

“Regulations”), effective August 22, 1996. 61 FR 43462 (Aug. 23, 1996).

Section 596.201 of the Regulations provides that, except as authorized by regulations, orders, directives, licenses, or otherwise, no United States person, knowing or having reasonable cause to know that a country is designated under section 6(j) of the EAA as a country supporting international terrorism, shall engage in a financial transaction with the government of such country. A schedule following section 596.201 listed those countries that were designated under section 6(j) as of the effective date of the Regulations (*i.e.*, as of August 22, 1996). Since that date, the Secretary of State has issued Public Notices rescinding the designations of Iraq [69 FR 61702 (Oct. 20, 2004)], Libya [71 FR 39696 (July 13, 2006)], and North Korea [73 FR 63540 (Oct. 24, 2008)]. Accordingly, OFAC is amending section 596.201 of the Regulations so that the schedule that follows in new paragraph (b) of this section lists countries that are designated under section 6(j) as supporting international terrorism as of May 18, 2009. The schedule itself is being updated by the removal of Iraq, Libya, and North Korea, which are no longer so designated.

Public Participation

Because the amendment of the Regulations involves a foreign affairs function, the provisions of Executive Order 12866 and the Administrative Procedure Act (5 U.S.C. 553) requiring notice of proposed rulemaking, opportunity for public participation, and delay in effective date are inapplicable. Because no notice of proposed rulemaking is required for this rule, the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601–612) does not apply.

Paperwork Reduction Act

The collections of information related to the Regulations are contained in 31 CFR part 501 (the “Reporting, Procedures and Penalties Regulations”). Pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3507), those collections of information have been approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1505–0164. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid control number.

List of Subjects in 31 CFR Part 596

Administrative practice and procedure, Banking and finance, Cuba, Fines and penalties, Iran, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Syria, Sudan, Terrorism, Transfer of assets.

■ For the reasons set forth in the preamble, the Office of Foreign Assets Control amends 31 CFR part 596 as follows:

PART 596—TERRORISM LIST GOVERNMENTS SANCTIONS REGULATIONS

■ 1. The authority citation for part 596 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 18 U.S.C. 2332d; 31 U.S.C. 321(b).

Subpart B—Prohibitions

■ 2. Revise § 596.201 to read as follows:

§ 596.201 Prohibited financial transactions.

(a) Except as authorized by regulations, orders, directives, rulings, instructions, licenses, or otherwise, no United States person, on or after the effective date, knowing or having reasonable cause to know that a country is designated under section 6(j) of the Export Administration Act, 50 U.S.C. App. 2405, as a country supporting international terrorism, shall engage in a financial transaction with the government of that country.

(b) Countries designated under section 6(j) of the Export Administration Act as of May 18, 2009 are listed in the following schedule.

Schedule

Cuba.
Iran.
Sudan.
Syria.

Dated: May 7, 2009.

Barbara C. Hammerle,

Acting Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

33 CFR Part 165

[Docket No. USCG 2009–0328]

Safety Zone; Fourth of July Fireworks, City of Sausalito, Sausalito, CA

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.

ACTION: Notice of enforcement of regulation.

SUMMARY: The Coast Guard will enforce the Fourth of July Fireworks, City of Sausalito, safety zone from 9 a.m. through 9:30 p.m. on July 4, 2009, in

position 37°51′31″ N, 122°28′28″ W. This action is necessary to control vessel traffic and to ensure the safety of event participants and spectators. During the enforcement period, unauthorized persons or vessels are prohibited from entering into, transiting through, or anchoring in the safety zone, unless authorized by the Patrol Commander (PATCOM).

DATES: The regulations in 33 CFR 165.1191 will be enforced from 9 a.m. through 9:30 p.m. on July 4, 2009.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have questions on this notice, call or e-mail Lieutenant Junior Grade Simone Mausz, Sector San Francisco Waterways Safety Division, U.S. Coast Guard; telephone 415–399–7442, e-mail simone.mausz@uscg.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

The Coast Guard will enforce the safety zone for the annual Fourth of July Fireworks, City of Sausalito, safety zone in 33 CFR 165.1191 on July 4, 2009, from 9 a.m. through 9:30 p.m. During the fireworks display, scheduled to start at approximately 9:15 p.m., the fireworks barge will be located approximately 1,000 feet off-shore from Sausalito waterfront, North of Spinnaker Restaurant in the Richardson Bay in position 37°51′31″ N, 122°28′28″ W.

Under the provisions of 33 CFR 165.1191, unauthorized persons or vessels are prohibited from entering into, transiting through, or anchoring in the safety zone during all applicable effective dates and times, unless authorized to do so by the PATCOM. Additionally, each person who receives notice of a lawful order or direction issued by an official patrol vessel shall obey the order of direction. The PATCOM is empowered to forbid and control the regulated area. The PATCOM shall be designated by the Commander, Coast Guard Sector San Francisco. The PATCOM may, upon request, allow the transit of commercial vessels through regulated areas when it is safe to do so.

