

# Proposed Rules

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This section of the FEDERAL REGISTER contains notices to the public of the proposed issuance of rules and regulations. The purpose of these notices is to give interested persons an opportunity to participate in the rule making prior to the adoption of the final rules.

## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Rural Utilities Service

7 CFR Parts 1703, 1709, 1710, 1717, 1720, 1721, 1724, 1726, 1737, 1738, 1739, 1740, 1753, 1774, 1775, 1779, 1780, 1781, and 1782

### Rural Business-Cooperative Service

### Rural Housing Service

### Rural Utilities Service

### Farm Service Agency

7 CFR Parts 1924, 1940, 1942, 1944, 1948, 1951, 1955, 1962, 1970, and 1980

### Rural Housing Service

7 CFR Parts 3550, 3560, 3565, 3570, and 3575

### Rural Business-Cooperative Service

### Rural Utilities Service

7 CFR Parts 4274, 4279, 4280, 4284, and 4290

RIN 0575-AC56

### Environmental Policies and Procedures

**AGENCY:** Rural Housing Service, Rural Business-Cooperative Service, Rural Utilities Service, Farm Service Agency, U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

**ACTION:** Proposed rule; extension of public comment period.

**SUMMARY:** Through this action, the Rural Housing Service, Rural Business-Cooperative Service, Rural Utilities Service, and Farm Service Agency is extending the comment period for the proposed rule, "Environmental Policies and Procedures" by 30 days from April 7, 2014 to May 7, 2014.

**DATES:** Comments on the proposed rule must be received on or before May 7, 2014.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments to this rule by any of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

- *Mail:* Submit written comments via the U.S. Postal Service to the Branch Chief, Regulations and Paperwork Management Branch, U.S. Department of Agriculture, STOP 0742, 1400 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20250-0742.

- *Hand Delivery/Courier:* Submit written comments via Federal Express Mail or other courier service requiring a street address to the Branch Chief, Regulations and Paperwork Management Branch, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 300 7th Street SW., 7th Floor, Suite 701, Washington, DC 20024.

All written comments will be available for public inspection during regular work hours at the 300 7th Street SW., 7th Floor address listed above.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Mark S. Plank, Director, Environmental and Engineering Staff, Rural Utilities Service, Stop 1571, 1400 Independence Ave. SW., Washington, DC 20250-1571; email: [Mark.Plank@wdc.usda.gov](mailto:Mark.Plank@wdc.usda.gov); telephone: (202) 720-1649.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On February 4, 2014, the Rural Housing Service, Rural Business-Cooperative Service, Rural Utilities Service, and Farm Service Agency published a proposed rule in the **Federal Register** (79 FR 6740), "Environmental Policies and Procedures."

In the proposed rule, Rural Development, a mission area within the U.S. Department of Agriculture comprised of the Rural Housing Service (RHS), Rural Business-Cooperative Service (RBS) and Rural Utilities Service (RUS), hereafter referred to as the Agency, is proposing to unify and update environmental policies and procedures covering all Agency programs by consolidating two existing Agency regulations that implement the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and other applicable environmental requirements. These rules supplement the regulations of the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ), the regulations of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP), associated environmental statutes, Executive orders and Departmental Regulations. The majority

of the proposed changes relate to the categorical exclusion provisions in the Agency's procedures for implementing NEPA. These proposed changes are intended to better align the Agency's regulations, particularly for those actions listed as categorical exclusions, to the Agency's current activities and recent experiences and to the CEQ's Memorandum for Heads of Federal Departments and Agencies entitled "Establishing, Applying, and Revising Categorical Exclusions under the National Environmental Policy Act" issued on November 23, 2010, and to consolidate the provisions of the Agency's two current NEPA rules at 7 CFR parts 1794 and 1940, subpart G.

Dated: March 20, 2014.

**Patrice Kunesh,**

*Acting Deputy Under Secretary, Rural Development.*

Dated: March 26, 2014.

**Michael T. Scuse,**

*Under Secretary, Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

#### 14 CFR Part 71

[Docket No. FAA-2014-0076; Airspace Docket No. 14-ANE-4]

#### Proposed Amendment of Class E Airspace; Bridgeport, CT

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM), withdrawal.

**SUMMARY:** A Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM) published in the **Federal Register** on March 18, 2014 amending Class E airspace at Igor I. Sikorsky Memorial Airport is being withdrawn. Upon review, the FAA found that the Bridgeport VOR has not been decommissioned, and therefore airspace reconfiguration is not required.

**DATES:** Effective 0901 UTC. As of April 2, 2014 the proposed rule published March 18, 2014, at 79 FR 15064, is withdrawn.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John Fornito, Operations Support Group,

Eastern Service Center, Federal Aviation Administration, P.O. Box 20636, Atlanta, Georgia 30320; telephone (404) 305-6364.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**History**

On March 18, 2014, the FAA published in the **Federal Register** a NPRM to amend Class E airspace at Bridgeport, CT (79 FR 15064) Docket No. FAA-2014-0076. Subsequent to publication the FAA found that the Bridgeport VOR navigation aid has not been decommissioned and airspace redesign is not necessary. This proposed rule is being withdrawn.

