

comments. A report summarizing each substantive public contact with FAA personnel concerned with this rulemaking will be filed in the docket.

Availability of NPRM's

Any person may obtain a copy of this Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) by submitting a request to the Federal Aviation Administration, Office of Public Affairs, Attention: Public Inquiry Center, APA-230, 800 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20591, or by calling (202) 267-3484.

Communications must identify the docket number of this NPRM. Persons interested in being placed on a mailing list for future NPRM's should also request a copy of Advisory Circular No. 11-2A, which describes the application procedure.

The Proposal

The FAA is considering an amendment to 14 CFR part 71 to establish Class E airspace at Minneapolis, Crystal Airport, MN, to accommodate FAR Part 135 (14 CFR part 135) air carrier aircraft executing instrument flight rules procedure during periods when the control tower is closed. The area would be depicted on appropriate aeronautical charts. Class E airspace designations for airspace areas extending upward from the surface of the earth are published in paragraph 6002 of FAA Order 7400.9G dated September 11, 1999, and effective September 16, 1999, which is incorporated by reference in 14 CFR 71.1. The Class E airspace designations listed in this document would be published subsequently in the Order.

The FAA has determined that this proposed regulation only involves an establishment body of technical regulations for which frequent and routine amendments are necessary to keep them operationally current. Therefore, this proposed regulation—(1) is not a "significant regulatory action" under Executive Order 12866; (2) is not a "significant rule" under DOT Regulatory Policies and Procedures (44 FR 11034; February 26, 1979); and (3) does not warrant preparation of a Regulatory Evaluation as the anticipated impact is so minimal. Since this is a routine matter that will only affect air traffic procedures and air navigation, it is certified that this proposed rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities under the criteria of the Regulatory Flexibility Act.

List of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 71

Airspace, Incorporation by reference, Navigation (air).

The Proposed Amendment

Accordingly, pursuant to the authority delegated to me, the Federal Aviation Administration proposes to amend 14 CFR part 71 as follows:

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF CLASS A, CLASS B, CLASS C, CLASS D, AND CLASS E AIRSPACE AREAS; AIRWAYS; ROUTES; AND REPORTING POINTS

1. The authority citation for part 71 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 49 U.S.C. 106(g), 40103, 40113, 40120; E.O. 10854, 24 FR 9565, 3 CFR, 1959-1963 Comp., p. 389.

§ 71.1 [Amended]

2. The incorporation by reference in 14 CFR 71.1 of the Federal Aviation Administration Order 7400.9G, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated September 11, 1999, and effective September 16, 1999, is amended as follows:

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Paragraph 6002 Class E airspace designated as a surface area.

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AGL MN E2 Minneapolis, Crystal Airport, MN [New]

Crystal Airport, MN
(Lat. 45°08'42"N., long 93°12'41"W.)

Within a 3.8-mile radius of the Minneapolis, Anoka County-Blaine Airport. This Class E airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be continuously published in the Airport/Facility Directory.

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Christopher R. Blum,
Manager, Air Traffic Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

21 CFR Parts 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876, 878, 884, 886, and 888

[Docket No. 99N-0035]

Medical Devices; Reclassification of 38 Preamendments Class III Devices into Class II

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Proposed rule; reopening of comment period.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is reopening for 90 days the comment period for the submission of comments regarding 6 of the 38 devices proposed for reclassification from class III into class II. The proposed rule was published in the **Federal Register** of March 15, 1999 (64 FR 12774). The agency is taking this action in part in response to a request for more time to submit comments to FDA regarding several of the guidance documents that were not made available when the March 15, 1999, proposed rule was published. Elsewhere in this issue of the **Federal Register**, FDA is announcing the availability of these guidance documents for comment.

DATES: Submit written comments on the proposed rule by July 18, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joseph M. Sheehan, Center for Devices and Radiological Health (HFZ-215), Food and Drug Administration, 1350 Piccard Dr., Rockville, MD 20850, 301-827-2974.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

In the **Federal Register** of March 15, 1999 (64 FR 12774), FDA published a proposed rule to reclassify 38 preamendments class III devices into class II and to establish special controls for these devices. Interested persons were given until June 14, 1999, to comment on the proposed rule.

A trade association requested that FDA reopen the comment period for the following six devices: (1) Vascular graft prosthesis of less than 6 millimeters diameter, (2) pacemaker lead adaptor, (3) annuloplasty ring, (4) cardiopulmonary bypass defoamer, (5) cardiopulmonary bypass arterial line blood filter, and (6) cardiopulmonary bypass oxygenator. The request noted that FDA had not made the guidance documents that were proposed as special controls for these six devices available for comment through the agency's Good Guidance Practices (GGP's). The request further noted that it was impossible to comment on the proposed reclassification without the guidance documents being available. Therefore, the trade association requested that FDA extend the comment period until at least 90 days after the guidance documents are publicly available for comment.

