA and 0.72 percent of statewide deposits. Applicant has also filed an application to acquire Texas National Bank of Dallas, Dallas, Texas; approval of that application and the subject application would cause Applicant to control \$258.5 million in statewide deposits, or 0.74 percent of such deposits.

Approval of this application would have no significantly adverse effect on competition. The distances separating Applicant's subsidiaries within and without the Dallas market, the numbers of banks in intervening areas, the large number of bank alternatives within the Dallas market, and Texas' prohibition of branch banking effectively eliminate the possibility of significant present competition between any of the involved banks and make it unlikely that such conditions will develop in the future. Bank and Texas National Bank of Dallas are located some 13 miles apart and have separate and distinct service areas. These conditions, coupled with the fact that both Bank and Texas National Bank of Dallas are retail banks, negate the existence of significant competition between the two and would prevent any appreciable effect on future competition between the two. The proposed transaction will cause no significant increase in Applicant's relatively small share of market deposits but could increase Applicant's ability to compete with the larger holding companies both in the highly concentrated Dallas market and at the statewide level.

The financial and managerial resources and future prospects of Applicant, its subsidiary banks, and Bank are regarded as satisfactory and consistent with approval.

¹ All deposit figures are as of December 31, 1972, and bank holding company statistics reflect acquisitions and formations approved by the Board of Governors to the date of July 15, 1973.

Considerations related to the convenience and needs of the community to be served lend weight to approval of the application. Applicant's expertise in mortgage and construction lending will assist Bank in developing Bank's presently limited capability in this activity and thus in better serving area customers during a period of tremendous growth anticipated for the area. It is the judgment of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas that the balance of statutory factors favors approval and that the transaction is in the public interest.

On the basis of the record as summarized above, the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas approves the application, provided that the transaction shall not be consummated (a) before the thirtieth calendar day following the date of this Order or (b) later than three months after the date of this Order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas pursuant to delegated authority. Further, the transaction shall not be consummated until there has been compliance with section 3(e) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(e)) which requires that every bank that is a holding company and every bank that is a subsidiary of such a company shall become and remain an insured bank as such term is defined in section 3(h) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813(h)).

By order of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, acting pursuant to delegated authority for the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, effective November 23, 1973.

[SEAL] ROBERT SMITH III,
Assistant Secretary.

[FR Doc.73-25593 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

FIRST SECURITY NATIONAL CORP.

Order Approving Acquisition of Bank

First Security National Corporation, Beaumont, Texas, a bank holding company within the meaning of the Bank Holding Company Act, has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(3) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(a)(3)) to acquire all of the voting shares (less directors' qualifying shares) of the successor by merger to Texas National Bank in Dallas, Dallas, Texas (Bank). The bank into which Bank is to be merged has no significance except as a means to facilitate the acquisition of the voting shares of Bank. Accordingly, the proposed acquisition of the successor organization is treated herein as the proposed acquisition of the shares of Bank.

Notice of the application, affording opportunity for interested persons to submit comments and views, has been given in accordance with section 3(b) of the Act. The time for filing comments and views has expired, and none have been timely received.

Applicant controls eight banks with deposits of \$230.4 million, representing 0.66 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the State of Texas, and Applicant is the nineteenth largest bank-

¹ Voting for this action: Governors Daane, Sheehan, Bucher, and Holland. Absent and not voting: Chairman Burns and Governors Mitchell and Brimmer.

ing organization in the State.¹ Approval of the proposed acquisition would not produce a significant increase in the concentration of banking resources in the State.

Bank is situated in Dallas, Texas, within the market area approximated by the Dallas RMA. Bank has deposits of \$7.6 million, representing a 0.1 percent share of market deposits, and ranks 70th of 99 banking organizations in the Dallas market. Applicant currently has two banking subsidiaries located within the Dallas market: Colonial National Bank in Garland, Texas, and Bank of Lancaster, Texas, together holding deposits of \$18.2 million or 0.24 percent of the market. Approval of this application will cause Applicant to control 0.34 percent of the deposits in the Dallas RMA and 0.68 percent of statewide deposits. Applicant has also filed an application to acquire First National Bank in Grand Prairie, Grand Prairie, Texas; approval of that application and the subject application will cause Applicant to control \$258.5 million in statewide deposits, or 0.74 percent of all statewide deposits.

Approval of this application would have no significantly adverse effect on competition. The distances separating Bank from Applicant's other banking subsidiaries, the large numbers of banks in intervening areas, and Texas' prohibition of branch banking effectively eliminate the possibility of significant present competition between Bank and any of Applicant's subsidiaries and make future development of such conditions very unlikely. Bank and First National Bank of Grand Prairie are located some 13 miles apart and have separate and distinct service areas. These conditions, coupled with the fact that both Bank and First National Bank of Grand Prairie are retail banks, negate the existence of significant competition between the two and would prevent any appreciable effect on future competition between the two. Approval will cause no significant increase in Applicant's small share of market deposits, and Bank's small size effectively negates its potential as a lead bank of a holding company. A large number of banking alternatives remain in the market. The proposed transaction could also increase Applicant's ability to compete with the larger holding companies both in the highly concentrated Dallas market and at the statewide level.

The financial and managerial resources and future prospects of Applicant, its subsidiary banks, and Bank are regarded as satisfactory and consistent with approval. Considerations related to the convenience and needs of the community to be served lend weight to approval of the application. Applicant will make available to Bank its expertise in mortgage and construction lending and enable Bank to better serve area customers with regard to this activity. Ap-

plicant will also increase banking hours. It is the judgment of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas that the balance of the statutory factors favor approval and that the transaction is in the public interest.

On the basis of the record as summarized above, the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas approves the application, provided that the transaction shall not be consummated (a) before the thirtieth calendar day following the date of this Order or (b) later than three months after the date of this Order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas pursuant to delegated authority. Further, the transaction shall not be consummated until there has been compliance with section 3(e) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(e)) which requires that every bank that is a holding company and every bank that is a subsidiary of such a company shall become and remain an insured bank as such term is defined in Section 3(h) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813(h)).

By order of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, acting pursuant to delegated authority for the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, effective November 23, 1973.

[SEAL]

ROBERT SMITH III,
Assistant Secretary.

[FR Doc.73-25594 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

ILLINOIS NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT CORP.

Order Approving Formation of a Bank Holding Company

Illinois Neighborhood Development Corporation, Chicago, Illinois, has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a) (1) of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(a) (1)) of formation of a bank holding company through acquisition of 80 percent or more of the voting shares of The South Shore National Bank of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois (Bank).

Notice of the receipt of the application, affording opportunity for interested persons to submit comments and views, has been given in accordance with section 3(b) of the Act. The time for filing comments and views has expired and none has been timely received. The Board has considered the application in light of the factors set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)).

Applicant is a non-operating corporation formed for the purpose of acquiring Bank, which has aggregate deposits of approximately \$47.8 million. (All banking data are as of December 31, 1972.) Since Applicant has no present operations or subsidiaries, consummation of the proposal would not adversely affect existing or potential competition or have an adverse effect on any bank in the area.

Applicant's financial resources and future prospects are dependent upon those of Bank. Applicant's projected earnings appear to be sufficient to service the debt which it will incur upon consummation of the proposed transaction without ad-

versely affecting Bank's capital structure. These considerations are consistent with approval of the application.

Bank is the only bank in the South Shore community of Chicago, and is located approximately eight miles south of Chicago's Loop. The community has recently undergone significant economic transition resulting in a decrease in the median income in South Shore relative to the City-wide median. As a result, Bank's deposits have declined approximately 31 percent since 1968. This decline has inhibited Bank's ability to grant credit in the local community; and the dollar amount of Bank's loans to local borrowers has, accordingly, declined. Partly for these reasons, Bank, in May 1972, sought regulatory approval to relocate its only office to a site within Chicago's Loop. After two public hearings and significant opposition by South Shore citizens, the Comptroller of the Currency disapproved relocation because, inter alia, "South Shore National Bank has failed to show persuasive reason at this time for abandoning its present service area and leaving the South Shore community without a strong, established and adequately capitalized commercial bank."

Bank, under new management, has now committed itself to community renewal and intends to reverse the outflow of deposits by involving itself in community affairs. Bank's present management has had previous experience in the area of community renewal and appears competent to undertake such a project. In view of the flexibility afforded by the holding company structure and Applicant's commitment to operate Bank in a manner that is both prudent and responsive to the needs of the South Shore community, Applicant and Bank should be able to expand and improve their services in the future. Accordingly, considerations relating to the financial and managerial resources and future prospects of Bank weigh toward approval of the application. Considerations relating to the convenience and needs of the communities to be served also weigh in favor of approval of the application. It is the Board's judgment that the transaction would be in the public interest and that the application should be approved.

On the basis of the record, the application is approved for the reasons summarized above. The transaction shall not be made (a) before the thirtieth calendar day following the effective date of this Order or (b) later than three months after the effective date of this Order unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors,¹ effective November 26, 1973.

[SEAL]

CHESTER B. FELDBERG,
Secretary of the Board.

[FR Doc.73-25595 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

¹ All deposit figures are as of December 31, 1972, and bank holding company statistics reflect acquisitions and formations approved by the Board of Governors to the date of July 15, 1973.

¹ Voting for this action: Governors Daane, Sheehan, Bucher, and Holland. Absent and not voting: Chairman Burns and Governors Mitchell and Brimmer.

ORBANCO, INC.
Acquisition of Bank

Orbanco, Inc., Portland, Oregon, has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(3) of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(a)(3)) to acquire 53.5 percent or more of the voting shares of Security Bank of Oregon, Portland, Oregon. The factors that are considered in acting on the application are set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)).

The application may be inspected at the office of the Board of Governors or at the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco. Any person wishing to comment on the application should submit his views in writing to the Secretary, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551, to be received not later than December 23, 1973.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, November 26, 1973.

[SEAL] THEODORE E. ALLISON,
Assistant Secretary of the Board.
[FR Doc. 73-25598 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

INTERIM BANK OF OXFORD

Order Approving Application for Merger of Banks

The Interim Bank of Oxford, Oxford, Alabama, a proposed state member bank of the Federal Reserve System, has applied for the Board's approval, pursuant to the Bank Merger Act (12 U.S.C. 1828 (c)), to acquire the assets and assume the liabilities of the First State Bank of Oxford, Oxford, Alabama (deposits of \$15.5 million as of June 30, 1973) under the charter of Interim Bank and the name of Oxford Bank.

As required by the Act, notice of the proposed merger, in form approved by the Board, has been published, and the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta has requested reports on competitive factors from the Attorney General, the Comptroller of the Currency, and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. The Board has considered the application in light of the factors set forth in the Act.

On the basis of the record, the application is approved for the reasons summarized in the Board's order of this date relating to the application of Central Bancshares of the South, Inc., to acquire the successor by merger to The First State Bank of Oxford, Oxford, Alabama, provided that said merger shall not be made (a) before the thirtieth calendar day following the date of this order or (b) later than three months after the date of this order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors, effective November 26, 1973.

[SEAL] CHESTER B. FELDBERG,
Secretary of the Board.
[FR Doc. 73-25615 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

**GENERAL SERVICES
ADMINISTRATION**

[Federal Property Management Regs.;
Temporary Reg. G-13]

REDUCTION IN FUEL CONSUMED BY SEDANS, STATION WAGONS, AND TRUCKS IN THE INTERAGENCY MOTOR POOL SYSTEM

Policies and Procedures

Correction

In FR Doc. 73-25513, appearing at page 32976 in the issue of Thursday, November 29, 1973, the phone number in paragraph 9 in the 2d column of page 32977 should read as follows:

"(703) 557-3075."

[Federal Property Management Regs.;
Temporary Reg. F-199]

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

Delegation of Authority

1. *Purpose.* This regulation delegates authority to the Secretary of Defense to represent the consumer interests of the executive agencies of the Federal Government in a natural gas rate proceeding.

2. *Effective date.* This regulation is effective immediately.

3. *Delegation.*

a. Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949, 63 Stat. 377, as amended, particularly sections 201(a)(4) and 205(d) (40 U.S.C. 481(a)(4) and 486(d)), authority is delegated to the Secretary of Defense to represent the interests of the executive agencies of the Federal Government before the Federal Power Commission in a proceeding (FPC Docket RP74-25) involving the application of the Texas Gas Transmission Corporation for an increase in natural gas rates.

b. The Secretary of Defense may redelegate this authority to any officer, official, or employee of the Department of Defense.

c. This authority shall be exercised in accordance with the policies, procedures, and controls prescribed by the General Services Administration, and, further, shall be exercised in cooperation with the responsible officers, officials, and employees thereof.

Dated: November 28, 1973.

ARTHUR F. SAMPSON,
Administrator of
General Services.

[FR Doc. 73-25617 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

Voting for this action: Governors Daane, Sheehan, Bucher, and Holland. Absent and not voting: Chairman Burns and Governors Mitchell and Brimmer.

[Federal Property Management Regs.;
Temporary Reg. F-200]

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

Delegation of Authority

1. *Purpose.* This regulation delegates authority to the Secretary of Defense to represent the consumer interests of the executive agencies of the Federal Government in an electric rate proceeding.

2. *Effective date.* This regulation is effective immediately.

3. *Delegation.*

a. Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949, 63 Stat. 377, as amended, particularly sections 201(a)(4) and 205(d) (40 U.S.C. 481(a)(4) and 486(d)), authority is delegated to the Secretary of Defense to represent the consumer interests of the executive agencies of the Federal Government before the North Carolina Utilities Commission in a proceeding (Docket No. E-2, Sub 229) involving the application of the Carolina Power and Light Company for electric rate increases.

b. The Secretary of Defense may redelegate this authority to any officer, official, or employee of the Department of Defense.

c. This authority shall be exercised in accordance with the policies, procedures, and controls prescribed by the General Services Administration, and, further, shall be exercised in cooperation with the responsible officers, officials, and employees thereof.

Dated: November 28, 1973.

ARTHUR F. SAMPSON,
Administrator of
General Services.

[FR Doc. 73-25618 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

**SPECIAL STUDY COMMITTEE ON THE
SELECTION OF ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS**

Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to Pub. L. 92-463, notice is hereby given of the meeting of the Special Study Committee on the Selection of Architects and Engineers, December 10, 1973, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 2010, New Executive Office Building, 17th & H Streets NW., Washington, D.C.

The purpose of the meeting is to take the initial steps in a study of systems for the selecting of architectural and engineering firms in order to recommend to the Administrator of General Services a process to be used by the General Services Administration for the selection of architects and engineers to receive GSA architectural and engineering contracts.

The meeting will be open to the public. Interested persons wishing to attend the meeting should telephone 202-343-7221 by close of business Friday, December 7, 1973.

Dated: December 3, 1973.

ALLAN G. KAUPINEN,
Assistant Administrator.

[FR Doc. 73-25831 Filed 12-3-73; 10:32 am]

NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

MUSIC ADVISORY PANEL

Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Music Advisory Panel to the National Council on the Arts will be held at 9:30 a.m. on December 11, 1973, 9:30 a.m. December 12, 1973, and 9:30 a.m. on December 13, 1973 in the 8th floor Conference Room in the McPherson Building, 1425 K Street NW., Washington, D.C.

A portion of this meeting will be open to the public on December 11 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on a space available basis. Accommodations are limited. The remaining sessions of this meeting on December 11, 12, and 13 are for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman published in the FEDERAL REGISTER of January 10, 1973, these sessions, which involve matters exempt from the requirements of public disclosure under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552(b) (4), (5), and (6)), will not be open to the public.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Mrs. Luna Diamond, Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, D.C. 20506, or call 202-382-5871.

JOYCE FREELAND,

Acting Director of Administration, National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities.

[FR Doc. 73-25586 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

FEDERAL GRAPHICS ADVISORY PANEL

Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Music Advisory Panel to the National Council on the Arts will be held at 9:00 a.m. on December 7, 1973, in Room 1100, Shoreham Building, 806 15th Street, Washington, D.C., NW.

A portion of this meeting will be open to the public on December 7 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on a space available basis. Accommodations are limited. The remaining session of this meeting on December 7 is for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the

Chairman published in the FEDERAL REGISTER of January 10, 1973, these sessions, which involve matters exempt from the requirements of public disclosure under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552(b) (4), (5), and (6)), will not be open to the public.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Mrs. Luna Diamond, Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, D.C. 20506, or call 202-382-5871.

JOYCE FREELAND,

Acting Director of Administration, National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities.

[FR Doc. 73-25587 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

NORTH ATLANTIC REGIONAL MANPOWER ADVISORY COMMITTEE NOTICE OF MEETING

The North Atlantic Regional Manpower Advisory Committee will hold its 6th meeting on January 20-22, 1974. Appointed by the Secretary of Labor, the Committee makes recommendations to the United States Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare and to the National Manpower Advisory Committee relative to the operation of manpower and manpower-related programs. Members of the Committee are chosen from representatives of labor, management, agriculture, education, training and the public at large. The chairman is Dr. Joseph R. Cammarosano of Fordham University.

At this meeting the North Atlantic Regional Manpower Advisory Committee will review the problems encountered in Puerto Rico in expanding employment opportunities through economic development and through the various manpower and educational programs. It will also analyze the prospective decentralization of the planning and operation of manpower programs through operational planning grants and a Comprehensive Manpower Program (CMP) pilot study.

The meeting will be held in the Governor's Room at the Hyatt-Puerto Rico in San Juan, Puerto Rico and will be open to the public.

Signed in New York City this 20th day of November 1973.

EDWARD W. APONTE,
Assistant Regional Director for Manpower.

[FR Doc. 73-25506 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR PLANNING AND INSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS

Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Advisory Committee for Planning and Institutional Affairs to be convened at 9 a.m.

on December 6 and 7, 1973, in Room 545 at 1800 G Street NW., Washington, D.C. 20550.

The purpose of this Committee is to provide advice and recommendations to the National Science Foundation concerning planning, evaluation, and policy study activities within NSF; and the impact of actual and proposed Foundation programs on the effectiveness and integrity of academic and other institutions performing research, viewed as a whole.

The agenda for this meeting shall include:

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- 9:00 Opening remarks, Committee Chairman.
- 9:30 NSF staff discussion of planning issues and responses to previous Committee reports, Assistant Director for Administration.
- 10:30 Coffee break.
- 10:45 Discussion of Research Applied to National Needs, Assistant Director for Research Applications.
- 11:15 Selection of study topics, Committee members and staff.
- 12:30 Recess for lunch.
- 1:30 Recess of full committee; unassisted session for informal work on study topics, Committee members.
- 5:00 Adjournment.

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- 9:00 Continuation of unassisted session for informal work on study topics, Committee members.
- 3:30 Progress report on study topics, Committee Chairman and Committee members.
- 4:30 Public discussion.
- 5:00 Adjournment.

This meeting shall be open to the public. Individuals who wish to attend should inform Mrs. Mary L. Parramore, Executive Assistant, Office of Budget, Programming, and Planning Analysis (202-632-4050) prior to the meeting. Persons requiring further information concerning this Committee should contact Mrs. Mary L. Parramore, Executive Assistant, Office of Budget, Programming, and Planning Analysis, Room 426, 1800 G Street NW., Washington, D.C. 20550. Summary minutes relative to this meeting may be obtained from the Management Analysis Office, Room K-720, 1880 G Street NW., Washington, D.C. 20550.

