according to the rate of Brucella infection present and the general effectiveness of a brucellosis control and eradication program. The classifications are Class Free, Class A, Class B, and Class C. States or areas that do not meet the minimum standards for Class C are required to be placed under Federal quarantine.

In an interim rule effective and published in the Federal Register on July 23, 2007 (72 FR 40062–40064, Docket No. APHIS–2007–0097), we amended the regulations by changing the classification of the State of Idaho from Class A to Class Free. That action relieved certain restrictions on the interstate movement of cattle from Idaho.

Comments on the interim rule were required to be received on or before September 21, 2007. We received one comment by that date, from a private citizen. This commenter did not, however, address the action taken in the interim rule (i.e., the change in Idaho’s brucellosis classification).

Therefore, for the reasons given in the interim rule and in this document, we are adopting the interim rule as a final rule without change.

This action also affirms the information contained in the interim rule concerning Executive Order 12866 and the Regulatory Flexibility Act, Executive Orders 12372 and 12988, and the Paperwork Reduction Act.

Further, for this action, the Office of Management and Budget has waived its review under Executive Order 12866.

List of Subjects in 9 CFR Part 78

Animal diseases, Bison, Cattle, Hogs, Quarantine, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Transportation.

PART 78—BRUCELLOSIS

Accordingly, we are adopting as a final rule, without change, the interim rule that amended 9 CFR part 78 and that was published at 72 FR 40062–40064 on July 23, 2007.

Done in Washington, DC, this 26th day of November 2007.

Kevin Shea,
Acting Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.

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1To view the interim rule and the comments we received, go to http://www.regulations.gov/fdmspublic/component/main?main=DocketDetail&d=APHIS–2007–0097.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Industry and Security

15 CFR Parts 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772 and 774

[Docket No. 071114706–7725–01]

RIN 0694–AE19

Updated Statements of Legal Authority for the Export Administration Regulations

AGENCY: Bureau of Industry and Security, Commerce.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This rule updates the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) legal authority citations for the Export Administration Regulations (EAR). This rule revises the authority citations in the Code of Federal Regulations for parts 730, 734, 736, 742, 744 and 745 of the EAR to cite the notice of August 15, 2007 and to remove the citation to the President’s notice of October 27, 2006 on the same subject, replace public law citations with United States Code citations, and remove outdated citations and to add one previously omitted citation. BIS is making these changes to keep the CFR legal authority citations for the EAR current.

This rule replaces the citations to Secs. 901–911, Public Law 106–387 and Sec 221 Public Law 107–56 with citations to 22 U.S.C. 7201 et seq. and 22 U.S.C. 7210, respectively, in the authority citations for parts 730, 738, 742, 744, 746 and 774. This rule replaces the citation to Sec. 901–911, Public Law 106–387 with a citation to 22 U.S.C. 7201 et seq. in the authority citations for part 740. This rule removes the citation to Public Law 108–75 from the authorities citations for part 730 because that list of citations contains a citation to 22 U.S.C. 2151 note, which is the U.S.C. citation for the provisions of Public Law 108–75 that provide authority for part 730. BIS is making the changes described in this paragraph to comply with the Office of the Federal Register policy of using United States Code citations for statutory provisions that have been encoded into the United States Code. This rule makes no changes to the text of the EAR.

DATES: Effective Date: November 30, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Comments concerning this rule should be sent to publiccomments@bis.doc.gov, fax (202) 482–3355, or to Regulatory Policy Division, Bureau of Industry and Security, Room H2705, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230. Please refer to regulatory identification number (RIN) 0694–AE19 in all comments, and in the subject line of email comments.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On November 14, 1994, by Executive Order 12938, the President declared a national emergency with respect to the unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security, foreign policy and economy of the United States posed by the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction. That emergency has been continued in effect by successive annual presidential notices. On November 8, 2007 the President issued a notice continuing that emergency for one year from November 14, 2007 (72 FR 63963, November 13, 2007). This rule revises the authority citations in the Code of Federal Regulations for parts 730, 734, 736, 742, 744 and 745 of the EAR to cite the notice of November 8, 2007 and to remove the citation to the President’s notice of October 27, 2006 on the same topic.

This rule also revises the authority citations for all parts of EAR by removing citations to Presidential notice of August 3, 2006—Continuation of Emergency Regarding Export Control Regulations, because that notice has been superseded by a Presidential notice of August 15, 2007 that is cited in the authority citations for each part. BIS is making the changes described in the preceding two paragraphs to keep the CFR authority citations for the EAR current.

