

22. On page 66054, left column, correct the reference to the Eastern Research Group document to read as follows: "Eastern Research Group [ERG, 1999]. *Tabulations from OSHA's 1993 Ergonomics Survey*, Lexington, MA, 1999, Ex. 28-7."

23. On page 66054, left column, in the reference to the Robert Morris Associates document, add ", Ex. 26-1641" after "Philadelphia, PA 1996".

24. On page 66063, left column, in paragraph 5 under "G. MSD Management," correct "medical" to "MSD" in the first line.

25. On page 66065, left column, in the first paragraph under "C. Notice of Intention to Appear at the Hearings," correct the date in the first line to read "January 24, 2000".

### Corrections to Regulatory Text

#### PART 1910—[CORRECTED]

##### Subpart Y—[Corrected]

##### § 1910.945 [Corrected]

1. On page 66075, left column, correct the section number "§ 1910.945" to read "§ 1910.945".

2. On page 66075, left column, in § 1910.945, in the definition of "Administrative controls," lines 2 and 3, correct the phrase "magnitude, frequency or duration" to read "magnitude, frequency, and/or duration".

3. On page 66075, left column, in § 1910.945, in the definition of "Covered MSD," correct paragraphs (1)(iv) and (2)(iv) by adding the words "of the job" after the words "core element".

4. On page 66075, right column, in § 1910.945, in paragraph (2) of the definition of "Ergonomic risk factors," lines 5 and 6, correct the phrase "duration, frequency and magnitude" to read "duration, frequency, and/or magnitude".

5. On page 66076, left column, in § 1910.945, in the definition for "Manual handling jobs," in the heading of the table, correct "(2) EXAMPLES OF JOB/TASKS THAT TYPICALLY ARE NOT MANUAL HANDLING JOBS" to read "(2) EXAMPLES OF JOBS THAT TYPICALLY ARE NOT MANUAL HANDLING JOBS".

6. On page 66077, right column, in § 1910.945, in paragraph (1) of the definition of "OSHA recordable MSD," line 2, correct "pre-existing MSD." to read "pre-existing MSD; and".

Signed at Washington, DC, this 23rd day of December, 1999.

**Charles N. Jeffress,**

*Assistant Secretary of Labor.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Minerals Management Service

#### 30 CFR Part 206

##### RIN 1010-AC09

### Workshops on Further Supplementary Proposed Rule—Establishing Oil Value for Royalty Due on Federal Leases

**AGENCY:** Minerals Management Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of public workshops.

**SUMMARY:** The Minerals Management Service (MMS) is giving notice of three public workshops concerning the further supplementary proposed rule.

**DATES:** The public workshop dates are:

Workshop 1—Houston, Texas, on January 19, 2000, beginning at 9 a.m. and ending at 5 p.m., Central time.

Workshop 2—Albuquerque, New Mexico, on January 19, 2000, beginning at 9 a.m. and ending at 5 p.m., Mountain time.

Workshop 3—Washington, D.C., on January 20, 2000, beginning at 9 a.m. and ending at 5 p.m., Eastern time.

**ADDRESSES:** The workshop locations are:

Workshop 1 will be held at the Houston Compliance Division Office, Minerals Management Service, 4141 North Sam Houston Parkway East, Houston, Texas 77032, telephone number (281) 987-6802.

Workshop 2 will be held at the Bureau of Land Management, Albuquerque District Office, 435 Montano Road, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107, telephone number (505) 761-8700.

Workshop 3 will be held at the Main Interior Building, 1849 C Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20240 (South Penthouse Room), telephone number, (202) 208-3512.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** David S. Guzy, Chief, Rules and Publications Staff, Minerals Management Service, Royalty Management Program, P.O. Box 25165, MS 3021, Denver, Colorado 80225-0165, telephone (303) 231-3432, fax number (303) 231-3385, e-mail David\_Guzy@mms.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The workshops will be open to the public without advance registration. Public

attendance may be limited to the space available. We encourage a workshop atmosphere; members of the public are encouraged to participate in a discussion of the further supplementary proposed rule. For building security measures, each person may be required to present a picture identification to gain entry to the workshops.

Dated: December 23, 1999.

**R. Dale Fazio,**

*Acting Associate Director for Royalty Management.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### 34 CFR Chapter VI

#### Student Financial Assistance

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Notice of intention to establish negotiated rulemaking committees on issues under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended.

**SUMMARY:** We announce our intention to establish two negotiated rulemaking committees to prepare proposed regulations under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended. Each committee will include representatives of the interests that are significantly affected by the subject matter of the regulations. We request nominations for participants from anyone who believes that his or her organization or group should participate in this negotiated rulemaking process.

