

correcting certain technical errors in the rule proposal. Accordingly, the Commission finds good cause for granting partial accelerated approval to the rule proposal, as amended.<sup>23</sup>

## VI. Conclusion

*It is Therefore Ordered*, pursuant to section 19(b)(2) of the Act,<sup>24</sup> that proposed amendments to Phlx Rule 126, Rule 203, Rule 229, and Rule 703 are hereby approved.<sup>25</sup>

**Margaret H. McFarland,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Coast Guard

[USCG 2001-11106]

#### Collection of Information Under Review by Office of Management and Budget (OMB): OMB Control Numbers 2115-0115, 2115-0078, 2115-0113, and 2115-0013

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DOT.

**ACTION:** Request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Coast Guard intends to seek the approval of OMB for the renewal of four Information Collection Requests (ICRs). The ICRs comprise (1) Electrical Engineering—Title 46 CFR Subchapter J, (2) Operations Manual and Amendments for Facilities Transferring Oil and Hazardous Materials in Bulk, (3) Self-propelled Vessels Carrying Liquefied Gas, and (4) Application and Permit to Handle Hazardous Material. Before submitting the ICRs to OMB, the Coast Guard is inviting comments on them as described below.

**DATES:** Comments must reach the Coast Guard on or before February 11, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** To make sure that your comments and related material do not enter the docket (USCG 2001-11106) more than once, please submit them by only one of the following means:

(1) By mail to the Docket Management Facility, U.S. Department of Transportation, room PL-401, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC

<sup>23</sup> The proposed rule change to Rule 119(a), *Enhanced Specialist Participation*, is not being approved but is only being noticed for comment by the Commission for review under section 19(b)(2) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2)).

<sup>24</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

<sup>25</sup> In approving the proposals, the Commission has considered their impact on efficiency, competition, and capital formation.

20590-0001. Caution: Because of recent delays in the delivery of mail, your comments may reach the Facility more quickly if you choose one of the other means described below.

(2) By delivery to room PL-401 on the Plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. The telephone number is 202-366-9329.

(3) By fax to the Docket Management Facility at 202-493-2251.

(4) Electronically through the Web Site for the Docket Management System at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

The Docket Management Facility maintains the public docket for this notice. Comments and material received from the public, as well as documents mentioned in this notice as being available in the docket, will become part of this docket and will be available for inspection or copying at room PL-401 on the Plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. You may also find this docket on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

Copies of the complete ICR are available through this docket on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov>, and also from Commandant (G-CIM-2), U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters, room 6106 (Attn: Barbara Davis), 2100 Second Street SW., Washington, DC 20593-0001. The telephone number is 202-267-2326.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Barbara Davis, Office of Information Management, 202-267-2326, for questions on these documents; or Dorothy Beard, Chief, Documentary Services Division, U.S. Department of Transportation, 202-366-5149, for questions on the docket.

#### Request for Comments

The Coast Guard encourages interested persons to submit comments. Persons submitting comments should include their names and addresses, identify this document (USCG 2001-11106), and give the reasons for the comments. Please submit all comments and attachments in an unbound format no larger than 8½ by 11 inches, suitable for copying and electronic filing. Persons wanting acknowledgment of receipt of comments should enclose stamped self-addressed postcards or envelopes.

#### Information Collection Requests

1. *Title:* Electrical Engineering—Title 46 CFR subchapter J.

*OMB Control Number:* 2115-0115.

*Summary:* We need the information sought here to ensure compliance with our rules on electrical engineering for the design and construction of U.S.-flag commercial vessels.

*Need:* 46 U.S.C. 3306 and 3703 authorize the Coast Guard to establish rules to promote the safety of life and property in commercial vessels. These rules appear at 46 CFR subchapter J (parts 110 to 113).

*Respondents:* Owners, operators, and builders of vessels.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Burden Estimate:* The estimated burden is 1,153 hours a year.

2. *Title:* Operations Manual and Amendments for Facilities Transferring Oil and Hazardous Materials in Bulk.

*OMB Control Number:* 2115-0078.

*Summary:* An operations manual is mandatory for waterfront facilities that will be transferring bulk oil or hazardous materials to or from vessels. It establishes procedures for personnel of the facility to follow when conducting the transfer and in the event of a spill.

*Need:* 33 U.S.C. 1321 authorizes the Coast Guard to establish rules to prevent the discharge of oil and hazardous materials from facilities. 33 CFR part 154 prescribes these rules.

*Respondents:* Owners and operators of waterfront facilities.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Burden Estimate:* The estimated burden is 27,369 hours a year.

3. *Title:* Self-propelled Vessels Carrying Liquefied Gas.

*OMB Control Number:* 2115-0113.

*Summary:* We need the information sought here to ensure compliance with our rules for the design and operation of carriers of liquefied gas.

*Need:* 46 U.S.C. 3703 and 9101 authorize the Coast Guard to establish rules to protect life, property, and the environment from the hazards associated with the carriage of dangerous liquid cargo in bulk. 46 CFR part 154 prescribes these rules for the carriage of liquefied gases in bulk on self-propelled vessels by governing the design, construction, equipment, and operation of these vessels and the safety of personnel aboard them.