T. E. JENKINS,
Assistant Director for Administration.

NOVEMBER 30, 1973.

[FR Doc. 73-25804 Filed 12-3-73; 9:27 am]

RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

RAILROAD RETIREMENT SUPPLEMENTAL ANNUITY PROGRAM

Determination of Quarterly Rate of Excise Tax

In accordance with directions in section 3221(c) of the Railroad Retirement Tax Act (26 U.S.C. § 3221(c)) as amended by section 5(a) of Pub. L. 91-215, the Railroad Retirement Board has determined that the excise tax imposed by

such section 3221(c) on every employer, with respect to having individuals in his employ, for each man-hour for which compensation is paid by such employer for services rendered to him during the quarter beginning January 1, 1974, shall be at the rate of seven and one-half cents.

Dated: November 26, 1973.

By Authority of the Board,

[SEAL] R. F. BUTLER,
Secretary of the Board.

[FR Doc. 73-25591 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[License No. 06/10-0013]

FIRST TEXAS INVESTMENT CO.

Notice of Approval for Transfer of Control of a Small Business Investment Company

On November 2, 1973, a notice for request for approval for transfer of control was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER (38 FR 30307) stating that an application has been filed with the Small Business Administration (SBA) pursuant to § 107.701 of the regulations governing Small Business Investment Companies (38 FR 30842, November 7, 1973) for the transfer of control of First Texas Investment Company, 506 Nebraska Street, South Houston, Texas 77587, a Federal licensee under the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, as amended (the Act) (15 U.S.C. 661 et seq.).

Kingsway Finance Corporation will own 100 percent of the issued and outstanding stock and the offices will be moved to 13025 Champions Drive, Houston, Texas 77069.

Interested persons were given 15 days to submit written comments to SBA.

Notice is hereby given that, having considered the application and all other pertinent information, SBA has approved this application for transfer of control.

Dated: November 21, 1973.

JAMES THOMAS PHELAN,
Deputy Associate Administrator
for Investment.

[FR Doc. 73-25590 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

TARIFF COMMISSION

[TEA-W-218]

BENDIX CORP.

Workers' Petition for a Determination; Notice of Investigation

On the basis of a petition filed under section 301(a)(2) of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962, on behalf of the former workers of the Elmira Heights Plant, Elmira, New York, of the Motor Components Division of the Bendix Corp., Southfield, Michigan, the United States Tariff Commission, on November 27, 1973, instituted an investigation under section 301(c)(2) of the Act to determine whether, as a result in major part of concessions granted under trade agreements, articles like or directly

competitive with one-speed bicycle hubs incorporating coaster brakes (of the type provided for in item 732.36 of the Tariff Schedules of the United States) produced by said firm are being imported into the United States in such increased quantities as to cause, or threaten to cause, the unemployment or underemployment of a significant number or proportion of the workers of such firm or an appropriate subdivision thereof.

The optional public hearing afforded by law has not been requested by the petitioners. Any other party showing a proper interest in the subject matter of the investigation may request a hearing, provided such request is filed by December 14, 1973.

The petition filed in this case is available for inspection at the Office of the Secretary, United States Tariff Commission, 8th and E Streets NW., Washington, D.C., and at the New York City office of the Tariff Commission located in Room 437 of the Customhouse.

Issued: November 28, 1973.

By order of the Commission.

[SEAL] KENNETH R. MASON,
Secretary.

[FR Doc. 73-25603 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

[337-L-50]

COMBINATION MEASURING TOOLS

Notice of Dismissal of Preliminary Inquiry

On the basis of the submissions made to the Commission by interested parties, the Tariff Commission on November 20, 1973, dismissed preliminary inquiry 337-L-50 without a determination on its merits; notice of the receipt of the complaint was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER of June 1, 1972 (37 FR 11003).

Issued: November 28, 1973.

By order of the Commission.

[SEAL] KENNETH R. MASON,
Secretary.

[FR Doc. 73-25604 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

CEDAR CITY DISTRICT ADVISORY BOARD

Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Cedar City District Advisory Board will hold its regular meeting on January 10, 1974, at 9:00 a.m., at the Cedar City District Office, 154 North Main, Cedar City, Utah. The agenda will include considering and recommending action on the following: (1) Reorganization of the Board, (2) reprecincting the district, (3) grazing applications for the 1974 season, (4) grazing transfers, (5) status of the wild horse and burro program, and (6) future management of domestic horses that graze the same ranges as wild horses and burros.

The meeting will be open to the public as far as seating is available. Time will

be available for statements by members of the public. Those wishing to make an oral statement should inform the chairman in writing prior to the meeting. Interested persons may file a written statement with the board for its consideration. They should be submitted to: Chairman, District Advisory Board, c/o Bureau of Land Management, P.O. Box 729, Cedar City, Utah 84720.

HAROLD E. ISAACSON,
District Manager.

[FR Doc. 73-25588 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

[Serial No. I-06620]

IDAHO

Notice of Partial Termination of Proposed Withdrawal and Reservation of Lands

NOVEMBER 26, 1973.

Notice of an application of the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, Serial No. I-06620, for withdrawal and reservation of lands, was published as FEDERAL REGISTER Document No. 55-10240 of the issue for December 22, 1955. The applicant agency has cancelled its application insofar as it involved the lands described below. Therefore, pursuant to the regulations contained in 43 CFR Part 2350, such lands will be, at 10:00 a.m. on January 14, 1974, relieved of the segregative effect of the above mentioned application.

The lands involved in this notice of termination are:

BOISE MERIDIAN, IDAHO

- T. 11 N., R. 12 E.,
Sec. 3, SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 4, Lot 2, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 10, Lots 1, 2, 4;
Sec. 11, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$,
W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 12, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 13, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 14, Lot 3, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 15, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 24, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 25, W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$;
Sec. 36, NE $\frac{1}{4}$;
T. 12 N., R. 12 E.,
Sec. 27, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 28, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 33, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
T. 7 N., R. 13 E.,
Sec. 25, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
T. 8 N., R. 13 E.,
Sec. 36, N $\frac{1}{2}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$;
T. 9 N., R. 13 E., (protracted)
Sec. 1, E $\frac{1}{2}$;
Sec. 2, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 3, E $\frac{1}{2}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 4, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 9, E $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$;
Sec. 10, All;
Sec. 12, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 15, W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$;
Sec. 16, E $\frac{1}{2}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 17, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 20, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 21, N $\frac{1}{2}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 22, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$;
T. 10 N., R. 13 E.,
Sec. 6, Lots 1 and 2;
Sec. 22, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$,
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 23, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 25, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 26, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 34, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 35, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$,
 S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 36, E $\frac{1}{2}$;
 T. 11 N., R. 13 E.,
 Sec. 31, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 T. 7 N., R. 14 E.,
 Sec. 4, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 5, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 9, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 16, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 17, SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 19, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 20, N $\frac{1}{2}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 29, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 30, N $\frac{1}{2}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 T. 8 N., R. 14 E.,
 Sec. 4, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 5, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 8, E $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 9, W $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 17, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 20, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 21, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 28, N $\frac{1}{2}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 29, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$,
 W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 31, N $\frac{1}{2}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 32, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 T. 9 N., R. 14 E.,
 Sec. 7, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 18, E $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 19, W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 30, W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 31, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 32, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$,
 SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

The areas described aggregate approximately 13,360 acres in Blaine and Custer Counties, Idaho.

All of the lands are within the Sawtooth National Recreation Area and will therefore be subject to such laws and regulations applicable thereto.

VINCENT S. STROBEL,
Chief,

Branch of L&M Operations.

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[Serial No. I-7297]

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Notice of Proposed Withdrawal and Reservation of Lands

NOVEMBER 12, 1973.

The Department of Agriculture has filed an application, Serial Number I-7297, for the withdrawal of lands described below from all location and entry under the mining laws but not the mineral leasing laws, subject to valid existing rights.

The applicant desires the land for a research natural area in the Salmon National Forest.

Until January 3, 1974, all persons who wish to submit comments, suggestions, or objections in connection with the proposed withdrawal, may present their views in writing to the undersigned officer of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior, Room 398 Federal Building, 550 W. Fort Street, P.O. Box 042, Boise, Idaho 83724.

The authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management will undertake such investigations as are necessary to determine the existing and potential demand for the lands and their resources. He will

also undertake negotiations with the applicant agency with the view of adjusting the application to reduce the area to the minimum essential to meet the applicant's needs, to provide for the maximum concurrent utilization of the lands for purposes other than the applicant's, to eliminate lands needed for purposes more essential than the applicant's, and to reach agreement on the concurrent management of the lands and their resources.

He will also prepare a report for consideration by the Secretary of the Interior who will determine whether or not the lands will be withdrawn as requested by the Department of Agriculture. The determination of the Secretary on the application will be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER. A separate notice will be sent to each interested party of record. If circumstances warrant it, a public hearing will be held at a convenient time and place which will be announced.

The lands involved in the application are:

SALMON NATIONAL FOREST
 GUNBARREL RESEARCH NATURAL AREA
 Boise Meridian

T. 24 N., R. 14 E. (Protraction Diagram No. 40)
 Sec. 23, S $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Secs. 24, 25 and 26, All;
 Sec. 27, NE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 35, N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$;
 T. 24 N., R. 15 E. (Protraction Diagram No. 40)
 Sec. 24, SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 25, NW $\frac{1}{4}$.

Mets and bounds description as follows:

Beginning at the confluence of Gunbarrel Creek and the Salmon River in approximate latitude 45°24' N., longitude 114°41' W.;

Thence southeasterly up Salmon River to the toe of the ridge being the south watershed divide of Gunbarrel Creek; easterly and northeasterly along said watershed divide to a prominent point at the head of Gunbarrel Creek in SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 24, T. 24 N., R. 15 E.; northwesterly and southwesterly along the divide between Horse Creek on the north and Gunbarrel Creek and unnamed drainage on the south immediately west of Gun triangulation station; southwesterly along the west ridge of said unnamed drainage to the Salmon River; southeasterly along the Salmon River approximately 50 chains to the mouth of Gunbarrel Creek, the place of beginning.

The area described aggregates 1,600.00 acres in Lemhi County, Idaho.

VINCENT S. STROBEL,
Chief,

Branch of L&M Operations.

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GRAND JUNCTION DISTRICT ADVISORY BOARD

Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Grand Junction District Advisory Board will hold a regular meeting December 13, 1973, beginning at 9:00 a.m., in Room

114, Wayne Aspinall Federal Building, Grand Junction, Colorado.

The agenda for the meeting will be the election of officers, consideration of grazing applications, base property transfers, exchange of use applications and licenses, range line agreements, proposed rule making and any other items appropriate.

The meeting will be open to the public. Those members of the public wishing to make an oral statement should advise the Co-Chairman prior to the meeting to aid in scheduling the time available. Any interested person may file a written statement for consideration by the Board by sending it to the Co-Chairman, Grand Junction District Manager, P.O. Box 1509, Grand Junction, Colorado 81501.

DALE R. ANDRUS,
State Director.

[FR Doc. 73-25631 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF OFF SOUTH TEXAS

Call for Nominations of Areas for Oil and Gas Leasing

Pursuant to authority prescribed in 43 CFR 3301.3 (1972), nominations of areas in the Outer Continental Shelf Offshore South Texas are hereby requested for possible oil and gas leasing under the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act (43 U.S.C. 1331-1343 (1970)). Nominations will be considered for any or all of the following mapped areas offshore South Texas:

All that area shown on Outer Continental Shelf—Texas leasing maps nos. 1, 1A, 2, 2A, 3, 3A and 4 (7 maps).

Official leasing maps in a set of 15 maps, including those enumerated above, and a cover sheet may be purchased at \$5.00 per set from the Manager, Gulf of Mexico Outer Continental Shelf Office, Bureau of Land Management, Suite 3200, The Plaza Tower, 1001 Howard Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana 70113, or the Director, Eastern States Office, 7981 Eastern Avenue, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910. All nominations must be described in accordance with Outer Continental Shelf Leasing Maps prepared by the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior and referred to above. Only whole blocks or properly described subdivisions thereof, not less than one-quarter of a block, may be nominated.

Nominations must be submitted not later than January 31, 1974, in envelopes marked "Nominations of Tracts for Leasing in the Outer Continental Shelf—South Texas." The nominations must be submitted to the Director (Attn: 730), Bureau of Land Management, Washington, D.C. 20240. Copies of nominations must be sent to the Area Oil and Gas Supervisor, Geological Survey, Suite 336, Imperial Office Building, 3301 North Causeway Boulevard, Metairie, Louisiana 70002 and to the Manager, Gulf of Mexico Outer Continental Shelf Office at his address cited above.

Tracts will be selected for competitive bidding pursuant to established Departmental procedures and only after compliance with all requirements of the Na-

tional Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321-4347 (1970)). This call for nominations recognizes the potential conflicts with military operations within the area. Careful consideration of these military operations will, therefore, be given in the process of selecting tracts for a potential sale. Notice of any tracts selected for competitive bidding will be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER stating the conditions and terms for leasing and the place, date, and hour at which bids will be received and opened.

GEORGE L. TURCOTT,
Associate Director,
Bureau of Land Management.

Approved: November 29, 1973.

BRAD E. HAINSWORTH,
Acting Assistant Secretary
of the Interior.

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Geological Survey EARTHQUAKE STUDIES ADVISORY PANEL Notice of Public Meeting

Pursuant to Pub. L. 92-463, effective January 5, 1973, announcement is made of a public meeting of the Geological Survey Earthquake Studies Advisory Panel to be held beginning at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, December 7, 1973, and continuing through Saturday, December 8, 1973. The Advisory Panel will meet at the Geological Survey Center Conference Facility B, 345 Middlefield Road, Menlo Park, CA.

(1) Purpose: The Advisory Panel was appointed to advise the Geological Survey on earthquake research plans and programs, which will be conducted in cooperation with universities, industry, and Federal and State government agencies in a coordinated national program for earthquake research.

(2) Membership: The Advisory Panel is chaired by Dr. Frank Press and is composed of the following members: Dr. Clarence R. Allen, Dr. Ray W. Clough, Jr., Dr. C. Martin Duke, Dr. Charles Fairhurst, Dr. David T. Griggs, Dr. Richard H. Jahns, Dr. Leon Knopoff, Dr. F. Beach Leighton, Rev. William V. Stauder, Prof. Karl V. Steinbrugge, and Dr. Robert V. Whitman.

(3) Agenda: Review of progress on development of a national program of earthquake hazards reduction and formulation of long-range plans for earthquake research.

For more detailed information about the meeting, please call Dr. Robert M. Hamilton, Chief, Office of Earthquake Research and Crustal Studies (703) 860-6471.

V. E. McKELVEY,
Director, U.S. Geological Survey.

[FR Doc. 73-25616 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

National Park Service HONOKOHU STUDY ADVISORY COMMISSION Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act

that a meeting of the Honokohau Study Advisory Commission will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., December 8, 1973, at the Conference Room, Second Floor, Gold Bond Building, 677 Ala Moana Boulevard, Honolulu, Hawaii.

The Honokohau Study Advisory Commission was established by Pub. L. 92-346 to provide advice to the Secretary of the Interior on matters relating to the making of a study of the feasibility and desirability of establishing as a part of the National Park System an area comprising the site of Honokohau National Historic Landmark.

The members of the Commission are as follows:

Col. Arthur Chun (Chairman), Kailua-Kona
Henry Boshard, Kailua-Kona
Nani Bowman, Honolulu
Fred Cachola, Wailanae
Alike Cooper, Hilo
Kenneth Emory, Honolulu
Homer Hayes, Honolulu
Kwai Wah Lee, Hilo
Iolani Luahine, Kailua-Kona
George Naope, Hilo
Abbie Napeski, Hilo
George Pinehaka, Captain Cook, Kona
David Roy, Kailua-Kona
Filippo Springer, Honolulu, Kona
Emily Thomas, Honolulu

The purpose of the meeting is to review alternatives for its report to the Secretary and drafts of report material.

The meeting will be open to the public. Any person may file with the Commission a written statement concerning the matters to be discussed. Anyone wanting further information concerning the meeting, or who wishes to file written statements, may contact Robert Barrel, State Director, Hawaii, National Park Service, 677 Ala Moana Boulevard, Suite 512, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813.

Minutes of the meeting will be available for public inspection four weeks after the meeting at the Office of the State Director, Hawaii, and the Regional Director, Western Region, National Park Service, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, Box 36063, San Francisco, California 94102.

Dated: November 21, 1973.

ROBERT M. LANDAU,
Liaison Officer, Advisory Com-
missions, National Park Service.

[FR Doc. 73-25620 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

NATIONAL CAPITAL MEMORIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act that a meeting of the National Capital Memorial Advisory Committee will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, December 10, 1973, in room 234 at the National Capital Parks Headquarters, 1100 Ohio Drive, SW., Washington, D.C.

The committee was established for the purpose of preparing and recommending to the Secretary broad criteria, guidelines, and policies for memorializing persons and events on Federal lands in the National Capital region (as defined in the National Capital Planning Act of 1952, as amended) through the media of monu-

ments, memorials, and statues. It is to examine each memorial proposal for adequacy and appropriateness, make recommendations to the Secretary with respect to site location on Federal land in the National Capital region and to serve as an information focal point for those seeking to erect memorials on Federal land in the National Capital region.

The members of the committee are as follows:

Mr. Ronald H. Walker (Chairman)
Director, National Park Service
Washington, D.C.
Mr. George M. White
Architect of the Capitol
Washington, D.C.
General Mark W. Clark
Chairman, American Battle Monuments
Commission
Washington, D.C.
Mr. J. Carter Brown
Chairman, Fine Arts Commission
Washington, D.C.
Mr. William H. Press
Chairman, National Capital Planning Com-
mission
Washington, D.C.
Honorable Walter E. Washington
Mayor-Commissioner of the District of Co-
lumbia
Washington, D.C.
Mr. Larry P. Roush
Commissioner, Public Buildings Service
Washington, D.C.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss sites for memorials to be erected in the Nation's Capital. Among the sites to be considered are:

1. S.J. Res. 66—To authorize the erection of a monument to the dead of the First Infantry Division, United States Forces in Vietnam.

2. H.J. Res. 338—To authorize a national memorial grove of trees dedicated to those Americans who died in the Indo-China War.

The meeting will be open to the public. Any person may file with the committee a written statement concerning the matters to be discussed.

Persons who wish to file a written statement or who want further information concerning the meeting may contact Richard L. Stanton, Assistant Director, Cooperative Activities, National Capital Parks, at area code 202-426-6715. Minutes of the meeting will be available for public inspection two weeks after the meeting at the Office of National Capital Parks, Room 208, 1100 Ohio Drive, SW., Washington, D.C.

Dated: November 28, 1973.

ROBERT M. LANDAU,
Liaison Officer,
Advisory Commissions.

[FR Doc. 73-25621 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

GATEWAY NATIONAL RECREATION AREA ADVISORY COMMISSION

Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act that an organizational meeting of the Gateway National Recreation Area Advisory Commission will be held at 10:00 a.m. on December 11, 1973, in the Auditorium at Federal Hall National Memo-

rial, 26 Wall Street, New York, New York.