**Lists of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 71**

Airspace, Incorporation by reference, Navigation (air).

**The Withdrawal**

Accordingly, pursuant to the authority delegated to me, the notice of proposed rulemaking, as published in the **Federal Register** on March 18, 2014 (79 FR 15064) (FR Doc. 2014-05889), is hereby withdrawn.

**Authority:** 49 U.S.C. 106(g); 40103, 40113, 40120; E.O. 10854, 24 FR 9565, 3 CFR, 1959-1963 Comp., p. 389.

Issued in College Park, Georgia, on March 25, 2014.

**Eric Fox,**

*Acting Manager, Operations Support Group, Eastern Service Center, Air Traffic Organization.*

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**17 CFR Parts 200, 229, 230, 232, 239, 240, 243, and 249**

[Release Nos. 33-9568; 34-71830; File No. S7-08-10]

**RIN 3235-AK37**

**Extension of Comment Period for Asset-Backed Securities Release**

**AGENCY:** Securities and Exchange Commission

**ACTION:** Extension of comment period.

**SUMMARY:** On February 25, 2014, the Securities and Exchange Commission re-opened the comment period on two releases related to asset-backed securities. The Commission re-opened the comment period to permit interested persons to comment on an approach for the dissemination of potentially sensitive asset-level data. The comment period is scheduled to end on March 28,

2014. In light of public interest in providing comment on the approach, the Commission is extending the comment period until April 28, 2014 to permit interested persons additional time to analyze and comment on the approach.

**DATES:** Comments should be received on or before April 28, 2014.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

**Electronic Comments**

- Use the Commission's Internet comment form (<http://www.sec.gov/rules/proposed.shtml>); or
- Send an email to [rule-comments@sec.gov](mailto:rule-comments@sec.gov). Please include File Number S7-08-10 on the subject line; or
- Use the Federal eRulemaking Portal (<http://www.regulations.gov>). Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

**Paper Comments**

- Send paper comments to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE., Washington, DC 20549-1090.

All submissions should refer to File Number S7-08-10. This file number should be included on the subject line if email is used. To help us process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's Internet Web site (<http://www.sec.gov/rules/proposed.shtml>). Comments are also available for Web site viewing and printing in the Commission's Public Reference Room, 100 F Street NE., Washington, DC 20549 on official business days between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. All comments received will be posted without change; we do not edit personal identifying information from submissions. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Rolaine S. Bancroft, Senior Special Counsel, or Robert Errett, Special Counsel, at (202) 551-3850 in the Office of Structured Finance, Division of Corporation Finance, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE., Washington, DC 20549-3628.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On February 25, 2014, we re-opened the comment period on two releases, Asset-Backed Securities<sup>1</sup> and Re-Proposal of Shelf Eligibility Conditions for Asset-Backed Securities,<sup>2</sup> to permit interested

<sup>1</sup> Release No. 33-9117 (Apr. 7, 2010), 75 FR 23328.

<sup>2</sup> Release No. 33-9244 (Jul. 26, 2011), 76 FR 47948.

persons to comment on an approach for the dissemination of asset-level data,<sup>3</sup> which is described in a staff memorandum, dated February 25, 2014, that has been previously included in the public comment file.<sup>4</sup>

The comment period is scheduled to end on March 28, 2014. We have received requests for an extension of time for public comment.<sup>5</sup> The Commission believes that providing the public additional time to consider and comment on the matters outlined in the staff memorandum and submit comprehensive responses would benefit the Commission in its consideration of the final rules. Therefore, we are extending the comment period until April 28, 2014.

By the Commission.

Date: March 28, 2014.

**Kevin M. O'Neill,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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**PENSION BENEFIT GUARANTY CORPORATION**

**29 CFR Parts 4001, 4022, and 4044**

**RIN 1212-AB23**

**Title IV Treatment of Rollovers From Defined Contribution Plans To Defined Benefit Plans**

**AGENCY:** Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** This proposed rule would amend PBGC's regulations on allocation of assets and benefits payable in terminated single-employer plans to clarify the treatment of benefits resulting from a rollover distribution from a defined contribution plan or other qualified trust to a defined benefit plan, if the defined benefit plan was terminated and trusted by PBGC. This

<sup>3</sup> Release No. 33-9552 (Feb. 25, 2014), 79 FR 11361.

<sup>4</sup> See Memorandum from the Commission's Division of Corporation Finance (dated Feb. 25, 2014), which is available on the Commission's Internet Web site at <http://www.sec.gov/comments/s7-08-10/s70810.shtml>.

<sup>5</sup> See letters from Ally Financial Inc. dated Mar. 14, 2014, Bank of America Corporation dated Mar. 18, 2014, CNH Industrial Capital America LLC dated Mar. 20, 2014, Ford Motor Credit Company LLC dated Mar. 10, 2014, Mortgage Bankers Association dated Mar. 14, 2014, Structured Finance Industry Group dated Mar. 10, 2014, Volvo Financial Services dated Mar. 25, 2014 and World Omni Financial Corp. dated Mar. 24, 2014. The public comments we received are available at <http://www.sec.gov/comments/s7-08-10/s70810.shtml>.