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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Coast Guard

#### 33 CFR Part 165

[Docket Number USCG-2015-0438]

RIN 1625-AA00

#### Safety Zones; Marine Events Held in the Sector Long Island Sound Captain of the Port Zone

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DHS.

**ACTION:** Temporary final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Coast Guard is establishing thirteen safety zones for fireworks displays within the Coast Guard Sector Long Island Sound (LIS) Captain of the Port (COTP) Zone. This temporary final rule is necessary to provide for the safety of life on navigable waters during these events. Entry into, transit through, mooring or anchoring within these safety zones is prohibited unless authorized by COTP Sector Long Island Sound.

**DATES:** This rule is effective without actual notice from 12:01 a.m. on July 8, 2015 until 10:30 p.m. on August 1, 2015. For the purposes of enforcement, actual notice will be used from the date the rule was signed, June 17, 2015, until July 8, 2015.

**ADDRESSES:** Documents mentioned in this preamble are part of docket [USCG-2015-0438]. To view documents mentioned in this preamble as being available in the docket, go to <http://www.regulations.gov>, type the docket number in the "SEARCH" box and click "SEARCH." Click on Open Docket Folder on the line associated with this rulemaking. You may also visit the Docket Management Facility in Room W12-140 on the ground floor of the Department of Transportation West Building, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** If you have questions on this rule, contact Petty Officer Ian Fallon, Prevention Department, Coast Guard Sector Long Island Sound, telephone (203) 468-4565, email [Ian.M.Fallon@uscg.mil](mailto:Ian.M.Fallon@uscg.mil). If you have questions on viewing or submitting material to the docket, call

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#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Table of Acronyms

COTP Captain of the Port  
DHS Department of Homeland Security  
FR Federal Register  
NPRM Notice of Proposed Rulemaking

##### A. Regulatory History and Information

This rulemaking establishes thirteen safety zones for thirteen fireworks displays. Each event and its corresponding regulatory history are discussed below.

**Barnum Festival, LLC (fireworks):** A safety zone was established in 2014 for the Barnum Festival, LLC fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 6.1. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite date and location.

**Salute to Veterans (fireworks):** A safety zone was established in 2014 for the Salute to Veterans fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 6.4. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite date and location.

**City of Stamford (fireworks):** A safety zone was established in 2014 for the City of Stamford fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.12. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite date.

**Freeport Chamber of Commerce (fireworks):** A safety zone was established in 2014 for Freeport Chamber of Commerce fireworks display when the Coast Guard issued a temporary rule entitled, "Safety Zone; Freeport Chamber of Commerce Fireworks Display; South Bay; Freeport, NY". This rulemaking was published on June 27, 2014 in the **Federal Register** (79 FR 36412).

**City of Norwich (fireworks):** A safety zone was established in 2014 for the City of Norwich fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.11. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite date and location.

**Go 4th Connetquot (fireworks):** This event was previously named Connetquot River Summer Fireworks. A safety zone was established in 2014 for the Connetquot River Summer Fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.42. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite name and location.

**Madison Fireworks Organization (fireworks):** A safety zone was established in 2014 for the Madison Fireworks Organization fireworks

display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.38. This event has been included in this rule due from the cite date and location.

**City of Middletown (fireworks):** A safety zone was established in 2014 for the City of Middletown fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.9. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite date and location.

**Fairfield Independence Day Celebration (fireworks):** A safety zone was established in 2014 for the Fairfield Independence Day Celebration fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.16. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite date and location.

**City of West Haven: A safety zone was established in 2014 for the City of West Haven Fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.13. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite location.**

**Village of Port Jefferson Independence Day Celebration (fireworks):** This event was previously named Village of Port Jefferson Fourth of July Celebration Fireworks. A safety zone was established in 2014 for the Village of Port Jefferson Fourth of July Celebration Fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.25. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite name and location.

**Shelter Island (fireworks):** A safety zone was established in 2014 for the Shelter Island fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.30. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite location.

**Sebonack Golf Club (fireworks):** This event was previously named National Golf Links Fireworks. A safety zone was established in 2014 for the National Golf Links Fireworks display by enforcing 33 CFR 165.151, Table 1, 7.44. This event has been included in this rule due to deviation from the cite name, date and location.