The Gateway National Recreation Area Advisory Commission was established by Pub. L. 92-592 to advise the Secretary of the Interior on matters relating to the development of the recreation area.

Members of the Commission are as follows:

Hon. Alfred E. Driscoll, Haddonfield, New Jersey (Chairman)
Mr. Alexander Aldrich, Brooklyn, New York
Mr. Chester Apy, Little Silver, New Jersey
Mr. Donald H. Elliott, Brooklyn, New York
Mrs. Marian S. Heiskell, New York, New York
Mr. Gustav Henningburg, Newark, New Jersey
Mr. Ernest W. Lass, Interlaken, New Jersey
Mr. Edward H. Tuck, New York, New York
Rev. Horace Tyler, Brooklyn, New York
Mr. Nathaniel Washington, Philadelphia, Pa.
Hon. Joseph B. Williams, Brooklyn, New York

The purpose of the meeting is to receive an orientation report on activities relating to the Gateway National Recreation Area, and to attend to organizational requirements for members of the Commission.

The meeting will be open to the public. However, space and facilities are limited and it is expected that not more than 30 people will be able to attend the meeting, in addition to the members of the Commission and National Park Service staff.

Any person may file with the Commission a written statement concerning the matters to be discussed. Persons wanting further information concerning the meeting, or who wish to file written statements, may contact Jerry D. Wagers, Director, New York District, at 212-264-4456.

Minutes of the meeting will be available for public inspection three weeks after the meeting at the Office of the Director of the New York District, National Park Service, 26 Wall Street, New York, New York 10005.

Dated: November 26, 1973.

Robert M. LANDAU,
Liaison Officer, Advisory Com-
missions National Park Ser-
vices.

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES

List of Additions, Deletions, and Corrections

By notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER of February 28, 1973, Part II, there was published a list of the properties included in the National Register of Historic Places. This list has been amended by a notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER of March 6 (pp. 6084-6086), April 10 (pp. 9095-9097), May 1 (pp. 10745-10748), June 5 (pp. 14770-14777), July 3 (pp. 17744-17749), August 7 (pp. 21278-21284), September 4 (pp. 23808-23811), October 2 (pp. 27307-27310), and November 6 (pp. 30570-30572). Further notice is given that certain amendments or revisions in the nature of additions, deletions, or correc-

tions to the previously published list are adopted as set out below.

It is the responsibility of all Federal agencies to take cognizance of the properties included in the National Register as herein amended and revised in accordance with section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, 80 Stat. 915, 16 U.S.C. 470.

The following properties have been added to the National Register since November 6:

Alabama

Clay County

Ashland, Black, Hugo, House, South Second Street East (Ala. 77) (10-9-73).

California

Napa County

Napa, Behlow Building, Second and Brown Streets (10-25-73).

Napa, Napa Opera House, 1018-1030 Main Street (10-25-73).

Nevada County

Nevada City, National Exchange Hotel (Bicknell's Block), 211 Broad Street (10-25-73).

San Diego County

National City, St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 521 East Eighth Street (10-25-73).

Santa Clara County

Alviso, Alviso, Port of, Historic District, bounded roughly by an arm of Alviso Slough on the north, the Alviso Slough and the Guadalupe River on the west, Moffat Street on the south, and Gold Street on the east (10-9-73).

Palo Alto, Downing, T. B., House, 706 Cowper Street (10-30-73).

San Jose, Peralta, Luis Maria, Adobe, 184 West St. John Street (10-15-73).

Colorado

Larimer County

Estes Park vicinity, White, William Allen, Cabins, west of Estes Park at Moraine Park Visitor Center in Rocky Mountain National Park (10-25-73).

Ouray County

Ouray, Beaumont Hotel, (10-30-73).

District of Columbia

Washington

Godley Lime Kilns, Rock Creek and Potomac Parkway at 27th and L Streets NW. (11-2-73).

Pierce Springhouse and Barn, 2400 block of Tilden Street NW. (10-25-73).

Florida

Monroe County

Key West, U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters, Key West Station, northwest corner of Front and Whitehead Streets.

Palm Beach County

Jupiter, Jupiter Inlet Lighthouse, at the juncture of Loxahatchee River and Jupiter Sound (10-15-73).

Georgia

Bibb County

Macon, Rose Hill Cemetery, Riverside Drive (10-9-73).

Walker County

Rossville vicinity, Ashland Farm, southwest of Rossville off Georgia 193 (10-18-73).

Illinois

De Kalb County

De Kalb, Glidden House, 917 West Lincoln Highway (10-25-73).

Ogle County

Rochelle, Flagg Township Public Library, northeast corner of Seventh Street and Fourth Avenue (10-25-73).

Ogle County

Rochelle, Holcomb, William H., House, 526 North Seventh Street (10-25-73).

Pope County

Glendale vicinity, Millstone Bluff, northwest of Glendale off Illinois 145 in Shawnee National Forest (10-15-73).

Indiana

Marshall County

Plymouth, Marshall County Jail, 601 North Center Street (10-25-73).

Switzerland County

Vevay, Eggleston, Edward and George Cary, House, 306 West Main Street (10-15-73).

Union County

Brownsville, Brownsville Covered Bridge, spans east fork of Whitewater River off Indiana 44 (10-15-73).

Vanderburgh County

Evansville, Reitz, John Augustus, House, 224 Southeast First Street (10-15-73).

Vigo County

Terre Haute, State Bank of Indiana, Branch of (Memorial Hall), 219 Ohio Street (10-25-73).

Iowa

Johnson County

Iowa City, South Summit Street District, 301-818 South Summit Street (10-9-73).

Kansas

Geary County

Junction City vicinity, Wetzel, Christian, Cabin, about 2 miles east of Junction City at the junction of I-70 and Kansas 57 (10-15-73).

Osborne County

Osborne vicinity, Geodetic Center of the U.S., about 17 miles southeast of Osborne off U.S. 281 (10-9-73).

Kentucky

Boyle County

Perryville, Perryville Historic District (10-25-73).

Caldwell County

Princeton, Admore, 304 North Jefferson Street (10-25-73).

Fayette County

Lexington, McAdams and Morford Building, 200-210 West Main Street (10-25-73).

Jefferson County

Louisville, Tyler Block, 319 West Jefferson Street (10-15-73).

Nelson County

Bardstown, Old Talbott Tavern, Court Square (10-30-73).

Scott County

Georgetown, Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, South Broadway and West Clinton Street (10-30-73).

Georgetown, *McFarland House*, 510 Fountain Avenue (10-15-73).

Georgetown vicinity, *Longview*, about 4 miles west of Georgetown off U.S. 460 (10-25-73).

Georgetown vicinity, *Sanders, Robert, House*, about 2 miles south of Georgetown on U.S. 25 (10-15-73).

Louisiana

Assumption Parish

Napoleonville vicinity, *Madewood*, east of Napoleonville on Louisiana 308 (10-30-73).

Maine

Androscoggin County

Lisbon Falls, *Worumbo Mill*, on the bank of the Androscoggin River (10-15-73).

Aroostook County

Grand Isle, *Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church*, U.S. 1 (10-15-73).

Franklin County

Farmington, *Cutler Memorial Library*, corner of Academy and High Street (11-2-73).

Farmington Falls, *Union Baptist Church*, U.S. 2 (10-30-73).

Maryland

Baltimore County

Fort Howard, *Todd Farmhouse*, 9000 Old North Point Road (Maryland 20) (10-18-73).

Dorchester County

East New Market, *Friendship Hall*, off Maryland 14, 0.10 mile east of the intersection with Maryland 16 (10-18-73).

Frederick County

Frederick, *Frederick Historic District*, two blocks east and three blocks west of Market Street from South Street to Seventh Street (10-18-73).

St. Marys County

Bushwood, *Ocean Hall*, on Bushwood Road (Maryland 239) at Bushwood Wharf (10-25-73).

Massachusetts

Berkshire County

North Adams, *Hoosac Tunnel*, from North Adams on the west to the Deerfield River on the east (11-2-73).

Hampden County

Springfield, *Mills-Stebbins Villa*, 3 Crescent Hill (10-15-73).

Middlesex County

Concord vicinity, *Brooks, Daniel, House*, east of Concord off Massachusetts 2 on Brooks Road (10-25-73).

Norfolk County

Quincy, *Quincy Granite Railway*, Bunker Hill Lane (10-15-73).

Mississippi

Adams County

Natchez vicinity, *Mistletoe*, northeast of Natchez on Mississippi 554 (10-10-73).

Missouri

Adair County

Kirksville, *Harris, Captain Thomas C. House*, 1308 North Franklin Street (10-15-73).

Jackson County

Kansas City, *Old New England Building*, 112 West Ninth Street (10-25-73).

New Jersey

Camden County

Pennsauken, *Burrough-Dover House*, off the Haddonfield Road (10-25-73).

Middlesex County

Piscataway, *Onderdonk, Isaac, House*, 685 River Road (10-30-73).

Monmouth County

Holmdel vicinity, *Old Kentuck*, northwest of Holmdel off New Jersey 34 of Pleasant Valley Road (11-6-73).

Morris County

Morristown, *Morristown District* (10-30-73). Washington Valley, *Washington Valley Schoolhouse*, Washington Valley Road and Schoolhouse Lane (10-15-73).

New York

Genesee County

Alexander, *Alexander Classical School*, Buffalo Street (10-25-73).

Monroe County

Rochester, *Bevier Memorial Building*, Washington Street (10-25-73).

Rochester, *First Presbyterian Church*, 101 South Plymouth Avenue (10-25-73).

Rochester, *Old Stone Warehouse*, 1 Mount Hope Avenue (10-15-73).

Scottsville, *Rochester Street Historic District*, both sides of Rochester Street from the creek to Oakwood Drive (10-25-73).

Onondaga County

Manlius, *Manlius Village Historic District*, bounded by Pleasant, Franklin, North Clinton, and East Seneca Streets (11-6-73).

Orange County

Monroe vicinity, *Southfield Furnace Ruin*, south of Monroe off New York 17 (11-2-73).

Rensselaer County

Troy, *Old Troy Hospital*, Eighth Street (10-25-73).

Saratoga County

Saratoga Springs, *Franklin Square Historic District*, in an irregular pattern from Beekman Street, along both sides of Grand Avenue, Franklin, and Clinton to Van Dam (10-9-73).

Schenectady County

Schenectady vicinity, *Dellemont-Wemple Farm*, west of Schenectady on Wemple Road (10-25-73).

North Carolina

Caswell County

Locust Hill, *Rose Hill*, on U.S. 158 at the junction with North Carolina 150 (10-25-73).

Milton, *Milton Historic District*, encompasses town limits of Milton (10-25-73).

Yanceyville, *Yanceyville Historic District*, west Main Street, Courthouse Square, and North Avenue to Church Street (10-15-73).

Currituck County

Corolla, *Currituck Beach Lighthouse*, northern Outer Banks (10-15-73).

Henderson County

Flat Rock, *Flat Rock Historic District* (10-15-73).

Lenoir County

La Grange vicinity, *Herring House*, northwest of La Grange off S.R. 1503.

Orange County

Hillsborough, *Hillsborough Historic District*, roughly bounded by North Nash Street on the west, the Eno River and the Southern Railroad tracks on the south, the Ayr Mount property and the town boundary on the east, and the Old Oxford Road and West Corbin Street on the north (10-15-73).

Perquimans County

Hertford vicinity, *Nixon, Samuel, House*, northwest of Hertford on the Perquimans River (10-15-73).

Wake County

Raleigh, *Briggs Hardware Building*, 220 Fayetteville Street (10-25-73).

Warren County

Warrenton, *Coleman-White House*, Halifax and Hall Streets (10-25-73).

Watauga County

Blowing Rock vicinity, *Gragg House*, west of Blowing Rock on U.S. 221 (10-25-73).

Ohio

Butler County

Hamilton, *Lane-Hooven House*, 319 North Third Street (10-25-73).

Carroll County

Minerva, *Minerva Grade School*, southeast corner of West Line Street and Grant Boulevard (10-15-73).

Cuyahoga County

Cleveland, *Adelbert Hall*, 2040 Adelbert Road (10-30-73).

Cleveland, *Bingham Company Warehouse*, 1278 West Ninth Street (11-2-73).

Cleveland, *Caxton Building*, 812 Huron Road SE. (10-30-73).

Cleveland, *Newburgh Town Hall*, 9213 Miles Road (10-30-73).

Cleveland, *Northern Ohio Lunatic Asylum*, 4455 Turney Road (10-30-73).

Cleveland, *Western Reserve Building*, 1468 West Ninth Street (10-30-73).

Cleveland Heights, *Tremaine-Gallagher Residence*, 3001 Fairmount Boulevard (10-30-73).

Middleburg Heights, *Old District 10 Schoolhouse*, corner of Cheldon and Fry Roads (10-15-73).

Hamilton County

Cincinnati, *Coz, George B., House* (Parkview), Brookline and Jefferson Avenues (11-6-73).

Muskingum County

Zanesville, *Y Bridge*, spans the Licking and Muskingum Rivers at Main Street (11-2-73).

Oklahoma

Comanche County

Lawton vicinity, *Fort Sill Indian School*, east edge of Lawton off U.S. 62 (10-15-73).

Pennsylvania

Montgomery County

Harleysville vicinity, *Berry Bridge Historic District*, northwest of Harleysville off Pennsylvania 63 (10-10-73).

Washington County

Washington, *Le Moyne, Dr. Julius, House*, 49 East Malden Street (10-25-73).

South Carolina**Calhoun County**

Cameron, *Ulmer-Summers House*, Old Orangeburg Road (10-25-73).

Charleston County

Charleston vicinity, *St. Andrews Episcopal Church*, 5 miles northwest of Charleston on the Ashley River Road (South Carolina 61) (10-15-73).

Charleston vicinity, *Vander Horst, Arnoldus, House*, about 25 miles southwest of Charleston on Kiawah Island (10-25-73).

Georgetown County

Georgetown vicinity, *Annandale Plantation*, about 14 miles south of Georgetown between South Carolina 30 and South Carolina 18 (10-25-73).

Spartanburg County

Campobello vicinity, *Ingleside*, about 1 mile north of Campobello on U.S. 176.

Tennessee**Davidson County**

Bellevue, *Belle Vue*, Old Harding Road off U.S. 70S (10-25-73).

Robertson County

Cross Plains, *Randolph, William, House*, on Tennessee 25 (10-30-73).

Cross Plains vicinity, *Rock Jolly*, northeast of Cross Plains off Tennessee 52 (10-30-73).

Rutherford County

Eagleville vicinity, *Scales, Absalom, House*, north of Eagleville off Tennessee 16 on Rocky Glade Road (10-30-73).

Murfreesboro vicinity, *Elmwood*, northwest of Murfreesboro off U.S. 70S/41 (10-15-73).

Murfreesboro vicinity, *Marymount*, southwest of Murfreesboro off Tennessee 99 on Rucker Lane (10-30-73).

Shelby County

Memphis, *Magevney House*, 198 Adams Avenue (11-6-73).

Virginia**Augusta County**

Staunton vicinity, *Folly*, south of Staunton on U.S. 11 (10-25-73).

Craig County

New Castle, *New Castle Historic District*, Main and Court Streets (10-25-73).

York County

Yorktown vicinity, *Yorktown Wrecks*, 4 miles of York River between Gloucester and York County shores at Yorktown (10-9-73).

Washington**Snohomish County**

Everett vicinity, *"Jack Knife" Bridge*, spans the Ebey Slough at Home Acres Road east of Everett (7-2-73).

West Virginia**Cabell County**

Huntington, *Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Depot*, 1100 block Second Avenue (10-30-73).

Wisconsin**Rock County**

Cooksville, *Cooksville Historic District*, both sides of the streets bordering the Public Square and Rock Street (10-25-73).

Waukesha County

Eagle vicinity, *Koepsel House*, Old World Wisconsin off Wisconsin 59 (10-25-73).

Eagle vicinity, *Turck, Christian, House*, Old World Wisconsin off Wisconsin 59 (10-25-73).

The following are corrections to previous listings in the FEDERAL REGISTER:

Maine**Cumberland County**

Freeport, *Pote, Captain Greenfield, House* (Pettengill House) Wolf Neck Road (10-6-70).

Minnesota**Hennepin County**

Minneapolis, *Minnehaha Park Historic District*, south of Minnehaha Parkway between Hiawatha Avenue and the Mississippi River (11-25-69).

Virginia**Frederick County**

Middletown, *St. Thomas Chapel*, intersection of Route 1102 and Route 1105 (4-11-73).

The following property has been demolished and removed from the National Register:

California**San Francisco County**

San Francisco, *House at 1334-1336 Scott Street*.

Historic properties which are either (1) eligible for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places or (2) nominated but not yet listed are entitled to protection under Executive Order 11593. Before an agency of the Federal government may undertake any project which may have an effect on such a property, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation shall be given an opportunity to comment on the proposal. Authorizations for such comment are in section 1(3) and section 2(b) of Executive Order 11593.

The Secretary of the Interior has determined that the following properties may be eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places and are therefore entitled to protection under section 1(3) and section 2(b) of Executive Order 11593 and other applicable Federal legislation. This list is not complete. As required by Executive Order 11593, an agency head shall refer any questionable actions to the Secretary of the Interior for an opinion respecting the property's eligibility for inclusion in the National Register.

Alabama**Madison County**

Huntsville, *Lee House*, on Red Stone Arsenal.

Alaska**Northwestern District**

Little Diomed Island, *Iyapana, John, House*.

Arizona**Yuma County**

Yuma, *Southern Pacific Depot*.

Connecticut**Hartford County**

Hartford, *Church of the Good Shepherd and Parish House*, corner of Wyllys Street and Van Block Avenue.

Hartford, *Colt, Colonel Samuel, Armory and related factory buildings*, Van Dyke Avenue.

Hartford, *Colt Factory Housing*, Huyshope Avenue between Sequassen and Weehasset Streets.

Hartford, *Colt Factory housing* (Potsdam Village), Curcombe Street between Hendriksen Avenue and Locust Street.

Hartford, *Colt Park*, bounded by Wethersfield Avenue, Stonington Street, Wawarm, Curcombe, and Marseek Streets, and Huyshope and Van Block Avenues.

Hartford, *Flat-iron Building* (Motto Building), corner of Congress Street and Maple Avenue.

Hartford, *Houses on Charter Oak Place*.

Hartford, *Houses on Congress Street*.

Hartford, *Houses on Wethersfield Avenue*, between Morris and Wyllys Streets.

New London County

New London, *Thames Shipyard*, west bank of Thames River north of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy.

Indiana**Monroe County**

Bloomington, *Carnegie Library*.

Kentucky**Estill County**

Lexington vicinity, *Fitchburg Iron Furnace*, on Kentucky 975 in Daniel Boone National Forest.

Jefferson County

Louisville, *Old Louisville Historic District*, bounded on the north by Broadway, on the west by Seventh Street and the Louisville/Nashville Railroad tracks, on the east by I-65 and Brook Street, on the south by Eastern Parkway and Gaubert Avenue.

Maryland**Frederick County**

Fort Detrick, *Nallin Farm House* (Fort Detrick Building 1652).

