Alternative Methods of Compliance (AMOCs)

(g)(1) The Manager, Fort Worth Airplane Certification Office, FAA, has the authority to approve AMOCs for this AD, if requested using the procedures found in 14 CFR 39.19. In accordance with 14 CFR 39.19, send your request to your principal inspector or local Flight Standards District Office, as appropriate. If sending information directly to the manager of the ACO, send it to the attention of the person identified in the Related Information section of this AD.

(2) Before using any approved AMOC, notify your appropriate principal inspector, or lacking a principal inspector, the manager of the local flight standards district office/certificate holding district office.

Related Information

(b) For more information about this AD, contact Andrew McAnaul, Aerospace Engineer, ASW–150 (c/o MIDO–43), 10100 Reunion Place, Suite 650, San Antonio, Texas 78216; phone: (210) 308–3365; fax: (210) 308–3370; e-mail: andrew.mcanaul@faa.gov.

Material Incorporated by Reference

(i) You must use Grumman American Aviation Corporation Ag-Cat Service Bulletin No. 61, dated June 6, 1977; Ag-Cat Maintenance Manual pages 6–14 through 6–16, copyright 1978; and Ag-Cat G–164D Maintenance Manual pages 6–24 and 6–29, copyright 1995, to do the actions required by this AD, unless the AD specifies otherwise.

(1) The Director of the Federal Register previously approved the incorporation by reference of Grumman American Aviation Corporation Ag-Cat Service Bulletin No. 61, dated June 6, 1977; Ag-Cat Maintenance Manual pages 6–14 through 6–16, copyright 1978; and Ag-Cat G–164D Maintenance Manual pages 6–24 and 6–29, copyright 1995, on December 19, 2008 (73 FR 67372, November 14, 2008).

(2) For service information identified in this AD, contact Allied Ag Cat Productions, Inc., 301 West Walnut Street, P.O. Box 482, Walnut Ridge, Arkansas 72479; telephone: (870) 896–2418.

(3) You may review copies of the service information at the FAA, Small Airplane Directorate, 901 Locust St., Kansas City, Missouri 64016. For information on the availability of this material at the FAA, call (816) 329–4148.

(4) You may also review copies of the service information that is incorporated by reference at the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA). For information on the availability of this material at an NARA facility, call 202–741–6030, or go to http://www.archives.gov/  

I. Supplementary Material

A. Background

The BSA, as implemented through regulations issued and administered by FinCEN, requires financial institutions, including broker-dealers registered with the Commission, to make, keep, retain and report certain records that are useful for the purposes of criminal, tax, or regulatory investigations or proceedings. FinCEN administers the BSA and its implementing regulations, and the Commission has oversight authority for broker-dealers’ compliance with the BSA’s requirements. Exchange Act Rule 17a–8 requires broker-dealers to comply with the reporting, recordkeeping and record retention requirements of the BSA’s implementing regulations as found in part 103 of title 31 of the CFR.

FinCEN recently reorganized the BSA’s implementing regulations into a new chapter within title 31 of the CFR. As part of this reorganization, FinCEN moved the regulations reflected in 31 CFR Part 103 into 31 CFR Chapter X. When Chapter X becomes effective on March 1, 2011, 31 CFR Part 103 will be deleted, thereby rendering the references to “part 103 of title 31” of the CFR in Exchange Act Rule 17a–8 incorrect.

B. Technical Amendments to Rule 17a–8

The Commission is amending Rule 17a–8 to conform the current CFR references to the BSA’s implementing regulations to those that will apply as a result of FinCEN’s reorganization of these regulations. Accordingly, the two references to “part 103 of title 31” in Exchange Act Rule 17a–8 will be:

1 31 U.S.C. 5311 et seq.
replaced with references to “Chapter X of title 31.”

II. Certain Findings

Under the Administrative Procedure Act (‘‘APA’’), notice of proposed rulemaking is not required when an agency, for good cause, finds “that notice and public procedure thereon are impracticable, unnecessary, or contrary to the public interest.” The Commission is making technical amendments to Rule 17a–8 to update the reference to the BSA implementing regulations. The Commission finds that because the amendment is technical in nature and is being made solely to reflect the changes in applicable references to the BSA’s implementing regulations, publishing the amendment for comment is unnecessary.7

The APA also requires publication of a rule at least 30 days before its effective date unless the agency finds otherwise for good cause.8 Due to the need to coordinate the effectiveness of the amendment to Rule 17a–8 with the effective date of FinCEN’s rule reorganization scheduled to take effect on March 1, 2011, and for the same reasons described above with respect to notice and opportunity for comment, the Commission finds that there is good cause for these technical amendments to take effect on March 1, 2011.

