

1996) this rule is excluded from further environmental documentation.

Small Entities

The Coast Guard finds that the impact on small entities, if any, is not substantial. Therefore, the Coast Guard certifies under section 605(b) of the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.*) that this temporary rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities because of the event's short duration.

Collection of Information

This rule contains no information collection requirements under the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*).

List of Subjects in 33 CFR Part 100

Marine safety, Navigation (water), Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Waterways.

Temporary Regulations

In consideration of the forgoing, Part 100 of Title 33, Code of Federal Regulations, is amended as follows:

PART 100—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 100 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 33 U.S.C. 1233; 49 CFR 1.46.

2. A temporary § 100.35 T08-038 is added to read as follows:

§ 100.35 T08-038 Upper Mississippi River near Lansing, Iowa.

(a) *Regulated area.* Mississippi River mile 663.0 to Mississippi River mile 663.5.

(b) *Special local regulation.* All persons and vessels not registered with the sponsors as participants or official patrol vessels are considered spectators. The "official patrol" consists of any Coast Guard, public, state or local law enforcement or sponsor provided vessels assigned to patrol the event.

(1) No spectators shall anchor, block, loiter in or impede the through transit of participants or official patrol vessels in the regulated area during effective dates and times, unless cleared for such entry by or through an official patrol vessel.

(2) When hailed or signaled, by an official patrol vessel, a spectator shall come to an immediate stop. Vessels shall comply with all directions given; failure to do so may result in a citation.

(3) The Patrol Commander may control the movement of all vessels in the regulated area. The Patrol Commander may terminate the event at any time it is deemed necessary for the protection of life or property and can be

reached on VHF-FM Channel 16 by using the call sign "PATCOM".

(c) *Effective Date:* This section is effective from 9 p.m. to 11 p.m. local time on August 10, 1996, and from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. local time on August 11, 1996.

Dated: July 24, 1996.

T.W. Josiah,

Rear Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard, Commander, Eighth Coast Guard District.

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33 CFR Part 100

[CGD08-96-034]

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Special Local Regulations; Inland Seafood Festival Jet Boat Races, Ohio River Mile 469.5 to 471.2, Cincinnati, Ohio

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DOT.

ACTION: Temporary final rule.

SUMMARY: Special local regulations are being adopted for the Inland Seafood Festival Jet Boat Races. This event will be held on August 10, 1996 from 3:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. at Cincinnati, Ohio. These regulations are needed to provide for the safety of life on navigable waters during the event.

EFFECTIVE DATE: These regulations are effective from 3:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m., on August 10, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: LT Gregory A. Howard, Chief, Port Operations Department, USCG Marine Safety Office, Louisville, Kentucky at (502) 582-5194 ext. 39.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Regulatory History

In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 553, a notice of proposed rule making for these regulations has not been published, and good cause exists for making them effective in less than 30 days from the date of publication. Following normal rule making procedures would be impracticable. The details of the event were not finalized in sufficient time to publish proposed rules in advance of the event or to provide for a delayed effective date.

Background and Purpose

The marine event requiring this regulation is a series of jet boat races. The event is sponsored by the Motor Sport Management. The course to be followed by the race participants will be marked by marker buoys positioned at various points along the course.

Regulatory Evaluation

This rule is not a significant regulatory action under section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866 and does not require an assessment of potential costs and benefits under section 6(a)(3) of that order. It has not been reviewed by the Office of Management and Budget under that order. It is not significant under the regulatory policies and procedures of the Department of Transportation (DOT) (44 FR 11040; February 26, 1979). The Coast Guard expects the economic impact of this rule to be so minimal that a full Regulatory Evaluation under paragraph 10e of the regulatory policies and procedures of DOT is unnecessary because of the event's short duration.

Small Entities

The Coast Guard finds that the impact on small entities, if any, is not substantial. Therefore, the Coast Guard certifies under section 605(b) of the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.*) that this temporary rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities because of the event's short duration.

Collection of Information

This rule contains no information collection requirements under the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*).

Federalism Assessment

The Coast Guard has analyzed this action in accordance with the principles and criteria of Executive Order 12612 and has determined that this rule does not raise sufficient federalism implications to warrant the preparation of a Federalism Assessment.

Environmental Assessment

The Coast Guard considered the environmental impact of this rule and concluded that under section 2.B.2.C. of Commandant Instruction M16475.1B, (as revised by 61 FR 13563; March 27, 1996) this rule is excluded from further environmental documentation.

List of Subjects in 33 CFR Part 100

Marine safety, Navigation (water), Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Waterways

Temporary Regulations

In consideration of the foregoing, Part 100 of Title 33, Code of Federal Regulations, is amended as follows:

PART 100—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 100 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 33 U.S.C. 1233; 49 CFR 1.46.