**DATES:** We will consider all nominations for membership on the committees that we receive by January 18, 2000. We will also be holding a meeting on January 18, 2000, at the Department of Education for interested parties to discuss the procedures for the negotiated rulemaking sessions.

**ADDRESSES:** Please send your nomination to Beth Grebeldinger, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Ave., SW., ROB-3, Washington, DC 20202-5257, or fax to Beth Grebeldinger at (202) 708-7196. You may also email your nominations to: beth\_grebeldinger@ed.gov

The meeting will be held at the Department of Education at the address above. Anyone interested in attending the meeting should contact Beth Grebeldinger at (202) 205-8822.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Beth Grebeldinger, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Ave., SW., ROB-3, Washington, DC 20202-5257. Telephone: (202) 205-8822. If you use a

telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) you may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m.

Individuals with disabilities may obtain this document in an alternate format (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, or computer diskette) on request to the contact person listed in the preceding paragraph.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The meeting site is accessible to individuals with disabilities. If you will need an auxiliary aid or service to participate in the meeting (e.g. interpreting service, assistive listening device, or materials in alternate format), notify the contact person listed in this NPRM in advance of the scheduled meeting date. Although we will attempt to meet a request we receive, we may not be able to make available the requested auxiliary aid or service because of insufficient time to arrange it.

### Structure of Committees

We anticipate having two negotiating committees. The ultimate goal of negotiated rulemaking is to reach a consensus on proposed regulations through discussion and negotiation among interested and affected parties, including the Department of Education. With this in mind, we will conduct these negotiations within a structure that is designed to meet this goal fairly and efficiently. We expect to make the committees large enough to allow significantly affected parties to be represented, without making the committees so large as to be unmanageable and potentially unsuccessful. We therefore encourage organizations and groups to work together to nominate someone who would represent a coalition of organizations or groups. The meetings will be open to the public.

We list below the issues each committee is likely to address. The list was developed through topic sessions held with representatives of the participants in the student financial aid programs in Washington, DC, through listening sessions held in Atlanta, Chicago, and San Francisco, and through listening sessions conducted by the Office of Student Financial Assistance's (OSFA's) Customer Service Task Force. This list of issues is tentative and may be revised as the process continues.

**Note:** A comprehensive review of delinquency and default management (including due diligence) has not been included on the list of issues for this round of negotiated rulemaking. Because of the complexity of these issues, we will convene

discussions in early 2000 with all interested parties to begin consideration of these issues and to discuss what issues, if any, should be included in a future session of negotiated rulemaking.

### Committee I: Loan Issues Committee

#### Cohort Default Rates

- Restructure and revise cohort default rate provisions for clarity and consistency (34 CFR 668.17).
- Address the effect of changes of ownership on calculation of cohort default rates and related determinations of eligibility (34 CFR 668.17(g)).
- Remove or modify the list of default reduction measures in Appendix D to Part 668.
- Develop regulations regarding electronic appeal submission and processing, including consideration of the functions to be performed by guaranty agencies, schools, and the Department.

*Death and Disability*—address evidentiary requirements for death discharges; standards for granting disability discharges; and processes for evaluating discharge applications (34 CFR 682.402(b) and (c)).

*Delinquency and Default Management*—address post-default due diligence (34 CFR 682.410(b)(6) and (7)).

#### Teacher Loan Forgiveness

*False Certification Discharges*—address implications of the decision in *Jordan v. Riley* and the existing ability to benefit standards (34 CFR 682.402(e)).

*Federal Perkins Loans*—address proof of claim requirements in bankruptcy (34 CFR 674) and criteria regarding institutions' ability to maintain an acceptable record of collecting on loans.

*Cash Management*—address just-in-time provisions (34 CFR 668.162 and 668.167).

### Committee II: Program and Eligibility Issues Committee

*Change of Ownership*—(34 CFR 668.12 and 668.13 and 34 CFR 600.20, 600.21, 600.30, and 600.31)

- Address changes of ownership of publicly traded corporations.
- Consider changes of control issues that are unique to public institutions.
- Clarify application procedures and information required for changes of ownership and other situations.
- Consolidate and clarify change of ownership provisions, including application procedures.

#### Nontraditional Programs

- Consider the definitions of standard term, nonstandard term and non-term (34 CFR 668.2).
- Address the application of the 12 hour rule as found in the academic year

and eligible programs definitions (34 CFR 668.2 and 668.8).

- Revise notification and approval requirements for additional locations and new programs (34 CFR 600.10, 600.20, 600.21, and 600.30).
- Consider revisions to regulatory provisions governing consortium and contractual agreements (34 CFR 600.9).

#### Special Leveraging Education Assistance Partnerships (SLEAP)

#### Electronic Authorization and Verification, and Electronic Retention

- Address these issues for certain Title IV programs and purposes.
- Each negotiating committee will include representatives of significantly affected interests, such as students, and/or legal assistance organizations that represent students, institutions of higher education, guaranty agencies, lenders, secondary markets, loan servicers, guaranty agency servicers, and collection agencies.

