

112–106, sec. 201(a), sec. 401, 126 Stat. 313 (2012), unless otherwise noted.

■ 2. Section 230.251 is amended by removing and reserving paragraph (b)(2) and revising paragraph (b)(6) to read as follows:

§ 230.251 Scope of exemption.

(b) (6) Is not, and has not been, subject to any order of the Commission entered pursuant to Section 12(j) (15 U.S.C. 78l(j)) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the “Exchange Act”) (15 U.S.C. 78a *et seq.*) within five years before the filing of the offering statement;

■ 3. Section 230.257 is amended by adding paragraph (b)(6), removing and reserving paragraph (d)(1), and revising paragraph (e) to read as follows:

§ 230.257 Periodic and current reporting; exit report.

(b) (6) *Exchange Act reporting requirements.* The duty to file reports under this rule shall be deemed to have been met if the issuer is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. 78m or 15 U.S.C. 78o) and, as of each Form 1–K and Form 1–SA due date, has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. 78m or 15 U.S.C. 78o) during the 12 months (or such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports) preceding such due date.

(e) *Termination of duty to file reports.* If the duty to file reports is deemed to have been met pursuant to paragraph (b)(6) of this section and such status ends because the issuer terminates or suspends its duty to file reports under the Exchange Act, the issuer’s obligation to file reports under paragraph (b) of this section shall:

(1) Automatically terminate if the issuer is eligible to suspend its duty to file reports under paragraphs (d)(2) and (3) of this section; or

(2) Recomence with the report covering the most recent financial period after that included in any effective registration statement or filed Exchange Act report.

PART 239—FORMS PRESCRIBED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

■ 4. The authority citation for part 239 continues to read in part as follows:

Authority: 15 U.S.C. 77c, 77f, 77g, 77h, 77j, 77s, 77z–2, 77z–3, 77sss, 78c, 78l, 78m, 78n,

78o(d), 78o–7 note, 78u–5, 78w(a), 78ll, 78mm, 80a–2(a), 80a–3, 80a–8, 80a–9, 80a–10, 80a–13, 80a–24, 80a–26, 80a–29, 80a–30, and 80a–37; and sec. 107, Pub. L. 112–106, 126 Stat. 312, unless otherwise noted.

■ 5. Amend Form 1–A (referenced in § 239.90) by revising Item 2 of Part I to read as follows:

Note: The text of Form 1–A does not, and this amendment will not, appear in the Code of Federal Regulations.

FORM 1–A

REGULATION A OFFERING STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

PART I—NOTIFICATION

ITEM 2. Issuer Eligibility

☐ Check this box to certify that all of the following statements are true for the issuer(s):

- Organized under the laws of the United States or Canada, or any State, Province, Territory or possession thereof, or the District of Columbia.
- Principal place of business is in the United States or Canada.
- Not a development stage company that either (a) has no specific business plan or purpose, or (b) has indicated that its business plan is to merge with an unidentified company or companies.
- Not an investment company registered or required to be registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940.
- Not issuing fractional undivided interests in oil or gas rights, or a similar interest in other mineral rights.
- Not issuing asset-backed securities as defined in Item 1101(c) of Regulation AB.
- Not, and has not been, subject to any order of the Commission entered pursuant to Section 12(j) of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. 78l(j)) within five years before the filing of this offering statement.
- Has filed with the Commission all the reports it was required to file, if any, pursuant to Rule 257 during the two years immediately before the filing of the offering statement (or for such shorter period that the issuer was required to file such reports).

By the Commission.

Dated: December 19, 2018.

Brent J. Fields,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

32 CFR Part 270

[Docket ID: DOD–2018–OS–0050]

RIN 0790–AK38

Compensation of Certain Former Operatives Incarcerated by the Democratic Republic of Vietnam

AGENCY: Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness, DoD.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This final rule removes the Department of Defense (DoD) regulation concerning compensation of certain former operatives incarcerated by the Democratic Republic of Vietnam. The content of this part is obsolete as the claim period expired and the Vietnam Commandos Compensation Commission was disbanded. Therefore, this part is unnecessary, and can be removed.

DATES: This rule is effective on January 31, 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Don Syendsen, 703–695–9371.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This part was originally published 15 May 1997 under the National Defense Authorization Act of FY 1997 and established the Vietnam Commandos Compensation Commission within the Office of the Secretary of Defense. The rule authorized a claims process for compensation of Vietnamese operatives who served in certain U.S.-led operations, were captured, and incarcerated in the Democratic Republic of Vietnam. The claim period expired 15 May 2000; payments were completed by July 2001; and, the commission was disbanded.

