

DEPARTMENT OF STATE**22 CFR Ch. I****[Public Notice 6536]****Unified Agenda of Federal Regulatory and Deregulatory Actions**

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Semiannual regulatory agenda.

SUMMARY: Consistent with the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980, 5 U.S.C. 602, and OMB guidance to the Department of State pursuant to Executive Order 12866, the spring 2009 regulatory agenda of the Department of State is set forth below. The purpose of this publication is to provide information to the public on the Department's regulatory plans.

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC33
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Title: Department of State Acquisition Regulation--Updates

Abstract: This rule will update the DOSAR to incorporate recent FAR changes.

Priority: Other Significant

Agenda Stage of Rulemaking: Proposed Rule

Major: No

Unfunded Mandates: No

CFR Citation: 48 CFR ch 6 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)

Legal Authority: PL 93-400; PL 96-83

Legal Deadline: None

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/00/2009	
NPRM Comment Period End	09/00/2009	

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Government Levels Affected: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Federalism: No

Energy Affected: No

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Department of State (DOS)

RIN: 1400-AC36

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Title: Exchange Visitor Program--Subpart A--General Provisions

Abstract: This rule will amend section 22 CFR part 62, subpart A, in order to provide greater specificity regarding participant eligibility and includes provisions on sponsor site visits.

Priority: Other Significant

Agenda Stage of Rulemaking: Proposed Rule

Major: No

Unfunded Mandates: No

CFR Citation: 22 CFR 62, subpart A (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)

Legal Authority: Mutual Educational and Cultural Act of 1961, PL 87-256, 22 USC 2451, et seq; sec 102 of the Act, 22 USC 2452; sec 101(a)(15)(J) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 USC 1101(a)(15)(J)

Legal Deadline: None

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/00/2009	
NPRM Comment Period End	06/00/2009	

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Small Entities Affected: No

Federalism: No

Energy Affected: No

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC37 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Amendments to ITAR: Brokering Activities and Related Provisions**Abstract:** This rule will clarify the brokerage regulations that cover a company's sales representative. The current requirement to notify DDTC of certain brokering activities will be changed to require prior written approval. A new form will be instituted to collect information to request approval for a specific activity involving defense articles, defense services, or related technical data.**Priority:** Routine and Frequent**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Proposed Rule**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 120 and 129 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 22 USC 2778**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/00/2009	
NPRM Comment Period End	12/00/2009	

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Small Entities Affected:** Business**Federalism:** No**Energy Affected:** No**Agency Contact:** Mary Frances Sweeney

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC43 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Nationality Procedures**Abstract:** The last comprehensive revision to this section was completed in 1966. This revision will reflect changes in the law regarding acquisition and loss of nationality.**Priority:** Other Significant**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Proposed Rule**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 50 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 8 USC 1401 et seq**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/00/2009	

NPRM Comment Period End

09/00/2009

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Government Levels Affected: Federal**Federalism:** No

Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC44 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Protection and Welfare of Citizens and Their Property

Abstract: The last comprehensive revision to this section was completed in 1977. This revision will address changes regarding non-prisoner Emergency Medical and Dietary Assistance, OCS Trusts, or procedures in response to crises involving U.S. citizens overseas.

Priority: Other Significant**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Proposed Rule**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 71 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 22 USC 2670**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	08/00/2009	
NPRM Comment Period End	10/00/2009	

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC52 [View Related Documents](#)

Title: Amendment to the International Arms Traffic in Arms Regulations; U.S. Government Transfer Programs and Foreign-Owned Military Aircraft and Naval Vessels

Abstract: This rule will change section 126.6 of the ITAR as it pertains to circumstances when a license from the Directorate of Defense Trade Controls is not required for certain specified U.S. Government transfer programs and exports involving foreign-owned military aircraft and naval vessels. The title of this particular section has been changed from "Foreign-owned military aircraft and naval vessels, and the Foreign Military Sales program" to "U.S. Government transfer programs and foreign-owned military aircraft and naval vessels" to more accurately describe its coverage.

Priority: Routine and Frequent**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Proposed Rule**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 126 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 22 USC 2778**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/00/2009	
NPRM Comment Period End	11/00/2009	

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Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/00/2009	
NPRM Comment Period End	07/00/2009	

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AB98 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Department of State Acquisition Regulation (DOSAR)**Abstract:** This rule will update the DOSAR to expand contracting authority to non-U.S. citizen, locally employed staff.**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Final Rule**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 48 CFR 601.603-3 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** PL 93-400; PL 83-96**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	01/31/2007	72 FR 4475
NPRM Comment Period End	04/02/2007	
Final Action	12/00/2009	

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC14 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Documentation of Nonimmigrants Under the Immigration and Nationality Act, as Amended: Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program, Q Classification**Abstract:** This rule amends the Department's regulations pertaining to the Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program (IPPCTP). The 2004 legislation that extended the program amended some of the qualifications to participate in the program as a Q-2 visa holder. These changes include minimum age, employment status, and maximum amount of time allowed in the program. It also imposed a 2-year foreign residence requirement on Q-2 participants as well as a waiver process for said requirement.**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Final Rule**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 139 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 8 USC 1104; PL 105-277, 112 Stat 2681 et seq**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	10/16/2001	66 FR 52502
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	12/17/2001	