The Coast Guard is issuing this temporary final rule without prior notice and opportunity to comment pursuant to authority under section 4(a) of the Administrative Procedure Act (APA) (5 U.S.C. 553(b)). This provision authorizes an agency to issue a rule without prior notice and opportunity to comment when the agency for good cause finds that those procedures are "impracticable, unnecessary, or contrary to the public interest." Under 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(B), the Coast Guard finds that good cause exists for not publishing a NPRM with respect to this rule because

doing so would be impracticable. There is insufficient time to publish a NPRM and solicit comments from the public before these events take place. Thus, waiting for a comment period to run would inhibit the Coast Guard's ability to fulfill its mission to keep the ports and waterways safe.

Under 5 U.S.C. 553(d)(3), and for the same reasons stated in the preceding paragraph, the Coast Guard finds that good cause exists for making this rule effective less than 30 days after publication in the **Federal Register**.

**B. Basis and Purpose**

The legal basis for this temporary rule is 33 U.S.C. 1231; 50 U.S.C. 191; 33 CFR 1.05-1, 6.04-1, 6.04-6, and 160.5 and Department of Homeland Security Delegation No. 0170.1 which collectively authorize the Coast Guard to define regulatory safety zones.

As discussed in the Regulatory History and Information section, thirteen fireworks displays will take place in the Coast Guard Sector LIS COTP Zone between June 26, 2015 and August 1, 2015. The COTP Long Island Sound has determined that thirteen safety zones are necessary to provide for

the safety of life on navigable waterways during those events.

Barnum Festival, LLC fireworks display will be held on Bridgeport Harbor, Bridgeport, CT.

Salute to Veterans fireworks display will be held on Reynolds Channel off Hempstead, NY.

City of Stamford fireworks display will be held on Fisher's Westcott Cove, Stamford, CT.

Freeport Chamber of Commerce fireworks display will be a land launch near Guy Lombardo Marina, Freeport, NY.

City of Norwich fireworks display will be held on the Thames River, Norwich, CT.

Go 4th Connetquot fireworks display will be held on Great South Bay off Snapper Inn, Oakdale, NY.

Madison Fireworks Organization fireworks will be held on Long Island Sound off Madison Beach, Madison, CT.

City of Middletown fireworks display will be held on the Connecticut River, Middletown Harbor, Middletown, CT.

Fairfield Independence Day Celebration fireworks display will be held on Long Island Sound off Fairfield, CT.

City of West Haven fireworks display will be held on New Haven Harbor off Bradley Point, West Haven, CT.

Village of Port Jefferson Independence Day Celebration will be held on Port Jefferson Harbor, Port Jefferson, NY.

Shelter Island fireworks display will be held on Gardiner Bay, Shelter Island, NY.

Sebonack Golf Club fireworks display will be held on Peconic Bay off Southampton, NY.

The fireworks displays listed above will launch pyrotechnics from either a barge on a waterway or a landsite near a waterway. A regulated area, specifically a safety zone, is required for each of these fireworks displays to protect both spectators and participants from the safety hazards created by the fireworks displays, including unexpected pyrotechnics detonation and burning debris.

**C. Discussion of the Final Rule**

This rule establishes thirteen safety zones for thirteen fireworks displays. The location of these safety zones are as follows:

**FIREWORKS DISPLAYS SAFETY ZONES**

1 Barnum Festival, LLC Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of Bridgeport Harbor, Bridgeport, CT within 800 feet of the land launch site located in approximate position 41°09'34" N., 073°11'18" W. (NAD 83).
2 Salute to Veterans Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of Reynolds Channel off Hempstead, NY within 600 feet of the fireworks barge located in approximate position 40°35'36.87" N., 073°35'20.72" W. (NAD 83).
3 City of Stamford Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of the Fisher's Westcott cove, Stamford, CT within 800 feet of the fireworks barge in approximate position 41°02'09.56" N., 072°30'57.76" W. (NAD 83).
4 Freeport Chamber of Commerce Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of Guy Lombardo Marina, Freeport, NY within 300 feet of the land launch site located in approximate position 40°37'27.27" N., 073°34'34.64" W. (NAD 83).
5 City of Norwich Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of the Thames River, Norwich, CT in approximate positions, 41°31'14.64" N., 072°04'43.60" W. (NAD 83).
6 Go 4th Connetquot Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of Great South Bay within 600 feet of the fireworks barge at approximate position, 40°43'30.03" N.; 073°08'40.25" W. (NAD 83).
7 Madison Fireworks Organization Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of Long Island Sound off Madison Beach, Madison, CT within 800 feet of the fireworks barge located in approximate position 41°16'09.04" N., 072°36'18.30" W. (NAD 83).
8 City of Middletown Fireworks .....	Location: Waters of the Connecticut River, Middletown Harbor, Middletown, CT within 600 feet of the fireworks barge in approximate position, 41°33'43" N., 072°38'32" W. (NAD 83).
9 Fairfield Independence Day Celebration Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of Long Island Sound, Fairfield, CT within 800 feet of the fireworks barge at approximate position, 41°08'16.92" N.; 073°14'01.02" W. (NAD 83).
10 City of West Haven Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of New Haven Harbor off Bradley Point, West Haven, CT within 800 feet of the fireworks barge at approximate position, 41°15'07" N.; 072°57'25" W. (NAD 83).