III. Consideration of Competitive Effects of Amendment

Section 3(f) of the Exchange Act,9 provides that whenever the Commission is engaged in rulemaking and is required to consider or determine whether an action is necessary or appropriate in the public interest, the Commission shall consider, in addition to the protection of investors, whether the action will promote efficiency, competition, and capital formation. Section 23(a)(2) of the Exchange Act requires the Commission, in adopting rules under the Exchange Act, to consider the competitive effects of such rules, if any, and to refrain from adopting a rule that would impose a burden on competition not necessary or appropriate in the furtherance of the purposes of the Exchange Act.10

Because the amendments to Exchange Act Rule 17a–8 are technical in nature, and do not impose any additional requirements beyond those already required, we do not anticipate that the amendments would have a significant effect on efficiency, competition, or capital formation, and we do not anticipate that any competitive advantages or disadvantages would be created.

IV. Statutory Authority

We are adopting this technical amendment to Rule 17a–8 under the authority set forth in the Exchange Act, in particular, Sections 3, 10, 15, 17 and 23 thereof.11

List of Subjects in 17 CFR Part 240

Broker-dealers, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Securities.

Text of Amendments

For the reasons set out in the preamble, Title 17, Chapter II of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 240—GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS, SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

1. The authority citation for Part 240 continues to read, in part, as follows:

Authority: 15 U.S.C. 77c, 77d, 77g, 77j, 77s, 77z–2, 77z–3, 77eee, 77ggg, 77nnn, 77sss, 77t77c, 78c, 78d, 78e, 78f, 78g, 78i, 78j, 78j–1, 78k, 78k–1, 78l, 78m, 78n, 78o, 78p, 78q, 78s, 78u–5, 78u, 78v, 78l, 78mm, 80a–20, 80a–23, 80a–29, 80a–37, 80b–3, 80b–4, 80b–11, and 7201 et seq., and 18 U.S.C. 1350, unless otherwise noted.

2. Amend § 240.17a–8 by removing the phrase “part 103” in the two places it appears and adding in its place “Chapter X.”


Elizabeth M. Murphy,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

21 CFR Part 173

[Docket No. FDA–2010–F–0200]

Secondary Direct Food Additives Permitted in Food for Human Consumption

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is amending the food additive regulations to permit the use of hydrogen peroxide as an antimicrobial agent in the manufacture of modified whey by ultrafiltration methods. This action is in response to a petition filed by Fonterra (USA), Inc.

DATES: This rule is effective March 2, 2011. Submit either electronic or written objections and requests for a hearing by April 1, 2011. See section VI of this document for information on the filing of objections. The incorporation by reference of certain publications listed in the rule is approved by the Director of the Federal Register as of March 2, 2011.

ADDRESSES: You may submit either electronic or written objections and requests for a hearing, identified by Docket No. FDA–2010–F–0200, by any of the following methods:

Electronic Submissions

Submit electronic objections in the following way:

• Federal eRulemaking Portal: http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

Written Submissions

Submit written objections in the following ways:

• FAX: 301–827–6870.

• Mail/Hand delivery/Courier (For paper, disk, or CD–ROM submissions): Division of Dockets Management (HFA–305), Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the Agency name and Docket No. FDA–2010–F–0200 for this rulemaking. All objections received will be posted without change to http://www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided. For detailed instructions on submitting objections, see the “Objections” heading of the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION section of this document.

6 5 U.S.C. 553(b).

7 For similar reasons, the amendments do not require analysis under the Regulatory Flexibility Act (‘‘RFA’’) or analysis of major rule status under the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act. See 5 U.S.C. 601(2) (for purposes of RFA analysis, the term “rule” means any rule for which the agency publishes a general notice of proposed rulemaking); and 5 U.S.C. 804(3)(C) (for purposes of Congressional review of agency rulemaking, the term “rule” does not include any rule of agency organization, procedure or practice that does not substantially affect the rights or obligations of non-agency parties).