### Schedule for Negotiations

There are expected to be a total of approximately four meetings of each committee, all of which will be held in the metropolitan Washington, DC area. The following is the tentative schedule for negotiations for each of the committees. This schedule is subject to change.

#### Committee I

Session 1: February 7-8  
Session 2: March 27-29  
Session 3: May 1-3  
Session 4: May 30-31

#### Committee II

Session 1: February 17-18  
Session 2: March 29-31  
Session 3: May 3-5  
Session 4: June 1-2

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**Program Authority:** 20 U.S.C. 1098a.  
(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance  
Number does not apply)

**Richard W. Riley,**  
*Secretary of Education.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

### 40 CFR Part 300

[FRL-6515-9]

#### National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection  
Agency.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) proposes to delete the Monticello Radioactive Contaminated Properties Site (Site), located in Monticello, Utah, from the National Priorities List (NPL). The NPL is the National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution and Contingency Plan (NCP), which EPA promulgated pursuant to section 105 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended (CERCLA). This action is being taken because EPA, with the preliminary concurrence of the State of Utah Department of Environmental Quality (UDEQ), has determined that responsible parties have implemented all appropriate response actions required and that no further response at the Site is appropriate.

A detailed rationale for this Proposal to Delete is set forth in the direct final rule which can be found in the Rules and Regulations section of this **Federal Register**. The direct final rule is being published because EPA views this deletion action as a noncontroversial revision and anticipates no significant adverse or critical comments. If no significant adverse or critical comments are received, no further activity is contemplated. If EPA receives significant adverse or critical comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. EPA will not institute a second comment period. Any parties interested in commenting should do so at this time.

**DATES:** Comments concerning this action must be received by EPA by January 31, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments may be mailed to: Mr. Jerry Cross (8EPR-F), Remedial Project Manager, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 8, 999 18th Street, Suite 500, Denver, Colorado 80202-2466, telephone (303) 312-6664.

Information repositories:  
Comprehensive information on the Site is available for viewing and copying at the Site information repositories at the following locations: U.S. Department of Energy Grand Junction Project Office Public Reading Room, 2597 B<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Road, Grand Junction, Colorado 81503, (970) 248-6344; Monticello City Offices, 17 North First East Street, Monticello, Utah 84535, (435) 587-2271.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Jerry Cross (8EPR-F), Remedial Project Manager, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 8, 999 18th Street, Suite 500, Denver, Colorado 80202-2466, telephone (303) 312-6664; Mr. Joel Berwick, Project Manager, U.S. Department of Energy, 2597 B<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Road, Grand Junction, Colorado, 81503, (970) 248-6020; Mr. David Bird, Project Manager, State of Utah Department of Environmental Quality, 168 North 1950 West, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84116, (801) 536-4219.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** For additional information, see the direct final rule which is located in the Rules and Regulations section of this **Federal Register**.

**Authority:** 33 U.S.C. 1321(c)(2); 42 U.S.C. 9601-9657; E.O. 12777, 56 FR 54757, 3 CFR, 1991 Comp., p. 351; E.O. 12580, 52 FR 2923; 3 CFR, 1987 Comp., p. 193.

Dated: December 15, 1999.

**William P. Yellowtail,**

*Regional Administrator, Region 8.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### 47 CFR Part 73

[DA 99-2759; MM Docket No. 99-353; RM-9787]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Mojave, CA

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications  
Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document requests comments on a petition for rule making filed by Linda A. Davidson requesting the allotment of Channel 241A to Mojave, California, as that community's second local FM transmission service. As Mojave is located within 320

kilometers (199 miles) of the U.S.-Mexico border, concurrence of the Mexican government to the requested allotment of Channel 241A at that community must be obtained. Coordinates used for this proposal are 35-06-11 NL; 118-10-22 WL.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before January 31, 2000, and reply comments on or before February 15, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, as follows: Linda A. Davidson, 2134 Oak St., Unit C, Santa Monica, CA 90405.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nancy Joyner, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 99-353, adopted December 1, 1999, and released December 10, 1999. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC's Reference Information Center (Room CY-A257), 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., 1231 20th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20036, (202) 857-3800.

Provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 do not apply to this proceeding.

Members of the public should note that from the time a Notice of Proposed Rule Making is issued until the matter is no longer subject to Commission consideration or court review, all *ex parte* contacts are prohibited in Commission proceedings, such as this one, which involve channel allotments. See 47 CFR 1.1204(b) for rules governing permissible *ex parte* contacts.

For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, see 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.420.

#### List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

**John A. Karousos,**

*Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules  
Division, Mass Media Bureau.*

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