FDA also identified an additional three devices for which the agency had

not issued the guidance documents proposed as special controls in accordance with the GGP policy: The indwelling blood carbon dioxide partial pressure (Pco²) analyzer, the indwelling blood hydrogen ion concentration (pH) analyzer, and the indwelling blood

oxygen partial pressure (Po²) analyzer. In the near future, FDA intends to announce the availability of two guidance documents for these three devices and will reopen the comment period on the reclassification of those devices at that time.

Accordingly, FDA is reopening the comment period for the March 15, 1999, proposed rule to allow additional time for interested persons to comment on the following six devices:

TABLE 1

21 CFR Section	Device Name
870.3450	Vascular graft prosthesis of less than 6 millimeters diameter
870.3620	Pacemaker lead adaptor
870.3800	Annuloplasty ring
870.4230	Cardiopulmonary bypass defoamer
870.4260	Cardiopulmonary bypass arterial line blood filter
870.4350	Cardiopulmonary bypass oxygenator

II. Comments

Interested persons may submit to the Dockets Management Branch (address above) written comments regarding the proposed rule only with respect to the six devices listed above by July 18, 2000. Two 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: April 3, 2000.

Linda S. Kahan,

Deputy Director for Regulations Policy, Center for Devices and Radiological Health.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 261

[FRN-6581-7]

RIN 2050-AE07

Hazardous Waste Identification Rule (HWIR); Extension of Public Comment Period

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule; extension of the public comment period.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is extending the comment period on an exemption from hazardous waste management discussed in the proposed Hazardous Waste Identification Rule (HWIR) **Federal Register** document published on November 19, 1999 (64 FR 63382). To ensure we consider your comments on the November 19, 1999 **Federal Register**

discussion of the concentration-based HWIR exemption and the possible revisions to the Land Disposal Restriction (LDR) treatment standards (64 FR 63382, Sections V-XX and Sections XXI-XVI, as applicable, of the preamble), they must be postmarked on or before August 15, 2000.

Please note that today's document does *not* re-open the comment period on the revisions to the mixture and derived-from rules that were proposed in the November 19, 1999 HWIR proposed rule (64 FR 63382, Sections I-IV, Sections XXI-XVI (as applicable) of the preamble and the proposed regulatory language amending 40 CFR part 261). That comment period ended February 17, 2000.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before August 15, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Commenters must send an original and two copies of their comments referencing docket number F-1999-WH2P-FFFFF to: (1) if using regular US Postal Service mail: RCRA Docket Information Center, Office of Solid Waste (5305G), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Headquarters (EPA, HQ), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20460-0002, or (2) if using special delivery, such as overnight express service: RCRA Docket Information Center (RIC), Crystal Gateway One, 1235 Jefferson Davis Highway, First Floor, Arlington, VA 22202. Comments may also be submitted electronically through the Internet to: rcra-docket@epa.gov. Comments in electronic format should also be identified by the docket number F-1999-WH2P-FFFFF and must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption.

Commenters should not submit electronically any confidential business information (CBI). An original and two copies of CBI must be submitted under

separate cover to: RCRA CBI Document Control Officer, Office of Solid Waste (5305W), U.S. EPA, 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460-0002.

Public comments and supporting materials are available for viewing in the RCRA Information Center (RIC), located at Crystal Gateway I, First Floor, 1235 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA. The RIC is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding federal holidays. To review docket materials, it is recommended that the public make an appointment by calling 703-603-9230. The public may copy a maximum of 100 pages from any regulatory docket at no charge. Additional copies cost \$0.15/page. The index and some supporting materials are available electronically. See the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section for information on accessing them.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For general information, contact the RCRA Hotline at 800-424-9346 or TDD 800-553-7672 (hearing impaired). In the Washington, DC, metropolitan area, call 703-412-9810 or TDD 703-412-3323.

For information on specific aspects of notice, contact Tracy Atagi, Office of Solid Waste 5304W, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Headquarters (EPA, HQ), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20460-0002, (703) 308-8672, atagi.tracy@epa.gov; for specific information on the risk modeling system, contact David Cozzie, Office of Solid Waste 5307W, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460-0002, (703) 308-0479, cozzie.david@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice and other material associated with this action can be electronically accessed on the Internet at <http://www.epa.gov/epaoswer/hazwaste/id/hwirwste/index.htm>.

The official record for this rulemaking will be kept in paper form. Accordingly,