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PROCLAMATION 3071

VETERANS DAY, 1954

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS it has long been our custom to commemorate November 11, the anniversary of the ending of World War I, by paying tribute to the heroes of that tragic struggle and by rededicating ourselves to the cause of peace; and

WHEREAS in the intervening years the United States has been involved in two other great military conflicts, which have added millions of veterans living and dead to the honor rolls of this Nation; and

WHEREAS the Congress passed a concurrent resolution on June 4, 1926 (44 Stat. 1982) calling for the observance of November 11 with appropriate ceremonies, and later provided in an act approved May 13, 1938 (52 Stat. 351) that the eleventh of November should be a legal holiday and should be known as Armistice Day; and

WHEREAS, in order to expand the significance of that commemoration and in order that a grateful Nation might pay appropriate homage to the veterans of all its wars who have contributed so much to the preservation of this Nation, the Congress, by an act approved June 1, 1954 (68 Stat. 168) changed the name of the holiday to Veterans Day.

NOW THEREFORE, I, DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, President of the United States of America, do hereby call upon all of our citizens to observe Thursday, November 11, 1954, as Veterans Day. On that day let us solemnly remember the sacrifices of all those who fought so valiantly, on the seas, in the air, and on foreign shores, to preserve our heritage of freedom, and let us reconsecrate ourselves to the task of promoting an enduring peace so that their efforts shall not have been in vain. I also direct the appropriate officials of the Government to arrange for the display of the flag of the United States on all public buildings on Veterans Day.

In order to insure proper and widespread observance of this anniversary, all veterans, all veterans' organizations, and the entire citizenry will wish to join hands in the common purpose. Toward this end, I am designating the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs as Chairman of a Veterans Day National Committee, which shall include such other persons as the Chairman may select, and which will coordinate at the national level necessary planning for the observance. I am also requesting the heads of all departments and agencies of the Executive branch of the Government to assist the National Committee in every way possible.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Washington this eighth day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and [SEAL] fifty-four, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and seventy-ninth.

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

By the President:

JOHN FOSTER DULLES,
Secretary of State.

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10: 43 a. m.]

PROCLAMATION 3072

NATIONAL NURSE WEEK

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA
A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS this autumn marks the one hundredth anniversary of Florence Nightingale's historic contribution to the cause of nursing by her heroic leadership in alleviating human suffering in the Crimea, and

WHEREAS a continuing renewal and extension of the ranks of nurses, through the attraction of young people to the nursing profession, is of grave impor-

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tance to the Nation's future well-being; and

WHEREAS the support of an informed and sympathetic public is essential to progress in the humanitarian efforts of our nurses; and

WHEREAS the Congress, by a joint resolution approved August 23, 1954, 88 Stat. 766, has designated the period beginning October 11, 1954, and ending October 16, 1954, as National Nurse Week, in honor of the professional nurses of America and in recognition of the vitally important service they have rendered in the promotion of the national health and welfare; and

WHEREAS the Congress, in the same resolution, has requested the President to issue a proclamation calling upon all the people of the United States to cooperate in the observance of that week:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, President of the United States of America, do hereby call upon all citizens to observe the period beginning Monday, October 11, 1954, and ending Saturday, October 16, 1954, as National Nurse Week with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

I also invite the Governors of the States, Territories, and possessions of the United States to issue similar proclamations, and I urge the medical profession, the press, and the radio and television industries, as well as other interested groups, to unite in public tribute to all those who give nursing care. And I call upon the people generally to express their appreciation of the untiring efforts of our nurses in caring for the health needs of the people of this Nation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Washington this eighth day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and [SEAL] fifty-four, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and seventy-ninth.

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER
Denver, Colorado

By the President:

JOHN FOSTER DULLES,
Secretary of State.

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10:42 a. m.]

RULES AND REGULATIONS

TITLE 14—CIVIL AVIATION

Chapter II—Civil Aeronautics Administration, Department of Commerce

[Amdt. 49]

PART 600—DESIGNATION OF CIVIL AIRWAYS ALTERATIONS

The civil airway alterations appearing hereinafter have been coordinated with the civil operators involved, the Army, the Navy, and the Air Force, through the Air Coordinating Committee, Airspace Subcommittee, and are adopted to become effective when indicated in order to promote safety to the flying public. Compliance with the notice procedures, and effective date provisions of section 4 of the Administrative Procedure Act would be impracticable and contrary to public interest and therefore is not required.

Part 600 is amended as follows:

1. Section 600.213 *Red civil airway No. 1* (*Wheeling, W. Va., to Boston, Mass.*) is amended by changing the name "Stewart Field, N. Y., radio range station" to read: "Stewart-*AFB*, N. Y., nondirectional radio beacon."

2. Section 600.233 *Red civil airway No. 33* (*Richmond, Va., to Boston, Mass.*) is amended by changing the name "Stewart Field, N. Y., radio range station" to read: "Stewart *AFB*, N. Y., nondirectional radio beacon."

3. Section 600.636 is amended to read:

§ 600.636 *Blue civil airway No. 36* (*Akron, Colo., to Kimball, Nebr.*) From the Akron, Colo., radio range station to the intersection of the north course of the Akron, Colo., radio range and the east course of the Cheyenne, Nebr., radio range.

4. Section 600.648 *Blue civil airway No. 48* (*New York, N. Y., to Poughkeepsie, N. Y.*) is revoked.

5. Section 600.6004 *VOR civil airway No. 4* (*Seattle, Wash., to Washington, D. C.*) is amended by deleting that portion which reads: "via the intersection of the Kansas City omnirange 076° True and the Columbia omnirange 291° True radials," and substituting the following in lieu thereof: "via the intersection of the Kansas City omnirange 076° True and the Columbia omnirange 292° True radials,"

6. Section 600.6010 *VOR civil airway No. 10* (*Pueblo, Colo., to New York, N. Y.*) is amended by deleting the portion which reads: "via the intersection of the Kansas City omnirange 076° True and the Kirksville omnirange 227° True radials;" and substituting the following in lieu thereof: "via the intersection of the Kansas City omnirange 076° True and the Kirksville omnirange 225° True radials;"

7. Section 600.6012 *VOR civil airway No. 12* (*Palmdale, Calif., to Philadelphia, Pa.*) is amended by changing all after the Anthony, Kans., omnirange station to read: "Anthony, Kans., omnirange station, including a north alternate;

Wichita, Kans., omnirange station, including a north alternate via the intersection of the Anthony omnirange 030° True and the Wichita omnirange 253° True radials and also a south alternate via the intersection of the Anthony omnirange 078° True and the Wichita omnirange 194° True radials; Emporia, Kans., omnirange station, including a north alternate via the intersection of the Wichita omnirange 046° True and the Emporia omnirange 259° True radials; Kansas City, Mo., omnirange station, including a north alternate; Columbia, Mo., omnirange station, including a south alternate and also a north alternate via the intersection of the Kansas City omnirange 076° True and the Columbia omnirange 292° True radials; St. Louis, Mo., omnirange station, including a north and south alternate; Vandalia, Ill., omnirange station, including a north alternate via the intersection of the St. Louis omnirange 050° True and the Vandalia omnirange 279° True radials; Terre Haute, Ind., omnirange station including a north alternate; Indianapolis, Ind., omnirange station, including a north alternate; Dayton, Ohio, omnirange station including a north alternate; Columbus, Ohio, omnirange station, including a north alternate via the intersection of the Dayton omnirange 060° True and the Columbus omnirange 281° True radials; Wheeling, W. Va., omnirange station; Pittsburgh, Pa., omnirange station; Harrisburg, Pa., omnirange station to the West Chester, Pa., omnirange station, including a north alternate via the intersection of the Harrisburg omnirange 086° True and the West Chester omnirange 304° True radials."

8. Section 600.6024 is amended to read:

§ 600.6024 *VOR civil airway No. 24* (*Aberdeen, S. Dak., to Redwood Falls, Minn.*) From the Aberdeen, S. Dak., omnirange station via the Watertown, S. Dak., omnirange station, including a north alternate; to the Redwood Falls, Minn., omnirange station, including a north alternate via the intersection of the Watertown omnirange 085° True and the Redwood Falls omnirange 305° True radials.

9. Section 600.6030 is amended to read:

§ 600.6030 *VOR civil airway No. 30* (*Milwaukee, Wis., to New York, N. Y.*) From the Milwaukee, Wis., omnirange station via the Pullman, Mich., omnirange station, including a south alternate; Litchfield, Mich., omnirange station; Waterville, Ohio, omnirange station; intersection of the Waterville omnirange 111° True radial and the west course of the Wellington, Ohio, VAR station; Wellington, Ohio, VAR station; intersection of the east course of the Wellington, Ohio, VAR station and the Youngstown omnirange 250° True radial; Youngstown, Ohio, omnirange station; Phillipsburg, Pa., omnirange

station; Selinsgrove, Pa., omnirange station, Allentown, Pa., omnirange station to the point of intersection of the Allentown omnirange 088° True and the Wilton, Conn., omnirange 233° True radials. From the Idlewild, N. Y., omnirange station to the point of intersection of the Idlewild omnirange 082° True and the Riverhead, N. Y., omnirange 180° True radials.

10. Section 600.6047 *VOR civil airway No. 47* (*Louisville, Ky., to Detroit Mich.*) is amended by changing all before the Findlay, Ohio, omnirange station to read: "From the Louisville, Ky., omnirange station via the intersection of the Louisville omnirange 356° True and the Cincinnati omnirange 241° True radials; Cincinnati, Ohio, omnirange station; Dayton, Ohio, omnirange station, including a west alternate via the intersection of the Cincinnati omnirange 004° True and the Dayton omnirange 227° True radials; Findlay, Ohio omnirange station, including a west alternate;"

11. Section 600.6050 is amended to read:

§ 600.6050 *VOR civil airway No. 50* (*St. Joseph, Mo., to Peoria, Ill.*) From the St. Joseph, Mo., omnirange station via the Kirksville, Mo., omnirange station; Quincy, Ill., omnirange station, including a south alternate via the intersection of the Kirksville omnirange 121° True and the Quincy omnirange 258° True radials; to the point of intersection of the Pontiac, Ill., omnirange 258° True and the Bradford, Ill., omnirange 183° True radials.

12. Section 600.6068 *VOR civil airway No. 68* (*Albuquerque, N. Mex., to Brownsville, Tex.*) is amended by changing all before the Roswell, N. Mex., omnirange station to read: "That airspace over United States territory from the Albuquerque, N. Mex., omnirange station via the Corona, N. Mex., omnirange station, including a north alternate via the intersection of the Albuquerque omnirange 103° True and the Corona omnirange 328° True radials and also a south alternate via the intersection of the Albuquerque omnirange 169° True and the Corona omnirange 272° True radials; Roswell, N. Mex., omnirange station, including a north alternate;"

13. Section 600.6078 is amended to read:

§ 600.6078 *VOR civil airway No. 78* (*Huron, S. Dak., to Minneapolis, Minn.*) From the Huron, S. Dak., omnirange station via the Watertown, S. Dak., omnirange station, including a south alternate; to the Minneapolis, Minn., omnirange station.

