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#### List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Part 73 of title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

#### PART 73—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** Secs. 303, 48 Stat., as amended, 1082; 47 U.S.C. 154, as amended.

#### § 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Texas, is amended by adding Clarendon, Channel 257C2.

Federal Communications Commission.

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*Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau.*

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#### 47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 91-259; RM-7309, RM-7942, RM-7943, RM-7944, RM-7948]

**Radio Broadcasting Services; Canovanas, Culebra, Las Piedras, Mayaguez, Quebradillas, San Juan, and Vieques, PR, and Christiansted and Frederiksted, VI**

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission, at the request of Carlos J. Colon-Ventura, substitutes Channel 252A for Channel 255B at Vieques, PR, reallocates Channel 252A from Vieques to Las Piedras, PR, and modifies the license of Station WSAJ to specify operation on Channel 252A at Las Piedras. At the request of Jose J. Arzuaga, the Commission substitutes Channel 258A for Channel 252A at Quebradillas, PR, and modifies the license of Station WQQZ to specify operation on the alternate Class A channel. At the request of Amor Family Broadcasting Group, the Commission allots Channel 251A to Santa Isabel, PR, as the community's first local aural transmission service. At the request of V.I. Stereo Communications Corp., the

Commission reallocates Channel 291B from Christiansted, V.I. to Vieques, PR, and modifies the license of Station WVIS to specify Vieques as its community of license, substitutes Channel 254A for Channel 293A at Culebra, PR, and modifies the outstanding construction permit of Aurio A. Matos to specify operation on the alternate Class A channel. At the request of Luis Hernandez, the Commission allots Channel 253A to Frederiksted, V.I., as the community's second local aural transmission service. To accommodate the above allotments, the Commission also substitutes Channel 254B for Channel 256B at Mayaguez, PR, modifies the license of Station WKJB-FM to specify operation on the alternate Class B channel, substitutes Channel 256B for Channel 253B at San Juan, PR, and modifies the license of Station WPRM-FM to specify operation on the alternate Class B channel. *See also* Supplementary Information, *infra*. With this action, this proceeding is terminated.

**DATES:** Effective August 7, 1995. The window period for filing applications will open on August 7, 1995, and close on September 7, 1995.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Leslie K. Shapiro, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's *Report and Order*, MM Docket No. 91-259, adopted June 13, 1995, and released June 22, 1995. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center (Room 239), 1919 M Street, NW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 2100 M Street, NW., Suite 140, Washington, DC 20037.

Channel 251A can be allotted to Santa Isabel with a site restriction of 3.6 kilometers (2.3 miles) east, at coordinates North Latitude 17-58-12 and West Longitude 66-22-09, to avoid a short-spacing to Channel 254B at Mayaguez. Channel 291B can be allotted to Vieques without the imposition of a site restriction, at 18-19-39; 65-18-05. Channel 254A can be allotted to Culebra without the imposition of a site restriction, at 18-18-18; 65-18-06. Channel 252A can be allotted to Las Piedras with a site restriction of 14.6 kilometers (9.1 miles) northwest, at 18-16-14; 65-45-33, to avoid short-spacings to Station WBRQ, Channel 249A, Cidra, PR, and to Channel 251A at Santa Isabel. Channel 258A can be

allotted to Quebradillas at Station WQQZ's present transmitter site, at 18-23-33; 66-59-46. Channel 254B can be allotted to Mayaguez at Station WKJB's present transmitter site at 18-09-05; 66-59-19. Channel 256B can be allotted to San Juan at Station WPRM-FM's present transmitter site, at 18-06-45; 66-03-07. Channel 253A can be allotted to Frederiksted, V.I., without the imposition of a site restriction, at 17-42-48; 64-53-00.

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Radio broadcasting.

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#### PART 73—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** Secs. 303, 48 Stat., as amended, 1082; 47 U.S.C. 154, as amended.

#### § 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Puerto Rico, is amended by removing Channel 293A and adding Channel 254A at Culebra, removing Channel 256B and adding Channel 254B at Mayaguez; removing Channel 252A and adding Channel 258A at Quebradillas; removing Channel 253B and adding Channel 256B at San Juan; removing Channel 255B and adding Channel 291B at Vieques, and by adding Las Piedras, Channel 252A, by adding Santa Isabel, Channel 251A.

3. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under the Virgin Islands, is amended by removing Channel 291B at Christiansted and adding Channel 253A at Frederiksted.

Federal Communications Commission.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

#### 48 CFR Part 246

**Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Contract Quality Requirements**

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Interim rule with request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Director of Defense Procurement has issued an interim rule amending the Defense Federal

Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) to encourage increased use of commercial quality standards in DoD contracts.

