

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.

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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.

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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