14. Section 600.6091 is amended to read:

§ 600.6091 *VOR civil airway No. 91* (*New York, N. Y., to Plattsburg, N. Y.*) From the Idlewild, N. Y., omnirange station via the point of intersection of the Idlewild omnirange 042° True and

the Wilton omnirange 185° True; Wilton, Conn., omnirange station; Poughkeepsie, N. Y., omnirange station; Albany, N. Y., omnirange station to the Plattsburg, N. Y., omnirange station.

15. Section 600.6116 is amended by changing the caption to read: "VOR civil airway No. 116 (Kansas City, Mo., to New York, N. Y.)" and by changing all before the Litchfield, Mich., omnirange station to read: "From the Kansas City, Mo., omnirange station via the Quincy, Ill., omnirange station to the point of intersection of the Quincy omnirange 056° True and the Bradford, Ill., omnirange 188° True radials. From the Peoria, Ill., radio range station via a point at Latitude 41°10'00" North, Longitude 88°57'00" West; Naperville, Ill., omnirange station; South Bend, Ind., omnirange station; Litchfield, Mich., omnirange station, including a north-alternate;"

16. Section 600.6140 is amended by changing the caption to read: "VOR civil airway No. 140 (Tulsa, Okla., to New York, N. Y.)" and by changing all before the Corbin, Ky., VAR station to read: "From the Tulsa, Okla., omnirange station via the Fayetteville, Ark., omnirange station; Flippin, Ark., omnirange station; Walnut Ridge, Ark., omnirange station; Dyersburg, Tenn., omnirange station; Nashville, Tenn., omnirange station; intersection of the Nashville omnirange 059° True radial and the Corbin VAR west aural course; Corbin, Ky., VAR station;"

17. Section 600.6166 is added to read:
 § 600.6166 VOR civil airway No. 166 (Martinsburg, W. Va., to Philadelphia, Pa.) From the Martinsburg, W. Va., omnirange station to the West Chester, Pa., omnirange station.

18. Section 600.6167 is added to read:
 § 600.6167 VOR civil airway No. 167 (New York, N. Y. to Hartford, Conn.) From the point of intersection of the Colts Neck, N. J., omnirange 151° True and the Idlewild omnirange 195° True radials via the Idlewild, N. Y., omnirange station to the Hartford, Conn., omnirange station.

(Sec. 205, 52 Stat. 984, amended; 49 U. S. C. 425. Interprets or applies sec. 302, 52 Stat. 985, as amended; 49 U. S. C. 452)

This amendment shall become effective 0001 e. s. t., October 12, 1954.

[SEAL] F. B. LEE,
 Administrator of Civil Aeronautics.

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[Amdt. 40]

PART 601—DESIGNATION OF CONTROL AREAS, CONTROL ZONES, AND REPORTING POINTS

ALTERATIONS

The control area, control zone and reporting point alterations appearing hereinafter have been coordinated with the civil operators involved, the Army, the Navy, and the Air Force, through the

Air Coordinating Committee, in order to promote safety of the flying public. Compliance with the notice, procedures, and effective date provisions of section 4 of the Administrative Procedure Act would be impracticable and contrary to public interest and therefore is not required.

Part 601 is amended as follows:

1. Section 601.636 is amended to read:

§ 601.636 Blue civil airway No. 36 control areas (Akron, Colo., to Kimball, Nebr.) All of Blue civil airway No. 36.

2. Section 601.648 Blue civil airway No. 48 control areas (New York, N. Y., to Poughkeepsie, N. Y.) is revoked.

3. Section 601.1301 is amended to read:

§ 601.1301 Control area extension (Winslow, Ariz.) Within 5 miles either side of the north and south courses of the Winslow radio range extending from the radio range station to points 25 miles north and south, and within 5 miles either side of the 314° and 134° True radials of the Winslow omnirange extending from the omnirange station to points 25 miles northwest and southeast.

4. Section 601.1356 is added to read:

§ 601.1356 Control area extension (Greenville, Miss.) That airspace within a 25-mile radius of the Greenville, Miss., AFB radio range station.

5. Section 601.1984 Five-mile radius zones is amended by adding the following airport:

Greenville, Miss., Greenville AFB.

6. Section 601.2029 Fort Worth, Tex., control zone is amended by changing the portion on the north course of the radio range to read: "within 2 miles either side of the Fort Worth radio range extending from the radio range station to a point 10 miles north" in lieu of "to the Haslet fan marker"

7. Section 601.4214 Red civil airway No. 14 (Lone Rock, Wis., to Louisville, Ky.) is amended by deleting the following reporting point: "the intersection of a line bearing 52° True from the Lafayette, Ind., nondirectional radio beacon and the northwest course of the Indianapolis, Ind., radio range."

8. Section 601.4636 is amended to read:

§ 601.4636 Blue civil airway No. 36 (Akron, Colo., to Kimball, Nebr.) No reporting point designation.

9. Section 601.6078 is amended to read:

§ 601.6078 VOR civil airway No. 78 control areas (Huron, S. Dak., to Minneapolis, Minn.) All of VOR civil airway No. 78, including a south alternate.

10. Section 601.6116 is amended to read:

§ 601.6116 VOR civil airway No. 116 control areas (Kansas City, Mo., to New York, N. Y.) All of VOR civil airway No. 116, including north alternates.

11. Section 601.6140 is amended to read:

§ 601.6140 VOR civil airway No. 140 control areas (Tulsa, Okla., to New York, N. Y.) All of VOR civil airway No. 140.

12. Section 601.6166 is added to read:

§ 601.6166 VOR civil airway No. 166 control areas (Martinsburg, W. Va., to Philadelphia, Pa.) All of VOR civil airway No. 166.

13. Section 601.6167 is added to read:

§ 601.6167 VOR civil airway No. 167 control areas (New York, N. Y. to Hartford, Conn.) All of VOR civil airway No. 167.

14. Section 601.7001 Domestic VOR reporting points is amended by adding the following reporting point:

Gore intersection: The intersection of the Culberson, Tex., omnirange 012° True and the Salt Flat, Tex., omnirange 085° True radials.

(Sec. 205, 52 Stat. 984, as amended; 49 U. S. C. 425. Interprets or applies sec. 601, 52 Stat. 1107, as amended; 49 U. S. C. 551)

This amendment shall become effective 0001 e. s. t. October 12, 1954.

[SEAL] F. B. LEE,
 Administrator of Civil Aeronautics.
 [F. R. Doc. 54-8009; Filed Oct. 11, 1954; 8:50 a. m.]

TITLE 19—CUSTOMS DUTIES

Chapter I—Bureau of Customs, Department of the Treasury

[T. D. 53594]

PART 14—APPRAISEMENT

COAL TAR PRODUCTS

Correction

In Federal Register Document 54-7585, published at page 6219 of the issue for Tuesday, September 28, 1954, the last paragraph should read as follows:

To allow sufficient time to put in effect the procedure prescribed in paragraph (c) it shall not become effective until 90 days after publication of this document in the weekly Treasury Decisions.

TITLE 21—FOOD AND DRUGS

Chapter I—Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare

PART 141e—BACITRACIN AND BACITRACIN-CONTAINING DRUGS; TESTS AND METHODS OF ASSAY

PART 146e—CERTIFICATION OF BACITRACIN AND BACITRACIN-CONTAINING DRUGS

SOLUBLE BACITRACIN METHYLENE DISALICYLATE

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary by the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 507, 59 Stat. 463, as amended by 61 Stat. 11, 63 Stat. 409, 67 Stat. 389; sec. 701, 52 Stat. 1055; 21 U. S. C. 357, 371; 68 Stat. 18) the regulations for tests and methods of assay for bacitracin and bacitra-

cin-containing drugs (21 CFR Part 141e; 19 F. R. 1141) and certification of bacitracin and bacitracin-containing drugs (21 CFR Part 141e; 19 F. R. 478, 674, 1141) are amended as indicated below:

1. Part 141e is amended by adding the following new section:

§ 141e.423 *Soluble bacitracin methylene disalicylate*—(a) *Potency*. Proceed as directed in § 141e.401 (a) (1) except in lieu of the directions for preparing the sample in § 141e.401 (a) (1) (ii) prepare the sample as follows: Place an accurately weighed sample of approximately 1 to 5 grams in a 100-milliliter volumetric flask, dissolve in water, and dilute to 100 milliliters with water. Dilute a suitable aliquot with 1-percent phosphate buffer to a concentration of 1 unit per milliliter. Its potency is satisfactory if it contains not less than 85 percent of the bacitracin activity per pound that it is represented to contain.

(b) *Moisture*. Proceed as directed in § 141a.5 (a) of this chapter.

(c) *pH*. Proceed as directed in § 141a.5 (b) of this chapter, using a solution containing 200 units per milliliter.

2. In § 146e.414 *Bacitracin-neomycin with vasoconstrictor* * * * paragraph (a) (2) is amended by changing the words "18 months" to read "18 months or 24 months"

3. Part 146e is amended by adding the following new section:

§ 146e.423 *Soluble bacitracin methylene disalicylate*—(a) *Standards of identity, strength, quality, and purity*. Soluble bacitracin methylene disalicylate is a mixture of bacitracin methylene disalicylate, sodium carbonate, and sodium bicarbonate, with or without suitable and harmless diluents. It contains the equivalent of not less than 25 grams of the bacitracin master standard per pound. Its moisture content is not more than 8.5 percent. Its pH in an aqueous solution containing 200 units per milliliter is not less than 8.5 and not more than 9.5. The bacitracin methylene disalicylate used conforms to the requirements of § 146e.416 (a). Each other substance used, if its name is recognized in the U. S. P. or N. F., conforms to the standards prescribed therefor by such official compendium.

(b) *Packaging; labeling; request for certification, samples; fees*. Soluble bacitracin methylene disalicylate conforms to all requirements and procedures prescribed for bacitracin methylene disalicylate by § 146e.416 (b) (c), (d), and (e), except that the person who requests certification of a batch shall submit with his request (unless previously submitted) a sample consisting of 5 immediate containers, each containing approximately 5 grams, of the bacitracin methylene disalicylate used in making the batch.

(Sec. 701, 52 Stat. 1055; 21 U. S. C. 371)

Notice and public procedure are not necessary prerequisites to the promulgation of this order, and I so find, since it was drawn in collaboration with interested members of the affected industry and since it would be against public interest to delay providing for the amendments set forth above.

This order shall become effective upon publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER, since both the public and the affected industry will benefit by the earliest effective date, and I so find.

Dated: October 6, 1954.

[SEAL] OVETA CULP HOBBY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 54-7996; Filed, Oct. 11, 1954; 8:47 a. m.]

TITLE 26—INTERNAL REVENUE

**Chapter I—Internal Revenue Service,
Department of the Treasury**

**Subchapter A—Income and Excess Profits Taxes
[T. D. 6106; Regs. 118, 130]**

**PART 39—INCOME TAX: TAXABLE YEARS
BEGINNING AFTER DECEMBER 31, 1951**

**PART 40—EXCESS PROFITS TAX: TAXABLE
YEARS ENDING AFTER JUNE 30, 1950**

MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS

In order to conform Regulations 118 (26 CFR (1939) Part 39) and Regulations 130 (26 CFR (1939) Part 40) to sections 101-105, inclusive, of the Technical Changes Act of 1953, approved August 15, 1953, relating to the extension of certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1939, such regulations are hereby amended as follows:

PARAGRAPH 1. Section 39.112 (b) (7) is amended by:

(A) Striking out "1951 or 1952" in section 112 (b) (7) (A) (ii) and inserting in lieu thereof "1951, 1952, or 1953"; and

(B) Inserting "Sec. 101, Technical Changes Act 1953" before the closing bracket of the historical note set forth at the end of section 112 (b) (7).

