

compliance with this AD, if any, may be obtained from the Los Angeles ACO.

(f) Special flight permits may be issued in accordance with sections 21.197 and 21.199 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 21.197 and 21.199) to operate the airplane to a location where the requirements of this AD can be accomplished.

Issued in Renton, Washington, on March 13, 1996.

James V. Devany,

*Acting Manager, Transport Airplane  
Directorate, Aircraft Certification Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Food and Drug Administration

#### 21 CFR Part 101

[Docket Nos. 95N-0282, 95N-0347, 95N-0245]

#### Food Labeling; Extension of Comment Periods

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Proposed rules; extension of comment periods.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that it is extending to April 11, 1996, the comment periods for certain proposed regulations regarding food labeling that appeared in the Federal Register of December 28, 1995. This action is being taken in response to several requests for brief extensions of the comment periods on these documents.

**DATES:** Comments by April 11, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit written comments to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, rm., 1-23, 12420 Parklawn Dr., Rockville, MD 20857.

Two copies of any comments are to be submitted, except that individuals may submit one copy. Comments should be identified with the appropriate docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document. Received comments may be seen in the office above between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Camille Brewer, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFS-165), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-205-5483, or Susan Thompson (address above), 202-205-5587.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In the Federal Register of December 28, 1995,

FDA published the following proposed rules:

(1) Food Labeling; Requirements for Nutrient Content Claims, Health Claims, and Statements of Nutritional Support for Dietary Supplements (Docket No. 95N-0282 (see 60 FR 67176));

(2) Food Labeling; Nutrient Content Claims: Definition for "High Potency" Claim for Dietary Supplements and Definition of "Antioxidant" for Use in Nutrient Content Claims for Dietary Supplements and Conventional Foods (Docket No. 95N-0347 (see 60 FR 67184)); and

(3) Food Labeling; Statement of Identity, Nutrition Labeling and Ingredient Labeling of Dietary Supplements (Docket No. 95N-0245 (see 60 FR 67194)).

Interested persons were given until March 13, 1996, to comment on the proposals. FDA received several requests for brief extensions of the comment periods to properly respond to the proposals. After careful consideration, FDA decided to extend the comment periods to April 11, 1996 (see 21 CFR 10.40(b)(3)). FDA has placed a memorandum, dated March 13, 1996, that reflects this decision in each of the referenced dockets.

Dated: March 15, 1996.

William K. Hubbard,  
*Associate Commissioner for Policy  
Coordination.*

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#### 21 CFR Parts 801, 803, 804, and 897

[Docket No. 95N-0253]

#### Regulations Restricting the Sale and Distribution of Cigarettes and Smokeless Tobacco Products To Protect Children and Adolescents; Reopening of the Comment Period as to Specific Documents

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule; reopening of comment period as to specific documents.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is reopening to April 19, 1996, as to specific documents, the comment period on its proposed regulations restricting the sale and distribution of nicotine-containing cigarettes and smokeless tobacco products to children and adolescents, which was published in the Federal Register of August 11, 1995 (60 FR 41314). FDA is reopening the comment period for 30 days for the sole purpose

of inviting public comments on the information being added to the administrative record. Elsewhere in this issue of the Federal Register, FDA is reopening the comment period, as to specific documents, for a document entitled "Analysis Regarding Food and Drug Administration Jurisdiction Over Nicotine-Containing Cigarettes and Smokeless Tobacco Products," which also was published in the Federal Register of August 11, 1995 (60 FR 41453).

**DATES:** Written comments must be received or postmarked on or before April 19, 1996. Comments postmarked after such date will not be considered.

**ADDRESS:** Submit written comments to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, rm. 1-23, 12420 Parklawn Dr., Rockville, MD 20857.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Philip L. Chao, Office of Policy (HF-23), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-827-3380.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In the Federal Register of August 11, 1995 (60 FR 41314), FDA issued a proposed rule that would restrict the sale and distribution of nicotine-containing cigarettes and smokeless tobacco products in order to protect children and adolescents. The proposed rule would reduce easy access to these products by children and adolescents and decrease the amount of imagery that makes these products attractive to children and adolescents. The proposed rule contains provisions stating that 18 years of age would be the Federal minimum age of purchase and that would prohibit cigarette vending machines, free samples, mail order sales, and self-service displays. The rule also proposed to require that retailers comply with certain conditions regarding tobacco sales, such as verifying the purchaser's age. In addition, the proposed rule contains provisions to limit advertising and labeling to which children and adolescents are exposed to a text-only format; to ban the sale or distribution of branded, non-tobacco items (such as hats and tee shirts); to restrict sponsorship of events to the corporate name only; and to require manufacturers to establish and maintain a national public education campaign.