This rule replaces the citations to Secs. 901–911, Public Law 106–387 and Sec 221 Public Law 107–56 with citations to 22 U.S.C. 7201 et seq. and 22 U.S.C. 7210, respectively, in the authority citations for parts 730, 738, 742, 744, 746 and 774. This rule replaces the citation to Sec. 901–911, Public Law 106–387 with a citation to 22 U.S.C. 7201 et seq. in the authority citations for part 740. This rule removes the citation to Public Law 108–75 from the authorities citations for part 730 because that list of citations contains a citation to 22 U.S.C. 2151 note, which is the U.S.C. citation for the provisions of Public Law 108–75 that provide authority for part 730. BIS is making the changes described in this paragraph to comply with the Office of the Federal Register policy of using United States Code citations for statutory provisions that have been encoded into the United States Code.

This rule adds a previously erroneously omitted citation to Executive Order 13222 to the authorities citations for part 743.

This rule makes no changes to the text of the EAR.

Rulemaking Requirements

1. This rule has been determined to be not significant for purposes of Executive Order 12866.

2. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no person is required to respond to, nor shall any person be subject to a penalty for failure to comply with, a collection of information subject to the requirements of the Paperwork
Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.) (PRA), unless that collection of information displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Control Number. This rule does not involve any collection of information.

3. This rule does not contain policies with Federalism implications as that term is defined under Executive Order 13132.

4. The Department finds that there is good cause under 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(B) to waive the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act requiring prior notice and the opportunity for public comment because they are unnecessary. This rule only updates legal authority citations. This rule does not alter any right, obligation or prohibition that applies to any person under the EAR. Because these revisions are not substantive changes, it is unnecessary to provide notice and opportunity for public comment. In addition, the 30-day delay in effectiveness required by 5 U.S.C. 553(d) is not applicable because this rule is not a substantive rule. No other law requires that a notice of proposed rulemaking and an opportunity for public comment be given for this rule. Because a notice of proposed rulemaking and an opportunity for public comment are not required to be given for this rule under the Administrative Procedure Act or by any other law, the analytical requirements of the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601 et seq.) are not applicable.

List of Subjects
15 CFR Part 730
Administrative practice and procedure, Advisory committees, Exports, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Strategic and critical materials.

15 CFR Parts 732, 740, 748, 750, 752 and 758
Administrative practice and procedure, Exports, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

15 CFR Part 734
Administrative practice and procedure, Exports, Inventions and patents, Research, Science and technology.

15 CFR Parts 736, 738, 770 and 772
Exports.

15 CFR Part 742
Exports, Terrorism.

15 CFR Part 743
Administrative practice and procedure, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

15 CFR Part 744
Exports, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Terrorism.

15 CFR Part 745
Administrative practice and procedure, Chemicals, Exports, Foreign trade, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

15 CFR Part 746 and 774
Exports, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

15 CFR Part 747
Administrative practice and procedure, Exports, Foreign trade, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

15 CFR Part 754
Agricultural commodities, Exports, Forests and forest products, Horses, Petroleum, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

15 CFR Part 756
Administrative practice and procedure, Exports, Penalties.

15 CFR Part 760
Boycotts, Exports, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

15 CFR Part 762
Administrative practice and procedure, Business and industry, Confidential business information, Exports, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

15 CFR Part 764
Administrative practice and procedure, Exports, Law enforcement, Penalties.

15 CFR Part 766
Administrative practice and procedure, Confidential business information, Exports, Law enforcement, Penalties.

15 CFR Part 768
Administrative practice and procedure, Exports, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Science and technology.

Accordingly, parts 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772 and 774 of the EAR (15 CFR parts 700–774) are amended as follows:

[PART 730—AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 730 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 732—AMENDED]

2. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 732 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 734—AMENDED]

3. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 734 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 736—AMENDED]

4. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 736 is revised to read as follows:

9. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 738 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 740—AMENDED]

6. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 740 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 742—AMENDED]

7. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 742 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 747—AMENDED]

12. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 747 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 748—AMENDED]

13. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 748 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 750—AMENDED]

14. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 750 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 756—AMENDED]

16. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 756 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 758—AMENDED]

18. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 758 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 762—AMENDED]

21. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 762 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 766—AMENDED]

22. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 766 is revised to read as follows:

[PART 768—AMENDED]

23. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 768 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 770—AMENDED]

24. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 770 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 772—AMENDED]

25. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 772 is revised to read as follows:


[PART 774—AMENDED]

26. The authority citation for 15 CFR part 774 is revised to read as follows:


Matthew S. Borman, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Export Administration.
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