As amended, section 112 (b) (7) (A) (ii) and the historical note in § 39.112 (b) (7) will read as follows:

§ 39.112 (b) (7) *Statutory provisions; recognition of gain or loss; exchanges solely in kind; election as to recognition of gain in certain corporate liquidations.*

SEC. 112. *Recognition of gain or loss.* * * *

(b) *Exchanges solely in kind.* * * *

(7) *Election as to recognition of gain in certain corporate liquidations*—(A) *General rule.* * * *

(ii) The distribution is in complete cancellation or redemption of all the stock, and the transfer of all the property under the liquidation occurs within some one calendar month in 1951, 1952, or 1953—

[Sec. 112 (b) (7) as added by sec. 120 (a), Rev. Act 1943; amended by sec. 208 (a), Rev. Act 1950; sec. 316 (a), Rev. Act 1951; sec. 101, Technical Changes Act 1953]

PAR. 2. Section 39.112 (b) (7)-1 is amended by striking from the heading and the body of the section the phrase "in 1952", wherever appearing therein, and inserting in lieu thereof "in 1952 or 1953"

PAR. 3. The second sentence of § 39.112 (b) (7)-3 is amended to read as follows: "Within 30 days after the adoption of the plan of liquidation, occurring within one calendar month in 1952 or 1953, the original and one copy of Form 964 (revised) shall be filed by the shareholder

or by the liquidating corporation with the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C."

PAR. 4. Section 39.113 (a) (18)-1 (a) (2) (iii) is amended by striking the words "calendar year 1951 or 1952" wherever appearing therein, and inserting in lieu thereof "calendar years 1951-1953, inclusive" As amended, § 39.113 (a) (18)-1 (a) (2) (iii) will read as follows:

§ 39.113 (a) (18)-1 *Basis of property received in certain corporate liquidations*—(a) *Property included*. Section 113 (a) (18) applies only to property (other than money) acquired—

(2) Upon a distribution in complete liquidation of a domestic corporation

(iii) Pursuant to a plan of liquidation adopted after December 31, 1950, in accordance with which the distribution is in complete cancellation or redemption of all the stock and the transfer of all the property in the liquidation occurs within some one calendar month of the calendar years 1951-1953, inclusive; and

PAR. 5. Section 39.113 (b) (1)-1 (c) (7) is amended to read as follows:

§ 39.113 (b) (1)-1 *Adjusted basis.*

(c) *Exhaustion, wear and tear obsolescence, amortization, and depletion for periods since February 28, 1913.*

(7) *Property with transferred basis*. The following rules apply in the determination of the adjustments to basis of property in the hands of a transferee, donee, or grantee which are required by section 113 (b) (2) with respect to the period the property was held by the transferor, donor, or grantor:

(i) An election, or a revocation of an election which was made on or before December 31, 1952, under section 113 (d) by a transferor, donor, or grantor, which is made after the date of the transfer, gift, or grant of the property shall not affect the basis of such property in the hands of the transferee, donee, or grantee. An election, or a revocation of an election which was made on or before December 31, 1952, made before the date of the transfer, gift, or grant of the property shall be taken into account in determining under section 113 (b) (2) the adjustments to basis of such property as of the date of the transfer, gift, or grant, whether or not an election or a revocation of an election under section 113 (d) was made by the transferee, donee, or grantee.

(ii) An election by the transferee, donee, or grantee, or a revocation of such an election which was made on or before December 31, 1952, shall be applicable in determining the adjustments to basis for the period during which the property was held by the transferor, donor, or grantor, whether or not the transferor, donor, or grantor had made an election or a revocation of an election, provided that the property was held by the transferee, donee, or grantee at any

time on or before the date on which the election was made.

PAR. 6. Section 39.113 (d) is amended to read as follows:

§ 39.113 (d) *Statutory provisions; adjusted basis for determining gain or loss; depreciation, etc., allowed before 1952.*

SEC. 113. *Adjusted basis for determining gain or loss. * * **

(d) *Election in respect of depreciation, etc., allowed before 1952.* Any person may elect to have clause (ii) of subsection (b) (1) (B) apply in respect of periods since February 28, 1913, and before January 1, 1952. Such an election shall be made in such manner as the Secretary may by regulations prescribe and shall be irrevocable when made, except that an election made on or before December 31, 1952, may be revoked at any time before January 1, 1955. A revocation of an election shall be made in such manner as the Secretary may by regulations prescribe, and no election may be made by any person after he has so revoked an election. The election shall apply in respect of all property held by the person making the election at any time on or before December 31, 1952, and in respect of all periods since February 28, 1913, and before January 1, 1952, during which such person held such property or for which adjustments must be made under subsection (b) (2). An election or a revocation of an election by a transferor, donor, or grantor made after the date of the transfer, gift, or grant of property shall not affect the basis of such property in the hands of the transferee, donee, or grantee. No election may be made under this subsection after December 31, 1954.

[Sec. 113 (d) as added by sec. 2, Pub. Law 539 (82d Cong.) sec. 102, Technical Changes Act 1953]

PAR. 7. Section 39.113 (d)-1 is amended to read as follows:

§ 39.113 (d)-1 *Election as to amounts allowed in respect of depreciation, etc., before 1952—(a) In general.* (1) Any person may elect to have the adjustments to the cost or other basis of property under section 113 (b) (1) (B) determined in accordance with clause (ii) of such section, by filing with the district director of internal revenue, on or before December 31, 1954, the written statement of election provided in paragraph (b) of this section. The statement must be filed with the district director of internal revenue with whom such person is required (by section 53 (b)) to file his income tax return for the year during which the election is made. Any election made after December 31, 1952, shall be irrevocable when made, and shall apply with respect to all periods since February 28, 1913, and before January 1, 1952. The election shall apply in respect of all properties held at any time on or before December 31, 1952, by the person making the election. For rules with respect to an election made on or before December 31, 1952, see paragraph (c) of this section.

(2) A copy of the written statement of election or revocation must be filed with the first income tax return, amended return, or claim for credit or refund filed on or after the date on which the election or revocation is made.

(3) An election by a partner is not an election by the partnership of which

he is a member, but a separate election must be made by the partnership. Similarly, an election by the partnership applies only with respect to the partnership, and is not applicable to the separate property of the partners. A similar rule applies with respect to elections by trusts and beneficiaries of such trusts. These rules are also applicable with respect to a revocation of an election where such election was made on or before December 31, 1952.

(4) An election which conforms in substance to the provisions of this section shall not be deemed invalid solely because it was filed prior to the date on which the regulations in this section were promulgated.

(b) *Rules applicable to making of election.* The following rules are applicable to the making of an election under section 113 (d):

(1) *Form of election.* The election shall be in the form of a statement in writing addressed to the district director of internal revenue with whom filed, shall state the name and address of the taxpayer making the election, and shall contain a statement that such taxpayer elects to have the provisions of section 113 (b) (1) (B) (ii) apply in respect of all periods since February 28, 1913, and before January 1, 1952.

(2) *Signature.* The statement shall be signed by the taxpayer making the election, if an individual, or, if the taxpayer making the election is not an individual, the statement shall be executed in the same manner as is required in the case of the income tax return of such taxpayer.

(3) *Filing.* The written statement must be filed in the office of the district director of internal revenue on or before December 31, 1954. An election shall be considered as timely filed if it is placed in the mail on or before midnight of December 31, 1954, as shown by the postmark on the envelope containing the written statement of election or as shown by other available evidence of the mailing date.

(c) *Election made on or before December 31, 1952.* An election made on or before December 31, 1952, in accordance with the provisions of section 113 (d) may be revoked by filing on or before December 31, 1954, in the same office in which the election was filed, a statement of revocation executed in the same manner as the election. Such revocation shall apply to all properties to which such election applied. Such statement made by any person is irrevocable when made with respect to such person, and no new election may thereafter be made by such person.

PAR. 8. Section 39.127 (c) is amended by

(A) Striking out "December 31, 1952" in section 127 (c) (5) and inserting in lieu thereof "December 31, 1953" and

(B) Inserting "sec. 127 (c) (5) as amended by sec. 103, Technical Changes Act 1953" before the closing bracket of the historical note set forth at the end of section 127 (c) (5)

PAR. 9. Section 39.127 (c)-1 (d) (2) is amended by striking "December 31,

1952" in the first sentence therein and inserting in lieu thereof "December 31, 1953"

PAR. 10. Section 39.154 is amended by (A) Striking out "January 1, 1954" in section 154 and inserting in lieu thereof "January 1, 1955", and

(B) Inserting "; amended by sec. 104, Technical Changes Act 1953" before the closing bracket of the historical note set forth at the end of section 154.

PAR. 11. Section 39.154-1 (a) is amended by striking "January 1, 1954" in the first sentence therein and inserting in lieu thereof "January 1, 1955"

PAR. 12. In § 39.201, section 201 (a) (1) and the historical note at the end of the section are amended to read as follows:

§ 39.201 *Statutory provisions; tax on life insurance companies.*

SEC. 201. *Life insurance companies—(a) Imposition of tax—(1) In general.* There shall be levied, collected, and paid for each taxable year upon the adjusted normal-tax net income (as defined in section 202) and upon the adjusted corporation surtax net income (as defined in section 203) of every life insurance company taxes computed as provided in section 13 (b) and in section 15 (b). In lieu of the taxes imposed by the preceding sentence, there shall be levied, collected, and paid for taxable years beginning in 1953 upon the 1953 adjusted normal-tax net income (as defined in section 203A) of every life insurance company a tax equal to the sum of the following:

3% per centum of the amount thereof not in excess of \$200,000, plus
6½ per centum of the amount thereof in excess of \$200,000.

[Sec. 201 as amended by sec. 203, Rev. Act 1939; sec. 163 (a), Rev. Act 1942; sec. 121 (g) (3), Rev. Act 1950; sec. 336 (a) and (c), Rev. Act 1951; Pub. Law 468 (82d Cong.) sec. 105 (a), Technical Changes Act 1953. Pursuant to sec. 105 (b), Technical Changes Act 1953, sec. 201 (a) (1), as amended by sec. 105 (a), Technical Changes Act 1953, is applicable only to taxable years beginning in 1953. Before amendment by sec. 105 (a), Technical Changes Act 1953, "1953", wherever it appears in sec. 201 (a) (1), read "1951 and 1952" Pursuant to sec. 105 (b), Technical Changes Act 1953, the application of sec. 201 (f) is extended to taxable years beginning after December 31, 1953]

PAR. 13. Section 39.201-1 is amended as follows:

(A) By striking from the first sentence of paragraph (a) the phrase "with respect to taxable years beginning in 1952" and by inserting in lieu thereof "with respect to a taxable year beginning in 1952 or 1953"

(B) By striking from the last sentence of paragraph (b) the figures "1952" and by inserting in lieu thereof "1952 or 1953"

PAR. 14. Section 39.201-5 is amended by striking from the third sentence the phrase "taxable years beginning in 1952" and by inserting in lieu thereof "a taxable year beginning in 1952 or 1953"

PAR. 15. Section 39.201-6 is amended by striking from the first sentence the phrase "for taxable years beginning in 1952" and by inserting in lieu thereof "for a taxable year beginning in 1952 or 1953"

PAR. 16. Section 39.202-2 (b) is amended to read as follows:

§ 39.202-2 *Adjustment for certain reserves.* * * *

(b) In the case of a taxable year beginning in 1952 or 1953, an amount equal to eight times the amount of the applicable adjustment provided in paragraph (a) of this section must be added to normal-tax net income for such year as a factor in determining 1952 or 1953 adjusted normal-tax net income.