Harford County

Aberdeen vicinity, *Gunpowder Meeting House* (Building E-5715), Magnolia Road, Aberdeen Proving Ground.

Aberdeen vicinity, *Presbury House* (Quiet Lodge, Building E-4730), Austin and Parrish Roads, Aberdeen Proving Ground.

St. Marys County

St. Inigoes, *Priest House* (St. Inigoes Manor House), Naval Electronic Systems Test and Evaluation Facility.

Nebraska**Madison County**

Norfolk, *Federal Building* (U.S. Post Office and Courthouse), corner of Fourth Street and Madison Avenue.

Nevada**Storey County** (also in Washoe County)

Sparks vicinity, *Derby Diversion Dam* (Truckee River Diversion Dam), 19 miles east of Sparks on I-80.

New Hampshire

Grafton County

Bedell Covered Bridge.

New York

Westchester County

White Plains, Westchester County Court-house Complex, corner of Main and Court Streets.

North Carolina

Brunswick County

Southport, Fort Johnston, Moore Street.

Jones County

Trenton, Trenton Historic District.

New Hanover County

Wilmington, Market Street Mansions District, both sides of Market Street between 17th and 18th Streets.

Wilmington, Wilmington Historic District.

Oregon

Klamath County

Crater Lake National Park, Crater Lake Lodge.

Pennsylvania

Allegheny County

Bruceton, Experimental Mine, off Cochran Mill Road.

Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh Experiment Station, Main Building, 4800 Forbes Avenue.

Vermont

Windsor County

Windsor, Post Office Building.

Washington

Clark County

Vancouver, Officers Row, Fort Vancouver Barracks.

West Virginia

Marion County

Prickett's Fort, Prickett Bay Boat Launching Site, S.R. 72 off West Virginia 73.

Wisconsin

Door County

Chambers Island, Chambers Island Light-house Dwelling, northern tip of Chambers Island in Green Bay, Lake Michigan.

Wyoming

Goshen County

Torrington, Union Pacific Depot.

ERNEST A. CONNALLY,
Associate Director,
Professional Services.

[FR Doc.73-25372 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

Office of the Secretary**WATCHES AND WATCH MOVEMENTS**

Proposed Rules for Allocation of Quotas for Calendar Year 1974 Among Producers Located in the Virgin Islands, Guam, and American Samoa

CROSS REFERENCE: For a document regarding proposed rules for the allocation of duty-free quotas of watches and watch movements among producers in the Vir-

gin Islands, Guam, and American Samoa for calendar year 1974 issued jointly by the Departments of Commerce and the Interior, see FR Doc. 73-25632, Office of the Secretary, Department of Commerce, *infra*.**Office of Petroleum Allocation**

[Advisory Notice 8]

MIDDLE DISTILLATE FUELS**Allocation Preferences**

In order to relieve unintended results under the Mandatory Allocation Program for Middle Distillate Fuels, it has been determined that pursuant to section 12 of the regulations (EPO Reg. 1; 38 FR 28660) effective immediately until December 31, 1973, suppliers shall give preference in the allocation of middle distillate fuel required by the United States Postal Service for the collection and distribution mail, limited in total volume to that used in December 1972.

Middle distillate fuel supplied under this notice during the specified period is intended only for:

1. The operation of Postal Service owned and operated vehicles, including vehicles provided under contract agreement by city and rural carriers or leased for collection and delivery services and those provided for mail service by contract mail transporters.

2. Postal plant heating and electrical energy production at those postal facilities which produce their own electrical energy and heat.

The U.S. Postal Service shall be responsible for advising the Office of Petroleum Allocation with respect to essential services covered by this Advisory Notice and shall take such action as is necessary to minimize the use of middle distillates within the Postal Service and its contractual operations to limit the December 1973 consumption to that amount used in December 1972. Accordingly, the Postal Service shall limit demand and be accorded preference under these provisions only for those volumes specified; i.e., usage in December 1972.

If suppliers act in accordance with the intent of this Advisory Notice, no sanctions under the Mandatory Middle Distillate Fuel Allocation Program shall be imposed by the Office of Petroleum Allocation as a consequence of any unintended results from implementation of this preference category demand.

ELI T. REICH,
Administrator, Office of
Petroleum Allocation.

DECEMBER 3, 1973.

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SUBCOMMITTEE ON ENERGY GOVERNMENT-INDUSTRY COOPERATION OF THE COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS NATIONAL PETROLEUM COUNCIL**Notice of Meeting**

Pursuant to Executive Order 11686, notice is hereby given of the following meeting:

The Subcommittee on Energy Government-Industry Cooperation of the Emergency Preparedness Committee of the National Petroleum Council will meet at 9:00 a.m. on December 5, 1973, in Room 326, The Winder Building in Washington, D.C. The purpose of this meeting will be to review and discuss a proposed plan of organization for the Office of Petroleum Allocation, developed by Admiral Eli T. Reich, Administrator, as it pertains to the administration and utilization of the existing extensive and intricate supply and distribution systems of the U.S. Petroleum Industry.

The purpose of the National Petroleum Council is solely to advise, inform and make recommendations to the Secretary of the Interior on any matter relating to petroleum or the petroleum industry. The meeting is open to the public to the extent that facilities permit.

Dated: December 1, 1973.

ELI T. REICH,
Administrator,
Office of Petroleum Allocation.

[FR Doc.73-25887 Filed 12-3-73; 2:05 pm]

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

[Notice 399]

ASSIGNMENT OF HEARINGS

NOVEMBER 29, 1973.

Cases assigned for hearing, postponement, cancellation or oral argument appear below and will be published only once. This list contains prospective assignments only and does not include cases previously assigned hearing dates. The hearings will be on the issues as presently reflected in the Official Docket of the Commission. An attempt will be made to publish notices of cancellation of hearings as promptly as possible, but interested parties should take appropriate steps to insure that they are notified of cancellation or postponements of hearings in which they are interested. No amendments will be entertained after the date of this publication.

MC-115841 Sub 441, Colonial Refrigeration Transportation, Inc., is continued to December 5, 1973 (2 days) and December 18, 1973 (1 day), at the Offices of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D.C.

MC 128638 Sub 3, Central Grain Haulers, Inc., now being assigned January 14, 1974, at Louisville, Ky., in a hearing room to be later designated.

MC 135754 Sub 1, Robert E. Williamson, Jr., Common Carrier Application, now assigned December 6, 1973, at Columbia, S.C., is cancelled and transferred to Modified Procedure.

MC-114211 Sub 187, Warren Transport, Inc., MC-123048 Sub 222, Diamond Transportation System, Inc., Extension-Wallboard, and MC-124174 Sub 92, Mommson Trucking Co., Extension Wallboard, now being assigned hearing January 9, 1974, at the Offices of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D.C.

[SEAL] ROBERT L. OSWALD,
Secretary.

[FR Doc.73-25658 Filed 12-3-73;8:45 am]

[Car Distribution Direction No. 93, Amdt. 6; Rev. S.O. 1002]

ATLANTA AND WEST POINT RAIL ROAD CO., ET AL.

Car Distribution Direction

To: Atlanta and West Point Rail Road Company, Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio Railway, Georgia Rail Road & Banking Company, Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, Seaboard Coast Line Railroad Company, The Western Railway of Alabama.

Upon further consideration of Car Distribution Direction No. 93 and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered, That:

Car Distribution Direction No. 93 be, and it is hereby, amended by substituting the following paragraph (f) for paragraph (f) thereof:

(f) *Expiration date.* This direction shall expire at 11:59 p.m., December 31, 1973, unless otherwise modified, changed, or suspended.

It is further ordered, That this amendment shall become effective at 11:59 p.m., November 30, 1973, and that this amendment shall be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of all railroads subscribing to the car service and car hire agreement under the terms of that agreement, and upon the American Short Line Railroad Association; and that it be filed with the Director, Office of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D.C., November 26, 1973.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE
COMMISSION,
R. D. PFAHLER,
Agent.

[SEAL] [FR Doc.73-25652 Filed 12-3-73;8:45 am]

[Notice 401]

MOTOR CARRIER BOARD TRANSFER PROCEEDINGS

Synopses of orders entered by the Motor Carrier Board of the Commission pursuant to sections 212(b), 206(a), 211, 312(b), and 410(g) of the Interstate Commerce Act, and rules and regulations prescribed thereunder (49 CFR Part 1132), appear below:

Each application (except as otherwise specifically noted) filed after March 27, 1972, contains a statement by applicants

that there will be no significant effect on the quality of the human environment resulting from approval of the application. As provided in the Commission's special rules of practice any interested person may file a petition seeking reconsideration of the following numbered proceedings on or before December 24, 1973. Pursuant to section 17(8) of the Interstate Commerce Act, the filing of such a petition will postpone the effective date of the order in that proceeding pending its disposition. The matters relied upon by petitioners must be specified in their petitions with particularity.

No. MC-FC-74756. By order of November 21, 1973, the Motor Carrier Board; approved the transfer to H.M.K. Trucking, Inc., Gloucester City, N.J., of those portions of the operating rights in Certificate No. MC-127487 (Sub-No. 2) issued May 3, 1967, to Holt Motor Express, Inc., Gloucester City, N.J., authorizing the transportation of: *copper, brass, bronze, aluminum, zinc, lead, tin, tin bearing alloys, monel, and nickel*, in pigs, ingots, bars, and shapes, *steel*, in sheets and plates, *wire (copper clad)*, and *galvanized iron and steel sheets and structural shapes* which because of size or weight require special equipment, between Philadelphia, Pa., on the one hand, and, on the other, New York, N.Y., Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Md., Wilmington Del., and Trenton, Newark, Elizabeth, Delawanna, Perth Amboy, Carteret, Rahway, Bound Brook, and Weehawken, N.J.; *machinery, girders, timbers, and such commodities* as require special equipment and rigging because of size or weight, between Philadelphia, Pa., on the one hand, and, on the other, points in New York, New Jersey, and the District of Columbia, those in New Castle County, Del., and those in a described portion of eastern Maryland; and *heavy machinery, machine tools, electrical and steam equipment, vaults and parts thereof*, and other *heavy or bulky commodities* requiring specialized handling and equipment, between Philadelphia, Pa., on the one hand, and, on the other, points in Pennsylvania within 150 miles of Philadelphia. Alan Kahn, 1920 Two Penn Center Plaza, Philadelphia, Pa. 19102. Attorney for applicants.

No. MC-FC-74766. By order entered November 27, 1973, the Motor Carrier Board approved the transfer to Red Lion Bus Company, Red Lion, Pa., of the operating rights set forth in Certificates Nos. MC-107155 and MC-107155 (Sub-No. 2), issued by the Commission December 9, 1946, and August 10, 1955, to James A. Tollinger, Red Lion, Pa., authorizing the transportation of passengers, between Stewartstown, Pa., and Upper Cross Roads, Md., over specified routes, serving all intermediate points; and passengers and their baggage, and express and newspapers in the same vehicle with passengers, between Stewartstown, Pa., and Airville, Pa., over specified routes, serving all intermediate points; and between Stewartstown, Pa., and Yoe, Pa., over specified routes, serving all in-

termediate points. John M. Musselman, 410 North Third Street, Harrisburg, Pa. 17108.

No. MC-FC-74767. By order of November 23, 1973, the Motor Carrier Board approved the transfer to J. W. Simmons, doing business as Simmons & Sons Garage, Boonville, Mo., of Certificate No. MC-124262 issued on September 9, 1971, to Don Tenney, Fulton, Mo., and acquired by Jack Tenney, the transferor herein, through approval and consummation in No. MC-FC-74768, authorizing the transportation of wrecked, disabled, and inoperative abandoned motor vehicles, boats, trailers, and replacements therefor, between points in four named counties in Missouri, on the one hand, and, on the other, points in Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, and Oklahoma. Mr. John E. Burruss, Jr., Attorney at Law, Central Trust Building, Jefferson City, Missouri 65101.

No. MC-FC-74768. By order of November 23, 1973, the Motor Carrier Board approved the transfer to Jack Tenney, Fulton, Mo., of Certificate No. MC-124262 issued on September 9, 1971, to Don Tenney, Fulton, Mo., authorizing the transportation of wrecked, disabled, and inoperative abandoned motor vehicles, boats, trailers, and replacements therefor, between points in four named counties in Missouri, on the one hand, and, on the other, points in Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, and Oklahoma. Mr. W. C. Whitlow, Attorney at Law, 10 East 4th Street, Fulton, Mo. 65251.

No. MC-FC-74822. By order entered November 27, 1973, the Motor Carrier Board approved the transfer to Emmes Trucking Co., Inc., Carle Place, N.Y., of the operating rights set forth in Certificate No. MC-135434 (Sub-No. 1), issued January 4, 1972, to V & A Warehouse Corporation, Paterson, N.J., authorizing the transportation of general commodities, with the usual exceptions, between New York, N.Y., on the one hand, and, on the other, points in Hudson, Bergen, Passaic, Essex, Middlesex, Union, Somerset, and Morris Counties, N.J.; and pocket books and pocket book material and supplies, between New York, N.Y., Pennsylvania, and South Norwalk and Bridgeport, Conn. George A. Olsen, 69 Tonnelle Ave., Jersey City, N.J. 07306, practitioner for transferor and William D. Traub, 10 East 40th Street, New York, N.Y. 10016, practitioner for transferee.

No. MC-FC-74825. By order entered November 27, 1973, the Motor Carrier Board approved the transfer to Peluso Moving and Storage Company, a corporation, New Brighton, Pa., of the operating rights set forth in Certificate No. MC-7242, issued March 7, 1958, to Louis J. Peluso, Jr., doing business as Louis J. Peluso, Jr., Moving & Storage, New Brighton, Pa., authorizing the transportation of household goods, between points in Beaver County, Pa., on the one hand, and, on the other, points in Ohio,

West Virginia, and New York. Edward M. Larkin, 5151 Penn Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15224, attorney for applicants.

[SEAL] ROBERT L. OSWALD,
Secretary.

[FR Doc. 73-25655 Filed 12-3-73; 8:45 am]

[Notice 163]

MOTOR CARRIER TEMPORARY AUTHORITY APPLICATIONS

NOVEMBER 28, 1973.

The following are notices of filing of application, except as otherwise specifically noted, each applicant states that there will be no significant effect on the quality of the human environment resulting from approval of its application, for temporary authority under section 210(a) of the Interstate Commerce Act provided for under the new rules of Ex Parte No. MC-67 (49 CFR Part 1131) published in the FEDERAL REGISTER, issue of April 27, 1965, effective July 1, 1965. These rules provide that protests to the granting of an application must be filed with the field official named in the FEDERAL REGISTER publication, within 15 calendar days after the date of notice of the filing of the application is published in the FEDERAL REGISTER. One copy of such protests must be served on the applicant, or its authorized representative, if any, and the protests must certify that such service has been made. The protests must be specific as to the service which such protestant can and will offer, and must consist of a signed original and six (6) copies.

A copy of the application is on file, and can be examined at the Office of the Secretary, Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D.C., and also in field office to which protests are to be transmitted.

MOTOR CARRIERS OF PROPERTY

No. MC 2368 (Sub-No. 40 TA), filed November 15, 1973. Applicant: BRALLEY-WILLETT TANK LINES, INC., 2212 Deepwater Terminal Road, Richmond, Va. 23234. Applicant's representative: Ward W. Johnson (same address as applicant). Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Fuel oils, gasoline, and kerosenes*, in bulk, in tank vehicles, from Richmond, Va., to Charles Town, W. Va., for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: McCaskill Oil Co., Inc., 143 Beaunit Avenue, E. Rockingham, N.C. 28379. SEND PROTESTS TO: District Supervisor Robert W. Waldron, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 10-502 Federal Bldg., Richmond, Va.

No. MC 22195 (Sub-No. 151 TA), filed November 13, 1973. Applicant: DAN DUGAN TRANSPORT COMPANY, 41st & Grange Avenue, P.O. Box 946, Sioux Falls, S. Dak. 57101. Applicant's representative: Fred Fischer (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Petroleum*

and petroleum products, in bulk, in tank vehicles, from Minot, N. Dak. (except the Cenex Pipeline), to points in Minnesota, for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Twin City Barge & Towing Company, 1303 Red Rock Road, P.O. Box 3032, St. Paul, Minn. 55165. W. H. Starr, Manager, Petroleum Marketing Division. SEND PROTESTS TO: J. L. Hammond, District Supervisor, Bureau of Operations, Interstate Commerce Commission, Room 369, Federal Building, Pierre, S. Dak. 57501.

No. MC 29392 (Sub-No. 23 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: LES JOHNSON CARTAGE CO., 611 South 28th Street, Milwaukee, Wis. 53246. Applicant's representative: Richard H. Prevette (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Steel tubes*, from St. Paul, Minn., to Ishpeming, Mich., for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Brown-Minneapolis Tank & Fabricating Co., 2875 Highway 55 (Mail: P.O. Box 3670), St. Paul, Minn. 55165 (R. D. Van Beusekom, Controller). SEND PROTESTS TO: John E. Ryden, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 135 West Wells Street, Room 807, Milwaukee, Wis. 53203.

No. MC 30387 (Sub-No. 199 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: SHIPLEY TRANSFER, INC., 49 Main Street, Box 55, Reisterstown, Md. 21136. Applicant's representative: Theodore Polydoroff, 1250 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, D.C. 20036. Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Dry plastic granules*, in bulk, in tank vehicles, from Baltimore, Md., to Marshallton, Del., restricted to shipments having a prior movement by rail, for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Edwin L. Harris, Logistics Coordinator, T. & D. Dept., E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., 1007 Market Street, Wilmington, Del. 19898. SEND PROTESTS TO: William L. Hughes, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 814-B Federal Bldg., Baltimore, Md. 21201.

No. MC 38400 (Sub-No. 4 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: HITCHCOCK BROS., INCORPORATED, High Street, Canaan, Conn. 06018. Applicant's representative: John E. Fay, 630 Oakwood Avenue, Elmwood, Conn. 06110. Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Fuel oils*, in bulk, in tank vehicles, from New Haven and Bridgeport, Conn., to the bulk facilities of the Community Fuel, Inc., Millerton, N.Y., and between bulk facilities of Community Fuel, Inc., Millerton, N.Y., and Canaan, Conn., for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: C. A. Lindell & Son, Inc., Church Street, Canaan, Conn. 06018. SEND PROTESTS TO: David J. Klerman, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 135 High Street, Room 324, Hartford, Conn. 06101.

No. MC 41406 (Sub-No. 35 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: ARTIM TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM, INC., 7105 Kennedy Avenue, P.O. Box 2176, Hammond, Ind. 46323. Applicant's representative: William J. Walsh (same address as applicant). Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Lead oxides*, dry, in bulk, in tank trailers, from Hammond, Ind., to Detroit, Mich., for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Hammond Lead Products, Inc., 5231 Hohman Avenue (P.O. Box 308), Hammond, Ind. 46325. SEND PROTESTS TO: J. H. Gray, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 345 West Wayne St., Room 204, Fort Wayne, Ind. 46802.

