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PART 172—HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TABLE AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS COMMUNICATIONS REGULATIONS

Transportation of Gallium Metal

AGENCY: Materials Transportation Bureau, Department of Transportation.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This amendment corrects typographical errors in the "Gallium metal, liquid" and "Gallium metal, solid" entries in the Hazardous Materials Table republished under Docket HM-103/112 on December 30, 1976 (41 FR

57018). As republished, those entries erroneously permit transportation of liquid Gallium metal aboard cargo-only aircraft and forbid transportation of solid Gallium metal aboard passenger aircraft. This amendment restates, without change, the Gallium metal entries as originally published under Docket HM-137 (41 FR 37114, September 2, 1976).

EFFECTIVE DATE: This amendment is effective on February 7, 1977.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The effective date and absence of public notice and opportunity for comment are justified for reasons stated in the original September 2, 1976, publication.

In view of the foregoing, Part 172 of Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, is amended as follows:

1. In § 172.101 the Hazardous Materials Table is amended by revising the entries "Gallium metal, liquid" and "Gallium metal, solid" to read as follows:

| (1) of W/ A | (2) Hazardous materials descriptions and proper shipping names | (3) Hazard class | (4) Label(s) required (if not excepted) | (5) Packaging | | (6) Maximum net quantity in 1 package | | (7) Water shipments | | |
|----------------------|---|---------------------|--|------------------|------------------------------|---|----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | (a) Exception | (b) Specific requirements | (a) Passenger carrying aircraft or railcar | (b) Cargo only aircraft | (a) Cargo vessel | (b) Passenger vessel | (c) Other requirements |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Gallium metal, liquid | ORM-B | None | None | 173.861 | Forbidden | Forbidden | 1 | | 5 None. |
| | Gallium metal, solid | ORM-B | do | do | 173.862 | 40 lb | 40 lb | 1, 3 | | 1 Shade from radiant heat. |

(49 U.S.C. 1803, 1804, 1808; 49 CFR 1.53 (e).)

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