

Convention does not permit carriers to exonerate themselves from such liability, inclusion of the quoted sentence in the notice is misleading. The statement should, therefore, be deleted.

We propose, nevertheless, to permit carriers to utilize existing ticket stock with the unamended notice. The amended notice would apply to any ticket stock printed after the effective date of this rule. Until the notice is corrected, the liability of the carriers will, of course, be governed by the preclusion of exoneration contained in the Warsaw Convention, despite the misleading statement in the baggage liability notice. We would expect all carriers to take steps to insure that no claims are denied on the basis of that notice.

Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

The Regulatory Flexibility Act, Pub. L. 96-354, is designed to ensure that agencies consider flexible approaches to the regulation of small businesses or other small entities. It requires regulatory flexibility analyses for rules that, if adopted, will have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities.

The Board tentatively finds that these rules will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. The rule only applies to air carriers and foreign air carriers in foreign air transportation, almost all of which are not small entities within the meaning of the Regulatory Flexibility Act.

List of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 221

Air rates and fares, Credit, Explosives, Freight, Handicapped.

PART 221—[AMENDED]

Accordingly, the Civil Aeronautics Board proposes to amend 14 CFR Part 221, *Tariffs*, as follows:

1. the authority for Part 221 is:

Authority: Secs. 102, 204, 401, 402, 404, 411, 416, 1001, 1002, Pub. L. 85-726, as amended, 72 Stat. 740, 743, 754, 757, 758, 760, 769, 771, 788, 49 U.S.C. 1302, 1324, 1371, 1372, 1374, 1381, 1386, 1481, 1482.

2. Paragraph (b) of § 221.176 would be revised by removing the reference to fragile items in the prescribed "Notice of Baggage Liability Limitations" so that it would read as follows:

§ 221.176 Notice of limited liability for baggage; alternative consolidated notice of liability limitations.

(b) * * *

Notice of Baggage Liability Limitations

For most international travel (including domestic portions of international journeys) liability for loss, delay, or damage to baggage is limited to approximately \$9.07 per pound for checked baggage and \$400 per passenger for unchecked baggage unless a higher value is declared in advance and additional charges are paid. Excess valuation may not be declared on certain types of valuable articles. Further information may be obtained from the carrier.

By the Civil Aeronautics Board,
Phyllis T. Kaylor,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Internal Revenue Service

26 CFR Parts 1 and 301

[LR-271-83]

Withholding on Items of Income Covered by an Income Tax Convention; Public Hearing

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service, Treasury.

ACTION: Notice of public hearing on proposed regulations.

SUMMARY: This document provides notice of a public hearing on proposed regulations relating to withholding on certain items of income subject to a reduced rate of, or exemption from, U.S. tax under an income tax convention to which the United States is a party.

DATES: The public hearing will be held on Friday, February 22, 1985, beginning at 10:00 a.m. Outlines of oral comments must be delivered or mailed by Friday, February 8, 1985.

ADDRESS: The public hearing will be held in the I.R.S. Auditorium, Seventh Floor, 7400 Corridor, Internal Revenue Building, 1111 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, D.C. The requests to speak and outlines of oral comments should be submitted to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Attn: CC:LR:T (LR-271-83), Washington, D.C. 20224.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: B. Faye Easley of the Legislation and Regulations Division, Office of Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, 1111 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, D.C. 20224, telephone 202-566-3935 (not a toll-free call).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The subject of the public hearing is proposed regulations under sections 1441, 1461,

and 6402 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954. The proposed regulations appeared in the Federal Register for Monday, September 10, 1984 (49 FR 35511).

The rules of § 601.601(a)(3) of the "Statement of Procedural Rules" (26 CFR Part 601) shall apply with respect to the public hearing. Persons who have submitted comments within the time prescribed in the notice of proposed rulemaking and who also desire to present oral comments at the hearing on the proposed regulations should submit, not later than Friday, February 8, 1985, an outline of the oral comments to be presented at the hearing and the time they wish to devote to each subject.

Each speaker will be limited to 10 minutes for an oral presentation exclusive of the time consumed by questions from the panel for the government and answers to these questions.

Because of controlled access restrictions, attendees cannot be admitted beyond the lobby of the Internal Revenue Building until 9:45 a.m.

An agenda showing the scheduling of the speakers will be made after outlines are received from the speakers. Copies of the agenda will be available free of charge at the hearings.

By direction of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue:

George H. Jelly,
Director, Legislation and Regulations Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Minerals Management Service

30 CFR Ch. II

43 CFR Ch. II

Intent To Propose Rulemaking To Require the Designation of a Single Payor for Each Federal and Indian Lease

Correction

In FR Doc. 84-31675, beginning on page 47624, in the issue of Thursday, December 6, 1984, make the following correction: On page 47625, first column, last paragraph, second line "comprising" should read "compiling".

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