

within the comment period, the regulation would become effective on October 8, 1998. No adverse comments were received, and thus this notice confirms that this direct final rule will become effective on that date.

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Bill Peacock,

Manager, Air Traffic Division, New England Region.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

21 CFR Parts 3, 5, 10, 16, 25, 50, 56, 58, 71, 200, 201, 207, 210, 211, 310, 312, 314, 369, 429, 800, and 812

[Docket No. 98N-0210]

Removal of Regulations Regarding Certification of Drugs Composed Wholly or Partly of Insulin; Confirmation of Effective Date

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Direct final rule; confirmation of effective date.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) published in the **Federal Register** of May 13, 1998, a direct final rule (63 FR 26694). The direct final rule amends the regulations regarding certification of drugs composed wholly or partly of insulin, and conforming and related amendments. This document confirms the effective date of the direct final rule.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The effective date of the direct final rule published at 63 FR 26694 is confirmed as September 25, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Wayne H. Mitchell, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (HFD-7), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-594-2041.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: FDA solicited comments concerning the direct final rule for a 75-day period ending July 27, 1998. FDA stated that the effective date of the direct final rule would be on September 25, 1998, 60 days after the end of the comment period, unless any significant adverse comment was submitted to FDA during the comment period. FDA did not receive any significant adverse comments.

Therefore, under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and under

authority delegated to the Commissioner of Food and Drugs, notice is given that no objections or requests for a hearing were filed in response to the May 13, 1998, final rule. Accordingly, the amendments issued thereby are effective September 25, 1998.

Dated: September 1, 1998.

William B. Schultz,

Deputy Commissioner for Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

21 CFR Parts 430, 431, 432, 433, 436, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 446, 448, 449, 450, 452, 453, 455, and 460

[Docket No. 98N-0211]

Removal of Regulations Regarding Certification of Antibiotic Drugs; Confirmation of Effective Date

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Direct final rule; confirmation of effective date.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) published in the **Federal Register** of May 12, 1998, a direct final rule (63 FR 26066). The direct final rule repealed FDA's regulations governing certification of antibiotic drugs. This document confirms the effective date of the direct final rule.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The effective date of the direct final rule published at 63 FR 26066 is confirmed as September 24, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Wayne H. Mitchell, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (HFD-7), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-594-2041.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: FDA solicited comments concerning the direct final rule for a 75-day period ending July 27, 1998. FDA stated that the effective date of the direct final rule would be on September 24, 1998, 60 days after the end of the comment period, unless any significant adverse comment was submitted to FDA during the comment period. FDA did not receive any significant adverse comments.

Therefore, under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, the Food and Drug Administration Modernization Act, and under authority delegated to

the Commissioner of Food and Drugs, notice is given that no objections or requests for a hearing were filed in response to the May 12, 1998, final rule. Accordingly, the amendments issued thereby are effective September 24, 1998.

Dated: September 1, 1998.

William B. Schultz,

Deputy Commissioner for Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

21 CFR Part 558

New Animal Drugs For Use In Animal Feeds; Bacitracin Methylene Disalicylate, Decoquinat, and Roxarsone; Correction

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Final rule; correction.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is correcting a final rule that appeared in the **Federal Register** of July 17, 1998 (63 FR 38474). The document amended the animal drug regulations to reflect approval of a new animal drug application (NADA) filed by Alpharma Inc. The NADA provides for using approved bacitracin methylene disalicylate, decoquinat, and roxarsone Type A medicated articles to make combination drug Type C medicated broiler chicken feeds. The document was published with two typographical errors. This document corrects those errors.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 17, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Carolyn C. Harris, Office of Policy (HF-27), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-443-2994.

In FR Doc. 98-19025, appearing on page 38474 in the **Federal Register** of Friday, July 17, 1998, the following corrections are made:

1. On page 38475, in the third column, in amendatory instruction "2." the citation "(d)(3)(xv)" is corrected to read "(d)(3)(xvii)".

§ 558.76 [Corrected]

2. On page 38475, in the third column, in § 558.76 *Bacitracin methylene disalicylate*, paragraph "(d)(3)(xv)" is corrected to read "(d)(3)(xvii)".

Dated: August 25, 1998.