No. MC 76032 (Sub-No. 303 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: NAVAJO FREIGHT LINES, INC., 1205 South Platte River Drive, Denver, Colo. 80223. Applicant's representative: Eldon E. Bresee (same address as applicant). Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Meats, meat products, meat byproducts, dairy products, articles distributed by meat packing-houses, and such commodities as are used by meat packers in the conduct of their business, when destined to and for use by meat packers, as described in Sections A, B, C, and D of Appendix I to the report in "Descriptions in Motor Carriers Certificates," 61 M.C.C. 209 and 766 (except commodities in bulk)*, from Greeley, Colo., to points in Connecticut, Delaware, Indiana, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, Virginia, and West Virginia, for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Monfort Packing Company, P.O. Box G, Greeley, Colo. SEND PROTESTS TO: District Supervisor Roger L. Buchanan, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 2022 Federal Building, Denver, Colo. 80202.

No. MC 111729 (Sub-No. 408 TA), filed November 16, 1973. Applicant: PUROLATOR COURIER CORP., 2 Nevada Drive, Lake Success, (NHP-PO) N.Y. 11040. Applicant's representative: John M. Delany (same address as applicant). Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: (1) *Business papers, records, audit and accounting media of all kinds, and advertising materials*, (a) between Park Forest, Ill., and Fort Wayne, Ind., and (b) between South Bend, Ind., and Lansing, Mich., and (2) *Computer parts, business machine parts, assemblies and supplies pertaining thereto, restricted against the transportation of packages or articles weighing in the aggregate more than 100 pounds from one consignor to one consignee on any one day*, (a) from Washington, D.C., to Frederick, Md.; (b) from Atlanta, Ga., to points in Bay, Escambia, and Okaloosa Counties, Fla., and points in Alabama, North Carolina, South Caro-

lina, and Tennessee; and (c) between points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee, on traffic having an immediately prior of subsequent movement by air, for 90 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPERS:** (1) Desa Industries, 25000 So. Western, Park Forest, Ill.; (2) F. W. Means & Company, 3701 Progress Drive, South Bend, Ill.; and (3) International Business Machines Corporation, P.O. Box #10, Princeton, N.J. 08540. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Anthony D. Gialmo, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 26 Federal Plaza, New York, N.Y. 10007.

No. MC 116282 (Sub-No. 27 TA), filed November 16, 1973. Applicant: NEIL'S BAKERY PRODUCTS TRANSPORTATION CO., 246 Broad Street, Auburn, Maine 04210. Applicant's representative: Onile P. Francoeur (same address as applicant). Authority sought to operate as a *contract carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Bakery products*, from Auburn, Maine, to points in New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and Rhode Island, restricted to transportation performed under a continuing bilateral contract with F. R. Lepage Bakery, Inc., doing business as Country Kitchen Bakers, Auburn, Maine, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** F. R. Lepage Bakery, Inc., doing business as Country Kitchen Bakers, 60 Second Street, Auburn, Maine 04210. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Donald G. Weiler, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, Rm. 307, 76 Pearl Street, Portland, Maine 04112.

No. MC 123392 (Sub-No. 58 TA), filed November 15, 1973. Applicant: JACK B. KELLEY, INC., U.S. 66 West at Kelley Drive, Route 1, Box 400, Amarillo, Tex. 79106. Applicant's representative: Weldon M. Teague (same address as applicant). Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Liquid nitrogen*, in bulk, from New Orleans, La., and its commercial zone, to Langley Field, Hampton, Va., for 90 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Curtis L. Wagner, Jr., Chief, Regulatory Law Office, U.S. Department of Defense, Washington, D.C. 20423. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Haskell E. Ballard, District Supervisor, Bureau of Operations, Interstate Commerce Commission, Box H-4395, Herring Plaza, Amarillo, Tex. 79101.

No. MC 125512 (Sub-No. 8 TA), filed November 14, 1973. Applicant: ELTON F. BURISH, Route 2, Box 58A, Marathon, Wis. 54448. Applicant's representative: Elton Burish (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a *contract carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: (1) *Wood chips*, in bulk, from Wenos Lumber Company, Watersmeet (Gogebic County), Mich., and American Can Company, Amasa (Iron County) Mich., to Wauasau Paper Mills Company, Inc., Brokaw, Wis., and American Can Company, Rothschild (both in Marathon County) Wis.;

American Can Company, Green Bay (Brown County) Wis., Weyerhaeuser Company, Marshfield (Wood County) Wis., and Owens-Illinois Company, Tomahawk (Lincoln County), Wis., under contract with American Can Company, Lake States Woodlands, Rothschild, Wis.; and (2) *Sawdust, shavings, bark, and wood waste residue* generated by manufacturing plants, in bulk, from Iron Wood Products Corp., Bessemer, Mich.; Stiegers Lumber Co., 1 mile east of Bessemer, Mich., on U.S. Highway 2 (Gogebic County), Northern Hardwoods Div./Copper Range Co., on Michigan Highway 26, near South Range (Houghton County) Mich., American Timber Homes, 1 mile north of Escanaba, Mich., at Wells, near U.S. Highway 2 (Delta County), Jurmu's Lumber, Sawing, and Planing Mill, Daggett (Menominee County), Mich., and Delta, Dickinson, and Menominee Counties, Mich., to Weyerhaeuser Company, Marshfield (Wood County) Wis., under contract with Weyerhaeuser Company, Marshfield, Wis., for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPERS:** Weyerhaeuser Co., Particle Bd. Div., 204 Willow St., Marshfield, Wis. 54449, and American Can Company, Lake States Woodlands, Highway 51, Rothschild, Wis. 54474. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Barney L. Hardin, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 139 W. Wilson St., Room 202, Madison, Wis. 53703.

No. MC 129732 (Sub-No. 5 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: EMPIRE FUEL & TRANSFER CO., 320 N. Front Street, Coos Bay, Ore. 97420. Applicant's representative: Earle V. White, 2400 SW. Fourth Avenue, Portland, Ore. 97201. Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Petroleum and petroleum products*, in bulk, between points in Coos County, Ore., on the one hand, and, on the other, points in Del Norte, Humboldt, Siskiyou, Trinity, Shasta, and Tehama Counties, Calif., for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPERS:** Ronco Oil, Inc., 1680 Ocean Blvd., Coos Bay, Ore., and Chambers Fuel Oils, Inc., 225 Lockhart Street, Coos Bay, Ore. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** A. E. Odams, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 450 Multnomah Building, 319 SW. Pine St., Portland, Ore. 97204.

No. MC 133276 (Sub-No. 11 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: BERRY TRANSPORT, INC., 11895 S. W. Cheshire, Beaverton, Ore. 97005. Applicant's representative: Nick I. Goyak, 404 Oregon National Bldg., Six Ten SW. Alder, Portland, Ore. 97205. Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *General commodities* in sea-going cargo containers, between ports of entry located in Oregon and Washington, on the one hand, and, on the other, points in Oregon and Washington, restricted to the transportation of shipments having a prior or subsequent movement by water through the ports and empty sea-going cargo containers, between points in

Oregon and Washington, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPERS:** American Mail Line Ltd., 522 Pacific Building, Portland, Ore. 97204; Port of Portland, P.O. Box 3529, Portland, Ore. 97208; General Steamship Corporation Ltd., 421 SW. Sixth Avenue, Portland, Ore. 97204; and Del Monte Corporation, 2001 Del Monte Way, P.O. Box 150, Vancouver, Wash. 98660. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** District Supervisor W. J. Huetig, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 450 Multnomah Bldg., 319 SW. Pine Street, Portland, Ore. 97204.

No. MC 133566 (Sub-No. 26 TA), filed November 16, 1973. Applicant: GANGLOFF & DOWNHAM TRUCKING CO., INC., P.O. Box 676, Logansport, Ind. 46947. Applicant's representative: Robert Gangloff (same address as applicant). Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Foodstuffs and non-edible food products* (except commodities in bulk, vehicles equipped with mechanical temperature control), from the plantsite and storage facilities of the Southern Michigan Cold Storage Company, Logansport Refrigerated Services Division at Logansport, Ind., to points in Minnesota, Iowa, Arkansas, Maine, Missouri, Louisiana, Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Vermont, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Ohio, Florida, South Carolina, Georgia, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, New York, Delaware, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, and Washington, D.C., restricted to traffic originating at the named plantsite and storage facilities and excepting commodities in bulk, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Logansport Refrigerated Services Division, Southern Michigan Cold Storage Company, RR #2, Box 94-C, Logansport, Ind. 46947. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** J. H. Gray, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 345 W. Wayne Street, Room 204, Fort Wayne, Ind. 46802.

No. MC 135713 (Sub-No. 2 TA) (CORRECTION), filed November 7, 1973, published in the FEDERAL REGISTER issue of November 26, 1973, and republished as corrected this issue. Applicant: AFRO-URBAN TRANSPORTATION, INC., 103 E. 125th Street, Brooklyn, N.Y. 10035. Applicant's representative: Charles J. Williams, 47 Lincoln Park, Newark, N.J. 07102.

NOTE.—The purpose of this partial republication is to correct the MC number to No. MC 135713 (Sub-No. 2 TA), in lieu of No. MC 135173 (Sub-No. 2 TA), which was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER in error. The rest of the application remains the same.

No. MC 138510 (Sub-No. 3 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: RICCI TRANSPORTATION CO., INC., Odessa and Aloe Streets, Pomona, N.J. 08240. Applicant's representative: Kenneth R. Davis, 999 Union Street, Taylor, Pa. 18517. Authority sought to operate as a *contract carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Malt bev-*

[Notice 164]

MOTOR CARRIER TEMPORARY AUTHORITY APPLICATIONS

NOVEMBER 29, 1973.

The following are notices of filing of application, except as otherwise specifically noted, each applicant states that there will be no significant effect on the quality of the human environment resulting from approval of its application, for temporary authority under section 210(a) of the Interstate Commerce Act provided for under the new rules of Ex Parte No. MC-67 (49 CFR Part 1131) published in the *FEDERAL REGISTER*, issue of April 27, 1965, effective July 1, 1965. These rules provide that protests to the granting of an application must be filed with the field official named in the *FEDERAL REGISTER* publication, within 15 calendar days after the date of notice of the filing of the application is published in the *FEDERAL REGISTER*. One copy of such protests must be served on the applicant, or its authorized representative, if any, and the protests must certify that such service has been made. The protests must be specific as to the service which such protestant can and will offer, and must consist of a signed original and six (6) copies.

A copy of the application is on file, and can be examined at the Office of the Secretary, Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D.C., and also in field office to which protests are to be transmitted.

MOTOR CARRIERS OF PROPERTY

No. MC 2860 (Sub-No. 138 TA), filed November 21, 1973. Applicant: NATIONAL FREIGHT, INC., 57 West Park Avenue, Vineland, N.J. 08360. Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Containers, container ends, metal and accessories and materials, equipment, and supplies used in the manufacture, sales, and distribution of containers (except commodities in bulk)*, from Albany, N.Y., to Columbus and Worthington, Ohio, for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Continental Can Company, Inc., 633 Third Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017. SEND PROTESTS TO: Richard M. Regan, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 428 East State Street, Room 204, Trenton, N.J. 08608.

No. MC 55896 (Sub-No. 43 TA), filed November 20, 1973. Applicant: R-W SERVICE SYSTEM, INC., 20225 Goddard Road, Taylor, Mich. 48180. Applicant's representative: Robert A. Sullivan, P.O. Box 400, Northville, Mich. 48167. Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle over irregular routes, transporting: *General commodities (except those of unusual value, Classes A and B explosives, household goods as defined by the Commission, commodities in bulk, commodities re-*

quiring special equipment and those injurious or contaminating to other lading) between points in Ohio, on the one hand, and, on the other, Ft. Wayne, Richmond, and Union City, Ind., for 150 days.

Note.—This application does not involve service to any new points either to or from Ft. Wayne, Richmond, or Union City, Ind., and is filed for the sole purpose of the elimination of the necessity of observing the present gateway point of Toledo, Ohio. Applicant is presently engaged in substantial operations between Indiana points, and points in Ohio and, therefore, the elimination of the gateway shall not result in service to any new points or any different service from that which has been conducted by applicant for a considerable period of time. The authority requested could be tacked at Richmond, Union City or Fort Wayne, Ind., with the existing regular routes of applicant in Indiana and Illinois pursuant to the regular route authority contained in MC 55896, particularly sheets 1 through 8 of said lead certificate. Applicant does intend to tack.

SUPPORTING SHIPPER: R-W Service System, Inc., 20225 Goddard Road, Taylor, Mich. 48180. SEND PROTESTS TO: District Supervisor Melvin F. Kirsch, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 1110 Broderick Tower, 10 Witherell, Detroit, Mich. 48226.

No. MC 61396 (Sub-No. 258 TA), filed November 20, 1973. Applicant: HERMAN BROS., INC., P.O. Box 189, Downtown Station, 2501 N. 11th Street, Omaha, Nebr. 68110. Applicant's representative: J. R. Chesney (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Gypsum rock*, in bulk, in tank trucks, from Bestwall, Kans., to Superior, Nebr., for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Ideal Cement Company, Division of Ideal Basic Industries, Inc., 821 17th St., Denver, Colo. 80202. SEND PROTESTS TO: Carroll Russell, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, Suite 620, Union Pacific Plaza Building, 110 North 14th Street, Omaha, Nebr. 68102.

No. MC 61692 (Sub-No. 17 TA), filed November 20, 1973. Applicant: WARNERS MOTOR EXPRESS, INC., West Country Club Road, Red Lion, Pa. 17356. Applicant's representative: Robert J. Gallagher, 1776 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10019. Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *New furniture, (A) from points in New Jersey, Delaware, and Maryland, to points in Pennsylvania, New York, Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, and the District of Columbia; (B) from points in Illinois and Indiana, to points in Pennsylvania, New York, Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Dela-*

erages, in containers, from Latrobe, Pa., to Atlantic City and Wildwood, N.J., under a continuing contract with Atlantic Beverage, for 150 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Atlantic Beverage, 2001-11 Baltic Avenue, Atlantic City, N.J. SEND PROTESTS TO: Richard M. Regan, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 428 East State Street, Room 204, Trenton, N.J. 08608.

No. MC 139231 (Sub-No. 1 TA), filed November 14, 1973. Applicant: MOORE HORSE TRANSPORT, LTD., 84 Thornlee Cr. N. W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada. Applicant's representative: John R. Davidson, Rm. 805 Midland Bank Bldg., Billings, Mont. 59101. Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Race and show horses and equipment, including tack, saddles, and race carts*, between the International Boundary line between the United States and Canada located in Montana; Los Angeles, Calif.; and Phoenix, Ariz., for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPERS: St. Georges Stable, Ltd., RR #8, Calgary, Alberta, Canada; Chinook Stables, Ltd., RR #8, Calgary, Alberta, Canada; Howard Laird, 320 Southampton Dr. S. W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada; Riteaway Applicators, 3621 Third St. N. E., Calgary, Alberta, Canada; W. H. Ripley, 880-407 Eighth Ave. S. W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2P 1E5; Lorne Dupont, Okotoks, Alberta, Canada; and Blue Court Stables, Ltd., RR #1, Didsbury, Alberta, Canada. SEND PROTESTS TO: Paul J. Labane, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, Rm. 222 U.S. Post Office Bldg., Billings, Mont. 59101.

No. MC 139279 TA, filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: GUY CLAIBORNE, doing business as CLAIBORNE GRAIN COMPANY, P.O. Box 162, Coyville, Kans. 66727. Applicant's representative: Lucy Kennard Bell, 910 Fairfax Building, Kansas City, Mo. 64105. Authority sought to operate as a *contract carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Scaffolding and scaffolding products, ladders, personnel/material hoist towers, concrete forms and concrete handling machinery, and shoring equipment*, between Uniontown and Allentown, Pa., points in North Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, and Illinois, for 180 days. SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Patent Scaffolding Company, a division of Harsco Corporation, 1927 Vine, Kansas City, Mo. 64108. SEND PROTESTS TO: M. E. Taylor, District Supervisor, Bureau of Operations, Interstate Commerce Commission, 501 Petroleum Bldg., Wichita, Kans. 67202.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

ROBERT L. OSWALD,
Secretary.

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ware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Florida, and the District of Columbia; (C) from points in New York, Connecticut, and Massachusetts, to points in Pennsylvania, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Virginia, Ohio, West Virginia, New Jersey, and the District of Columbia; (D) from points in Pennsylvania, to points in Maine, New York, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, the District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, and Connecticut; (E) from points in Maine and New Hampshire, to points in New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, the District of Columbia, Delaware, Maryland, Ohio, Virginia, West Virginia, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida; (F) from points in North Carolina, to points in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Rhode Island, Delaware, West Virginia, Virginia, and Maryland; (G) from points in South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida, to points in Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, the District of Columbia, Virginia, West Virginia, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, and Delaware; and (H) from points in Virginia and West Virginia, to points in Maine, New Hampshire, New York, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Jersey, the District of Columbia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Delaware, and Maryland, for 180 days.

NOTE.—The purpose of this application is to eliminate gateways.

SUPPORTING SHIPPERS: American Acme Company, Emigsville, Pa. 17318; Stirling Company, Railroad, Pa. 17355; Thonet Industries, Inc., 491 E. Princess Street, York, Pa. 17405; Cole, Division Litton Industries, Loucks Mill Road, York, Pa.; Institutional Cabinets, Inc., Reading, Pa.; Tradition House, Inc. Furniture Mfg., 482 High Street, P.O. Box 114, Hanover, Pa. 17331; and Emeco Industries, Inc., 805 Elm Avenue, Hanover, Pa. 17331. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Robert P. Amerine, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 278 Federal Building, P.O. Box 869, Harrisburg, Pa. 17108.

No. MC 102567 (Sub-No. 166 TA), filed November 21, 1973. Applicant: EARL GIBBON TRANSPORT, INC., P.O. Drawer 5357, 4294 Meadow Lane, Bosier City, La. 71010. Applicant's representative: John M. Goff (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Muriatic acid*, in bulk, in tank vehicles, from Weeks, La., to points in Alabama, Illinois, Texas, and Gary, Ind., for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Morton Chemical Company, a Division of Morton-Norwich Products, Inc., 110 North Wacker Drive, Chicago, Ill. 60606. Mr. J.L. Callaghan, Traffic Mgr. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Ray C. Armstrong, Jr., District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations,

Room T-9038 U.S. Postal Service Bldg., 701 Loyola Avenue, New Orleans, La. 70113.

No. MC 108207 (Sub-No. 378 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: FROZEN FOOD EXPRESS, 318 Cadiz Street, P.O. Box 5888, Dallas, Tex. 75207. Applicant's representative: J. B. Ham (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Foodstuffs and non-edible foods* (except commodities in bulk), from Logansport, Ind., to points in Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, Arkansas, Mississippi, Texas, Arizona, Minnesota, Oklahoma, Louisiana, New Mexico, California, and Tennessee, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Logansport Refrigerated Services Division, Southern Michigan Cold Storage Company, RR #2, Box 94-C, Logansport, Ind. 46947. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Transportation Specialist Gerald T. Holland, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 1100 Commerce Street, Room 13C12, Dallas, Tex. 75202.