PAR. 17. Section 39.203A is amended by:

(A) Striking out "1951 and 1952" wherever appearing in section 203A and inserting in lieu thereof "1953" and

(B) Inserting "sec. 105 (a), Technical Changes Act 1953. Pursuant to sec. 105 (b) Technical Changes Act 1953, sec. 203A, as amended by sec. 105 (a) Technical Changes Act 1953, is applicable only to taxable years beginning in 1953. Before amendment by sec. 105 (a) Technical Changes Act 1953, '1953' wherever it appears in section 203A, read '1951 and 1952'" before the closing bracket of the historical note set forth at the end of section 203A.

PAR. 18. Section 39.203A-1 is amended to read as follows:

§ 39.203A-1 *Tax on life insurance companies in the case of a taxable year beginning in 1952 or 1953.* (a) In the case of a taxable year beginning in 1952 or 1953, the tax imposed on a life insurance company for such year shall consist of a tax upon the adjusted normal-tax net income for such year equal to 3¾ percent of the amount of such income not in excess of \$200,000, plus 6½ percent of the amount of such income in excess of \$200,000. The term "adjusted normal-tax net income for such year" means the normal-tax net income (consisting of net income computed as provided in § 39.201-7 less the credit for partially tax-exempt interest allowed under section 26 (a) and less the credit for dividends received allowed under section 26 (b)) for the taxable year beginning in 1952 or 1953, as the case may be, plus eight times the amount of the adjustment for certain reserves computed as provided in section 202 (c) (see § 39.202-2) and minus the reserve interest credit, if any, provided in section 203A (b) (see § 39.203A-2) The reserve and other policy liability credit is not allowed for the purpose of computing the adjusted normal-tax net income in the case of a taxable year beginning in 1952 or 1953.

(b) The tax imposed upon 1952 adjusted normal-tax net income or 1953 adjusted normal-tax net income, as the case may be, by the second sentence of section 201 (a) (1) is in lieu of the tax otherwise imposed on adjusted normal-tax net income and adjusted corporation surtax net income by the first sentence of section 201 (a) (1)

PAR. 19. Section 39.203A-2 (a) is amended by striking from the first sentence the figures "1952" and by inserting in lieu thereof "1952 or 1953"

PAR. 20. There is inserted immediately preceding § 40.433 (a)-1 the following:

SEC. 105. *Extension of temporary provisions relating to life insurance companies*

Technical Changes Act of 1953, approved August 15, 1953—(a) *Tax for 1953.* Sections * * * 433 (a) (1) (H) (relating to excess profits net income of life insurance companies) are each hereby amended by striking out "1951 and 1952" wherever appearing therein and inserting in lieu thereof "1953" (b) *Effective date.* The amendments made by subsection (a) shall apply only to taxable years beginning in 1953. * * *

PAR. 21. Section 40.433 (a)-2 (h), as amended by Treasury Decision 5992, approved February 17, 1953, is further amended by striking the phrase "1951 or 1952" wherever appearing therein, and by inserting in lieu thereof "1951, 1952, or 1953"

Because this Treasury decision merely amends Regulations 118 and 130 to conform to certain sections of the Technical Changes Act of 1953, approved August 15, 1953, relating to the extension of the time during which certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1939 are applicable, it is hereby found to be unnecessary to issue this Treasury decision with notice and public procedure thereon under section 4 (a) of the Administrative Procedure Act, approved June 11, 1946, or subject to the effective date limitation of section 4 (c) of that act.

(63 Stat. 32, 467; 26 U. S. C. 62, 3791)

[SEAL] O. GORDON DELK,
Acting Commissioner
of Internal Revenue.

Approved: October 6, 1954.

M. B. FOLSOM,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

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TITLE 32—NATIONAL DEFENSE

Chapter VII—Department of the Air Force

Subchapter F—Reserve Forces

PART 868—DELAY IN ORDERS TO ACTIVE DUTY

Part 868 (18 F. R. 1996; 32 CFR, 1953 Supp., Part 868) is revised in its entirety as follows:

- Sec. 868.1 Purpose.
- 868.2 Policy.
- 868.3 Definitions.
- 868.4 Basic considerations.
- 868.5 Necessity for prompt action.
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- 868.13 Establishment of delay and appeal boards.
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- 868.16 Delay board decisions.
- 868.17 Temporary delay.
- 868.18 Requests for delays and appeals.
- 868.19 Evidence to substantiate request.
- 868.20 Action by Reservist pending decision or request for delay or appeal.
- 868.21 Request for support of delay and appeals by elements of the Air Force.

AUTHORITY: §§ 868.1 to 868.21 issued under R. S. 161, sec. 202, 61 Stat. 500, as amended;

5 U. S. C. 22, 171a. Interpret or apply sec. 6, 62 Stat. 609, as amended; 50 U. S. C. App. 456. DERIVATION: AFR 35-83.

§ 868.1 *Purpose.* This part establishes the basic criteria upon which requests for delay in entering active military service and appeals will be considered, and sets forth the procedures for processing and evaluation of such requests and appeals. This part does not apply to those Air Force Reservists assigned to program elements within Training Categories A, B-1, and C, with the exception that such persons may submit requests for delays of not to exceed 90 days under § 868.10 (a)

§ 868.2 *Policy.* It is to be recognized that the military strength of our nation depends to a large degree on the integrity, efficiency, and readiness of the Reserve components, and that some Reservists are engaged in production and research vital to the national military effort or activities essential to the maintenance of national health, safety, or interest. In any major national emergency, personnel with experience and skills in such occupations will be required by the Air Force and by the civilian economy in numbers far exceeding the supply. The delay policies contained in this part are designed to accommodate themselves to special instances. In order that military manpower objectives may be attained without serious impairment of production and research vital to the national military effort, or activities necessary to the maintenance of national health, safety, or interest, by the sudden withdrawal of critical skills from the civilian economy, it is essential that the military need for a Reservist's service must be weighed, balanced, and reconciled with the civilian requirements to the maximum extent possible in the interest of national security.

§ 868.3 *Definitions.* For the purpose of this part, the following definitions will apply:

(a) *Delay.* Postponement of the tentative or actual date specified for entry into active military service of Reservists. The term "delay" is not to be confused with "deferment" which is used in referring to selective service selectees whose reporting dates for military service are postponed under selective service laws.

(b) *Appeal.* A request for review by an authorized appellate body of a decision of a delay board on a request for delay.

(c) *Full-time course of instruction.* A full-time schedule prescribed for resident students, including night school students, in accordance with the regulations of the particular educational institution.

(d) *Institution of higher education.* An institution offering at least a 2-year program at college level, that is, either:

(1) Accredited by a recognized nationwide, regional, or State accrediting agency or operating under State control, or

(2) Able to furnish evidence that its credits are acceptable unconditionally (at full value) by three fully accredited institutions. (Part 3 of the Directory

of Higher Education published annually by the Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, contains a list of institutions meeting such qualifications.)

(e) *Reservist.* A person who has been appointed, commissioned, or enlisted as a Reserve of the Air Force or has been transferred to the Air Force Reserve under any provision of law.

§ 868.4 *Basic considerations*—(a) *Delays not indefinite exemption.* Delays granted to Reservists will not exempt them indefinitely from military service and may be terminated at any time because of overriding military considerations.

(b) *Delays granted on individual basis.* Delays will be granted on an individual basis only. Blanket delays will not be granted to groups of persons under any circumstances.

(c) *Initial delays and extension.* Initial delays will be granted for the minimum period appropriate but will not exceed 6 months. Granting of extensions of delay periods is authorized within the limits prescribed herein wherever warranted. However, a stricter application of the criteria for granting initial delays will be made in evaluating requests for extensions.

(d) *Reservists under 26 years of age with insufficient prior service.* Requests for delay submitted by Reservists under 26 years of age with insufficient prior service to be exempt from induction under the Universal Military Training and Service Act (62 Stat. 604, as amended; 50 U. S. C. App. 451-471) will be considered in exceptional instances only.

(e) *Number and duration of previous tours.* The number and duration of previous tours of active military service are elements which will be considered in every delay case.

(f) *Change in status.* Any change in the status of a Reservist granted a delay which would change his availability for active military service will be immediately reported by him to the headquarters which granted the delay. Such headquarters will notify each Reservist granted a delay of his responsibility in this regard.

(g) *Requests submitted by Reservist or employer.* Requests for delays may be submitted by the individual concerned or his employer. Where the Reservist makes the request based on employment, it must include written representation by the employer, giving specific justifications for delay. Where the employer makes the request, it must include a written statement by the Reservist with regard to his desire for delay.

§ 868.5 *Necessity for prompt action.* (a) In all instances where a delay is considered necessary, persons eligible to initiate a request for delay or appeal will initiate such action promptly as outlined in § 868.18 (c) (1).

(b) All requests for delay and appeals will be acted upon promptly by every activity processing them in order to eliminate unnecessary travel on the part of the Reservist to the maximum extent possible. Each such activity will take every positive action to notify an appli-

cant for delay or appeal of the final action taken thereon and, if possible, will notify the Reservist prior to the date he must depart from his home to comply with his active military service orders.

§ 868.6 *Criteria for delay.* Subject to the requirements of the Air Force, and in accordance with the policies stated in § 868.2, Reservists may be considered eligible for delays if they meet the requirements of one of the categories established in §§ 868.7 through 868.12.

§ 868.7 *Category A, "Critical Occupation"* Reservists principally engaged or employed in an occupation appearing on the Department of Labor List of Critical Occupations in an activity appearing on the Department of Commerce List of Essential Activities may be delayed if it is demonstrated that their services are more important for the time being in their present employment than in the military service. For the purpose of determining whether a Reservist is in this category, all of the following elements must be found to exist:

(a) The Reservist must in fact be self-employed or employed, in an occupation appearing on the Department of Labor List of Critical Occupations.

(b) The Reservist must be self-employed or employed, in an activity appearing on the Department of Commerce List of Essential Activities.

(c) Call to active duty would cause a material loss in production services necessary to the national health, safety, or interest which would not be alleviated by such devices as job breakdown, upgrading, modification of production processes, training, and so forth.

(d) The urgency of the person's employment in the civilian job outweighs the need of the Air Force for his immediate services.