By announcement in the Federal Register of October 16, 1995 (60 FR 53560), FDA extended to January 2, 1996, the comment period on the proposed rule. (By that extension, the agency provided a comment period of more than 140 days on the notice of

proposed rulemaking. FDA provided a comment period of more than 90 days from the date—September 29, 1995—that additional documents were placed on display.) FDA provided a similar extension for the notice that set forth the jurisdictional analysis (60 FR 53620). On December 1, 1995, FDA published in the Federal Register (60 FR 61670) the results of several focus group studies that it conducted and invited public comments by January 2, 1996.

FDA is adding two documents to the administrative record that further explain the basis for certain provisions of the proposed rule. The agency is providing the public an opportunity to comment on them.

FDA believes that 30 days to comment is ample in this case, as the agency is specifically limiting its reopening of the comment period to comments on the documents being added. Comments are invited, and will be considered, only to the extent they are focused on the information being newly added to the record and only to the extent the comments regarding such information raise new issues not already raised by the person submitting the comment.

The documents being added to the record are as follows:

1. Food and Drug Administration, Memorandum to the Record: Section 897.32—definition of adult publications, March 11, 1996.

2. Food and Drug Administration, Memorandum to the Record: Section 897.30(b)—billboards, March 11, 1996.

Interested persons may, on or before April 19, 1996, submit to the Dockets Management Branch (address above) written comments regarding the documents described above. Four copies of any comments are to be submitted, except that individuals may submit one copy. Comments are to be identified with the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document. Received comments may be seen in the office above between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Dated: March 15, 1996.

William B. Schultz,

*Deputy Commissioner for Policy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Mine Safety and Health Administration

#### 30 CFR Part 48

##### Training Policy Review

**AGENCY:** Mine Safety and Health Administration, Labor.

**ACTION:** Extension of comment period.

**SUMMARY:** In response to requests from the mining community for additional time in which to prepare comments, the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) is extending the period for public comment on its training policy.

**DATES:** Submit comments on or before May 24, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Send written comments to Frank R. Schwamberger, Acting Director, Educational Policy and Development, MSHA, 4015 Wilson Boulevard, Room 531, Arlington, Virginia 22203-1984. Commenters are encouraged to submit comments on a computer disk along with a hard copy.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Thomas W. MacLeod or Joseph M. Hoffman, Division of Policy and Program Coordination, Directorate of Educational Policy and Development, (703) 235-1910.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On January 25, 1996, MSHA published a request for comments in the Federal Register (61 FR 2215) announcing its intention to review its training policy for the mining industry. The comment period was scheduled to close on March 25, 1996.

In response to requests from the public, MSHA is extending the comment period 60 days. All parties are encouraged to submit their comments within this time.

Dated: March 14, 1996.

J. Davitt McAteer,

*Assistant Secretary for Mine Safety and Health.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement

#### 30 CFR Part 944

[SPATS No. UT-033]

##### Utah Regulatory Program

**AGENCY:** Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Interior.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule; public comment period and opportunity for public hearing on proposed amendment.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSM) is announcing receipt of a proposed amendment to the Utah regulatory program (hereinafter, the "Utah program") under the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977

(SMCRA). The proposed amendment consists of revisions to rules pertaining to petitions to initiate rulemaking, backfilling and grading, and highwall retention. The amendment is intended to revise the Utah program to be consistent with the corresponding Federal regulations.

**DATES:** Written comments must be received by 4:00 p.m., m.s.t., on April 19, 1996. If requested, a public hearing on the proposed amendment will be held on April 15, 1996. Requests to present oral testimony at the hearing must be received by 4:00 p.m., m.s.t., on April 4, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments should be mailed or hand delivered to James F. Fulton at the address listed below.

Copies of the Utah program, the proposed amendment, and all written comments received in response to this document will be available for public review at the addresses listed below during normal business hours, Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Each requester may receive one free copy of the proposed amendment by contacting OSM's Denver Field Division.

James F. Fulton, Chief, Denver Field Division, Western Regional Coordinating Center, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 1999 Broadway, Suite 3320, Denver, Colorado 80202  
James W. Carter, Director, Division of Oil, Gas & Mining, 3 Triad Center, Suite 350, 355 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1230

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** James F. Fulton, Telephone: (303) 672-5524.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

#### I. Background on the Utah Program

On January 21, 1981, the Secretary of the Interior conditionally approved the Utah program. General background information on the Utah program, including the Secretary's findings, the disposition of comments, and the conditions of approval of the Utah program can be found in the January 21, 1981, Federal Register (46 FR 5899). Subsequent actions concerning Utah's program and program amendments can be found at 30 CFR 944.15, 944.16, and 944.30.

#### II. Proposed Amendment

By letter dated November 30, 1995, and March 11, 1996, Utah submitted to OSM rules that it had promulgated for its program (administrative record Nos. UT-1079 and UT-1081) pursuant to SMCRA (30 U.S.C. 1201 *et seq.*). With three exceptions, these rules are