*Respondents:* Owners and operators of self-propelled vessels carrying liquefied gas.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Burden Estimate:* The estimated burden is 5,131 hours a year.

4. *Title:* Application and Permit to Handle Hazardous Materials.

*OMB Control Number:* 2115-0013.

*Summary:* The information sought here ensures the safe handling of explosives and other hazardous

materials around ports and aboard vessels. Shipping agents and terminal operators who handle the above commodities must comply.

*Need:* 33 U.S.C. 1225 authorizes the Coast Guard to establish standards for the handling, storage, and movement of hazardous materials on a vessel or waterfront facility. 33 CFR 126.17 and 49 CFR 176.100 and 176.415 prescribe the rules for facilities and vessels.

*Respondents:* Shipping agents and terminal operators that handle hazardous materials.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Burden Estimate:* The estimated burden is 292 hours a year.

Dated: December 7, 2001.

V.S. Crea,

Director of Information and Technology.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

#### Notice of Meeting

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of the date for the seventh meeting of the FAA Aircraft Repair and Maintenance Advisory Committee. The purpose of the meeting is for the Committee to continue working towards accomplishing the goals and objectives pursuant to its congressional mandate.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Tuesday, December 18, 2001, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Bessie Coleman Conference Center, Washington, DC 20591.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Ellen Bowie, Federal Aviation Administration (AFS-300), 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591; phone (202) 267-9952; fax (202) 267-5115; E-mail [EllenBowie@faa.gov](mailto:EllenBowie@faa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463; 5 U.S.C. App. II), notice is hereby given of a meeting of the FAA Aircraft Repair and Maintenance Advisory Committee to be held on December 18, at the Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20591.

*The agenda will include:*

- Committee administration.
- Reading and approval of minutes.
- Review of open/additional action items.

- Final voting on report.
- Sign off on report draft.
- Statements by members of the public.

- Final timeline review.
- Closing remarks and adjournment.

Attendance is open to the public but will be limited to the availability of meeting room space. Persons desiring to present a verbal statement must provide a written summary of remarks. Please focus your remarks on the tasks, specific activities, projects or goals of the Advisory Committee, and benefits to the aviation public. Speakers will be limited to 5-minute presentations. Please contact Ms. Ellen Bowie at the number listed above if you plan to attend the meeting or to present a verbal statement.

Individuals making verbal presentations at the meeting should bring 25 copies to give to the Committee's Executive Director. These copies may be provided to the audience at the discretion of the submitter.

Issued in Washington, DC on December 6, 2001.

David E. Cann,

Manager, Continuous Airworthiness Maintenance Division.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

#### Safety Advisory: Unauthorized Cargo Tanks Used To Transport Hazardous Materials

**AGENCY:** Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA).

**ACTION:** Notice of identification of unauthorized cargo tanks.

**SUMMARY:** This notice identifies unauthorized cargo tanks and removes them from service. The FMCSA has identified non-conforming cargo tanks as the result of compliance reviews assessing compliance with Hazardous Materials Regulations. This action notifies tank owners that these tanks are not authorized to transport hazardous materials, and ensures their removal from service. The FMCSA notifies the public that MC-331 cargo tank motor vehicles assembled with designs T-5314, certified 3-10-1997 and T-5602-A, certified 9-12-1997 by Chemical Transportation Engineering Consultants,

Inc., Lubbock, TX do not meet the minimum design requirements for a specification cargo tank and are no longer authorized to transport hazardous materials requiring a specification package. These tanks are no longer authorized because the rear end protection devices for these cargo tanks do not meet the minimum regulatory requirements. There is a high probability that a failure of these devices could occur during a rear end collision resulting in serious injury, death and property damage.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Joe DeLorenzo, (708) 283-3572. Midwest Service Center, Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, 19900 Governors Drive, Suite 210, Olympia Fields, IL 60461. Office hours are from 7:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., e.t., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Electronic Access**

An electronic copy of this document may be viewed and downloaded from the internet at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

**Background**

The FMCSA has the responsibility to ensure cargo tanks are designed and constructed in accordance with the DOT specifications. This authority is granted pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 5101 *et seq.*, as delegated to the FMCSA by the Secretary of Transportation in 49 C.F.R. 1.73(d)(1). To accomplish this mission, FMCSA performs compliance reviews of cargo tank manufacturers and assemblers and verifies the design and analysis of these cargo tanks with the recommended best practices identified in FMCSA's Guidelines for Structural Evaluation of Cargo Tanks, 1st edition, June 1996.

Although FMCSA has no recall authority, we utilize other means to remove unsafe cargo tanks from HM service until defects are corrected. Historically, FMCSA has utilized consent agreements that offer a reduction in the assessment of civil penalties if the cargo tank manufacturers and assemblers will recall and repair these defective tanks. Unfortunately there have been situations where this strategy has not always been effective and the FMCSA officially notified customers using defective cargo tanks by publishing a Safety Advisory Notice in the **Federal Register**. A recent example of the Safety Advisory Notice in the **Federal Register** was the identification of non-conforming cargo tanks manufactured by Acro Trailer Company, Springfield, MO. (attached)