FIREWORKS DISPLAYS SAFETY ZONES—Continued

11 Village of Port Jefferson Independence Day Celebration .....	Location: All waters of Port Jefferson Harbor within 500 feet of the land launch at approximate position, 40°57'53.189" N.; 073°03'09.72" W. (NAD 83).
12 Shelter Island Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of Gardiner's Bay, Shelter Island, NY in approximate position, 41°04'27.60" N., 072°22'13.50" W. (NAD 83).
13 Sebonack Golf Club Fireworks .....	Location: All waters of Peconic Bay, Southampton, NY within 600 feet of the fireworks barge at approximate position, 40°54'49.92" N.; 072°27'39.28" W. (NAD 83).

This rule prevents vessels from entering, transiting, mooring, or anchoring within areas specifically designated as safety zones and restricts vessel movement around the locations of the marine events to reduce the safety risks associated with them during the periods of enforcement unless authorized by the COTP or designated representative.

Consistent with 33 CFR 165.7, the Coast Guard will notify the public and local mariners of this safety zone through appropriate means, which may include, but are not limited to, publication in the **Federal Register**, the Local Notice to Mariners, and Broadcast Notice to Mariners. The specific dates, including rain dates, for the events are listed in the regulatory text.

**D. Regulatory Analyses**

We developed this rule after considering numerous statutes and executive orders related to rulemaking. Below we summarize our analyses based on these statutes and executive orders.

*1. Regulatory Planning and Review*

This rule is not a significant regulatory action under section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866, Regulatory Planning and Review, as supplemented by Executive Order 13563, Improving Regulation and Regulatory Review, and does not require an assessment of potential costs and benefits under section 6(a)(3) of Executive Order 12866 or under section 1 of Executive Order 13563. The Office of Management and Budget has not reviewed it under those Orders.

The Coast Guard determined that this rulemaking is not a significant regulatory action for the following reasons: The enforcement of these safety zones will be relatively short in duration. Additionally, persons or vessels desiring to enter a safety zone may do so with permission from the COTP Sector Long Island Sound or a designated representative. Furthermore, these safety zones are designed in a way to limit impacts on vessel traffic, permitting vessels to navigate in other

portions of the waterways not designated as a safety zone. Finally, to increase public awareness of these safety zones, the Coast Guard will notify the public of the enforcement of this rule via appropriate means, such as Local Notice to Mariners and Broadcast Notice to Mariners.

*2. Impact on Small Entities*

The Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 (RFA), 5 U.S.C. 601–612, as amended, requires federal agencies to consider the potential impact of regulations on small entities during rulemaking. The term “small entities” comprises small businesses, not-for-profit organizations that are independently owned and operated and are not dominant in their fields, and governmental jurisdictions with populations of less than 50,000. The Coast Guard certifies under 5 U.S.C. 605(b) that this rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities.

This temporary final rule will affect the following entities, some of which may be small entities: The owners or operators of vessels intending to enter, transit, anchor, or moor within a safety zone during the periods of enforcement, from June 26, 2015 to August 1, 2015. However, this temporary final rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities for the same reasons discussed in the REGULATORY PLANNING AND REVIEW section. Additionally, before the effective period, public notifications will be made to local mariners through appropriate means, which may include but are not limited to, the Local Notice to Mariners as well as Broadcast Notice to Mariners.

*3. Assistance for Small Entities*

Under section 213(a) of the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996 (Pub. L. 104–121), we want to assist small entities in understanding this proposed rule. If the rule would affect your small business, organization, or governmental jurisdiction and you have questions concerning its provisions or options for compliance, please contact the person

listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**, above.

Small businesses may send comments on the actions of Federal employees who enforce, or otherwise determine compliance with, Federal regulations to the Small Business and Agriculture Regulatory Enforcement Ombudsman and the Regional Small Business Regulatory Fairness Boards. The Ombudsman evaluates these actions annually and rates each agency’s responsiveness to small business. If you wish to comment on actions by employees of the Coast Guard, call 1–888–REG–FAIR (1–888–734–3247). The Coast Guard will not retaliate against small entities that question or complain about this proposed rule or any policy or action of the Coast Guard.