§ 868.8 *Category B, "Key Position"*

(a) Persons principally engaged or employed in a key position in an activity appearing on the List of Essential Activities or in a Government activity related to the defense effort may be delayed if it is demonstrated that their services are more important for the time being in their present employment than in the military service.

(b) Generally, a key position which is not otherwise accounted for in the List of Critical Occupations is at the management level of an organization. The managerial level is generally understood to include those employees who direct, administer, and control the operations of an organization or a major part of an organization.

(c) For the purpose of determining whether a Reservist is in this category, all of the following elements must be found to exist:

(1) The Reservist must in fact be self-employed or employed in a key position as described in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this section.

(2) Call to active duty would cause a material loss in production or services necessary to the national health, safety, or interest which could not be alleviated by such devices as job breakdown, upgrading, modification of production processes, training, and so forth.

(3) The urgency of the person's employment in the civilian job outweighs the need of the Air Force for his immediate services.

§ 868.9 *Category C, "Students"*—(a) *Extent of delay.* Initial delays will not exceed 6 months. Successive renewals of delay, not to exceed 6 months each, will be granted to cover the periods specified in paragraphs (b) (1) through (11) of this section: *Provided*, That all other requirements of the applicable subparagraph are met. Delay or renewals may be denied or terminated at any time when overriding military considerations dictate such action.

(b) *Persons considered.* Reservists enrolled in educational institutions or engaged as students in research in technical or scientific fields will be considered for delay as follows:

(1) A Reservist selected for enrollment or continuance in an officer training program of the Air Force may be delayed during satisfactory progress in the course.

(2) A Reservist without prior active military service who has not attained the 20th anniversary of the day of his birth and who is satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course of instruction at a high school or similar institution of learning, or a Reservist with prior active military service who has not attained the 22d anniversary of the day of his birth and who is satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course of instruction at a high school or similar institution of learning, may be delayed while in good standing until completion of the 12th or equivalent grade.

(3) A Reservist who is satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course of instruction leading to the first academic degree granted normally at the end of at least 4 years of study in a college, university, or similar institution of learning, whose course of instruction leads to a degree in one of the professions appearing on the Department of Labor List of Critical Occupations, and whose scholastic standing during the most recent measurable period ranked him in the upper half of the male students in his class, may be delayed to complete the course.

(4) A Reservist who is currently enrolled in a full-time course of instruction leading to the first academic degree granted normally at the end of at least 4 years of study in a college, university, or similar institution of learning in a profession which does not appear on the Department of Labor List of Critical Occupations, and whose scholastic standing during the most recent measurable period ranked him in the upper half of the male students in his class, may be delayed for the then current academic year.

(5) A Reservist who is satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course of instruction as a first-year graduate student and whose scholastic standing during his last undergraduate year ranked him in the upper fourth of the male students in his class, may be delayed for the then current academic year.

(6) A Reservist who is satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course of instruction as a first-year student in a profes-

sional school of medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine, osteopathy, or allied specialties appearing on the Department of Labor List of Critical Occupations and whose scholastic standing during his last undergraduate year ranked him in the upper half of the male students in his class, may be delayed for the then current academic year.

(7) A Reservist who has satisfactorily completed at least 1 year as a full-time graduate student in a profession appearing on the Department of Labor List of Critical Occupations, or as a student in a professional school of medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine, osteopathy, or allied specialties appearing on that list, and is satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course leading to his graduation, may be delayed to complete such course.

(8) A Reservist who has satisfactorily completed at least 1 year as a full-time graduate student in a profession which does not appear on the Department of Labor List of Critical Occupations, and is currently enrolled in a full-time course at the time he is selected for active military service, may be delayed for the then current academic year.

(9) A Reservist who, upon completion of a graduate course is required to take State licensing examinations and/or to serve an internship period before practicing his profession, may be granted a delay not in excess of 1 year to complete such licensing examinations and/or internship.

(10) A Reservist pursuing a full-time research in a technical or scientific field necessary to the national health, safety, or interest, and where the importance of the civilian work of the individual outweighs the need of the Air Force for his immediate services, may be granted a delay for a maximum period of 12 months.

(11) Any Reservist within one semester or two quarters of graduation from undergraduate or graduate school, may be delayed until after graduation regardless of the nature of the course. Such delays may be in addition to any other student delays granted under this part.

(c) *Each request considered on individual merits.* Each request under this section will be considered on its individual merits with appropriate weights being given to the Reservist's current standing or his standing in the academic year most recently completed and to the remarks of the officials of the educational institution where such studies are being or will be pursued.

(d) *Vacation periods.* A student who has been accepted for admission for the next succeeding class, other than the first year of college, and who meets scholastic standards mentioned in paragraph (b) of this section will be considered as satisfactorily pursuing his course during the vacation period.

(e) *Supporting evidence.* Certification with regard to class standing, satisfactory progress, course content, acceptance for admission, and so forth, must be obtained by the Reservist from the appropriate institution of learning.

§ 868.10 *Category D, "Hardships"* Reservists whose recall would cause un-

due personal or community hardship, may be granted delay.

(a) *Personal hardship.* The individual must establish by documentary evidence that he or his family will, as a result of the call to active duty, suffer hardship greater than that generally being experienced by other Reservists being ordered into active service or by members of their families, and that the condition alleged will be eliminated or materially alleviated by delay. For example, Reservists who are self-employed in activities or occupations which do not appear on the Department of Commerce List of Essential Activities or the Department of Labor List of Critical Occupations may be considered for delay under this section.

(b) *Community hardship.* It must be established by documentary evidence that the withdrawal of the individual from the community will have a substantially adverse effect on the health, safety, or welfare of the community.

§ 868.11 *Category E, "Elected Officials"* The following officials of the Government will not be ordered to active service without their consent:

(a) The Vice-President of the United States.

(b) The Governors of the several States, Territories, and Possessions.

(c) All other officials chosen by the voters of an entire State, Territory, or Possession.

(d) Members of the legislative bodies of the United States, and of the several States, Territories, or Possessions.

(e) Judges of the courts of record of the United States and of the several States, Territories, or Possessions.

§ 868.12 *Category F "Apprentices."*

(a) Reservists undergoing apprenticeship training in occupations appearing on the List of Critical Occupations in an activity on the List of Essential Activities may be delayed. Renewals of delay, where appropriate, may be granted as provided in § 868.4 (c). To qualify for delay within this category, the Reservist must, in fact, be engaged in a recognized apprenticeship program which meets the standards and requirements outlined in paragraph (b) of this section and have completed not less than 2,000 hours of the apprentice training.

(b) The apprentice training program must be an organized plan, written or implied, embodying the terms and conditions of employment, training, and supervision of one or more apprentices in one or more apprenticeable occupations as defined in subparagraph (1) of this paragraph, and subscribed to by a sponsor who has undertaken to carry out the apprentice training program. The sponsor may be an employer of labor, a joint apprenticeship committee, a trade union, a group of employers of labor, or an association of journeymen.

(1) The apprentice training program must offer apprentice training in an occupation which:

(i) Customarily has been learned in a practical way through training on-the-job,

(ii) Requires 4,000 or more hours of work experience to learn,

(iii) Is clearly identified and commonly recognized throughout the industry,

(iv) Requires during each year of apprenticeship the completion of 144 hours or more of organized and systematic related trade instruction designed to provide the apprentice with learning in theoretical and technical subjects related to the occupation,

(v) Is not merely a part of an occupation normally learned through apprenticeship,

(vi) Involves a development of skill sufficiently broad to be applicable in like occupations throughout an industry rather than of restricted application to the products of one employer.

(2) The apprentice training program must have been in operation with apprentices actually being trained therein for a period of at least 1 year.

(3) Certification of the sufficiency of an apprentice program complying with subparagraph (1) of this section, must be furnished by the employer.

(c) Individuals qualify for delay because of their learning status in order to complete their apprenticeship. Upon termination of the training status, the Reservist must discharge his obligation to serve on active duty before he may become eligible for additional delay because of the acquisition of a "critical occupation" employment status. In exceptional cases only, additional temporary delay may be granted.

§ 868.13 *Establishment of delay and appeal boards—*

(a) *Delay boards.* Each commander authorized to grant or to deny requests for delay will establish an adequate number of delay boards, each consisting of at least one officer and necessary clerical assistants, for the purpose of considering and determining requests for delay. The officers selected for the board will be of field grade, whenever possible, and at least one should be a member of the Judge Advocate General's Department, USAF, the Air Force Reserve (Judge Advocate General's Department) or an officer with comparable qualifications. A sufficient number of boards should be constituted to insure expeditious handling of delay requests. Classification officers, personnel officers, and technical personnel will be used to assist delay boards in those instances warranting such representation.

(b) *Appeal board.* An appeal board consisting of at least three senior Air Force officers who possess broad and diversified experience will be established as directed by Headquarters USAF. The primary function of this board will be to review, on appeal, decisions of delay boards on requests for delay.

§ 868.14 *Authority to grant delays.* All commanders authorized to order Reservists into the active military service will have authority to grant or deny requests for delay submitted by Reservists (or their employers) under their jurisdiction. All appeals from such decisions will be forwarded to the appeal activity established by § 868.13 (b).

§ 868.15 *Authority to grant appeals.* The appeal board is authorized to hear and determine appeals from decisions of

the delay boards and may confirm the action of the delay board or grant additional delay.

§ 868.16 *Delay board decisions*—(a) *If Reservist is to be ordered into active military service subsequent to delay.* If the decision of the delay board is that the Reservist should be ordered into active military service subsequent to the delay period, the delay board will determine the specific date after which the Reservist may be placed on active military service orders.

(b) *If Reservist is to be removed from consideration for active military service.* If the decision of the delay board is that the Reservist should be removed from consideration for active military service under existing criteria, the delay board will determine a specific date after which the Reservist may again be considered for selection for active military service.

(c) *If Reservist is granted student delay.* If the Reservist is granted a student delay, the date after which he may be placed on orders or reconsidered for active military service will be 15 days after completion of the course or the academic year, whichever is applicable, unless additional delay is granted.

§ 868.17 *Temporary delay.* When the commander responsible for taking final action on a request for a delay or an appeal is unable for any reason to make such determination before the date the person is required to report to duty, the commander, if he considers it appropriate, may grant a temporary delay not to exceed 30 days.

§ 868.18 *Requests for delays and appeals*—(a) *By whom submitted*—(1) *By Reservist or employer.* A request for delay may be submitted or an appeal may be filed by the Reservist or his employer. A request or an appeal by the employer of a Reservist must be in accordance with § 868.4 (g)

(2) *Appearance before boards.* Reservists and their employers may appear in person, be represented by counsel, or both, before delay boards and the appeal board.

(b) *Application for delay.* A request for delay or an appeal must be in writing and signed by the person initiating the request or appeal.

(c) *When submitted*—(1) *After notification or receipt of orders.* Except as indicated in subparagraph (2) of this paragraph, a request for delay may be submitted only after a Reservist has received notification of intent to order him into active military service or actual orders ordering him to such service. An appeal may be filed only after notification of the decision of a delay board.