This notice is issued under authority of 33 CFR 165.1191 and 5 U.S.C. 552(a). In addition to this notice in the **Federal Register**, the Coast Guard will provide the maritime community with extensive advance notification of this enforcement period via the Local Notice to Mariners.

If the Captain of the Port determines that the regulated area need not be enforced for the full duration stated in this notice, he or she may use a Broadcast Notice to Mariners to grant general permission to enter the regulated area.

Dated: May 1, 2009.

P.M. Gugg,

Captain, U.S. Coast Guard, Captain of the Port, Sector San Francisco.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

33 CFR Part 165

[Docket No. USCG 2009-0327]

Safety Zone; Vallejo Fourth of July Fireworks, Vallejo, CA

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.

ACTION: Notice of enforcement of regulation.

SUMMARY: The Coast Guard will enforce the Vallejo Fourth of July Fireworks Display safety zone for the city of Vallejo, from 8 p.m. through 10 p.m. on July 4, 2009, in the Mare Island Strait in position 38°5'46" N, 122°15'54" W (NAD83). This action is necessary to control vessel traffic and to ensure the safety of event participants and spectators. During the enforcement period, unauthorized persons or vessels are prohibited from entering into, transiting through, or anchoring in the safety zone, unless authorized by the Patrol Commander (PATCOM).

DATES: The regulations in 33 CFR 165.1191 will be enforced from 8 p.m. through 10 p.m. on July 4, 2009.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have questions on this notice, call or e-mail Lieutenant Junior Grade Simone Mausz, Sector San Francisco Waterways Safety Division, U.S. Coast Guard; telephone 415-399-7442, e-mail simone.mausz@uscg.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Coast Guard will enforce the safety zone for the annual Vallejo Fourth of July Fireworks in 33 CFR 165.1191 on July 4, 2009, from 8 p.m. through 10 p.m. The fireworks launch site is on the shore line of Mare Island in Vallejo, CA and will be launched from position 38°5'46" N, 122°15'54" W (NAD83).

Under the provisions of 33 CFR 165.1191, unauthorized persons or vessels are prohibited from entering into, transiting through, or anchoring in the safety zone during all applicable effective dates and times, unless authorized to do so by the PATCOM. Additionally, each person who receives notice of a lawful order or direction issued by an official patrol vessel shall obey the order of direction. The

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Dated: May 1, 2009.

P.M. Gugg,

Captain, U.S. Coast Guard, Captain of the Port, Sector San Francisco.

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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

39 CFR Part 3001

[Docket No. RM2009-4; Order No. 214]

Updates to Rules of Practice

AGENCY: Postal Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission is removing obsolete rules of practice from the Code of Federal Regulations. The removed rules have been overtaken by rulemakings implementing a new postal law.

DATES: Effective May 18, 2009.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Stephen L. Sharfman, General Counsel, 202-7689-6824 and stephen.sharfman@prc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

This final rule amends part 3001 of the Postal Regulatory Commission's rules of practice and procedure, 39 CFR part 3001, by removing subparts B, C, F, G, I, J, K, and L. As explained below, these rules have been rendered obsolete by the passage of the Postal Accountability and Enhancement Act (PAEA), Public Law No. 109-435, 120 Stat. 3218 (2006).

The PAEA transformed the Postal Rate Commission into the Postal Regulatory Commission (Commission);

repealed several key sections of title 39 of the United States Code; and added a number of new statutory provisions to title 39. The result was a major change in the Commission's regulatory responsibilities and authorities. In response to the changes made by the PAEA, the Commission, on October 29, 2007, established a new system of ratemaking which was markedly different from the prior regulatory regime. Docket No. RM2007-1, Order Establishing Ratemaking Regulations for Market Dominant and Competitive Products, October 29, 2009 (Order No. 43).

Because of changes made by the PAEA and Order No. 43, subparts B, C, F, G, I, J, K, and L of part 3001 of the Commission's rules of practice are obsolete and are being removed to avoid uncertainty and confusion.

II. Discussion

A. 39 CFR Part 3001, Subpart B—Rules Applicable to Requests for Changes in Rates or Fees

Part 3001, subpart B, was adopted in 1971 and covered requests by the Postal Service for the issuance of recommended decisions by the Postal Rate Commission on proposed changes in rates and fees. 36 FR 396 (January 12, 1971). Subpart B implemented section 3622 of the Postal Reorganization Act (PRA). Section 201(a) of the PAEA struck PRA §§ 3621 and 3622 from title 39 of the United States Code and replaced those two sections with the following new sections: §§ 3621 and 3622 (applicable to market dominant products) and §§ 3631 through 3634 (applicable to competitive products).

To implement these statutory changes, the Commission, in Order No. 43, promulgated new regulations as parts 3010 and 3015. Those latter parts now govern rate changes for market dominant and competitive products, respectively.

The repeal of 39 U.S.C. 3621 and 3622; the addition of new §§ 3621, 3622, and 3631 through 3634 to title 39; and the adoption of parts 3010 and 3015 to the Commission's rules of practice and procedure have, together, rendered subpart B of part 3001 obsolete. Accordingly, the Commission is removing subpart B.