This rule is not significant under Executive Order (E.O.) 12866, “Regulatory Planning and Review,” therefore, the requirements of E.O. 13771, “Reducing Regulation and Controlling Regulatory Costs,” do not apply.

List of Subjects in 32 CFR Part 270

Claims, Military personnel, Prisoners of war, Vietnam.

PART 270—[REMOVED]

■ Accordingly, by the authority of 5 U.S.C. 301, 32 CFR part 270, is removed.

Dated: January 28, 2019.

Aaron T. Siegel,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Navy****32 CFR Part 706**

[Docket ID: USN-2018-HQ-0011]

RIN 0703-AB03

Certifications and Exemptions Under the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, Department of Defense.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This final rule removes Department of the Navy regulations governing Certification and Exemptions under the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972. The certification and exemption of certain naval vessels which cannot comply fully with the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972, is governed by statute and executive order which direct that notice of certification of alternate compliance be published in the **Federal Register**. The content of this part imposes no burden on the public, and the rule is not required. Notice will continue to be provided the public through the publication of notice documents in the **Federal Register**. Therefore, this rule can be removed from the CFR.

DATES: This rule is effective on January 31, 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: LCDR Bradley Davis at 202-685-5040.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: 33 U.S.C. 1605 and Executive Order 11964 of January 19, 1977, direct the Department of the Navy to provide public notice in the **Federal Register** of U.S. Navy vessels which cannot comply fully with the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972. It has been determined that publication of this CFR part removal for public comment is impracticable, unnecessary, and contrary to public interest since statutorily required notice will be accomplished through publication of notice documents in the **Federal Register**.

Removal of this part does not add or reduce the burden or cost on the public in any way. The cost of certifying alternate compliance of U.S. Navy vessels and notifying the public of such certification will remain the same with removal of the part.

This rule is not significant under Executive Order (E.O.) 12866, “Regulatory Planning and Review,” therefore, E.O. 13771, “Reducing Regulation and Controlling Regulatory Costs” does not apply.

List of Subjects in 32 CFR Part 706

Marine Safety; Navigation (water).

PART 706—[REMOVED]

■ Accordingly, by the authority of 5 U.S.C. 301, 32 CFR part 706 is removed.

Dated: January 28, 2019.

M.S. Werner,

Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Navy****32 CFR Part 707**

[Docket ID: USN-2018-HQ-0010]

RIN 0703-AB04

Special Rules With Respect to Additional Station and Signal Lights

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, Department of Defense.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This final rule removes Department of the Navy regulations concerning Special Rules with Respect to Additional Station and Signal Lights. Public notification of U.S. Navy vessels which display additional station and signal lights is governed by statute and executive order which direct that such notice be published in the **Federal Register**. The content of this part imposes no burden on the public, and the rule is not required. Notice will continue to be provided the public through the publication of notice documents in the **Federal Register**. Therefore, this rule can be removed from the CFR.

DATES: This rule is effective on January 31, 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: LCDR Bradley Davis at 202-685-5040.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: 33 U.S.C. 1605 and Executive Order 11964 of January 19, 1977, direct the Department

of the Navy to provide public notice in the **Federal Register** of U.S. Navy vessels which display additional station and signal lights. It has been determined that publication of this CFR part removal for public comment is impracticable, unnecessary, and contrary to public interest since statutorily required notice will continue to be accomplished through publication of notice documents in the **Federal Register**.

Removal of this part does not add or reduce the burden or cost on the public in any way. The cost of notifying the public regarding additional station and signal lights displayed by U.S. Navy vessels will remain the same with removal of the part.

This rule is not significant under Executive Order (E.O.) 12866, “Regulatory Planning and Review,” therefore, E.O. 13771, “Reducing Regulation and Controlling Regulatory Costs” does not apply.

List of Subjects in 32 CFR Part 707

Marine safety; Navigation (water).

PART 707—[REMOVED]

■ Accordingly, by the authority of 5 U.S.C. 301, 32 CFR part 707 is removed.

Dated: January 29, 2019.

M.S. Werner,

Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**Coast Guard****33 CFR Part 165**

[Docket Number USCG-2018-0376]

RIN 1625-AA00

Safety Zone; Neches River, Beaumont, TX

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.

ACTION: Temporary final rule.

SUMMARY: The Coast Guard is extending the duration of a temporary safety zone on the navigable waters of the Neches River extending 500-feet on either side of the Kansas City Southern Railroad Bridge that crosses the Neches River in Beaumont, TX. The safety zone is necessary to protect the bridge as well as persons and property on or near the bridge from potential damage from passing vessels until missing and/or damaged fendering systems are repaired