

return a copy to you marked "Examined by the Coast Guard."

(c) If the COTP finds that the Terminal Security Plan does not meet the requirements of § 128.300, he or she will return the Plan with an explanation of why it does not meet them.

(d) No terminal subject to this part may transfer passengers to or from a passenger vessel subject to part 120 of this chapter, unless it holds either a Terminal Security Plan that we have examined or a letter from the COTP stating that we are currently reviewing the Plan and that normal operations may continue until the COTP has determined whether the Plan meets the requirements of § 128.300.

21. Revise § 128.309 to read as follows:

§ 128.309 What do I do if I need to amend my Terminal Security Plan?

(a) If your passenger terminal is subject to this part, you must amend your Terminal Security Plan when directed by the COTP, and may amend it on your own initiative.

(b) You must submit each proposed amendment to the Terminal Security Plan you initiate to the COTP for review at least 30 days before the amendment is to take effect, unless he or she allows a shorter period. The COTP will examine the amendment and respond according to § 128.307.

(c) The COTP may direct you to amend your Terminal Security Plan if he or she determines that implementation of the Plan is not providing effective security. Except in an emergency, he or she will issue you a written notice of matters to address and will allow you at least 60 days to submit proposed amendments.

(d) If there is an emergency or other circumstance that makes the procedures in paragraph (c) of this section impracticable, the COTP may give you an order to implement increases in security immediately. The order will incorporate a statement of the reasons for it.

22. Revise the heading of § 128.311 to read as follows:

§ 128.311 What is my right of appeal?

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Dated: September 25, 1998.

James M. Loy,

Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard Commandant.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Coast Guard

33 CFR Part 165

[COTP Western Alaska 98-003]

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Safety Zone; Gulf of Alaska; Southeast of Narrow Cape, Kodiak Island, Alaska, Correction

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DOT.

ACTION: Correction to final rule.

SUMMARY: This document contains a correction to the Final Rule (COTP Western Alaska 98-003) which was published August 28, 1998 [63 FR 45949-45950]. The rule establishes a safety zone in the Gulf of Alaska, southeast of Narrow Cape, Kodiak Island, Alaska. The zone is needed to protect the safety of persons and vessels operating in the vicinity of the safety zone during a rocket launch from the Alaska Aerospace Development Corporation, Narrow Cape, Kodiak Island, Alaska. The new information to be added corrects the date when the safety zone will be established.

DATES: This correction is effective October 6, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: LCDR Rick Rodriguez at Chief of Port Operations, Coast Guard Captain of the Port of Western Alaska, 510 L Street, Suite 100 Anchorage, Alaska, 99501, (907) 271-6700.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Need for Correction

The Final Rule incorrectly states that the safety zone will be established from October 6, 1998, through October 20, 1998. The correct establishment date for the safety zone is October 20, 1998 through November 20, 1998.

Correction of Publication

Accordingly, in the publication on August 28, 1998, of the Final Rule (COTP Western Alaska 98-003), which is the subject of FR Doc. 98-23221 [63 FR 45949-45950], make following corrections:

1. On page 45949 in the second & third columns remove the dates "October 6, 1998" and "October 20, 1998" and add the dates October 20, 1998" and "November 20, 1998", respectively.
2. On page 45950, in the first column, remove "6 a.m. September 26, 1998 through 10 p.m. October 8, 1998" and add "October 20, 1998 through November 20, 1998" in its place.
3. On page 45950, in the second column, in § 165.T17-003, in paragraph

(b), remove "October 6, 1998" and "October 20, 1998" and add the dates "October 20, 1998" and "November 20, 1998" respectively.

Dated: September 25, 1998.

W.J. Hutmacher,

Captain, U.S. Coast Guard, Captain of the Port, Western Alaska.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

38 CFR Part 3

RIN 2900-AJ09

Eligibility Reporting Requirements

AGENCY: Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Interim final rule.

SUMMARY: This document amends the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) adjudication regulations concerning eligibility verification reports (EVRs) for recipients of pension under programs in effect prior to January 1, 1979. The amendment reduces the number of circumstances under which VA requires such pensioners to furnish annual EVRs. The intended effect of this amendment is to reduce the reporting burden on these beneficiaries, reduce the workload at VA regional offices, and enable VA to use its resources more effectively.

DATES: Effective date: October 6, 1998.

Comment date: Comments must be received on or before December 7, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Mail or hand-deliver written comments to: Director, Office of Regulations Management (O2D), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Ave., NW, Room 1154, Washington, DC 20420. Comments should indicate that they are submitted in response to "RIN: 2900-AJ09." All written comments received will be available for public inspection at the above address in the Office of Regulations Management, Room 1158, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday (except holidays). (In addition, see the Paperwork Reduction Act heading under the Supplementary Information section of this preamble regarding submission of comments on the information collection burden.)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John Bisset, Jr., Consultant, Regulations Staff, Compensation and Pension Service, Veterans Benefits Administration, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20420, telephone (202) 273-7210.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The term "eligibility verification report" (EVR)