*4. Collection of Information*

This rule will not call for a new collection of information under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501–3520).

*5. Federalism*

A rule has implications for federalism under Executive Order 13132, Federalism, if it has a substantial direct effect on the States, on the relationship between the national government and the States, or on the distribution of power and responsibilities among the various levels of government. We have analyzed this rule under that Order and determined that this rule does not have implications for federalism.

*6. Protest Activities*

The Coast Guard respects the First Amendment rights of protesters. Protesters are asked to contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section to coordinate protest activities so that your message can be received without jeopardizing the safety or security of people, places or vessels.

*7. Unfunded Mandates Reform Act*

The Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1531–1538) requires Federal agencies to assess the effects of their discretionary regulatory actions. In

particular, the Act addresses actions that may result in the expenditure by a State, local, or tribal government, in the aggregate, or by the private sector of \$100,000,000 (adjusted for inflation) or more in any one year. Though this rule will not result in such an expenditure, we do discuss the effects of this rule elsewhere in this preamble.

8. *Taking of Private Property*

This rule will not cause a taking of private property or otherwise have taking implications under Executive Order 12630, Governmental Actions and Interference with Constitutionally Protected Property Rights.

9. *Civil Justice Reform*

This rule meets applicable standards in sections 3(a) and 3(b)(2) of Executive Order 12988, Civil Justice Reform, to minimize litigation, eliminate ambiguity, and reduce burden.

10. *Protection of Children From Environmental Health Risks*

We have analyzed this rule under Executive Order 13045, Protection of Children from Environmental Health Risks and Safety Risks. This rule is not an economically significant rule and does not create an environmental risk to health or risk to safety that may disproportionately affect children.

11. *Indian Tribal Governments*

This rule does not have tribal implications under Executive Order 13175, Consultation and Coordination with Indian Tribal Governments, because it does not have a substantial direct effect on one or more Indian tribes, on the relationship between the Federal Government and Indian tribes, or on the distribution of power and responsibilities between the Federal Government and Indian tribes.

12. *Energy Effects*

This action is not a “significant energy action” under Executive Order 13211, Actions Concerning Regulations That Significantly Affect Energy Supply, Distribution, or Use.

13. *Technical Standards*

This rule does not use technical standards. Therefore, we did not consider the use of voluntary consensus standards.

14. *Environment*

We have analyzed this rule under Department of Homeland Security Management Directive 023–01 and Commandant Instruction M16475.ID, which guide the Coast Guard in complying with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA)(42 U.S.C. 4321–4370f), and have determined that this action is one of a category of actions that do not individually or cumulatively have a significant effect on the human environment. This temporary rule involves the establishment of safety zones. This rule is categorically excluded from further review under paragraph 34(g) of Figure 2–1 of the Commandant Instruction. An environmental analysis checklist supporting this determination and a Categorical Exclusion Determination are available in the docket where indicated under **ADDRESSES**. We seek any comments or information that may lead to the discovery of a significant environmental impact from this rule.

**List of Subjects in 33 CFR Part 165**

Harbors, Marine safety, Navigation (water), Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Security measures, Waterways.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Coast Guard amends 33 CFR part 165 as follows:

**PART 165—REGULATED NAVIGATION AREAS AND LIMITED ACCESS AREAS**

■ 1. The authority citation for part 165 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 33 U.S.C. 1231; 50 U.S.C. 191; 33 CFR 1.05–1, 6.04–1, 6.04–6, and 160.5; Department of Homeland Security Delegation No. 0170.1.

■ 2. Add § 165.T01–0438 to read as follows:

**§ 165.T01–0438 Safety Zones; Fireworks Displays in Captain of the Port Long Island Sound Zone.**

(a) *Regulations.* The general regulations contained in § 165.23 as well as the following regulations apply to the events listed in the TABLE to § 165.T01–0438.

(b) *Enforcement period.* This rule will be enforced on the dates and times listed for each event in TABLE to § 165.T01–0438. If the event is delayed by inclement weather, the safety zone will be enforced on the rain date indicated in TABLE to § 165.T01–0438.