Stephen F. Sundlof,

Director, Center for Veterinary Medicine.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

22 CFR Parts 41 and 42

[Public Notice 2863]

Visas: Documentation of Nonimmigrants and Immigrants—Minor Corrections or Additions to Nonimmigrant Visa Regulations and Deletions of Obsolete Immigrant Visa Provisions

AGENCY: Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This rule combines several minor corrections or updating of current nonimmigrant visa regulations with the deletion of several immigrant visa regulations that are inoperative as a result of the repeal or expiration of the underlying provisions of law. The former include correcting the name of Mongolia, adding two classification symbols, and changing a section title from "General" to "Foreign Officials—General". The immigrant visa regulatory removals include certain relief provisions for returning residents which were repealed, and several short-term benefits accorded certain relatives by the Immigration Act of 1990 which have expired.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 11, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: H. Edward Odom, Chief, Legislation and Regulations Division, Visa Services, (202) 663-1204.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Several current visa regulations contain obsolete or incorrect references or relate to or contain references to a provision of law which has been repealed or has passed its statutory time limit, thus rendering the regulation concerned inoperative. As a housekeeping measure, they are being formally corrected or removed by this rule. They are described herein in the sequence in which they appear in 22 CFR Parts 41 and 42.

First is section 41.3, which covers consular and immigration officer joint waivers of the passport and/or visa requirements. In subsection 41.3(e) reference is made to what is erroneously called "Mongolian People's Republic" whereas the name of the country was changed to "Mongolia" in 1992. It is corrected herein.

Next is section 41.12, the enumeration of nonimmigrant visa symbols, in which two symbols are corrected (S-5 and S-6 are substituted for S-7 and S-8, respectively) and two new symbols are being added: C-1/D for a combined transit and crewman visa and S-7 for any qualified family member of an S-5 or S-6 principal alien.

The final nonimmigrant section affected is 41.21 which has been titled simply "General" as the opening section of what the Department considers "the 41.20's", all such sections relating to foreign officials of one kind or another. Inasmuch as there is no 41.20 by that title, however, "General" is a non-descriptive and meaningless heading for 41.21. The title is thus being changed herein to "Foreign Officials—General".

The first of the immigrant sections is 42.22(c), which described the effect of relief provided by the Attorney General in his or her discretion under section 212(c) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) for certain returning residents. Section 212(c) was repealed by section 304(b) of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (IIRIRA). As there is no longer a basis for 22 CFR 42.22(c), it is removed and subsection 42.22(d) is redesignated as 42.22(c).

The Immigration Act of 1990 (IMMACT 90) contained several time-limited provisions, one of which (section 112) established up to 55,000 additional visa numbers during each of fiscal years 1992-94 for the spouses and children of aliens whose status was legalized under legislation enacted in 1986. Section 42.51(a)(2) provided for the Department's control of those numbers. It is removed by this rule.

Section 42.51(d) regulated control of special numerical provisions in the Panama Canal Act, which were stricken by section 212(a) of the Immigration and Nationality Technical Corrections Act of 1994. It is hereby removed.

Subsection (a) of section 42.54 as promulgated in 1991 contains prospective language regarding diversity immigrants which is no longer appropriate and is being deleted.

Under the terms of section 631 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act, the period of validity of an immigrant visa was raised from four months to six months. Section 42.72 of 22 CFR, containing the regulations pertaining to immigrant visa validity, was amended shortly thereafter to conform with that amendment. This rule corrects the reference to the visa validity period contained in section 42.64, which relates to passport requirements for immigrants.

Regulatory Analysis and Notices

Final Rule

This rule is being published as a final rule under the "good cause" exceptions set forth at 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(3) and 553(d)(3). As the material being changed is not challengeable and that being removed is no longer germane, no purpose would be served by publication as a proposed rule with a time frame for comment.

The Regulatory Flexibility Act

Pursuant to section 605 of the Regulatory Flexibility Act, the Department has assessed the potential impact of this rule, and the Assistant Secretary for Consular Affairs hereby certifies that it is not expected to have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities.

E.O. 12988 and E.O. 12866

This rule has been reviewed as required under E.O. 12998 and determined to be in compliance therewith. This rule is exempt from review under E.O. 12866, but has been reviewed internally by the Department to ensure consistency therewith. The rule does not directly or indirectly affect states or local governments or Federal relationships and does not create unfunded mandates.

5 U.S.C. Chapter 8

As required by 5 U.S.C., chapter 8, the Department has screened this rule and determined that it is not a major rule, as defined in 5 U.S.C. 80412.

Paperwork Reduction Act

This rule imposes no paperwork requirements.

Lists of Subjects

22 CFR Part 41

Aliens, Foreign officials, Passports and visas, Students.

22 CFR Part 42

Immigration, Passports and visas.

In view of the foregoing, 22 CFR Parts 41 and 42 are amended as follows:

PART 41—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for Part 41 is revised to read:

Authority: 8 U.S.C. 1104.

§ 41.3 [Amended]

2. Section 41.3 is amended in paragraph (e), by removing "Mongolian People's Republic" and adding in its place "Mongolia".

3. Section 41.12 is amended in the table by removing the entries for S-7