(2) *Rehearing or reconsideration.* After a decision has been rendered by a delay board on a request for delay, that board will not reconsider the case unless new circumstances develop which were not considered in making the original

decision. However, an appeal may be filed with the delay board for forwarding to the appeal board. After a decision on appeal has been rendered by the appeal board, that board will not reconsider the case unless the circumstances develop which were not considered in making the original decision on appeal.

(d) *To whom submitted*—(1) *To delay board.* Requests for delay will be submitted to the delay board at the headquarters which issued active military service orders or notification of intent to order the Reservist into active military service unless such orders or notification otherwise direct. Appeals will also be submitted to the delay board which will forward them to the appeal board for final determination.

(2) *To Chief of Air Force Chaplains.* Requests for delay and appeals filed by chaplains, ministers, priests, rabbis, and Reservists attending theological schools will be submitted by delay boards to the Chief of Air Force Chaplains for determination.

(3) *To the Surgeon General, USAF.* Requests for delay and appeals filed by Reservists holding appointments in a component of the Medical Service, USAF will be submitted by delay boards to the Surgeon General, USAF for determination.

§ 868.19 *Evidence to substantiate request.* The person requesting a delay or filing an appeal will identify the Reservist concerned, describe his civilian status, and set forth the reasons why a delay should be granted. Mere reference to the appropriate category applicable to the Reservist will not be sufficient.

§ 868.20 *Action by Reservist pending decision on request for delay or appeal.* Pending notification of the granting of a delay or an appeal, the Reservist will comply with his orders. In any instance, the mere submission of a request for delay or the filing of an appeal will not be considered as relieving the Reservist from responsibility for reporting as directed by active military service orders.

§ 868.21 *Request for support of delay and appeals by elements of the Air Force*—(a) *Requests by contractors.* To facilitate effective consideration of the needs of the supporting civil economy, elements of the Air Force having responsibilities for procuring supplies and services, including research and development services, are authorized to support requests by contractors for consideration of delay of Reservists in their employ. Such support will normally be rendered upon request of the contractor, subject to the strict criteria contained in this part, and only when justified by the merits of the particular case.

(b) *Presentation.* Air Force support will normally be presented in written form by a representative of the command which is responsible for the contract or, in the event of appeal, by the office of

the Director of Industrial Resources, Headquarters USAF. Presentations should include such matters as the nature and essentiality of the product, whether the contractor is the sole source of supply, the extent to which schedules are being accelerated, any pertinent verification with regard to the Reservist's occupation and position in the organization, the numbers of persons of like occupation and skill in the organization, the extent to which deliveries are or threaten to fall behind schedule, or similar factors which would effect critical production. In the event that the letter of support contains classified information which cannot be made available to the contractor, such letter should be sent direct to the headquarters calling the Reservist to active duty. In addition to critical personnel of contractors, the procedures outlined in this section may also apply to subcontractors, suppliers, and other organizations of concern to the Department of Defense or the national security in general.

[SEAL]

K. E. THIEBAUD,
Colonel, U. S. Air Force,
Air Adjutant General.

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Chapter XVI—Selective Service System

[Amdt. 55]

PART 1606—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

AUTHORIZATION OF FORMS

Section 1606.52 of the Selective Service Regulations is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 1606.52 *Special forms must be authorized.* Whenever conditions within a State make necessary a form not prescribed by the Director of Selective Service or mentioned in the regulations in this chapter or the directives issued thereunder, the State Director of Selective Service shall, prior to adopting the proposed form, submit three copies thereof, together with a brief statement of the necessity and proposed use, to the Director of Selective Service. The form shall not be used until approved by the Director of Selective Service.

(Sec. 10, 62 Stat. 618, as amended; 50 U. S. C., App. 460; E. O. 9979, July 20, 1948, 13 F. R. 4177; 3 CFR, 1948 Supp.)

The foregoing amendment to the Selective Service Regulations shall be effective immediately upon the filing hereof with the Division of the Federal Register.

[SEAL]

LEWIS B. HERSHEY,
Director of Selective Service.

OCTOBER 7, 1954.

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NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

ALASKA

NOTICE OF PROPOSED WITHDRAWAL AND RESERVATION OF LANDS

An application, serial number Anchorage 027660, for the withdrawal from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws, of the lands described below was filed on August 11, 1954, by the Department of the Army. The purposes of the proposed withdrawal: Ammunition storage facilities.

For a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, persons having cause to object to the proposed withdrawal may present their objections in writing to the Area Administrator, Area 4, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior at Anchorage, Alaska. In case any objection is filed and the nature of the opposition is such as to warrant it, a public hearing will be held at a convenient time and place, which will be announced, where opponents to the order may state their views and where proponents of the order can explain its purpose.

The determination of the Secretary on the application will be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER, either in the form of a public land order or in the form of a Notice of Determination if the application is rejected. In either case, a separate notice will be sent to each interested party of record.

The lands involved in the application are:

Commencing at U. S. E. D. Station "A" situated on the center line of The Alaska Railroad at railroad station 103+00; thence S. 71° 18' E. along said railroad center line for a distance of approximately 2,335 feet to a point; thence S. 18° 42' W. for a distance of 100 feet to the True Point of Beginning for this description; thence S. 8° 45' W. for a distance of 1,615 feet to a point; thence S. 48° 36' W. for a distance of 3,015 feet to a point; thence N. 41° 24' W. for a distance of 3,205 feet to a point; thence N. 48° 36' E. for a distance of 2,960 feet to a point that is 100 feet southwest of the center line of the Alaska Railroad when measured at right angle thereto; thence S. 71° 18' E., 100 feet from and parallel to said center line, for a distance of 2,500 feet to the True Point of Beginning and containing 265 acres, more or less.

LOWELL M. PUCKETT,
Area Administrator

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UTAH

SMALL TRACT CLASSIFICATION ORDER NO. 1

1. Pursuant to authority delegated to the State Supervisors by section 2.5 of Redelegation Order No. 541, issued April 21, 1954 by the Director, Bureau of Land Management, the following described

lands are hereby classified for lease and sale under the Small Tract Act of June 1, 1938 (52 Stat. 609), 43 U. S. C. 682a as amended by the act of June 8, 1954 (68 Stat. 239), for home sites.

SALT LAKE MERIDIAN

T. 26 S., R. 22 E.,
Sec. 17: S½NW¼, SW¼,
Sec. 20: NE¼, Lots 5, 6, 7;
Sec. 21: All.

The lands described comprise 800.26 acres.

2. The lands are located approximately three miles southeast of Moab, Utah. The topography is level to rolling and the lands have an elevation of approximately 4200 feet. The annual precipitation average is nine and one-half inches and the temperatures vary from a summer high of 111 degrees to a winter low of 28 degrees.

3. The lands will be leased and sold in approximately 2½-acre tracts with a limitation of one tract to each successful applicant. Access to public highways from the tracts will be afforded by a reservation of rights of way along the boundary of each tract for road or public utility facilities which will not exceed 33 feet in width and as will be shown on the layout plats of the area.

4. Seventy-two pending applications were legally filed prior to the date hereof for the type or use for which the land is classified. These applications will be given preference.

5. A supplemental plat of survey will be prepared. This survey when completed will subdivide the area into lots. No applications will be allowed until this supplemental plat of survey is filed with the Manager, Land Office, Room 312, Post Office Building, Salt Lake City, Utah.

(a) 91-day period for preference-right filings. For a period of 91 days, commencing at 10:00 a. m. on the 35th day after the supplemental plat of survey is filed, the lands affected by this order shall be subject to application by qualified veterans of World War II and the Korean Conflict. All applications filed under this paragraph, either on or before 10:00 a. m. on the 35th day after the date of filing of the supplemental plat of survey, shall be treated at though filed simultaneously at that time. All applications filed under this paragraph after 10:00 a. m. on the 35th day shall be considered in the order of filing.

(b) Commencing at 10:00 a. m. on the 126th day after the date of the filing of the supplemental plat of survey any lands remaining shall become subject to application under the Small Tract Act by the public generally. All such applications filed, either on or before 10:00 a. m. on the 126th day, shall be treated as though filed simultaneously at the hour specified on such 126th day. All applications filed thereafter shall be considered in the order of filing.

A veteran shall accompany his application with a complete photostat, or other copy, (both sides) of his certificate

of honorable discharge, or of an official document of his branch of service which shows clearly his honorable discharge as defined in § 191.36 of Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations, or constitute evidence of any facts upon which the claim for preference is based and which shows clearly the period of service. Other persons claiming credit for service of veterans must furnish like proof in support of their claims. Persons asserting preference right through settlement or otherwise and those having equitable claims, shall accompany their applications by duly corroborated statements in support thereof, setting forth in detail on facts relevant to their claims.

6. Leases for homesites will be issued for a period of three years at an annual rental of \$20, payable in advance for the entire lease period. Leases will provide option to purchase at the appraised values ranging from \$250 to \$750. Before purchases may be made, the leases must have been in effect for a minimum period of one year, and the tract must have actually been used and improved for the purpose for which the lease is issued. Lessees will be required to comply with county zoning and building ordinances, including proportionate cost of street development and other facilities as required by Grand County Board of Commissioners. Information concerning these ordinance requirements can be secured at the office of the Chairman, Board of Grand County Commissioners, Moab, Utah.

In the event the right to purchase has been exercised prior to the expiration of the three year leaseable period the unearned rentals paid will be applied to the purchase price. The United States reserves the right to reject any application to purchase and to cancel any lease if the property under application has been used or developed in such a manner as to detract from the value of the remaining tracts for the purposes for which they are classified.

7. Inquiries relative to these lands should be addressed to the Manager, Land Office, Bureau of Land Management, Post Office Building, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Wm. N. ANDERSEN,
State Supervisor

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Bureau of Reclamation

[Commissioner's Order 34]

REGIONAL DIRECTOR AND DISTRICT MANAGER, ALASKA DISTRICT

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

SECTION 1. Authority. Regional Directors and the District Manager, Alaska District, each with respect to the geographic area within his jurisdiction, are authorized, except as provided in section 2 of this order, to perform the functions and exercise the authority now or here-

after delegated to the Commissioner of Reclamation by Secretary's Order No. 2765 (19 F. R. 5004) and amendments thereof.

SEC. 2. Limitations. Excepted from section 1 of this order is authority to:

(a) Act on behalf of the Secretary of the Interior in the submission of his proposed reports or other documents to affected States and to other Federal agencies for their views and recommendations, in compliance with the Flood Control Act of December 22, 1944 (58 Stat. 887, 888; 33 U. S. C. 701-1 (c))

(b) Determine the necessity for certification by the Secretary of the Interior as to the adequacy of soil surveys and land classification, and as to the productivity of land, as a condition precedent to the initiation of construction;

(c) Make the report of the Commissioner of Reclamation to the Secretary of the Interior on feasibility plans for proposed projects and on proposed changes in such plans;

(d) Approve for the Bureau of Reclamation or the Department of the Interior major reports which may establish future courses of Bureau action, such as basin and similar reports, exclusive of reconnaissance reports;

(e) Approve for the Commissioner Definite Plan Reports and major revisions of such reports;

(f) Withdraw or restore public lands;

(g) Approve farm unit plats, and supplemental survey plats;

(h) Approve reclassifications of lands, except the reclassification of Class 5 land to pay class;

(i) Sell land under the act of February 2, 1911 (36 Stat. 895; 43 U. S. C. 374)

(j) Reconvey lands under subsection Q, section 4, act of December 5, 1924 (43 Stat. 704; 43 U. S. C. 376) or

(k) Write off project costs.

