Nonetheless, the Department has reviewed the rule to ensure its consistency with the regulatory philosophy and principles set forth in the Executive Order.

F. Executive Order 13563

The Department of State has considered this rule in light of Executive Order 13563 and affirms that this regulation is consistent with the guidance therein.

G. Executive Orders 12372 and 13132: Federalism

This regulation will not have substantial direct effects on the States, on the relationship between the national government and the States, or the distribution of power and responsibilities among the various levels of government. Nor will the rule have federalism implications warranting the application of Executive Orders 12372 and 13132.

H. Executive Order 12988: Civil Justice Reform

The Department has reviewed the regulations in light of sections 3(a) and 3(b)(2) of Executive Order No. 12988 to eliminate ambiguity, minimize litigation, establish clear legal standards, and reduce burden.

I. Executive Order 13175

The Department has determined that this rulemaking will not have tribal implications, will not impose substantial direct compliance costs on Tribal Indian governments, and will not pre-empt tribal law. Accordingly, the requirements of Executive Order 13175 does not apply to this rulemaking.

J. Paperwork Reduction Act

This rule does not impose information collection requirements under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act, 44 U.S.C., Chapter 35.

List of Subjects in 22 CFR Part 42

Aliens, Foreign officials, Immigration, Passports and visas.

Accordingly, for the reasons set forth in the preamble, the interim rule published November 1, 2011, at 76 FR 67363, is adopted as final with the following change:

PART 42—VISAS: DOCUMENTATION OF IMMIGRANTS UNDER THE IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT, AS AMENDED

1. The authority citation for section 42 is amended to read as follows:


2. Section 42.24 is amended by revising paragraph (n)(2) to read as follows:


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(2) For any alien described in paragraph (n)(1) of this section, the “competent authority” referred to in INA section 101(b)(1)(G)(ii)(V)(aa) is a court or governmental agency of a foreign country of origin having jurisdiction and authority to make decisions in matters of child welfare, including adoption. If the competent authority over matters of child welfare no longer has jurisdiction or authority over the alien due to his or her age, then the passport issuing authority of the foreign country of origin may be considered the competent authority for the purposes of INA section 101(b)(1)(G)(ii)(V)(aa).

Dated: May 2, 2013.

Janice L. Jacobs,
Assistant Secretary for Consular Affairs, Department of State

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

33 CFR Parts 100 and 165

[Docket No. USCG–2011–0551]

Special Local Regulation and Safety Zone: America’s Cup Sailing Events, San Francisco, CA

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.

ACTION: Temporary final rule; notice of calendar availability.

SUMMARY: The Coast Guard announces the availability of the 2013 program calendar for the on-water activities associated with the “Louis Vuitton Cup, Red Bull Youth America’s Cup and the 34th America’s Cup” regattas scheduled from July 4th to September 23rd, 2013, which will temporarily restrict vessel traffic in a portion of the San Francisco Bay, prohibit vessels not participating in the America’s Cup sailing events from entering the designated race area, and create a temporary safety zone around racing vessels.

This document announces the availability of the 2013 program calendar referenced in the rulemaking published in association with the “Louis Vuitton Cup, Red Bull Youth America’s Cup and the 34th America’s Cup” regattas. This program lists the scheduled race dates that the rule will be enforced for the event programming.

This document is issued under the authority of 5 U.S.C. 552(a), 33 U.S.C. 1233, and 33 CFR 1.05–1.
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

42 CFR Part 433
[CMS–2327–CN]
RIN 0938–AR38

Medicaid Program; Increased Federal Medical Assistance Percentage Changes Under the Affordable Care Act of 2010; Correction

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), HHS.

ACTION: Final rule; correction.

SUMMARY: This document corrects a typographical error that appeared in the final rule published in the April 2, 2013 Federal Register entitled “Medicaid Program; Increased Federal Medical Assistance Percentage Changes Under the Affordable Care Act of 2010.”

DATES: Effective June 3, 2013.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jennifer Cannistra, (410) 786–6580.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Introduction

In the April 2, 2013, we inadvertently made a typographical error in the reference cited in the regulations text at § 433.210(c)(6). The text currently states, “§ 433.210(c)(6) of (c)(8),” and it should be corrected to read, “§ 433.210(c)(6) or (c)(8).”

III. Waiver of Proposed Rulemaking

We ordinarily publish a notice of proposed rulemaking in the Federal Register to provide a period for public comment before the provisions of a rule take effect in accordance with section 553(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act (APA) (5 U.S.C. 553(b)). However, we can waive this notice and comment procedure if the Secretary finds, for good cause, that the notice and comment process is impracticable, unnecessary, or contrary to the public interest, and incorporates a statement of the finding and the reasons therefore in the notice.

Section 553(d) of the APA ordinarily requires a 30-day delay in effective date of final rules after the date of their publication in the Federal Register. This 30-day delay in effective date can be waived, however, if an agency finds for good cause that the delay is impracticable, unnecessary, or contrary to the public interest, and the agency incorporates a statement of the findings and its reasons in the rule issued.

The correction notice corrects a typographical error, and does not warrant an additional notice and comment period or a delay in the effective date. The typographical error was clear and the meaning of the provision remained evident; so such procedures are unnecessary. Further, correction of the typographical error will serve the public interest by reducing any potential for confusion.

Therefore, we find good cause to waive the notice and comment requirements for proposed rulemaking and the delayed effective date. Consequently, this correction will be effective on June 3, 2013.

IV. Correction of Error

In FR Doc. 2013–07599 of April 2, 2013 (78 FR 19918), make the following correction:

On page 19947, in the 1st column; in the 1st paragraph, on line 1, the reference “§ 433.210(c)(6) of (c)(8),” should be corrected to read, “§ 433.210(c)(6) or (c)(8).”

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 93.778, Medical Assistance Program)

Dated: May 29, 2013.

Jennifer Cannistra,
Executive Secretary to the Department, Department of Health and Human Services.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 54
[WC Docket Nos. 10–90; DA 13–1113]

Connect America Fund

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: In this document, the Federal Communications Commission (Commission) adopts a framework for the challenge process that will be used to finalize the list of areas that will be eligible for Connect America Phase II model-based support and adopts the procedures for a price cap carrier to elect to make a state-level commitment to serve the eligible areas.

DATES: Effective July 3, 2013, except for those rules and requirements involving Paperwork Reduction Act burdens, which shall become effective immediately upon announcement in the Federal Register of OMB approval.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ryan Yates, Wireline Competition Bureau, (202) 418–0886 or TTY: (202) 418–0484.


I. Introduction

1. In the USF/ICC Transformation Order, 76 FR 73830, November 29, 2011, the Commission comprehensively reformed and modernized the universal service and intercarrier compensation systems to maintain voice service and extend broadband-capable infrastructure to millions of Americans. As part of the reform, the Commission adopted a framework for providing support to areas served by price cap carriers known as the Connect America Fund through “a combination of competitive bidding and a new forward-looking model of the cost of constructing modern multipurpose networks.” In particular, the Commission will offer each price cap carrier monthly model-based support for a period of five years in exchange for a state-level commitment to serve specified areas that are not served by an unsubsidized competitor, and if that offer is not accepted, will determine support through a competitive process.

2. In this Report and Order (Order), the Wireline Competition Bureau (Bureau) adopts the framework for the challenge process that will be used to finalize the list of areas that will be eligible for Connect America Phase II model-based support and adopts the procedures for a price cap carrier to elect to make a state-level commitment to serve the eligible areas.