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14 CFR Part 73

[Airspace Docket No. 96-AAL-20]

RIN: 2120-AA66

Change Using Agency for Restricted Areas 2202 (R-2202), Big Delta, AK; R-2203, Eagle River, AK; R-2205, Yukon, AK; and R-2211, Blair Lakes, AK

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This action changes the using agency for Restricted Areas 2202 (R-2202), Big Delta, AK; R-2203, Eagle River, AK; R-2205, Yukon, AK; and R-2211, Blair Lakes, AK. In addition, this action changes the name of R-2205 from Yukon, AK, to Stuart Creek, AK.

EFFECTIVE DATE: 0901 UTC, December 5, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ken McElroy, Airspace and Rules Division, ATA-400, Office of Air Traffic Airspace Management, Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591; telephone (202) 267-8783.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

As a result of a recent review of restricted airspace in Alaska, the U.S. military requested that the FAA take action to change the using agencies for restricted areas to reflect the current chain-of-command. Additionally, this action changes the present name of R-2205, Yukon, AK, to Stuart Creek, AK. This change in name is a better reflection of the restricted area's location.

The Amendment

This amendment to Title 14 of the Code of Federal Regulations part 73 (14 CFR part 73) changes the using agency for R-2202, Big Delta, AK; R-2203, Eagle River, AK; R-2205 Yukon, AK; and R-2211, Blair Lakes, AK. Additionally this action changes the present name of R-2205, Yukon, AK, to Stuart Creek, AK. There are no other changes effecting these restricted areas, including no changes to the boundaries, altitudes, times of designation, or activities conducted within the restricted areas.

Since this action simply changes the published using agency of certain restricted areas, and changes the name of R-2205, the FAA finds that notice and public procedure under 5 U.S.C. 553(b) are unnecessary because this action is a minor technical amendment in which the public would not be particularly interested. Section 73.22 of part 73 of the Federal Aviation Regulations was republished in FAA Order 7400.8D dated July 11, 1996.

Environmental Review

This action is a minor administrative change amending the published using agency of certain restricted areas and changing the name of R-2205. There are no changes to air traffic control procedures or routes as a result of this action. Therefore, this action is not subject to environmental assessments and procedures under FAA Order 1050.1D, "Policies and Procedures for Considering Environmental Impacts," and the National Environmental Policy Act.

List of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 73

Airspace, Navigation (air)

Adoption of the Amendment

In consideration of the foregoing, the Federal Aviation Administration amends 14 CFR part 73, as follows:

PART 73—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 49 U.S.C. 106(g), 40103, 40113, 40120; E.O. 10854, 24 FR 9565, 3 CFR, 1959-1963 Comp., p. 389; 14 CFR 11.69.

§ 73.22 [Amended]

2. Section 73.22 is amended as follows:

R-2202A Big Delta, AK [Amended]

By removing the present using agency and substituting the following:

"Using agency, U.S. Army, Commander, Cold Regions Test Activity, Fort Greely, AK."

R-2202C Big Delta, AK [Amended]

By removing the present using agency and substituting the following:

"Using agency, U.S. Army, Commander, Cold Regions Test Activity, Fort Greely, AK."

R-2203A Eagle River, AK [Amended]

By removing the present using agency and substituting the following:

"Using agency, U.S. Army, Commander, Fort Richardson, AK."

R-2203B Eagle River, AK [Amended]

By removing the present using agency and substituting the following:

"Using agency, U.S. Army, Commander, Fort Richardson, AK."

R-2203C Eagle River, AK [Amended]

By removing the present using agency and substituting the following:

"Using agency, U.S. Army, Commander, Fort Richardson, AK."

R-2205 Yukon, AK [Amended]

By removing the present name and using agency and substituting the following:

"R-2205 Stuart Creek, AK."

"Using agency, U.S. Army, Commander, Fort Richardson, AK."

R-2211 Blair Lakes, AK [Amended]

By removing the present using agency and substituting the following:

"Using agency, U.S. Air Force, 345th Fighting Wing, Eielson AFB, AK."

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Jeff Griffith,

Program Director for Air Traffic Airspace Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

21 CFR Part 177

[Docket No. 95F-0201]

Indirect Food Additive: Polymers

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is amending the food additive regulations to provide for the safe use of poly(trimethyl hexamethylene terephthalamide) as a component of articles intended for food-contact use. This action is in response to a petition filed by Huls Aktiengesellschaft (Huls AG).