SEC. 3. Redlegation. Each Regional Director, and the District Manager, Alaska District, may, in writing, redelegate to officers and employees under his direction the authority granted in this order.

SEC. 4. Revocations. The following documents and all amendments thereof and supplements thereto are revoked:

(a) Circular Letter 3387 (12 F. R. 8897).

(b) Commissioner's Order No..

— (13 F. R. 5494).

— (14 F. R. 2598).

1 (14 F. R. 7746).

2 (15 F. R. 715).

3 (15 F. R. 1288).

4 (15 F. R. 9157), only as to subsections (a) through (e) of section 1.

5 (16 F. R. 732).

6 (16 F. R. 8850).

7 (16 F. R. 8850; 17 F. R. 8459).

17 (17 F. R. 9783).

19 (17 F. R. 11886).

20 (18 F. R. 583).

24 (18 F. R. 3277).

25 (18 F. R. 6270).

27 (19 F. R. 432).

29 (19 F. R. 565).

31 (19 F. R. 2195).

(c) Redelegations of authority by the Commissioner of Reclamation which were effected by letters, memoranda, teletypes, or other media, exclusive of Commissioner's Orders.

Sec. 5. Savings clause. Redelegations of authority not in excess of the authority re delegated by this order which were made, either by the Commissioner or by Regional Directors, to officers and employees subordinate to Regional Directors by or pursuant to the documents revoked by paragraphs (a) and (b) of section 4 of this order and which are in force on the date of this order shall continue in force for 120 days from the date of this order unless sooner revoked or superseded by orders of the Regional Directors or the District Manager, Alaska District.

W A. DEXHEIMER,
Commissioner

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Marketing Service

ORGANIZATION AND DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

MARKETING AND REGULATORY SERVICES DIVISIONS

Correction

In F. R. Doc. 54-7551, appearing at page 6169 of the issue for Saturday, September 25, 1954, the citation "7 U. S. C. 608c" in subparagraph (3) and subdivision (v) as set forth in items 1 and 2, respectively, should read "7 U. S. C. 608e"

Office of the Secretary

ORGANIZATION AND FUNCTIONS

FEDERAL-STATES RELATIONS; AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE

The statement of delegations of authority and assignment of functions (19 F. R. 74) as amended, is further amended by adding at the end of section 200 the following paragraph k:

k. Administration of responsibilities delegated to the Secretary, effective September 8, 1954, pursuant to section 201 (b) of the Federal Civil Defense Act of 1950 (64 Stat. 1248) by the Federal Civil Defense Administrator (19 F. R. 5921) which involve planning a national program and directing Federal activities concerned with research, diagnosis, strengthening of defensive barriers, and control or eradication of diseases, pests, or chemicals introduced as agents of biological or chemical warfare against animals or crops.

[SEAL]

J. EARL COKE,
Assistant Secretary.

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NORTH CAROLINA

DESIGNATION OF ADDITIONAL AREAS FOR PRODUCTION EMERGENCY LOANS AND ECONOMIC EMERGENCY LOANS

For the purpose of making loans pursuant to section 2 (a) of Public Law 38, 81st Congress, (12 U. S. C. 1148a-2 (a)),

it is found that in the following named additional counties in the State of North Carolina, a production disaster has caused a need for agricultural credit not readily available from commercial banks, cooperative lending agencies, or other responsible sources.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

Catawba County.
Henderson County.
Wilkes County.

Pursuant to the delegations of authority from the Administrator, Federal Civil Defense Administration, (18 F. R. 4600; 19 F. R. 2148 and 19 F. R. 5364) and for the purpose of making loans pursuant to section 2 (b) of Public Law 38, 81st Congress, (12 U. S. C. 1148a-2 (b)), as amended by Public Law 115, 83d Congress, and section 301 of Public Law 480, 83d Congress, it is determined that the above named additional counties are within the area affected by the major disaster occasioned by drought as determined by the President on September 23, 1954 pursuant to Public Law 875, 81st Congress, (42 U. S. C. 1855 et seq.) It is also determined that an economic disaster exists in said above named additional counties that has caused a need for agricultural credit that cannot be met for a temporary period from commercial banks, cooperative lending agencies, the Farmers Home Administration under regular loan programs, or other responsible sources.

After December 31, 1955, loans under section 2 (a) or 2 (b) of Public Law 38, 81st Congress, as amended, will not be made in the above named additional counties except to borrowers who previously received such assistance.

The period for making initial production emergency loans and economic emergency loans authorized in the following counties on November 18, 1953 (19 F. R. 1523) December 4, 1953 (19 F. R. 1524) and March 2, 1954 (19 F. R. 1257) in the State of North Carolina is hereby extended to December 31, 1955.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

Alexander.	Iredell.
Anson.	Lincoln.
Buncombe.	Folk.
Burke.	Rockingham.
Caldwell.	Rutherford.
Caswell.	Scotland.
Cleveland.	Surry.
Cumberland.	Union.
Gaston.	Yadkin.
Hoke.	

Done at Washington, D. C., this 7th day of October 1954.

[SEAL]

TRUE D. MORSE,
Acting Secretary.

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MISSISSIPPI

DESIGNATION OF ADDITIONAL AREAS FOR PRODUCTION EMERGENCY LOANS AND ECONOMIC EMERGENCY LOANS

For the purpose of making loans pursuant to section 2 (a) of Public Law 38, 81st Congress, (12 U. S. C. 1148a-2 (a)), it is found that in the following named

additional counties in the State of Mississippi, a production disaster has caused a need for agricultural credit not readily available from commercial banks, cooperative lending agencies, or other responsible sources.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

Adams.	Lincoln.
Alcorn.	Lowndes.
Amite.	Madison.
Attala.	Monroe.
Calhoun.	Montgomery.
Carroll.	Neshoba.
Chickasaw.	Newton.
Choctaw.	Noxubee.
Claiborne.	Oktibbeha.
Clarke.	Pike.
Clay.	Pontotoc.
Copiah.	Prentiss.
Covington.	Rankin.
Franklin.	Scott.
Grenada.	Sharkey.
Hinds.	Simpson.
Issaquena.	Smith.
Itawamba.	Tippah.
Jasper.	Tishomingo.
Jefferson.	Union.
Jefferson Davis.	Warren.
Kemper.	Webster.
Lauderdale.	Wilkinson.
Lawrence.	Winston.
Leake.	Yazoo.
Lee.	

Pursuant to the delegations of authority from the Administrator, Federal Civil Defense Administration, (18 F. R. 4609; 19 F. R. 2148 and 19 F. R. 5364) and for the purpose of making loans pursuant to section 2 (b) of Public Law 38, 81st Congress (12 U. S. C. 1148a-2 (b)) as amended by Public Law 115, 83d Congress, and section 301 of Public Law 480, 83d Congress, it is determined that the following named additional counties are within the area affected by the major disaster occasioned by drought as determined by the President on September 16, 1954, pursuant to Public Law 875, 81st Congress, (42 U. S. C. 1855 et seq.) It is also determined that an economic disaster exists in said counties that has caused a need for agricultural credit that cannot be met for a temporary period from commercial banks, cooperative lending agencies, the Farmers Home Administration under its regular loan programs, or other responsible sources.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

Adams.	Lincoln.
Alcorn.	Lowndes.
Amite.	Madison.
Attala.	Monroe.
Calhoun.	Montgomery.
Carroll.	Neshoba.
Chickasaw.	Newton.
Choctaw.	Noxubee.
Claiborne.	Oktibbeha.
Clarke.	Pike.
Clay.	Pontotoc.
Copiah.	Prentiss.
Covington.	Rankin.
Franklin.	Scott.
Grenada.	Sharkey.
Hinds.	Simpson.
Issaquena.	Smith.
Itawamba.	Tippah.
Jasper.	Tishomingo.
Jefferson.	Union.
Jefferson Davis.	Warren.
Kemper.	Webster.
Lauderdale.	Wilkinson.
Lawrence.	Winston.
Leake.	Yalobusha.
Lee.	Yazoo.

After December 31, 1955, loans under sections 2 (a) or 2 (b) of Public Law 38, 81st Congress, as amended, will not be made in the above named counties except to borrowers who previously received such assistance.

The period for making initial production emergency loans and economic emergency loans authorized in the following counties on November 24, 1953 (19 F. R. 1953) on February 3, 1954 (19 F. R. 734) and on March 2, 1954 (19 F. R. 1257) in the State of Mississippi is hereby extended to December 31, 1955.

Benton.	Marshall.
Bolivar.	Panola.
Coahoma.	Quitman.
DeSoto.	Sunflower.
Holmes.	Tallahatchie.
Humphreys.	Tate.
Lafayette.	Tunica.
Leflore.	Washington.

The period for making initial production emergency loans authorized in Yalobusha County on June 21, 1954, (19 F. R. 3851) in the State of Mississippi is hereby extended to December 31, 1955.

Done at Washington, D. C., this 7th day of October 1954.

[SEAL]

TRUE D. MORSE,
Acting Secretary.

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CERTAIN STATES

DISASTER ASSISTANCE; DELINEATION AND CERTIFICATION OF ADDITIONAL COUNTIES CONTAINED IN DROUGHT AREAS

Pursuant to Public Law 875, 81st Congress, the President determined on the dates indicated that a major disaster occasioned by drought existed in the following States:

Alabama	Sept. 16, 1954
Arkansas	Aug. 7, 1954
Kansas	Aug. 26, 1954
Mississippi	Sept. 16, 1954
North Carolina	Sept. 23, 1954
Tennessee	Sept. 16, 1954
Texas	July 21, 1954

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Administrator, Federal Civil Defense Administration (18 F. R. 4609; 19 F. R. 2148 and 19 F. R. 5364), and for the purposes of section 2 (d) of Public Law 38, 81st Congress, as amended by Public Law 115, 83d Congress, and section 301 of Public Law 480, 83d Congress, certain counties in the State of Alabama were on September 16, 1954 (19 F. R. 6243) certain counties in the State of Arkansas were on August 9, 1954, August 13, 1954 (19 F. R. 5388) as amended August 19, 1954 (19 F. R. 5647) and September 14, 1954 (19 F. R. 6127), certain counties in the State of Kansas were on August 26, 1954 (19 F. R. 5956) certain counties in the State of Mississippi were on September 16, 1954 (19 F. R. 6243), certain counties in the State of North Carolina were on September 23, 1954; certain counties in the State of Tennessee were on September 16, 1954 (19 F. R. 6243) and certain counties in

the State of Texas were on August 10, 1954 (19 F. R. 5155) as amended August 13, 1954 (19 F. R. 5388) August 26, 1954 (19 F. R. 5957) September 14, 1954 (19 F. R. 6127) and September 17, 1954 determined to be the areas affected by the major disaster by drought.

Pursuant to the aforesaid delegations the Delineations and Certifications of Counties in Drought Areas, as above described, are herewith amended by adding the counties set forth below, on the dates indicated, to the major disaster areas in the designated States;

ALABAMA

September 29, 1954

Oberokee County. Marengo County.
Etowah County;

ARKANSAS

September 29, 1954

Lawrence County.