No. MC 111302 (Sub-No. 73 TA), filed November 20, 1973. Applicant: HIGHWAY TRANSPORT, INC., Off.: 1500 Amherst Road, Mlg.: P.O. Box 10470, (Box ZIP 37919), Knoxville, Tenn. 37921. Applicant's representative: Bob Whitaker (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Chemicals*, in bulk, in tank vehicles, from points in Sevier County, Tenn., to points in Illinois and Ohio, for 180 days.

NOTE.—Applicant intends to tack the authority here applied for to MC 111302 and subs thereto.

SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Activated Metals & Chemicals, Inc., P.O. Box 32, Sevierville, Tenn. 37862. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Joe J. Tate, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 803 #1808 West End Building, Nashville, Tenn. 37203.

No. MC 112822 (Sub-No. 303 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: BRAY LINES INCORPORATED, 1401 N. Little Street, P.O. Box 1191, Cushing, Okla. 74023. Applicant's representative: Robert A. Stone (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Meats, meat products, meat by-products, and articles distributed by meat packing-houses*, as described in Sections A and C of Appendix I to the report in *Descriptions in Motor Carrier Certificates*, 61 M.C.C. 209 and 766, from Billings, Mont., to points in Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, New Mexico, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin, and Wyoming, for 180 days.

SUPPORTING SHIPPER: Pierce Packing Company, Walter S. Pippenger, T.M., 21 N. 15th Billings, Mont. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** District Supervisor C. L. Phillips, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, Rm. 240-Old P.O. Bldg., 215 NW. Third, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73102.

No. MC 112822 (Sub-No. 304 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: BRAY LINES INCORPORATED, 1401 N. Little Street, P.O. Box 1191, Cushing, Okla. 74023. Applicant's representative: Robert A. Stone (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Butter*, from points in California and Arizona, to Omaha, Nebr.; Chicago, Ill., and points in Wisconsin and Oklahoma, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Robert Digges, Jr., Sales, Dairy Commodities, Mulligan mmm Sales, Inc., 315 S. Mission Drive, San Gabriel, Calif. 91776. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** C. L. Phillips, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, Rm. 240, Old P.O. Bldg., Oklahoma City, Okla. 73102.

No. MC 118806 (Sub-No. 32 TA), filed November 16, 1973. Applicant: ARNOLD BROS. TRANSPORT, LTD., 739 Lagimodiere Blvd., Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. Applicant's representative: Daniel C. Sullivan, Suite 1000, 327 South La Salle Street, Chicago, Ill. 60604. Authority sought to operate as a *common carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Such commodities as are used in the manufacture of buses*, from Lima, Ohio, to the port of entry on the International Boundary line between the United States and Canada at Noyes, Minn., for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Sheller-Globe Corporation, Lima, Ohio 45801. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** J. H. Amb, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, P.O. Box 2340, Fargo, N. Dak. 58102.

No. MC 124073 (Sub-No. 8 TA), filed November 20, 1973. Applicant: ROY S. SARGEANT, INC., Box 95, Vienna, N.J. 07880. Applicant's representative: Edward F. Bowes, 744 Broad Street, Newark, N.J. 07102. Authority sought to operate as a *contract carrier*, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Frozen prepared dough, hors d'oeuvres, and cooked and uncooked, breaded and unbreaded, portion controlled seafood in the same vehicle*, from the plant site of Glidden-Durkee Division of SCM Corporation at Thorofare, N.J., to Nashua and Manchester, N.H.; Burlington, Vt.; Buffalo, Jamestown, Rochester, Newark, Newburgh, New York, Olean, Norwich, Syracuse, Schenectady, Albany, Troy, Kingston, Monticello, Utica, Milton, Ithaca, Rome, Poughkeepsie, Mineola, Farmingdale, Floral Park, and Rockville Center, N.Y.; Hamden, Waterbury, Hartford, New Haven, Stamford, Bridgeport, Norwich, Meriden, Wallingford, Danbury, and Wethersfield, Conn.; Woonsocket, Pawtucket, Providence, and Tiverton, R.I.; Springfield, Pittsfield, Boston, Wor-

cester, Southboro, Fall River, Ludlow, Brighton, Brockton, Chicopee, Everett, Medford, Norton, Raynham, and Watertown, Mass.; Manassas, Alexandria, Winchester, Norfolk, Richmond, and Roanoke, Va.; Charleston and Mt. Clare, W. Va.; Washington, D.C.; and Baltimore, Md., with no transportation for compensation on return except as otherwise authorized, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Glidden-Durkee Division of SCM Corporation, 900 Union Commerce Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio 41115. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** District Supervisor Joel Morris, Bureau of Operations, Interstate Commerce Commission, 9 Clinton Street, Newark, N.J. 07102.

No. MC 129631 (Sub-No. 40 TA), filed November 20, 1973. Applicant: **PACK TRANSPORT, INC.**, 39755 2d Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84107. Applicant's representative: Max D. Elason, P.O. Box 2602, Salt Lake City, Utah 84110. Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Gypsum wallboard, lath and plaster*, from Blue Diamond, Clark County, Nev., to points in Utah, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** The Flintkote Company, P.O. Box 2312, Terminal Annex, Los Angeles, Calif. 90051. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** District Supervisor Lyle D. Helfer, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 5239 Federal Building, 125 South State Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84138.

No. MC 135877 (Sub-No. 13 TA) (AMENDMENT), filed October 17, 1973, published in the FEDERAL REGISTER issue of November 6, 1973, and republished as amended this issue. Applicant: **RONALD R. BRADER**, doing business as **SPECIALIZED TRUCKING SERVICE**, 1508 South 4th Avenue, Yakima, Wash. 98902. Applicant's representative: Ronald R. Brader (same address as above).

NOTE.—The purpose of this partial republication is to add an additional supporting shipper. The supporting shipper is Brockway Glass Company, Incorporated, 8717 G Street, Oakland, Calif. The rest of the application will remain the same.

No. MC 136161 (Sub-No. 6 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: **ORBIT TRANSPORT, INC.**, Mfg. P.O. Box 163, Spring Valley, Ill. 61362, and Off: 500 Canal Street, La Salle, Ill. 61301. Applicant's representative: William B. Welbers (same address as above). Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Shower bath stalls*, plastic, without frames or doors, with receptors molded to walls, from Evendale, Ohio, to points in Illinois, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Robert C. Schiller, General Traffic Manager, Powers Regulator Company, 3400 Oakton Street, Skokie, Ill. 60076. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** District Supervisor Richard K. Shullaw, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, Everett McKinley Dirksen Building, 219 S. Dearborn Street, Room 1086, Chicago, Ill. 60604.

No. MC 138104 (Sub-No. 6 TA) (CORRECTION), filed October 25, 1973, published in the FEDERAL REGISTER issue of November 21, 1973, and republished as corrected this issue. Applicant: **MOORE TRANSPORTATION CO., INC.**, 3509 N. Grove, Fort Worth, Tex. 76106. Applicant's representative: Bernard H. English, 6270 Firth Road, Fort Worth, Tex. 76116.

NOTE.—The purpose of this partial republication is to correct the destination point as Barnwell County, S.C., in lieu of Barnwell, S.C., which was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER in error. The rest of the application remains the same.

No. MC 138375 (Sub-No. 10 TA), filed November 20, 1973. Applicant: **J. H. WARE TRUCKING, INC.**, 909 Brown Street, P.O. Box 398, Fulton, Mo. 65251. Applicant's representative: Larry D. Knox, 9th Floor Hubbell Building, Des Moines, Iowa 50309. Authority sought to operate as a contract carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Meat, meat products, and meat by-products*, from St. Joseph, Mo., to Philadelphia, Pa., for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Dugdale Packing Company, Traffic Manager, Robert Miller, 11th and Belle Streets, P.O. Box 697, St. Joseph, Mo. 64502. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Vernon V. Coble, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 600 Federal Office Building, 911 Walnut Street, Kansas City, Mo. 64106.

No. MC 138732 (Sub-No. 1 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: **OSTERKAMP TRUCKING, INC.**, 128 East Kattella, Orange, Calif. 92667. Applicant's representative: Jerry Solomon Berger, 9454 Wilshire Boulevard Penthouse, Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Materials, equipment, parts, and supplies* (other than bulk) used in the harvesting, cultivating, and distribution of agricultural commodities, between points in California, on the one hand, and, on the other, points in Arizona, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPERS:** Bruce Church, Inc., P.O. Box 599, Salinas, Calif. 93901; Boise Cascade Corporation, Transportation and Distribution Dept., P.O. Box 7747, Boise, Idaho 83707; The Garin Company, P.O. Drawer 1731, Salinas, Calif. 93901; Eady and Associates, P.O. Box 2040, El Centro, Calif. 92243; and Western Kraft Corporation, 19615 East Susana Road, Compton, Calif. 90221. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** District Supervisor Philip Yallowitz, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 300 North Los Angeles Street, Room 7708, Los Angeles, Calif. 90012.

No. MC 139132 (Sub-No. 2 TA), filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: **BRUCE L. MEILINK**, doing business as **MOBILE HOUSING SERVICES CO.**, 2570 Eastgate Road, Box 12, Toledo, Ohio 43614. Applicant's representative: Michael Marshall Briley, 1200 Edison Plaza, Toledo, Ohio 43604. Authority sought to operate

as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *House trailers*, from Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Mechanicsburg (Cumberland Co.) Pa.; and Horseheads, N.Y., to Forest Park, Ga.; Richmond, Ky.; Granite City, Ill.; Greenville, Miss.; and Bastrop, Tex., and restricted to transportation services to be performed for the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Department of Housing & Urban Development, Director, Emergency Preparedness Staff, 451 7th St. SW., Washington, D.C. 20410. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** Keith D. Warner, District Supervisor, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, 313 Federal Office Bldg., 234 Summit St., Toledo, Ohio 43604.

No. MC 139281 TA, filed November 19, 1973. Applicant: **THOMAS I. SWATZELL**, doing business as **TOMMY'S TRANSIT**, P.O. Box 729, Homer, Alaska 99603. Applicant's representative: A. Robert Hahn, Jr., 542 West Second Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska 99501. Authority sought to operate as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, over irregular routes, transporting: *Timber cants*, between all points on the Kenai Peninsula, Alaska, for 180 days. **SUPPORTING SHIPPER:** Westerness, Inc., P.O. Box 162, Anchor Point, Alaska 99556. **SEND PROTESTS TO:** District Supervisor Hugh H. Chaffee, Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Operations, Room G-31 Federal Building, P.O. Box 1532, Anchorage, Alaska 99510.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ROBERT L. OSWALD,
Secretary.

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PENN CENTRAL TRANSPORTATION CO.

Rerouting or Diversion of Traffic

Upon further consideration of I.C.C. Order No. 88 (Penn Central Transportation Company, George P. Baker, Richard C. Bond, and Jervis Langdon, Jr., Trustees) and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered, That:

I.C.C. Order No. 88 be, and it is hereby, amended by substituting the following paragraph (g) for paragraph (g) thereof:

(g) *Expiration date.* This order shall expire at 11:59 p.m., April 30, 1974, unless otherwise modified, changed, or suspended.

It is further ordered, That this amendment shall become effective at 11:59 p.m., November 30, 1973, and that this order shall be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of all railroads subscribing to the car service and car hire agreement under the terms of that agreement, and upon the American Short Line Railroad Association; and that it be filed with the Director, Office of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D.C., November 26, 1973.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE
COMMISSION,
[SEAL] R. D. PFAHLER,
Agent.

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ST. LOUIS-SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY CO.

Rerouting or Diversion of Traffic

Upon further consideration of I.C.C. Order No. 110 (St. Louis-San Francisco

Railway Company) and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered, That:

I.C.C. Order No. 110 be, and it is hereby, amended by substituting the following paragraph (g) for paragraph (g) thereof:

(g) *Expiration date.* This order shall expire at 11:59 p.m., December 31, 1973, unless otherwise modified, changed, or suspended.

It is further ordered, That this amendment shall become effective at 11:59 p.m., November 30, 1973, and that this order shall be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Divi-

sion, as agent of all railroads subscribing to the car service and car hire agreement under the terms of that agreement, and upon the American Short Line Railroad Association; and that it be filed with the Director, Office of the Federal Register.

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Grain Mills

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[40 CFR Part 406]

EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS GUIDELINES FOR EXISTING SOURCES AND STANDARDS OF PERFORMANCE AND PRETREATMENT STANDARDS FOR NEW SOURCES

Grain Mills Point Source Category

Notice is hereby given that effluent limitations guidelines for existing sources and standards of performance and pretreatment standards for new sources set forth in tentative form below are proposed by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for the corn wet milling subcategory (Subpart A), the corn dry milling subcategory (Subpart B), the normal wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart C), the bulgur wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart D), the normal rice milling subcategory (Subpart E), and the parboiled rice processing subcategory (Subpart F), of the grain mills category of point sources pursuant to sections 301, 304 (b) and (c), 306(b) and 307(c) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251, 1311, 1314 (b) and (c), 1316(b) and 1317(c); 86 Stat. 816 et seq.; Pub. L. 92-500) (the "Act").

(a) *Legal authority.*—(1) *Existing point sources.* Section 301(b) of the Act requires the achievement by not later than July 1, 1977, of effluent limitations for point sources, other than publicly owned treatment works, which require the application of the best practicable control technology currently available as defined by the Administrator pursuant to section 304(b) of the Act. Section 301(b) also requires the achievement by not later than July 1, 1983, of effluent limitations for point sources, other than publicly owned treatment works, which require the application of best available technology economically achievable which will result in reasonable further progress toward the national goal of eliminating the discharge of all pollutants, as determined in accordance with regulations issued by the Administrator pursuant to section 304(b) of the Act.

Section 304(b) of the Act requires the Administrator to publish regulations providing guidelines for effluent limitations setting forth the degree of effluent reduction attainable through the application of the best practicable control technology currently available and the degree of effluent reduction attainable through the application of the best control measures and practices achievable including treatment techniques, process and procedure innovations, operating methods and other alternatives. The regulations proposed herein set forth effluent limitations guidelines, pursuant to section 304(b) of the Act, for the corn wet milling subcategory (Subpart A), the corn dry milling subcategory (Subpart B), the normal wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart C), the bulgur wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart D), the normal rice milling subcategory (Subpart E), and the parboiled rice proc-

essing subcategory (Subpart F), of the grain mills category.

(2) *New sources.* Section 306 of the Act requires the achievement by new sources of a Federal standard of performance providing for the control of the discharge of pollutants which reflects the greatest degree of effluent reduction which the Administrator determines to be achievable through application of the best available demonstrated control technology, processes, operating methods, or other alternatives, including, where practicable, a standard permitting no discharge of pollutants.

Section 306(b)(1)(B) of the Act requires the Administrator to propose regulations establishing Federal standards of performance for categories of new sources included in a list published pursuant to section 306(b)(1)(A) of the Act. The Administrator published in the FEDERAL REGISTER of January 16, 1973 (38 FR 1624) a list of 27 source categories, including the grain mills manufacturing category. The regulations proposed herein set forth the standards of performance applicable to new sources for the corn wet milling subcategory (Subpart A), the corn dry milling subcategory (Subpart B), the normal wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart C), the bulgur wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart D), the normal rice milling subcategory (Subpart E), and the parboiled rice processing subcategory (Subpart F), of the grain mills category.

Section 307(c) of the Act requires the Administrator to promulgate pretreatment standards for new sources at the same time that standards of performance for new sources are promulgated pursuant to section 306. Sections 406.15, 406.25, 406.35, 406.45, 406.55, and 406.65, proposed below provide pretreatment standards for new sources within the corn wet milling subcategory (Subpart A), the corn dry milling subcategory (Subpart B), the normal wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart C), the bulgur wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart D), the normal rice milling subcategory (Subpart E), and the parboiled rice processing subcategory (Subpart F), of the grain mills category.

Section 304(c) of the Act requires the Administrator to issue to the States and appropriate water pollution control agencies information on the processes, procedures or operating methods which result in the elimination or reduction of the discharge of pollutants to implement standards of performance under section 306 of the Act. The Development Document referred to below provides, pursuant to section 304(c) of the Act, information on such processes, procedures or operating methods.

(b) *Summary and Basis of Proposed Effluent Limitations Guidelines for Existing Sources and Standards of Performance and Pretreatment Standards for New Sources.*

(1) *General methodology.* The effluent limitations guidelines and standards of performance proposed herein were developed in the following manner. The point source category was first studied

for the purpose of determining whether separate limitations and standards are appropriate for different segments within the category. This analysis included a determination of whether differences in raw material used, product produced, manufacturing process employed, age, size, waste water constituents and other factors require development of separate limitations and standards for different segments of the point source category. The raw waste characteristics for each such segment were then identified. This included an analysis of (1) the source, flow and volume of water used in the process employed and the sources of waste and waste waters in the operation; and (2) the constituents of all waste water. The constituents of the waste waters which should be subject to effluent limitations guidelines and standards of performance were identified.

The control and treatment technologies existing within each segment were identified. This included an identification of each distinct control and treatment technology, including both in-plant and end-of-process technologies, which are existent or capable of being designed for each segment. It also included an identification of, in terms of the amount of constituents and the chemical, physical, and biological characteristics of pollutants, the effluent level resulting from the application of each of the technologies. The problems, limitations and reliability of each treatment and control technology were also identified. In addition, the nonwater-quality environmental impact, such as the effects of the application of such technologies upon other pollution problems, including air, solid waste, noise and radiation, was identified. The energy requirements of each control and treatment technology were determined as well as the cost of the application of such technologies.

The information, as outlined above, was then evaluated in order to determine what levels of technology constitute the "best practicable control technology currently available," "the best available technology economically achievable" and the "best available demonstrated control technology, processes, operating methods, or other alternatives." In identifying such technologies, various factors were considered. These included the total cost of application of technology in relation to the effluent reduction benefits to be achieved from such application, the age of equipment and facilities involved, the process employed, the engineering aspects of the application of various types of control techniques, process changes, nonwater-quality environmental impact (including energy requirements) and other factors.

The data upon which the above analysis was performed included EPA permit applications, EPA sampling and inspections, consultant reports, and industry submissions.

The pretreatment standards proposed herein are intended to be complementary to the pretreatment standards proposed for existing sources under Part 128 of this Title. The basis for such standards

is set forth in the FEDERAL REGISTER of July 19, 1973, 38 FR 19236. The provisions of Part 128 are equally applicable to sources which would constitute "new sources," under section 306 if they were to discharge pollutants directly to navigable waters, except for § 128.133. That section provides a pretreatment standard for "incompatible pollutants" which requires application of the "best practicable control technology currently available," subject to an adjustment for amounts of pollutants removed by the publicly owned treatment works. Since the pretreatment standards proposed herein apply to new sources, §§ 406.15, 406.25, 406.35, 406.45, 406.55, and 406.65 below amend § 128.133 to require application of the standard of performance for new sources rather than the "best practicable" standard applicable to existing sources under sections 301 and 304 (b) of the Act.

(2) Summary of conclusions with respect to the corn wet milling subcategory (Subpart A), the corn dry milling subcategory (Subpart B), the normal wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart C), the bulgur wheat flour milling subcategory (Subpart D), the normal rice milling subcategory (Subpart E), and the parboiled rice processing subcategory (Subpart F), of the grain mills category.