2. A temporary section 100.35 T08-034 is added to read as follows:

§ 100.35 T08-034 Ohio River at Cincinnati, Ohio.

(a) *Regulated area:* Ohio River Mile 469.5 to Ohio River Mile 471.2.

(b) *Special local regulation:* All persons and vessels not registered with the sponsors as participants or official patrol vessels are considered spectators. "Participants" are those persons and vessels identified by the sponsor as taking part in the event. The "official patrol" consists of any coast Guard, public, state or local law enforcement or sponsor provided vessel assigned to patrol the event. The Coast Guard "Patrol Commander" is a Coast Guard commissioned, warrant, or petty officer who has been designated by Commanding Officer, Coast Guard Marine Safety Office Louisville.

(1) No vessel shall anchor, block, loiter in, or impede the through transit of participants or official patrol vessels in the regulated area during effective dates and times, unless cleared for such entry by or through an official patrol vessel.

(2) When hailed or signaled by an official patrol vessel, a spectator shall come to an immediate stop. Vessels shall comply with all directions given; failure to do so may result in a citation.

(3) The Patrol Commander may control the movement of all vessels in the regulated area. The Patrol Commander may terminate the event at any time it is deemed necessary for the protection of life or property and can be reached on VHF-FM Channel 16 by using the call sign "PATCOM".

(c) *Effective Date:* These regulations are effective from 3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. August 10, 1996.

Dated: July 24, 1996.

T.W. Josiah,
*Rear Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard, Commander,
Eighth Coast Guard District.*

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

36 CFR Part 211

National Commission on Wildfire Disasters

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Final rule; technical amendment.

SUMMARY: The National Wildfire Commission was established pursuant

to the Wildfire Disaster Recovery Act of 1989 to study the effects of disastrous wildfires. The Act provided that the Commission would be dissolved following submission of the Commission's final report. The final report was filed in May 1994, and the commission dissolved; therefore, the regulation governing donations to support the work of the Commission is no longer needed and is being removed. The Agency identified the need to remove this obsolete regulation during a review of regulations undertaken as part of the President's Regulatory Reinvention Initiative.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 9, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Laurie Perrett, Fire and Aviation Management Staff, Forest Service, USDA, P.O. Box 96090, Washington, D.C. 20090-6090, (202) 205-1511.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The Wildfire Disaster Recovery Act of 1989 (16 U.S.C. 551 note) directed the Secretary of Agriculture to establish a National Commission on Wildfire Disasters. Section 105 of the Act provided that the Secretary could receive donations to support the work of the Commission.

The Department published an interim rule in the Federal Register on October 7, 1991, (56 FR 50512) to establish uniform administrative procedures for receiving and processing contributions to the Commission. Regulations were needed to assure adherence to the statutory limitation on contributions.

The Commission completed its study and published its report in May 1994. The Commission was disbanded following publication of its report.

Following a review of Forest Service regulations under the President's Regulatory Reinvention Initiative, the Agency identified this regulation as no longer needed, and, accordingly, by this amendment, is removing the rule from the Code of Federal Regulations. Because of the narrow scope and limited effect of this action, the Agency has determined that this amendment is a technical amendment for which notice and comment pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act (5 U.S.C. 553) is neither practicable nor necessary.

Regulatory Impact

This rule is a technical amendment to remove an obsolete regulation and, as such, has no substantive effect, nor is it subject to review under USDA procedures and Executive Order 12866 on Regulatory Planning and Review.

Accordingly, this rule is not subject to OMB review under Executive Order 12866.

Moreover, because good cause exists to exempt his rule from notice and comment pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 553, this rule is exempt from further analysis under the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995; Executive Order 12778, Civil Justice Reform; Executive Order 12630, Takings Implications; or the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

List of Subjects in 36 CFR Part 211

Administrative practice and procedure, Fire prevention, Intergovernmental relations, National forests.

Therefore, for the reasons set forth in the preamble, Part 211 of Title 36 of the Code of Federal Regulations is hereby amended as follows:

PART 211—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for Part 211 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 30 Stat. 35, as amended, sec. 1, 33 Stat. 628 (16 U.S.C. 551, 472).

§ 211.6 [Removed]

2. Remove section 211.6.

Dated: August 6, 1996.

David G. Unger,

Associate Chief.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 282

[FRL-5543-5]

Underground Storage Tank Program: Approved State Program for Connecticut

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Immediate final rule.

SUMMARY: The Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, as amended (RCRA), authorizes the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to grant approval to states to operate their underground storage tank programs in lieu of the federal program. 40 CFR Part 282 codifies EPA's decision to approve state programs and incorporates by reference those provisions of the state statutes and regulations that will be subject to EPA's inspection and enforcement authorities under Sections 9005 and 9006 of RCRA Subtitle I and other applicable statutory and regulatory provisions. This rule codifies