KANSAS

September 23, 1954

Chase.	Osage.
Coffey.	Pratt.
Lyon.	Reno.
Marion.	Saline.
McPherson.	

MISSISSIPPI

September 29, 1954

Chickasaw County. Lee County.
Coahoma County. Prentiss County.

NORTH CAROLINA

September 29, 1954

Cumberland County. Union County.
Scotland County.

TENNESSEE

September 29, 1954

Bledsoe.	Hardeman.
Cheatham.	Lincoln.
Chester.	Roane.
Cumberland.	Rutherford.
Davidson.	Shelby.
Dickson.	Smith.
Dyer.	Williamson.
Fayette.	Wilson.

TEXAS

September 29, 1954

Houston.	Lamar.
Hunt.	Stephens.
Jack.	Wilson.

Done at Washington, D. C., this 7th day of October 1954.

[SEAL]

TRUE D. MORSE,
Acting Secretary.

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CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD

[Docket No. 6582]

EASTERN-COLONIAL CONTROL CASE

NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE

Notice is hereby given that a prehearing conference in the above-entitled matter is assigned to be held on November 2, 1954, at 10:00 a. m., e. s. t., in Room 5132, Commerce Building, Fourteenth and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, D. C., before Examiner Edward T. Stodola.

Dated at Washington, D. C., October 7, 1954.

[SEAL] FRANCIS W BROWN,
Chief Examiner.

[F. R. Doc. 54-8006; Filed, Oct. 11, 1954;
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FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. G-2693—G-2711]

SOUTHEASTERN DRILLING CO. ET AL.

NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS

OCTOBER 5, 1954.

In the matters of Southeastern Drilling Company, Docket No. G-2693; The Gwin Company, Docket No. G-2694, Laur Royalty Company, Docket No. G-2695; I. P. La Rue, et al., Docket No. G-2696; C. M. Dorchester, Docket No. G-2697, Frances Dorchester Harrell, and Betty Dorchester Mortimer, Docket No. G-2698; J. K. Wright, Docket No. G-2699; Alec M. Crowell, Docket No. G-2700; J. K. Wright, Jr., Docket No. G-2701, George Gardiner Green, Docket No. G-2702; Douglas Whitaker, et al., Docket No. G-2703; P. G. Lake, Docket No. G-2704, C. R. Ridgway, et al., Docket No. G-2705; Durbin Bond and Company, Inc., Docket No. G-2706; Douglas Whitaker, Docket No. G-2707; C. L. Morgan, Docket No. G-2708; I. P. La Rue and G. G. Stanford, Docket No. G-2709; Robert C. Hynson, Docket No. G-2710; Carter Foundation Production Co., Docket No. G-2711.

Take notice that the hereinafter designated persons filed on September 8, 1954, applications for certificates of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act:

Applicant and Address

Southeastern Drilling Company, a partnership, Dallas, Tex.

The Gwin Company, a Delaware corporation, Dallas, Tex.

Laurel Royalty Company, a Mississippi corporation, Laurel, Miss.

I. P. La Rue, I. P. La Rue, Jr., and Mrs. Martha T. La Rue, individuals, Jackson, Miss.

C. M. Dorchester, an individual, Jackson, Miss.

Frances Dorchester Harrell, and Betty Dorchester Mortimer, individuals, Jackson, Miss.

J. K. Wright, an individual, Jackson, Miss.

Alec M. Crowell, an individual, New Orleans, La.

J. K. Wright, Jr., an individual, Jackson, Miss.

George Gardiner Green, an individual, Laurel, Miss.

Douglas Whitaker and J. Kenneth Wright, Sr., individuals, Shreveport, La., and Oklahoma City, Okla.

P. G. Lake, an individual, Tyler, Tex.

C. R. Ridgway, W. E. McGehee and Della Jones McGehee, individuals, Jackson, Miss.

Durbin Bond and Company, Inc., a Delaware corporation, Little Rock, Ark.

C. L. Morgan, an individual, Jackson, Miss.

I. P. La Rue and G. G. Stanford, individuals, Jackson, Miss.

Robert C. Hynson, an individual, Laurel, Miss.

Carter Foundation Production Company, a Texas corporation, Fort Worth, Tex.

Applicants, with the exception of The Gwin Company, are producers of natural gas seeking authority for the sale of gas produced from their respective acreage in the Gwinville Field located in Simpson and Jefferson Davis Counties, Mississippi. The sales are proposed to be made at the well head to The Gwin Company which in turn proposes to gather and process said gas. The Gwin Company in Docket No. G-2694 seeks authority to sell the gas acquired from the above-designated sources to Dixie Pipe Line Company for resale to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation. Protests or petitions to intervene may be filed with the Federal Power Commission, Washington, D. C., in accordance with the rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.8 or 1.10) on or before the 27th day of October 1954.

Applicants have each requested that these matters be considered under the shortened procedure provided for in § 1.32 of the rules of practice and procedure.

These applications are on file with the Commission for public inspection.

[SEAL]

J. H. GUTRIDE,
Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 54-7995; Filed, Oct. 11, 1954;
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[Docket No. G-2777]

TEXAS EASTERN PRODUCTION CORP. ET AL.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

OCTOBER 5, 1954.

In the matter of Texas Eastern Production Corporation, Clegg & Hunt, and Buford Goodwin, Docket No. G-2777.

Take notice that: (1) Texas Eastern Production Corporation, a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business in Houston, Texas; (2) Clegg & Hunt, a Texas corporation with its principal place of business in Houston, Texas; and (3) Buford Goodwin, an individual whose address is 1973 W Gray, Houston, Texas (Applicants) filed an application, on September 15, 1954, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity, pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, authorizing Applicants to sell natural gas, subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, all as more fully described in said application. Applicants propose to sell and deliver natural gas to Texas Gas Corporation pursuant to a contract dated the 8th day of June 1954, covering the sale from Applicants' leases in the East Jackson Pasture Area Field, Chambers County, Texas.

Protests or petitions to intervene may be filed with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., in accordance with the rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.8 or 1.10) on or before the 27th day of October 1954. The application is on file with the Commission for public inspection.

[SEAL]

J. H. GUTRIDE,
Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 54-7993; Filed, Oct. 11, 1954;
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[Project No. 1930]

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON CO.

NOTICE OF LAND WITHDRAWAL, CALIFORNIA

OCTOBER 5, 1954.

By letters dated June 15, 1945, and April 30, 1951, this Commission gave notice to the Bureau of Land Management of the reservation of 103.74 and 1.26 acres, respectively, of lands of the United States pursuant to the filing of applications, both original and amendatory, for license by the Southern California Edison Company for Project No. 1930, on April 28, 1945, and February 5, 1951.

On April 20, 1953, the license, filed on application for amendment of license to cover, among other things, the relocation and widening of a portion of the right-of-way embracing the 66 kv transmission line within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ section 29, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ section 30, T. 28 S., R. 30 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, California.

Conformable to the provisions of section 24 of the act of June 10, 1920, as amended, notice is hereby given that all lands lying within 50 feet of the center line survey of the transmission line relocation within the aforesaid subdivisions as shown on revised map sheet (FPC 1930-40) designated "Exhibit K" entitled "Detail Map, Kern River No. 1 Project, Southern California Edison Company" and filed with this Commission on April 20, 1953, are from said date of filing, reserved from all forms of disposal under the laws of the United States until otherwise directed by the Commission or by Congress.

The general determination made by the Commission at its meeting of April 17, 1922 (2d Ann. Rept. 128) with respect to lands reserved for transmission line purposes only is applicable to the 1.93 acres of additional lands of the United States reserved pursuant to the filing of this application.

Photostatic copies of the aforesaid amendatory map FPC 1930-40, superseding FPC 1930-8, have been transmitted to the Bureau of Land Management, Forest Service and Geological Survey.

[SEAL]

J. H. GUTRIDE,
Acting Secretary.

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INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

[4th. Sec. Application 29775]

MERCHANDISE FROM MEMPHIS, TENN., TO BUFFALO, N. Y., AND READING, PA.

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

OCTOBER 7, 1954.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by R. E. Boyle, Jr., Agent, for carriers parties to schedule listed below.

Commodities involved: Merchandise in mixed carloads.

From: Memphis, Tenn.

To: Buffalo, N. Y., and Reading, Pa.

Grounds for relief: Competition with rail carriers, circuitous routes, and additional origin.

Schedules filed containing proposed rates: Agent C. A. Spaninger's tariff I. C. C. No. 1305, supp. 51.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] GEORGE W LAIRD,
Secretary.

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[4th Sec. Application 29776]

AUTOMOBILE PARTS FROM SHAKER CROSSING, OHIO TO MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW JERSEY, AND NEW YORK.

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

OCTOBER 7, 1954.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by H. R. Hinsch, Agent, for carriers parties to his tariff I. C. C. 4542, pursuant to fourth-section order No. 17220.

Commodities involved: Automobile shock absorbers, hydraulic brake cylinders, and shock absorber parts or springs, carloads.

From: Shaker Crossing, Ohio.

To: Points in Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and New York.

Grounds for relief: Competition with rail carriers and circuitous routes.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is

found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] GEORGE W LAIRD,
Secretary.

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[4th Sec. Application 29777]

SAND FROM OTTAWA, MINN., TO SOUTHWEST

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

OCTOBER 6, 1954.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by F. C. Kratzmeir, Agent, for carriers parties to tariff listed below.

Commodities involved: Silica sand, carloads.

From: Ottawa, Minn.

To: Points in Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Oklahoma, and Texas.

Grounds for relief: Competition with rail carriers, circuitous routes, and to apply rates constructed on the basis of the short line distance formula.

Schedules filed containing proposed rates; Agent Kratzmeir's tariff I. C. C. 3736, supp. No. 274.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] GEORGE W LAIRD,
Secretary.

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[4th Sec. Application 29778]

WOODPULP FROM EVADALE, TEXAS, TO OFFICIAL TERRITORY

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

OCTOBER 7, 1954.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by F. C. Kratzmeir, Agent, for carriers parties to tariff listed below.

Commodities involved: Woodpulp, carloads.

From: Evadale, Texas.

To: Points in official territory.

Grounds for relief: Competition with rail carriers, circuitous routes, and new producing point.

Schedules filed containing proposed rates: Agent Kratzmeir's tariff I. C. C. 4114, supp. No. 3.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] GEORGE W LAIRD,
Secretary.

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[4th Sec. Application 29779]

FULLERS EARTH FROM POINTS IN FLORIDA AND GEORGIA TO SOUTHERN TERRITORY

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

OCTOBER 7, 1954.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by R. E. Boyle, Jr., Agent, for carriers parties to tariff listed below.

Commodities involved: Fullers earth, carloads.

From: Jamieson, Quincy, Fla., Attapulgus and Roddenberry, Ga.

To: Points in southern territory.

Grounds for relief: Rail competition, circuitry, and to apply over short tariff routes rates constructed on the basis of the short line distance formula.

Schedules filed containing proposed rates; Agent C. A. Spaninger's tariff I. C. C. No. 1323, supp. 63.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or