(i) *Categorization.* For the purpose of establishing effluent limitations guidelines and standards of performance, the grain mills category was subcategorized into: Corn wet milling, corn dry milling, normal wheat flour milling, bulgur wheat flour milling, normal rice milling, and parboiled rice processing. Two factors namely raw materials and production processes, provided a basis for subcategorization. Factors such as age, size of plant, waste characteristics and waste control technologies were considered not to justify further segmentation of the industry.

(1) Subpart A—Corn Wet Milling Subcategory: Corn wet milling has the most complex operations of any of the grain milling subcategories. The processing begins with dry cleaning of the shelled corn, followed by softening of the kernels in the steeping process, and then wet milling. The latter operation separates the germ, starch, gluten and hulls. Further wet processing may be used to produce corn oil, regular and modified starches, corn syrup, dextrose and animal feed.

(2) Subpart B—Corn Dry Milling Subcategory: Corn dry milling differs in almost all respects from wet milling except in the raw materials used. After the corn is washed only dry processes are used to produce the final products: corn meal, grits, flour, oil and animal feed.

(3) Subpart C—Normal Wheat Flour Milling Subcategory: Preparation of wheat into ground flour or granular products is fundamentally a dry milling process, which distinguishes it from the production of bulgur flour. After cleaning with water or air, moisture is added in a tempering process with no water discharged, followed by dry milling. This

process separates the germ and bran from the flour.

(4) Subpart D—Bulgur Wheat Flour Milling Subcategory: Bulgur production differs from normal wheat flour milling in that the wheat is parboiled, and dried before milling.

(5) Subpart E—Normal Rice Milling Subcategory: Milling of rice differs from other cereal milling in that the product is the whole grain rather than flour or meal. Rough rice is first cleaned and then milled to remove hulls, bran and germ. The polished rice is then enriched with vitamins and minerals before packaging. Rice hulls, bran, polish and small pieces of the grain may be sold separately or combined into so called mill-feed for animals.

(6) Subpart F—Parboiled Rice Processing Subcategory: The production of parboiled rice differs from normal rice milling only in the soaking and cooking operations known as parboiling.

(ii) *Waste Characteristics.* The significant pollutant parameters contained in waste waters resulting from the milling and processing of grain are BOD₅, total suspended nonfilterable solids, and pH. These parameters, if controlled to the extent described in these proposed regulations, will adequately control the major organic and inorganic pollutants. Other pollutants which are discharged by grain mills are dissolved solids, nitrogen, phosphorus and temperature. The nutrients are present in concentrations equal to or less than that found in municipal waste waters. Moderate amounts of dissolved solids are present in corn wet milling wastes. As for temperature, process waste waters, when treated, require either cooling before treatment or are normally cooled by aeration during treatment.

(iii) *Origin of waste water pollutants in the grain processing subcategories.* (1) Subpart A—Corn Wet Milling Subcategory: Corn wet milling uses more water and generates more waste water than any other grain milling process. The major waste contributions are: Condensates from steepwater evaporation, cooling water from once-through barometric condensers, waste water from modified starch production, and waste water from activated carbon and ion exchange and evaporation of syrup in the syrup refining operation. Raw waste waters discharged from wet corn milling plants range from 0.75 to 30 mgd. The average amount of BOD₅ in these discharges is 415 lbs/MSBu.

(2) Subpart B—Corn Dry Milling Subcategory: The waste waters generated in this subcategory are from the washing of corn and ear washing. The wash water is normally screened or settled to recover solids for feed, and then it is discharged from the plant. Most corn dry mills discharge to municipal systems. The maximum discharge from corn dry milling plants is about 0.24 mgd. The raw waste water BOD₅ values are about 60 lbs/MSBu.

(3) Subpart C—Normal Wheat Flour Milling Subcategory: Of the more than two hundred plants in this subcategory,

only a few are cleaning with water. Ordinarily there is no process waste water generated.

(4) Subpart D—Bulgur Wheat Flour Milling Subcategory: The few bulgur wheat mills in the United States generate small quantities of waste water (.01 to .03 mgd) and all of them discharge to municipal systems. The waste waters contain only moderately high BOD₅ and suspended solids which result from the steaming and cooking operations.

(5) Subpart E—Normal Rice Milling Subcategory: Normal rice milling is a dry process and does not generate waste water.

(6) Subpart F—Parboiled Rice Processing Subcategory: Parboiled rice production involves dry cleaning of the rice, steeping, cooking, drying, cooling, and finally milling. Waste waters are generated in small amounts (0.1 mgd) from the steeping, cooling and drying operations, and the waste may be characterized as having a high soluble BOD₅ and low suspended solids level. The average BOD₅ loading is 0.18 lbs/cwt.

(iv) *Treatment and control technology techniques.* Treatment techniques for grain milling wastes are tried and proven biological treatment systems. Bulking problems have existed in the past with some of these high strength wastes due to surges in both strength and volumes of process waste waters, and changes in product mix and pH. With proper design of equalization basins, aeration tanks, in plant control, etc., bulking problems should be greatly minimized.

(v) *Treatment and control technology within subcategories.* Waste water treatment and control technologies have been studied for each subcategory of the industry to determine what is (a) the best practicable control technology currently available, (b) the best available technology economically achievable, and (c) the best available demonstrated control technology, processes, operating methods or other alternatives.

(1) Treatment in corn wet milling subcategory: The best practicable control technology currently available involves a combination of in-plant changes and end-of-pipe treatment. Discharge of once-through barometric cooling water should be eliminated by recirculating over cooling towers or by replacing the barometric condensers with surface condensers. If cooling towers are used, the blowdown should be sent to the treatment system. In the case of surface condensers, the condensate should be treated. To reduce carry over of organics in evaporators, modern entrainment separators should be installed in steepwater and syrup evaporators. Treatment of process waste waters should include equalization, neutralization, biological treatment and solids separation.

The requirements for the best available technology economically achievable include increased water reuse at all plants over and above the current practice, improved solids recovery at individual waste sources, and deep bed filtration of treated waste water for additional solids removal.

New source performance standards are the same as for the best available technology economically achievable.

(2) Treatment in corn dry milling subcategory: The best practicable control technology currently available for the corn dry milling subcategory is essentially biological treatment followed by solids separation. Little can be done to reduce the waste load in-plant since the waste water is generated almost exclusively in corn washing. Car washing waters should be piped to the treatment system.

Solids separation represents the addition that must be made to the best practicable control technology currently available to meet the requirements of best available technology economically achievable.

The new source performance standards require the same level of technology as the best available technology economically achievable.

(3) Treatment in normal wheat flour milling subcategory: The best practicable control technology currently available for normal wheat milling is no discharge of process waste water pollutants to navigable waters. Where wet cleaning methods are used, dry cleaning of grain can be instituted.

Best available technology economically achievable and new source performance standards also involve no discharge of process waste water pollutants to navigable waters.

(4) Treatment in bulgur wheat flour milling subcategory: For bulgur wheat flour milling the best practicable control technology currently available is biological treatment comparable to activated sludge followed by solids separation.

Best available technology economically achievable may be obtained by addition of solids filtration to the best practicable control technology currently available. This level of treatment will also meet the new source performance standards.

(5) Treatment in normal rice milling subcategory: The best practicable control technology currently available for normal rice milling is no discharge of process waste water pollutants to navigable waters.

Best available technology economically achievable and new source performance standards also involve no discharge of process waste water pollutants to navigable waters.

(6) Treatment in parboiled rice processing subcategory: The best practicable control technology currently available in parboiled rice processing is biological treatment comparable to activated sludge followed by solids separation.

Best available technology economically achievable and new source performance standards may be obtained by addition of solids filtration to best practicable technology currently available.

(vi) Cost and energy requirements. The cost and energy requirements of the recommended technologies have been investigated. In the corn wet milling subcategory, the investment costs for a typical size plant (60,000 standard bushels/day) are \$2,544,000 exclusive of land cost

for the best practicable control technology currently available. Since only four wet corn mills are affected and they all have treatment installations in place, the added costs to meet the limitations will be less than the cost quoted in each case. One of these mills presently meets the effluent level achievable by application of the best practicable control technology currently available.

The power requirements for the application of the best practicable control technology currently available for a medium sized corn wet mill plant are estimated to be 450kw (600 hp).

The investment costs of the recommended best practicable control technology currently available for a typical plant in each of the other subcategories are as follows:

Corn dry milling	\$291,000
Bulgar wheat flour	24,000
Parboiled rice	313,000

No significant energy requirements are involved. The investment cost of applying the recommended best available technology economically achievable for a typical plant in each of the subcategories is shown below:

These costs include those for applying the best practicable control technology currently available.

Corn wet milling	\$2,832,000
Corn dry milling	323,000
Bulgar wheat flour	93,000
Parboiled rice	342,000

No significant additional energy requirements over the best practicable control technology currently available will be necessary to apply the best available technology economically achievable.

(vii) Establishing daily maximum limitations. The daily maximum limitations for the effluent characteristics for each subcategory with allowable discharges are 3.0 times the 30-day limitations. These limitations take into account the variability of raw waste loads and resultant effluents in the grain mills category. They were based on an analysis of the data gathered during the preparation of the Development Document.

(viii) Nonwater quality environmental impact. The principal nonwater quality environmental impact attributable to the control and treatment technologies proposed is disposal as a solid waste of the sludge generated from the biological treatment systems. Several avenues are available for the disposal of these solids including digestion and landfill, incineration, and other conventional methods for handling biological solids. Corn wet milling generates the greatest amounts of sludge of any of the subcategories. It is known that several plants return these solids to the process stream, presumably for animal feed. Several methods for accomplishing this can be suggested including centrifugation, vacuum filtration, and direct addition to evaporators.

(ix) Economic impact analysis. A study conducted by EPA has concluded that although there could be pressure on prices in one subcategory of the grain mills point source category of nearly 2.0

percent, plant closures attributable to the suggested guidelines appear improbable. As a result, employment and community impacts are minimal. No balance of trade problems exist.

Of all the subcategories, corn wet milling is the most affected by the recommended effluent standards. Only 5 of 17 existing plants currently discharge directly to surface waters. One of these will be discharging to a municipal system in the near future. The other 4 plants represent 23 percent of industry capacity. These plants may increase prices 1.2-1.9 percent to cover pollution controls. However, due to the competitiveness of the industry, the few firms who must treat their own wastes will probably have difficulty passing on their costs fully. The final effect may be a mild curtailment of industry growth.

The report entitled "Development Document for Proposed Effluent Limitations Guidelines and New Source Performance Standards for the Grain Processing Segment of the Grain Mills Point Source Category" details the analysis undertaken in support of the regulations being proposed herein and is available for inspection in the EPA Information Center, Room 227, West Tower, Waterside Mall, Washington, D.C., at all EPA regional offices, and at State water pollution control offices. A supplementary analysis prepared for EPA of the possible economic effects of the proposed regulations is also available for inspection at these locations. Copies of both of these documents are being sent to persons or institutions affected by the proposed regulations, or who have placed themselves on a mailing list for this purpose (see EPA's Advance Notice of Public Review Procedures, 38 FR 21202, August 6, 1973). An additional limited number of copies of both reports are available. Persons wishing to obtain a copy may write the EPA Information Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, D.C. 20460. Attention: Mr. Philip B. Wisman.

(c) Summary of public participation. Prior to this publication, the agencies and groups listed below were consulted and given an opportunity to participate in the development of effluent limitations guidelines and standards proposed for the grain mills manufacturing category. All participating agencies have been informed of project developments. An initial draft of the Development Document was sent to all participants and comments were solicited on that report. The following are the principal agencies and groups consulted: (1) Effluent Standards and Water Quality Information Advisory Committee (established under section 515 of the Act); (2) all State and U.S. Territory Pollution Control Agencies; (3) New England Interstate Water Pollution Control Commission; (4) Ohio River Valley Sanitation Commission; (5) Delaware River Basin Commission; (6) American Society of Mechanical Engineers; (7) American Society of Chemical Engineers; (8) Hudson River Sloop Restoration, Inc.; (9) Conservation Foundation; (10) Environmental Defense Fund; (11) Natural Resources Defense Council;

(12) Water Pollution Control Federation; (13) National Wildlife Federation; (14) U.S. Department of Commerce; (15) U.S. Department of Interior; (16) Water Resources Council; (17) U.S. Department of Agriculture; (18) U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; (19) Corn Refiners Association, Inc.; (20) American Corn Millers Federation; (21) Rice Millers Association; (22) Miller's National Federation; (23) National Soft Wheat Millers Association; and (24) Protein Cereal Products Institute.

The following organizations responded with comments: Effluent Standards and Water Quality Information Advisory Committee; U.S. Department of the Interior; American Corn Millers Federation; Corn Refiners Association, Inc.; California Water Resources Control Board; Delaware River Basin Commission; Water Pollution Control Federation; Texas Water Quality Board; U.S. Department of Agriculture; State of North Carolina, Department of Natural and Economic Resources; U.S. Department of Commerce; U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; State of Illinois; and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation.

The primary issues raised in the development of these proposed effluent limitations guidelines and standards of performance and the treatment of these issues herein are as follows:

1. A major objection to the guidelines as recommended in the Development Document was the supposed implication that the pollutant limitations represent maximum allowable discharge limits. In addition, the setting of pollutant limitations without regard to the inherent variability of raw waste loads from this industry was also criticized. The limitations as recommended in the draft report to EPA were intended to be the average maximum of any thirty consecutive days, and are so stated in the proposed regulations. As recognized in the Development Document, variability in effluent concentrations is due to variations in raw waste load (especially shock loads) and changes in raw waste composition, as well as poor operation and design of treatment facilities. A number of recommendations are made in the report to minimize upsets caused by the above factors. However, in view of the inherent variability of wastes in this industry, the proposed regulations allow a daily maximum of three times the monthly average. This limitation is attainable and realistic based on the data available.

2. Industry was concerned that no allowance would be made for auxiliary wastes when applying these regulations. The regulations as proposed only pertain to process waste waters, and should not be construed as limiting auxiliary waste waters. Guidelines will be set at a later date for such wastes.

3. Extensive comments were made as regards the cost information. One industry comment contained detailed costs apparently much higher than the estimates

in the Development Document. If the latter cost figures based on 1971 dollars are adjusted to present costs, the investment cost is only 11 percent less than the industry estimate. This difference is mainly due to the costs of in-plant controls. Cost estimates for in-plant controls were not included for the hypothetical plant used in the Development Document. This plant was assumed to have good in-plant control practices, a situation which exists at many grain mills.

4. Other comments questioned the applicability of deep bed filtration to treated wastes from corn wet mills. It is true that this technique for removing suspended solids after biological treatment is not in wide use. However, there is no evidence that it cannot be applied to the grain milling industry. With the in-plant controls and treatment suggested in the Development Document for 1983, upsets in the biological system will be minimized allowing application of the deep bed filtration technique. It should be noted that at least one corn wet mill is presently installing a biological system with deep bed filtration and has apparently concluded that such a system is indeed workable.

5. Comments have been received to the effect that use of a range of effluent values in the corn wet milling and corn dry milling point source subcategories of the grain milling category is necessary to enable the permit-issuing authority to give adequate recognition to the various considerations set forth in section 304(b) of the Act. Comments have also been received questioning whether the treatment system proposed as best practicable control technology currently available can in fact consistently comply with the proposed 30 day average and maximum daily effluent limitations.

We specifically request comments and data on these points; and if alternatives to this regulation are offered (in accordance with the above request), we further request full background data and documentation to enable the Environmental Protection Agency to make a further judgment on the alternatives.

In addition during the public comment period for these guidelines we would appreciate further information on the potential economic impact on this industry. We would specifically like to receive more data pertinent to: (a) The number of plants and plant size, by type of plant; (b) revenues; (c) investment expenditures; (d) in-plant modification costs; (e) whether discharge is to a municipal system or to surface water; and (g) land requirements and availability of land for installation of waste treatment facilities.

Interested persons may participate in this rulemaking by submitting written comments in triplicate to the EPA Information Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, D.C. 20460, Attention: Mr. Philip B. Wisman. Comments on all aspects of the proposed regulations are solicited. In the event comments are in the nature of criticisms as to the adequacy of data which is

available, or which may be relied upon by the Agency, comments should identify and, if possible, provide any additional data which may be available and should indicate why such data is essential to the development of the regulations. In the event comments address the approach taken by the agency in establishing an effluent limitation guideline or standard of performance, EPA solicits suggestions as to what alternative approach should be taken and why and how this alternative better satisfies the detailed requirements of sections 301, 304(b), 306 and 307 of the Act.

A copy of all public comments will be available for inspection and copying at the EPA Information Center, Room 227, West Tower, Waterside Mall, 401 M Street SW., Washington, D.C. A copy of preliminary draft contractor reports, the Development Document and economic study referred to above, and certain supplementary materials supporting the study of the industry concerned will also be maintained at this location for public review and copying. The EPA information regulation, 40 CFR Part 2, provides that a reasonable fee may be charged for copying.

All comments received on or before January 4, 1974 will be considered. Steps previously taken by the Environmental Protection Agency to facilitate public response within this time period are outlined in the advance notice concerning public review procedures published on August 6, 1973 (38 FR 21202).

Dated November 21, 1973.

JOHN QUARLES,
Acting Administrator.

PART 406—EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS GUIDELINES FOR EXISTING SOURCES AND STANDARDS OF PERFORMANCE AND PRETREATMENT STANDARDS FOR NEW SOURCES FOR THE GRAIN MILLS POINT SOURCE CATEGORY

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Subpart A—Corn Wet Milling Subcategory
§ 406.10 Applicability; description of corn wet milling subcategory.

The provisions of this subpart are applicable to discharges resulting from the process in which shelled corn is steeped in a dilute solution of sulfurous acid and then processed by wet means into such products as animal feed, regular and modified starches, corn oil, corn syrup, and dextrose.

§ 406.11 Specialized definitions.

For the purposes of this subpart:

(a) The term "corn" shall mean the shelled corn delivered to a plant before processing.

(b) The term "standard bushel" shall mean a bushel of shelled corn weighing 56 pounds.

(c) The following abbreviations shall have the following meanings: (1) "BOD5" shall mean five day biochemical oxygen demand; (2) "TSS" shall mean total suspended nonfilterable solids; (3) "kg" shall mean kilogram(s); (4) "kkg" shall mean 1000 kilograms; (5) "lb" shall mean pound(s); and (6) "MSBu" shall mean 1000 standard bushels.

§ 406.12 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best practicable control technology currently available.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best practicable control technology currently available by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

<i>Effluent characteristics</i>	<i>Effluent limitations</i>
BOD5-----	Maximum for any one day 2.67 kg/kkg of corn (150 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.89 kg/kkg of corn (50.0 lb/MSBu)
TSS-----	Maximum for any one day 1.86 kg/kkg of corn (105 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.62 kg/kkg of corn (35.0 lb/MSBu)
pH-----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.13 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best available technology economically achievable.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best available technology economically achievable by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

<i>Effluent characteristics</i>	<i>Effluent limitations</i>
BOD5-----	Maximum for any one day 1.08 kg/kkg of corn (60.0 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.36 kg/kkg of corn (20.0 lb/MSBu)
TSS-----	Maximum for any one day 0.54 kg/kkg of corn (30.0 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.18 kg/kkg of corn (10.0 lb/MSBu)
pH-----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.14 Standards of performance for new sources.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged reflecting the greatest degree of effluent reduction achievable through application of the best available demonstrated control technology, processes, operating methods, or other alternatives, including, where practicable, a standard permitting no discharge of pollutants by a new point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

<i>Effluent characteristics</i>	<i>Effluent limitations</i>
BOD5-----	Maximum for any one day 1.08 kg/kkg of corn (60.0 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.36 kg/kkg of corn (20.0 lb/MSBu)
TSS-----	Maximum for any one day 0.54 kg/kkg of corn (30.0 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.18 kg/kkg of corn (10.0 lb/MSBu)
pH-----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.15 Pretreatment standards for new sources.

