

blackhead in birds infected more than 4 or 5 days. Discontinue use 5 days before slaughtering animals for human consumption to allow elimination of the drug from edible tissues. The drug is dangerous for ducks, geese, and dogs. Use as sole source of arsenic.

Dated: July 9, 1998.

Stephen F. Sundlof,

Director, Center for Veterinary Medicine.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

29 CFR Parts 1910, 1915, and 1926

[Docket No. H-049b]

RIN 1218-AA05

Respirator Cartridge and Canister Change-Out Schedules; Notice of Public Meeting

AGENCY: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Labor.

ACTION: Final rule; notice of a public meeting.

SUMMARY: This document announces a public meeting of an inter-agency work group sponsored by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) to discuss available information on respirator cartridge and canister change-out schedules. Employers are required to develop or adopt such schedules by the revised Respiratory Protection standard published in the **Federal Register** on January 8, 1998, and the Maritime and Construction industry respiratory protection standards, which now cross-reference the General Industry respiratory protection standard. In addition to OSHA, representatives of the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) are participating in the work group and will attend the public meeting. Public participation is encouraged.

DATES: The work group public meeting will be held on August 6, 1998. The public meeting will begin at 9:00 A.M. and end about 5:00 P.M., with a one-hour lunch period at about noon.

ADDRESSES: The work group public meeting will be held in the Department of Labor Auditorium at the Frances Perkins Building, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bonnie Friedman, Director, OSHA

Office of Public Affairs, Room N-3647, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210; Telephone (202) 219-8148.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On January 8, 1998, OSHA published a revised Respiratory Protection standard, 29 CFR 1910.134, (63 FR 1152). All provisions of the new standard take effect on or before October 5, 1998. Paragraph (d)(3)(iii) of the standard specifies that, under certain circumstances, employers must implement a change-out schedule, based on objective data, for respirator canisters and cartridges used to reduce exposures to gases and vapors. Change schedules establish the time periods for replacing cartridges and canisters before a toxic substance might break through and overexpose an employee. OSHA is sponsoring an inter-agency work group to discuss available relevant data for compliance with 29 CFR 1910.134(d)(3)(iii).

The first meeting of the work group will be held on August 6, 1998. It will be open to the public. Representatives of NIOSH and EPA who are experienced in developing change-out schedules and analyzing data sources on contaminant breakthrough will attend the work group meeting.

Agenda

The agenda for the work group public meeting is as follows:

- (1) Welcome and introduction of the inter-agency work group.
- (2) Public submissions of relevant information and comment to OSHA.
- (3) Question and answer session.
- (4) Closing remarks.

Public Participation

The meeting will be open to the public. Because of the limited amount of seating available, space will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. All individuals who plan to attend should contact Theresa Berry by July 30, 1998, at the OSHA Office of Public Affairs, Room N-3647, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210; Telephone (202) 219-8148. Individuals with disabilities who plan to attend should contact Theresa Berry no later than July 30, 1998 to obtain appropriate accommodations.

Those attendees who plan to make a presentation are requested to submit a copy of their presentation to Theresa Berry by July 30, 1998. OSHA will make copies of submissions available at the public meeting and also in a docket available to the public (Docket # H-049b).

This document was prepared under the direction of Charles N. Jeffress, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C., 20210.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 15th day of July, 1998.

Charles N. Jeffress,

Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Coast Guard

33 CFR Part 117

[CGD11-98-010]

Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Honker Cut, San Joaquin County, CA, Eightmile Road Bridge

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DOT.

ACTION: Notice of temporary deviation from regulations.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Coast Guard has issued a temporary deviation to the regulations governing the opening of the Eightmile Road swing bridge over Honker Cut between Empire Tract and King Island at Stockton, CA. The deviation specifies that the bridge need not be opened for vessels from 12:01 a.m., September 1, 1998 until 11:59 p.m., October 23, 1998. The purpose of this deviation is to allow San Joaquin County and its contractors paint the bridge. During this work, this bridge will have scaffolding and tarpaulins installed, which prevent the bridge from opening.

DATES: The effective period of the deviation is 12:01 a.m. September 1, 1998 to 11:59 p.m., October 23, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Jerry Olmes, Bridge Administrator, Eleventh Coast Guard District, Building 50-6 Coast Guard Island, Alameda, CA 94501-5100, telephone (510) 437-3515.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Coast Guard anticipates that the economic consequences of this deviation will be minimal. The bridge opens on average only 6 times per year. If mariners require an opening, they have alternate routes available via Little Connection Slough or King Island Cut, two miles east and west of Honker Cut, respectively.

This deviation from the normal operating regulations in 33 CFR 117.161 is authorized in accordance with the provisions of 33 CFR 117.35.

Dated: June 24, 1998.