(c) *Definitions.* The following definitions apply to this section: A “designated representative” is any commissioned, warrant or petty officer of the U.S. Coast Guard who has been designated by the Captain of the Port (COTP), Sector Long Island Sound, to act on his or her behalf. An “official patrol vessel” may consist of any Coast Guard, Coast Guard Auxiliary, state, or local law enforcement vessels assigned or approved by the COTP.

(d) *Operations.* (1) Vessels desiring to enter or operate within a safety zone should contact the COTP or the designated representative via VHF channel 16 or by telephone at (203) 468–4401 to obtain permission to do so. Vessels given permission to enter or operate in a safety zone must comply with all directions given to them by the COTP Sector Long Island Sound or the designated on-scene representative.

(2) Upon being hailed by an official patrol vessel or the designated representative, by siren, radio, flashing light or other means, the operator of the vessel shall proceed as directed. The designated representative may be on an official patrol vessel or may be on shore and will communicate with vessels via VHF–FM radio or loudhailer. While members of the Coast Guard Auxiliary will not serve as the designated representative, they may be present to inform vessel operators of this regulation.

(e) *Compliance.* Failure to comply with a lawful direction may result in expulsion from the area, citation for failure to comply, or both.

TABLE TO § 165.T01–0438

<b>Fireworks events</b>	
1 Barnum Festival, LLC Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: June 26, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: June 28, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 8:40 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of Bridgeport Harbor, Bridgeport CT within 800 feet of the land launch site located in approximate position 41°09'34" N., 073°11'18" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
2 Salute to Veterans Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: June 27, 2015.</li> </ul>

TABLE TO § 165.T01-0438—Continued

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rain Date: June 28, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 9:00 p.m. to 10:45 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of Reynolds Channel off Hempstead, NY within 600 feet of the fireworks barge located in approximate position 40°35'36.87" N., 073°35'20.72" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
3 City of Stamford Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 2, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 3, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 8:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of the Fisher's Westcott cove, Stamford, CT within 800 feet of the fireworks barge in approximate position 41°02'09.56" N., 072°30'57.76" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
4 Freeport Chamber of Commerce Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 2, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 9, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 8:45 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of Guy Lombardo Marina, Freeport, NY within 300 feet of the land launch site located in approximate position 40°37'27.27" N., 073°34'34.64" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
5 City of Norwich Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 2, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 3, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of the Thames River, Norwich, CT in approximate positions, 41°31'14.64" N., 072°04'43.60" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
6 Go 4th Connetquot Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 2, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 3, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 8:45 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of Great South Bay within 600 feet of the fireworks barge at approximate position, 40°43'30.03" N.; 073°08'40.25" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
7 Madison Fireworks Organization Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 3, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 5, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 9:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of Long Island Sound off Madison Beach, Madison, CT within 800 feet of the fireworks barge located in approximate position 41°16'09.04" N., 072°36'18.30" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
8 City of Middletown Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 3, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 5, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 9:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: Waters of the Connecticut River, Middletown Harbor, Middletown, CT within 600 feet of the fireworks barge in approximate positions, 41°33'43" N., 072°38'32" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
9 Fairfield Independence Day Celebration Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 3, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 4, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 8:45 p.m. to 10:45 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of Long Island Sound, Fairfield, CT within 800 feet of the fireworks barge at approximate position, 41°08'16.92" N.; 073°14'01.02" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
10 City of West Haven Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 3, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 5, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 8:45 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of New Haven Harbor off Bradley Point, West Haven, CT within 800 feet of the fireworks barge at approximate position, 41°15'07" N.; 072°57'25" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
11 Village of Port Jefferson Independence Day Celebration .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 4, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 5, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 8:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of Port Jefferson Harbor within 500 feet of the land launch at approximate position, 40°57'53.189" N.; 073°03'09.72" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
12 Shelter Island Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 11, 2015.</li> <li>• Rain Date: July 12, 2015.</li> <li>• Time: 9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.</li> <li>• Location: All waters of Gardiner's Bay, Shelter Island, NY in approximate position, 41°04'27.60" N., 072°22'13.50" W. (NAD 83).</li> </ul>
13 Sebonack Golf Club Fireworks .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: July 31, 2015.</li> </ul>

## TABLE TO § 165.T01-0438—Continued

- Rain Date: August 1, 2015.
- Time: 8:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.
- Location: All waters of Peconic Bay, Southampton, NY within 600 feet of the fireworks barge at approximate position, 40°54'49.92" N.; 072°27'39.28" W. (NAD 83).

Dated: June 17, 2015.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

### 40 CFR Part 52

[EPA-R07-OAR-2015-0104 FRL-9926-48-Region 7]

#### Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Kansas; Update to Materials Incorporated by Reference

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Final rule; notice of administrative change.