The pretreatment standards under section 307(c) of the Act, for a source within the corn wet milling subcategory which is an industrial user of a publicly owned treatment works, (and which would be a new source subject to section 306 of the Act, if it were to discharge pollutants to navigable waters), shall be the standard set forth in Part 128 of this title, except that for the purposes of this section, § 128.133 of this title shall be amended to read as follows: "In addition to the prohibitions set forth in § 128.131 of this title, the pretreatment standard for incompatible pollutants introduced into a publicly owned treatment works by a major contributing industry shall be the standard of performance for new sources specified in § 406.14. *Provided That*, if the publicly owned treatment works which receives the pollutants is committed, in its NPDES permit, to remove a specified percentage of any incompatible pollutant,

the pretreatment standard applicable to users of such treatment works shall be correspondingly reduced for that pollutant."

Subpart B—Corn Dry Milling Subcategory

§ 406.20 Applicability; description of corn dry milling subcategory.

The provisions of this subpart are applicable to discharges resulting from the process in which shelled corn is washed and subsequently milled by dry processes into such products as corn meal, grits, flour, oil and animal feed.

§ 406.21 Specialized definitions.

For the purposes of this subpart:

(a) The term "corn" shall mean the shelled corn delivered to a plant before processing.

(b) The term "standard bushel" shall mean a bushel of shelled corn weighing 56 pounds.

(c) The following abbreviations shall have the following meanings: (1) "BOD5" shall mean five day biochemical oxygen demand; (2) "TSS" shall mean total suspended nonfilterable solids; (3) "kg" shall mean kilogram(s); (4) "kkg" shall mean 1000 kilograms; (5) "lb" shall mean pound(s); and (6) "MSBu" shall mean 1000 standard bushels.

§ 406.22 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best practicable control technology currently available.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best practicable control technology currently available by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

Effluent characteristic	Effluent limitation
BOD5-----	Maximum for any one day 0.21 kg/kkg of corn (12.0 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.071 kg/kkg of corn (4.0 lb/MSBu)
TSS-----	Maximum for any one day 0.18 kg/kkg of corn (10.5 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.062 kg/kkg of corn (3.5 lb/MSBu)
pH-----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.23 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best available technology economically achievable.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best available technology economically achievable by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

Effluent characteristics	Effluent limitations
BOD5-----	Maximum for any one day 0.11 kg/kkg of corn (6.0 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.036 kg/kkg of corn (2.0 lb/MSBu)
TSS-----	Maximum for any one day 0.054 kg/kkg of corn (3.0 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.018 kg/kkg of corn (1.0 lb/MSBu)
pH-----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.24 Standards of performance for new sources.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged reflecting the greatest degree of effluent reduction achievable through application of the best available demonstrated control technology, processes, operating methods, or other alternatives, including, where practicable, a standard permitting no discharge of pollutants by a new point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

Effluent characteristics	Effluent limitations
BOD5-----	Maximum for any one day 0.10 kg/kkg of corn (6.0 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.036 kg/kkg of corn (2.0 lb/MSBu)
TSS-----	Maximum for any one day 0.054 kg/kkg of corn (3.0 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.018 kg/kkg of corn (1.0 lb/MSBu)
pH-----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.25 Pretreatment standards for new sources.

The pretreatment standards under section 307(c) of the Act, for a source within the corn dry milling subcategory which is an industrial user of a publicly owned treatment works (and which would be a new source subject to section 306 of the Act, if it were to discharge pollutants to navigable waters), shall be the standard set forth in Part 128 of this title, except that for the purposes of this section, § 128.133 of this title shall be amended to read as follows: "In addition to the prohibitions set forth in § 128.131 of this title, the pretreatment standard for incompatible pollutants introduced into a publicly owned treatment works by a major contributing industry shall be the standard of performance for new sources specified in § 406.24: *Provided*, That, if the publicly owned treatment works which receives the pollutants is committed, in its NPDES permit, to re-

move a specified percentage of any incompatible pollutant, the pretreatment standard applicable to users of such treatment works shall be correspondingly reduced for that pollutant."

Subpart C—Normal Wheat Flour Milling Subcategory

§ 406.30 Applicability; description of normal wheat flour milling subcategory.

The provisions of this subpart are applicable to discharges resulting from the processes in which wheat and other grains are milled by dry processes into flour and millfeed.

§ 406.31 Specialized definitions.

For the purposes of this subpart:

(a) The term "process waste water" shall mean any water which during the manufacturing process, comes into direct contact with any raw material, intermediate product, by-product or product used in or resulting from normal wheat flour milling.

(b) The term "process waste water pollutants" shall mean pollutants contained in process waste waters.

(c) The term "wheat" shall mean wheat delivered to a plant before processing.

§ 406.32 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best practicable control technology currently available.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best practicable control technology currently available by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart: No discharge of process waste water pollutants to navigable waters.

§ 406.33 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best available technology economically achievable.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best available technology economically achievable by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart: No discharge of process waste water pollutants to navigable waters.

§ 406.34 Standards of performance for new sources.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged reflecting the greatest degree of effluent reduction achievable through application of the best available demonstrated control technology, processes, operating methods, or other alternatives, including, where practicable, a standard permitting no discharge of pollutants by a new point source subject to the provisions of this subpart: No discharge of

process waste water pollutants to navigable waters.

§ 406.35 Pretreatment standards for new sources.

The pretreatment standards under section 307(c) of the Act, for a source within the normal wheat flour milling subcategory which is an industrial user of a publicly owned treatment works (and which would be a new source subject to section 306 of the Act, if it were to discharge pollutants to navigable waters), shall be the standard set forth in Part 128 of this title, except that for the purposes of this section, § 128.133 of this title shall be amended to read as follows: "In addition to the prohibitions set forth in § 128.131 of this title the pretreatment standard for incompatible pollutants introduced into a publicly owned treatment works by a major contributing industry shall be the standard of performance for new sources specified in § 406.34. *Provided* That, if the publicly owned treatment works which receives the pollutants is committed, in its NPDES permit, to remove a specified percentage of any incompatible pollutant, the pretreatment standard applicable to users of such treatment works shall be correspondingly reduced for that pollutant."

Subpart D—Bulgar Wheat Flour Milling Subcategory

§ 406.40 Applicability; description of bulgar wheat flour milling subcategory.

The provisions of this subpart are applicable to discharges resulting from the process in which wheat is parboiled, dried, and partially debranned in the production of bulgar.

§ 406.41 Specialized definitions.

For the purposes of this subpart:

(a) The term "wheat" shall mean wheat delivered to a plant before processing.

(b) The term "standard bushel" shall mean a bushel of wheat weighing 60 pounds.

(c) The following abbreviations shall have the following meanings: (1) "BOD5" shall mean five day biochemical oxygen demand; (2) "TSS" shall mean total suspended nonfilterable solids; (3) "kg" shall mean kilogram(s); (4) "kkg" shall mean 1000 kilograms; (5) "lb" shall mean pound(s); and (6) "MSBu" shall mean 1000 standard bushels.

§ 406.42 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best practicable control technology currently available.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best practicable control technology currently available by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

<i>Effluent characteristic</i>	<i>Effluent limitation</i>
BOD 5-----	Maximum for any one day 0.025 kg/kkg of wheat (1.50 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.0083 kg/kkg of wheat (0.50 lb/MSBu)
TSS-----	Maximum for any one day 0.025 kg/kkg of wheat (1.50 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.0083 kg/kkg of wheat (0.50 lb/MSBu)
pH-----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.43 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best available technology economically achievable.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best available technology economically achievable by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

<i>Effluent characteristics</i>	<i>Effluent limitation</i>
BOD5 -----	Maximum for any one day 0.015 kg/kkg of wheat (0.90 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.0050 kg/kkg of wheat (0.30 lb/MSBu)
TSS-----	Maximum for any one day 0.0099 kg/kkg of wheat (0.60 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.0033 kg/kkg of wheat (0.20 lb/MSBu)
pH-----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.44 Standards of performance for new sources.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged reflecting the greatest degree of effluent reduction achievable through application of the best available demonstrated control technology, processes, operating methods, or other alternatives, including, where practicable, a standard permitting no discharge of pollutants by a new point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

<i>Effluent characteristic</i>	<i>Effluent limitation</i>
BOD 5-----	Maximum for any one day 0.015 kg/kkg of wheat (0.90 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.0050 kg/kkg of wheat (0.30 lb/MSBu)

<i>Effluent characteristic</i>	<i>Effluent limitation</i>
TSS -----	Maximum for any one day 0.0099 kg/kkg of wheat (0.60 lb/MSBu) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.0033 kg/kkg of wheat (0.20 lb/MSBu)
pH -----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.45 Pretreatment standards for new sources.

The pretreatment standards under section 307(c) of the Act, for a source within the bulgur wheat flour milling subcategory which is an industrial user of a publicly owned treatment works (and which would be a new source subject to section 306 of the Act, if it were to discharge pollutants to navigable waters), shall be the standard set forth in Part 128 of this title except that for the purposes of this section, § 128.133 of this title shall be amended to read as follows: "In addition to the prohibitions set forth in § 128.131 of this title, the pretreatment standard for incompatible pollutants introduced into a publicly owned treatment works by a major contributing industry shall be the standard of performance for new sources specified in § 406.44. *Provided* That, if the publicly owned treatment works which receives the pollutants is committed, in its NPDES permit, to remove a specified percentage of any incompatible pollutant, the pretreatment standard applicable to users of such treatment works shall be correspondingly reduced for that pollutant."

Subpart E—Normal Rice Milling Subcategory

§ 406.50 Applicability; description of normal rice milling subcategory.

The provisions of this subpart are applicable to discharges resulting from the process in which rice is cleaned and milled by dry processes.

§ 406.51 Specialized definitions.

For the purposes of this subpart:

(a) The term "process waste water" shall mean any water which during the manufacturing process, comes into direct contact with any raw material, intermediate product, by-product or product used in or resulting from normal rice milling.

(b) The term "process waste water pollutants" shall mean pollutants contained in process waste waters.

(c) The term "rice" shall mean the rice delivered to a plant before processing.

§ 406.52 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best practicable control technology currently available.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or

pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best practicable control technology currently available by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart: No discharge of process waste water pollutants to navigable waters.

§ 406.53 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best available technology economically achievable.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best available technology economically achievable by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart: No discharge of process waste water pollutants to navigable waters.

§ 406.54 Standards of performance for new sources.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged reflecting the greatest degree of effluent reduction achievable through application of the best available demonstrated control technology, processes, operating methods, or other alternatives, including, where practicable, a standard permitting no discharge of pollutants by a new point source subject to the provisions of this subpart: No discharge of process waste water pollutants to navigable waters.

§ 406.55 Pretreatment standards for new sources.

The pretreatment standards under section 307(c) of the Act, for a source within the normal rice milling subcategory which is an industrial user of a publicly owned treatment works (and which would be a new source subject to section 306 of the Act, if it were to discharge pollutants to navigable waters), shall be the standard set forth in Part 128 of this title except that for the purposes of this section, § 128.133 of this title shall be amended to read as follows: "In addition to the prohibitions set forth in § 128.131 of this title the pretreatment standard for incompatible pollutants introduced into a publicly owned treatment works by a major contributing industry shall be the standard of performance for new sources specified in § 406.54, provided that, if the publicly owned treatment works which receives the pollutants is committed, in its NPDES permit, to remove a specified percentage of any incompatible pollutant, the pretreatment standard applicable to users of such treatment works shall be correspondingly reduced for that pollutant."

Subpart F—Parboiled Rice Processing Subcategory

§ 406.60 Applicability; description of parboiled rice processing subcategory.

The provisions of this subpart are applicable to discharges resulting from the

process in which rice is cleaned, cooked and dried before being milled.

§ 406.61 Specialized definitions.

For the purposes of this subpart:

(a) The term "rice" shall mean the rice delivered to a plant before processing.

(b) The following abbreviations shall have the following meanings: (1) "BOD5" shall mean five day biochemical oxygen demand; (2) "TSS" shall mean total suspended nonfilterable solids; (3) "kg" shall mean kilogram(s); (4) "kkg" shall mean 1000 kilograms; (5) "lb" shall mean pound(s); and (6) "cwt" shall mean hundred weight.

§ 406.62 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best practicable control technology currently available.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best practicable control technology currently available by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

<i>Effluent characteristic</i>	<i>Effluent limitation</i>
BOD5 -----	Maximum for any one day 0.42 kg/kkg of rice (0.042 lb/cwt) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.140 kg/kkg of rice (0.014 lb/cwt)
TSS -----	Maximum for any one day 0.24 kg/kkg of rice (0.024 lb/cwt) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.080 kg/kkg of rice (0.008 lb/cwt)
pH -----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.63 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best available technology economically achievable.

The following limitations constitute the quantity or quality of pollutants or pollutant properties which may be discharged after application of the best available technology economically achievable by a point source subject to the provisions of this subpart:

<i>Effluent characteristic</i>	<i>Effluent limitation</i>
BOD5 -----	Maximum for any one day 0.21 kg/kkg of rice (0.021 lb/cwt) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.070 kg/kkg of rice (0.007 lb/cwt)

<i>Effluent characteristic</i>	<i>Effluent limitations</i>
TSS -----	Maximum for any one day 0.09 kg/kkg of rice (0.009 lb/cwt) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.030 kg/kkg of rice (0.003 lb/cwt)
pH -----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.64 Standards of performance for new sources.

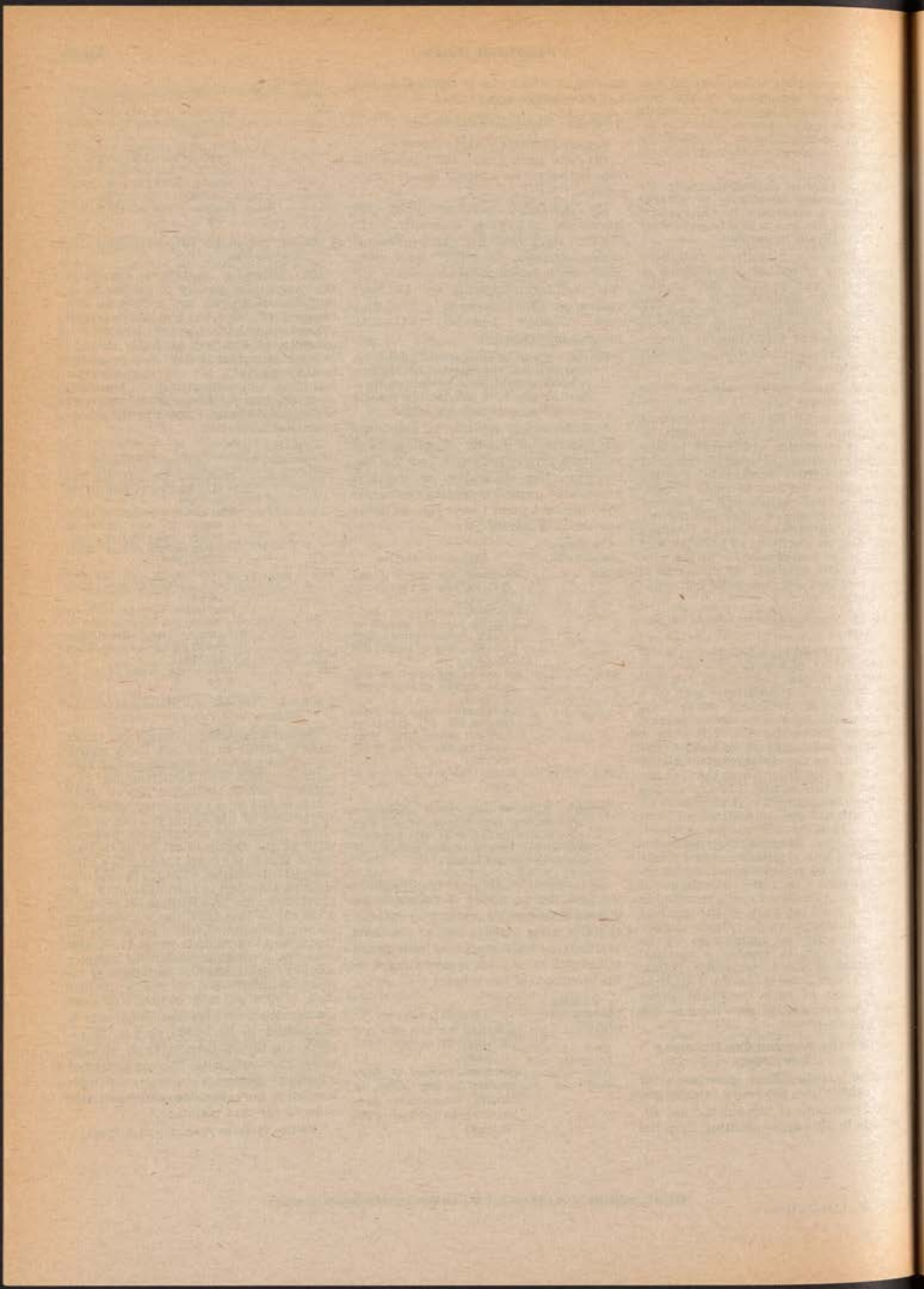
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<i>Effluent characteristic</i>	<i>Effluent limitation</i>
BOD5 -----	Maximum for any one day 0.21 kg/kkg of rice (0.021 lb/cwt) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.070 kg/kkg of rice (0.007 lb/cwt)
TSS -----	Maximum for any one day 0.09 kg/kkg of rice (0.009 lb/cwt) Maximum average of daily values for any period of thirty consecutive days 0.030 kg/kkg of rice (0.003 lb/cwt)
pH -----	Within the range of 6.0 to 9.0

§ 406.65 Pretreatment standards for new sources.

The pretreatment standards under section 307(c) of the Act for a source within the parboiled rice processing subcategory which is an industrial user of a publicly owned treatment works, (and which would be a new source subject to section 306 of the Act, if it were to discharge pollutants to navigable waters), shall be the standard set forth in Part 128 of this title except that for the purposes of this section, § 128.133 of this title shall be amended to read as follows: "In addition to the prohibitions set forth in § 128.131 of this title, the pretreatment standard for incompatible pollutants introduced into a publicly owned treatment works by a major contributing industry shall be the standard of performance for new sources specified in § 406.64 provided that, if the publicly owned treatment works which receives the pollutants is committed, in its NPDES permit, to remove a specified percentage of any incompatible pollutant, the pretreatment standard applicable to users of such treatment works shall be correspondingly reduced for that pollutant."

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