R.D. Sirois,

*Captain, U.S. Coast Guard, Commander,
Eleventh Coast Guard District, Acting.*

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POSTAL RATE COMMISSION

39 CFR Part 3001

[Docket Nos. RM98-1, MC97-3 and MC97-4; Order No. 1212]

Amendments to Domestic Mail Classification Schedule

AGENCY: Postal Rate Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This final rule sets forth the changes to the Domestic Mail Classification Schedule (DMCS) as a result of the Governors' Decisions on the Recommended Decisions of the Postal Rate Commission in Docket Nos. MC97-3 and MC97-4. The Commission's Decision in Docket No. MC97-3 (issued September 4, 1997) changed the classification provisions for Bound Printed Matter Weight Limitations. The Commission's Recommended Decision in Docket No. MC97-4 (issued September 4, 1997) established classification provisions for Bulk Parcel Return Service and Shipper-Paid Forwarding. For these reasons, Appendix A to Subpart C has been amended to reflect those changes.

DATES: This rule is effective July 21, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Stephen L. Sharfman, General Counsel, Postal Rate Commission, 1333 H Street, NW., Suite 300, Washington, DC 20268-0001, (202) 789-6820.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On June 5, 1997, the Commission issued Order No. 1180 exercising its authority under 39 U.S.C. 3623(b) to initiate a proceeding, designated as Docket No. MC97-3, to consider increasing the maximum weight limitation applicable to the bound printed matter subclass from 10 pounds to 15 pounds. This action was taken in response to a joint filing by the Advertising Mail Marketing Association, the Association of American Publishers, and the Direct Marketing Association. On August 1, 1997, the Postal Service filed testimony in support of the proposed classification change, contemporaneous with the filing of a proposed stipulation and agreement. Notice was published in the **Federal Register** at 62 FR 32125-32128.

On September 4, 1997, the Postal Rate Commission transmitted to the

Governors its Opinion and Recommended Decision approving the stipulation and agreement, which was unopposed. The Decision of the Governors of the United States Postal Service on the Recommended Decision of the Postal Rate Commission on Bound Printed Matter Weight Limitations, Docket No. MC97-3, September 8, 1997, accepted the Recommended Decision of the Postal Rate Commission. Resolution No. 97-11 established October 5, 1997, as the implementation date for changes relating to Bound Printed Matter.

On June 6, 1997, the Postal Service, pursuant to its authority under 39 U.S.C. 3621, *et seq.*, filed a request with the Postal Rate Commission for a recommended decision on certain limited changes affecting the classifications and rates for Standard (A) parcels. Contemporaneous with the filing of the Request, the Postal Service filed a Motion to Establish Procedural Mechanisms Concerning Settlement with an attached stipulation and agreement.

On June 11, 1997, the Commission issued Order No. 1184 designating this filing as Docket No. MC97-4, Bulk Parcel Return Service and Shipper-Paid Forwarding Classifications and Fees, outlining the Postal Service request, allowing interested parties an opportunity to intervene, designating the Director of the Office of the Consumer Advocate to represent the interests of the general public, and appointing the Service as settlement coordinator. Notice was published in the **Federal Register** at 62 FR 32832-32837.

The Commission issued its recommended decision on the Postal Service Request on September 4, 1997. The recommended decision adopted the revised stipulation and agreement, filed on August 12, 1997. The revised agreement was signed by 9 of the 12 participants in this proceeding.

The Decision of the Governors of the United States Postal Service on the Recommended Decision of the Postal Rate Commission on Bulk Parcel Return Service and Shipper-Paid Forwarding, Docket Nos. MC97-4 and C97-1, October 6, 1997, accepted the Recommended Decision of the Postal Rate Commission. Resolution No. 97-15 established October 12, 1997, as the effective date for implementation of changes to the Bulk Parcel Return Service; and January 4, 1998, as the effective date for the changes related to Shipper Paid Forwarding.

Regulatory Flexibility Act

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 605(b) of the Regulatory Flexibility Act, the Commission certifies that this rulemaking is not expected to have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. Accordingly, regulatory flexibility analysis is not required.

List of Subjects in 39 CFR Part 3001

Administrative practice and procedure, Confidential business information, Freedom of information, Postal Service, Sunshine Act.

For the reasons stated in the preamble, 39 CFR part 3001 is amended as follows:

PART 3001—RULES OF PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

1. The authority citation for part 3001 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 39 U.S.C. 404(b), 3603, 3622-24, 3661, 3662.

Subpart C—Rules Applicable to Requests for Establishing or Changing the Mail Classification Schedule

2. Appendix A to Subpart C—Postal Service Rates and Changes is amended as follows:

a. Amend the Table of Contents by adding Classification Schedule SS-21—Bulk Parcel Return Service and Classification Schedule SS-22—Shipper-Paid Forwarding.

b. In section 322.31, remove the number "10" and replace it with "15".

c. Revise section 353.1 to read as set forth below.

d. Add new section 363 to read as set forth below.

e. Amend section 2033 by adding, after "450", the words "and schedules SS-21 and SS-22".

f. Classification Schedules SS-21 and SS-22 are added to read as set forth below.

g. Add Rate Schedule SS-21 to read as set forth below.

h. Amend Schedule 1000 by adding after "Business Reply Mail Permit", a new entry for "Authorization to Use Bulk Parcel Return Service".

Appendix A to Subpart C—Postal Service Rates and Changes

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353.1 Single Piece, Regular, Enhanced Carrier Route, Nonprofit and Nonprofit Enhanced Carrier Route Subclasses (section 321).

Undeliverable-as-addressed Standard Mail mailed under section 321 will be returned on request of the mailer, or forwarded and returned on request of