Dated: May 1, 2009.

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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 Straight 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 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.

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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.