DATES: Effective October 16, 1996; written objections and requests for a hearing by November 15, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Submit written objections to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 12420 Parklawn Dr., rm. 1-23, Rockville, MD 20857.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mark A. Hepp, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFS-216), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-418-3098.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In a notice published in the Federal Register of August 18, 1995 (60 FR 43157), FDA announced that a food additive petition (FAP 2B4328) had been filed by Huls Aktiengesellschaft, Marl, Germany (currently c/o Huls America, Inc., Turner Pl., P.O. Box 365, Piscataway, NJ 08855-0365). The petition proposed to amend the food additive regulations in § 177.1500 *Nylon resins* (21 CFR 177.1500) to provide for the safe use of poly(trimethyl hexamethylene terephthalamide) as a component of articles intended for food-contact uses. However, the petition was subsequently amended to restrict the use of the subject additive to repeat-use articles that do not include reusable bottles. Therefore, this final rule will amend the regulations to authorize the use of the additive in repeat-use articles excluding reusable bottles.

FDA has evaluated data in the petition and other relevant material. The agency concludes that the proposed use of the additive in repeat-use articles (excluding bottles) is safe and that the additive will have the intended technical effect. The agency has also determined, with the petitioner's concurrence, that the additive should be listed by its classification name, Nylon resin PA 6-3-T. Therefore, § 177.1500 will be amended as set forth below.

In accordance with § 171.1(h) (21 CFR 171.1(h)), the petition and the documents that FDA considered and relied upon in reaching its decision to approve the petition are available for inspection at the Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition by appointment with the information contact person listed above. As provided in § 171.1(h), the agency will delete from the documents any materials that are not

available for public disclosure before making the documents available for inspection.

The agency has carefully considered the potential environmental effects of this action. FDA has concluded that the action will not have a significant impact on the human environment, and that an environmental impact statement is not required. The agency's finding of no significant impact and the evidence supporting that finding, contained in an environmental assessment, may be seen in the Dockets Management Branch (address above) between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Any person who will be adversely affected by this regulation may at any time on or before November 15, 1996, file with the Dockets Management Branch (address above) written objections thereto. Each objection shall be separately numbered, and each numbered objection shall specify with particularity the provisions of the regulation to which objection is made and the grounds for the objection. Each numbered objection on which a hearing is requested shall specifically so state. Failure to request a hearing for any particular objection shall constitute a waiver of the right to a hearing on that objection. Each numbered objection for which a hearing is requested shall include a detailed description and analysis of the specific factual information intended to be presented in support of the objection in the event that a hearing is held. Failure to include such a description and analysis for any particular objection shall constitute a waiver of the right to a hearing on the objection. Three copies of all documents shall be submitted and shall be identified with the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this

document. Any objections received in response to the regulation may be seen in the Dockets Management Branch between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

List of Subjects in 21 CFR Part 177

Food additives, Food packaging.

Therefore, under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and under authority delegated to the Commissioner of Food and Drugs and redelegated to the Director, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, 21 CFR part 177 is amended as follows:

PART 177—INDIRECT FOOD ADDITIVES: POLYMERS

1. The authority citation for 21 CFR part 177 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 201, 402, 409, 721 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 321, 342, 348, 379e).

2. Section 177.1500 is amended by adding new paragraph (a)(16), in the table in paragraph (b) by adding a new entry "16.", and in the first sentence in paragraph (c)(5)(ii) by removing the word "resin" the first time it appears and by adding in its place the phrase "and Nylon PA-6-3-T resins" to read as follows:

§ 177.1500 Nylon resins.

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(a) * * *

(16) Nylon resins PA 6-3-T (CAS Registry No. 26246-77-5) are manufactured by the condensation of 50 mol percent 1,4-benzenedicarboxylic acid, dimethyl ester and 50 mol percent of an equimolar mixture of 2,2,4-trimethyl-1,6-hexanediamine and 2,4,4-trimethyl-1,6-hexanediamine.

(b) * * *

Nylon resins	Specific gravity	Melting point (degrees Fahrenheit)	Solubility in boiling 4.2N HCl	Viscosity No. (mL/g)	Maximum extractable fraction in selected solvents (expressed in percent by weight of resin)			
					Water	95 percent ethyl alcohol	Ethyl acetate	Benzene
* * *								
16. Nylon resins PA 6-3-T for repeated-use (excluding bottles) in contact with food of type VIA and VIB described in Table 1 of § 176.170(c) of this chapter under conditions of use D through H described in Table 2 of § 176.170(c) of this chapter with a hot-fill temperature limitation of 40 °C.	1.12±0.03	NA	Insoluble after 1 h.	> 110	0.007	0.64	0.003	0

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Dated: October 3, 1996.

Fred R. Shank,

Director, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**40 CFR Part 9**

[FRL-5634-9]

OMB Approval Numbers Under the Paperwork Reduction Act**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).**ACTION:** Final rule.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA), this technical amendment amends the table that lists the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control numbers issued under the PRA for "National Primary Drinking Water Regulations: Monitoring Requirements for Public Drinking Water Supplies: Cryptosporidium, Giardia, Viruses, Disinfection Byproducts, Water Treatment Plant Data and Other Information Requirements".