**SUMMARY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is updating the materials submitted by Kansas that are incorporated by reference (IBR) into the state implementation plan (SIP). EPA is also notifying the public of the correction of certain typographical errors within the IBR table. The regulations affected by this update have been previously submitted by the state agency and approved by EPA. This update affects the SIP materials that are available for public inspection at the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), and the Regional Office.

**DATES:** This rule is effective on July 8, 2015.

**ADDRESSES:** SIP materials which are incorporated by reference into 40 CFR part 52 are available for inspection at the following locations: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 7, 11201 Renner Boulevard, Lenexa, Kansas 66219; or at <http://www.epa.gov/region07/air/rules/fedapprv.htm>; and the National Archives and Records Administration. For information on the availability of this material at NARA, call (202) 741-6030, or go to: [www.archives.gov/federal-register/cfr/ibr-locations.html](http://www.archives.gov/federal-register/cfr/ibr-locations.html).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jan Simpson at (913) 551-7089, or by email at [simpson.jan@epa.gov](mailto:simpson.jan@epa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Background

The SIP is a living document which the state revises as necessary to address the unique air pollution problems in the state. Therefore, EPA from time to time must take action on SIP revisions containing new and/or revised regulations to make them part of the SIP. On May 22, 1997 (62 FR 27968), EPA revised the procedures for incorporating by reference Federally-approved SIPs, as a result of consultations between EPA and the Office of Federal Register. The description of the revised SIP document, IBR procedures and “Identification of plan” format are discussed in further detail in the May 22, 1997, **Federal Register** document.

On February 12, 1999, EPA published a document in the **Federal Register** (64 FR 7091) beginning the new IBR procedure for Kansas. On November 14, 2003 (68 FR 64532), and on April 8, 2009 (74 FR 15856), EPA published an update to the IBR material for Kansas.

In this document, EPA is publishing an updated set of tables listing the regulatory (*i.e.*, IBR) materials in the Kansas SIP taking into account the additions, deletions, and revisions to those materials previously submitted by the state agency and approved by EPA. We are removing the EPA Headquarters Library from paragraph (b)(3), as IBR materials are no longer available at this location. In addition, EPA has found errors in certain entries listed in 40 CFR 52.870(c) and (e), as amended in the published IBR update actions listed above, and is correcting them in this document. Table (c) revisions include:

- Updating state effective date,

**Federal Register** citation and removing outdated text in explanation column for 28-19-200

- removing outdated text in explanation column for 28-19-201
- adding text in EPA approval date column and removing outdated text in explanation column for 28-19-650

Table (e) is being revised by:

- Adding text in the explanation column for (7)-(39).

##### II. EPA Action

In this action, EPA is doing the following:

A. Announcing the update to the IBR material as of December 31, 2014;

B. Revising the entry in paragraph 52.870(b) to reflect the update and corrections;

C. Revising certain entries in paragraphs 52.870(c) and (e) as described above;

D. Correcting the date format in the “State effective date” or “State submittal date” and “EPA approval date” columns in paragraphs 52.870(c), (d) and (e). Dates are numerical month/day/year without additional zeros;

E. Modifying the **Federal Register** citation in paragraphs 52.870(c), (d) and (e) to reflect the beginning page of the preamble as opposed to the page number of the regulatory text.

EPA has determined that this rule falls under the “good cause” exemption in section 553(b)(3)(B) of the Administrative Procedures Act (APA) which, upon finding “good cause,” authorizes agencies to dispense with public participation and section 553(d)(3), which allows an agency to make a rule effective immediately (thereby avoiding the 30-day delayed effective date otherwise provided for in the APA). This rule simply codifies provisions which are already in effect as a matter of law in Federal and approved State programs. Under section 553 of the APA, an agency may find good cause where procedures are “impractical, unnecessary, or contrary to the public interest.” Public comment is “unnecessary” and “contrary to the public interest” since the codification only reflects existing law. Immediate notice in the CFR benefits the public by providing notice of the updated Kansas SIP compilation.

#### *Statutory and Executive Order Reviews*

In this rule, EPA is finalizing regulatory text that includes incorporation by reference. In accordance with requirements of 1 CFR 51.5, EPA is finalizing the incorporation by reference of the Kansas regulations described in the amendments to 40 CFR part 52 set forth below. EPA has made, and will continue to make, these documents generally available electronically through [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) and/or in hard copy at the appropriate EPA office (see