**DATES:** *Effective date:* June 13, 1995.

*Comment date:* Comments on the interim rule should be submitted in writing to the address shown below on or before August 28, 1995, to be considered in the formulation of the final rule.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested parties should submit written comments to: Defense Acquisition Regulations Council, Attn: Mr. Richard G. Laysner, PDUSD(A&T)DP(DAR), IMD 3D139, 3062 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-3062. Telefax number (703) 602-0350. Please cite DFARS Case 95-D007 in all correspondence related to this issue.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Rick Laysner, (703) 602-0131.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**A. Background**

Current DoD initiatives to merge the Defense and private sector industrial base require increased use of commercial standards and recognition of contractor quality systems. This interim rule amends DFARS Part 246 to encourage increased use of commercial quality standards by removing existing requirements to use military quality standards in DoD contracts. The rule revises the definition of "quality program"; replaces direct references to MIL-I-45208 and MIL-Q-9858 with references to higher-level quality requirements; and deletes Table 46-1, Contract Quality Requirements Guide.

**B. Regulatory Flexibility Act**

This interim rule may have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities within the meaning of the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 601, *et seq.*, because the rule encourages increased use of commercial quality standards. The rule will enable contractors to use a single quality system in their facilities, rather than maintaining duplicative commercial and military quality systems. This is expected to result in lower costs, as well as improved process capability, process controls, and product quality. An Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis (IRFA) has been prepared and may be obtained from the address stated herein. A copy of the IRFA has been submitted to the Chief Counsel for Advocacy of the Small Business Administration. Comments from small entities concerning the affected DFARS subparts will be considered in accordance with Section

610 of the Act. Such comments must be submitted separately and cite DFARS Case 95-D007 in correspondence.

**C. Paperwork Reduction Act**

The Paperwork Reduction Act does not apply because this interim rule does not impose any new information collection requirements which require the approval of OMB under 44 U.S.C. 3501, *et seq.*

**D. Determination to Issue an Interim Rule**

A determination has been made under the authority of the Secretary of Defense that compelling reasons exist to publish this interim rule prior to affording the public an opportunity to comment. This action is necessary to permit the Government and industry to realize, as soon as possible, the significant cost savings anticipated from allowing contractors to maintain a single quality system in their facilities. Comments received in response to the publication of this interim rule will be considered in formulating the final rule.

**List of Subjects in 48 CFR Part 246**

Government procurement.  
**Michele P. Peterson,**  
*Executive Editor, Defense Acquisition Regulations Council.*

Therefore, 48 CFR Part 246 is amended as follows:

1. The authority citation for 48 CFR Part 246 is revised to read as follows:

**Authority:** 41 U.S.C. 421 and 48 CFR chapter 1.

**PART 246—QUALITY ASSURANCE**

2. Section 246.101 is amended by revising the definition of "Quality program" to read as follows:

**246.101 Definitions.**

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*Quality program* is a program which is developed, planned, and managed to carry out cost-effectively all efforts to effect the quality of materials and services from concept exploration and definition through demonstration and validation, engineering and manufacturing development, production and deployment, and operations and support.

3. Section 246.102 is amended by adding a second sentence in paragraph (4) to read as follows:

**246.102 Policy.**

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(4) \* \* \* Contractor quality programs may be modeled on military, commercial, national, or international quality standards.

4. Section 246.202-3 is revised to read as follows:

**246.202-3 Higher-level contract quality requirements.**

- (i) Higher-level contract quality requirements are used in addition to a standard inspection requirement.
- (ii) Higher-level contract quality requirements, including nongovernment quality system standards adopted to meet DoD needs, are listed in the DoD Index of Specifications and Standards.

5. Section 246.204 is revised to read as follows:

**246.204 Application of criteria.**

When purchasing a commercial item, the technical, quality assurance, and contracting activities must work together to tailor contract quality requirements to—

(1) Eliminate or minimize special Government testing, quality control, and inspection requirements. Consider—

- (i) The item's application;
  - (ii) The cost objectives of the acquisition; and
  - (iii) The item's reliability as established in the commercial market;
- (2) Maximize use of the certificate of conformance consistent with FAR 46.504; and

(3) Provide for examination and acceptance at the most economical point (source or destination).

6. Section 246.704 is amended by revising paragraph (4) to read as follows:

**246.704 Authority for use of warranties.**

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(4) Supplies and services in fixed-price type contracts containing quality assurance provisions that reference higher-level contract quality requirements (see 246.202-3); or

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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**National Highway Traffic Safety Administration**

**49 CFR Part 544**

[Docket No. 95-004; Notice 3]

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**Insurer Reporting Requirements; List of Insurers Required to File Reports**

**AGENCY:** National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), Department of Transportation (DOT).

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** In this final rule, NHTSA publishes an update to its list in