EFFECTIVE DATE: This final rule is effective November 15, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Thomas R. Grubbs, (202) 260-7270.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA is today amending the table of currently approved information collection request (ICR) control numbers issued by OMB for various regulations. Today's amendment updates the table to list those information requirements promulgated under the "National Primary Drinking Water Regulations: Monitoring Requirements for Public Drinking Water Supplies: Cryptosporidium, Giardia, Viruses, Disinfection Byproducts, Water Treatment Plant Data and Other Information Requirements" which appeared in the Federal Register on May 14, 1996 (61 FR 24354). The affected regulations are codified at 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) part 141. EPA will continue to present OMB control numbers in a consolidated table format to be codified in 40 CFR part 9 of the Agency's regulations, and in each CFR volume containing EPA regulations. The table lists the section numbers with reporting and recordkeeping requirements, and the current OMB control numbers. This listing of the OMB control numbers and their subsequent codification in the CFR

satisfy the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) and OMB's implementing regulations at 5 CFR part 1320.

This ICR was previously subject to public notice and comment prior to OMB approval. As a result, EPA finds that there is "good cause" under section 553(b)(B) of the Administrative Procedure Act (5 U.S.C. 553(b)(B)) to amend this table without prior notice and comment. Due to the technical nature of the table, further notice and comment would be unnecessary.

Under Executive Order 12866 (58 FR 51735, October 4, 1993), this action is not a "significant regulatory action" and is therefore not subject to review by the Office of Management and Budget. In addition, this action does not impose any enforceable duty or contain any unfunded mandate as described in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-4), or require prior consultation with State officials as specified by Executive Order 12875 (58 FR 58093, October 28, 1993), or involve special consideration of environmental justice related issues as required by Executive order 12898 (59 FR 7629, February 16, 1994).

Because EPA is not taking comment on this correction, it is therefore not subject to the provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.*).

List of Subjects in 40 CFR Part 9

Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Dated: September 26, 1996.

Robert Perciasepe,
Assistant Administrator, Office of Water.

For the reasons set out in the preamble, 40 CFR part 9 is amended as follows:

1. The authority citation for part 9 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 7 U.S.C. 135 *et seq.*, 136-136y; 15 U.S.C. 2001, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2601-2671; 21 U.S.C. 331j, 346a, 348; 31 U.S.C. 9701; 33 U.S.C. 1251 *et seq.*, 1311, 1313d, 1314, 1318, 1321, 1326, 1330, 1342, 1344, 1345 (d) and (e), 1361; E.O. 11735, 38 FR 21243, 3 CFR, 1971-1975 Comp. p. 973; 42 U.S.C. 241, 242b, 243, 246, 300f, 300g, 300g-1, 300g-2, 300g-3, 300g-4, 300g-5, 300g-6, 300j-1, 300j-2, 300j-3, 300j-4, 300j-9, 1857 *et seq.*, 6901-6992k, 7401-7671q, 7542, 9601-9657, 11023, 11048.

2. Section 9.1 is amended by adding the new entries under the indicated heading to the table under the indicated heading to read as follows:

§ 9.1 OMB approvals under the Paperwork Reduction Act.

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40 CFR citation			OMB control No.	
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National Primary Drinking Water Regulations				
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141.140-141.144		2040-0183	
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40 CFR PART 80

[FRL-5636-2]

Petition by Guam for Exemption From Anti-Dumping and Detergent Additization Requirements for Conventional Gasoline**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency.**ACTION:** Notice of direct final decision.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA" or "the Agency") is granting a petition by the Territory of Guam for exemption from the anti-dumping requirements for gasoline sold in the United States after January 1, 1995. This action is being taken because of Guam's unique geographic location and economic factors. EPA is not granting Guam's petition for exemption from the fuel detergent additization requirements that all gasoline sold in the United States after January 1, 1995 contain fuel detergents. If the gasoline anti-dumping exemption were not granted, Guam would be required to import gasoline from a supplier meeting the anti-dumping requirements adding a considerable expense to gasoline purchased by the Guam consumer. Guam is in full attainment with the national ambient air quality standard for ozone. This action is not expected to cause harmful environmental effects to the citizens of Guam.

Today's action is being taken as a direct final decision because EPA believes that this final decision is noncontroversial. The effects of this decision are limited to the Territory of Guam.

DATES: This action will be effective on December 16, 1996 document, unless EPA receives adverse or critical comments by November 15, 1996. If the Agency receives adverse or critical comments, EPA will withdraw this action by publishing a timely notice in the Federal Register. In a separate action published today, EPA is concurrently proposing approval of the