Final Action

07/00/2009

Additional Information: Related interim rule at 65 FR 14764**Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required:** No**Government Levels Affected:** No**Small Entities Affected:** No**Federalism:** No**Energy Affected:** No**Agency Contact:** Paul-Anthony Magadia

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC15 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Exchange Visitor Program--Trainees and Interns**Abstract:** This rule creates a new category of interns set forth at 22 CFR 62.22 under the Exchange Visitor (J-1) Program.**Priority:** Other Significant**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Final Rule**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 62.22 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** Mutual Educational Cultural Act of 1961, PL 87-256, 22 USC 2451, et seq; sec 102 of the Act, 22 USC 2452; sec 101(a)(15)(J) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 USC 1101(a)(15)(J)**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	06/19/2007	72 FR 33669
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	07/19/2007	
Final Action	07/00/2009	

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC32 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Department of State Acquisition Regulation--Implementation of Homeland Security Presidential Directive 12

Abstract: This rule will add a contract clause to implement the requirements of Homeland Security Presidential Directive 12 (HSPD-12), Policy for a Common Identification Standard for Federal Employees and Contractors; Federal Information Processing Standards Publication (FIPS PUB) Number 201, Personal Identity Verification (PIV) of Federal Employees and Contractors; and associated OMB guidance M-05-24 (August 5, 2005). The clause will apply to contracts that require contractor employees to perform on-site at a Department of State (DOS) location and/or that require contractor employees to have access to DOS information systems.

Priority: Other Significant

Agenda Stage of Rulemaking: Final Rule

Major: No

Unfunded Mandates: No

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 604, 637, and 652 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)

Legal Authority: PL 93-400; PL 96-83

Legal Deadline: None

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	11/19/2007	72 FR 64980
NPRM Comment Period End	01/18/2008	
Final Action	06/00/2009	

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Federalism: No

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RIN: 1400-AC39

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Title: Passport Procedures--Amendment to Expedited Passport Processing Regulation

Abstract: This Interim Final Rule amends the definition of "expedited passport processing" from 3 business days to a number of business days published on the Department's website. This will ensure continued service consistent with regulations in light of increased demand for it. It is an interim rule so that service can be continued unimpeded but still allow for public comment.

Priority: Other Significant

Agenda Stage of Rulemaking: Final Rule

Major: No

Unfunded Mandates: No

CFR Citation: 22 CFR 51. 56(b); 22 CFR 22.1 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)

Legal Authority: 22 USC 214

Legal Deadline: None

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	08/16/2007	72 FR 45888
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	10/15/2007	
Final Action	06/00/2009	

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Government Levels Affected: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Federalism: No

Energy Affected: No

Related RINs: Merge with 1400-AC23

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC41 [View Related Documents](#)

Title: Schedule of Fees for Consular Services, Department of State, and Overseas Embassies and Consulates

Abstract: The Department of State proposes to revise the Schedule of Fees for Consular Services to reflect an increase in the surcharge related to consular services in support of enhanced border security. The Secretary of State is authorized to collect such a surcharge by the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (Pub. L. 108-472). This change would be reflected in the schedule of fees for consular services.

Priority: Economically Significant

Agenda Stage of Rulemaking: Final Rule

Major: Yes

Unfunded Mandates: No

CFR Citation: 22 CFR 22.1 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#))

Legal Authority: 8 USC 1714 and its note

Legal Deadline: None

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	01/29/2008	73 FR 5087
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	03/31/2008	
Final Action	06/00/2009	

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Government Levels Affected: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Federalism: No

Energy Affected: No

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC42 [View Related Documents](#)

Title: Schedule of Fees for Consular Services, Department of State, and Overseas

Abstract: This rule amends the Schedule of Fees for Consular Services. Specifically, it raises from \$100 to \$131 the fee charged for the processing of an application for a nonimmigrant visa (MRV) and Border Crossing Card (BCC) and increases the immigrant visa fee by \$20.00.

Priority: Other Significant

Agenda Stage of Rulemaking: Final Rule

Major: No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 22.1 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 31 USC 9701; 22 USC 4219**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	12/20/2007	72 FR 72242
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	02/29/2008	
Final Action	05/00/2009	

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC53 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Directorate of Defense Trade Controls: Amendment to ITAR: International Import Certificate**Abstract:** This rule amends the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR) to reflect the Directorate of Defense Trade Control's decision to no longer accept submissions of the International Import Certificate (DSP-53).**Priority:** Routine and Frequent**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Final Rule**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 123 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 22 USC 2778**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	06/00/2009	
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	08/00/2009	

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AB45 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Student Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) Rule**Abstract:** The Department is amending its Exchange Visitor Program regulations to facilitate the requirements established by section 641 of Public Law 104-208 (as amended) for the Legacy INS Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP).**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Completed Action**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 62, subpart F (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 8 USC 1101(a)(15)(j), 1182, 1184, 1258; 22 USC 1431 to 1442, 1475e, 2451 to 2460; Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act, PL 105-277, 112 Stat 2681 et seq; Reorganization Plan No 2 of 1977, 3 CFR 1977 Comp, p 200; EO 12048 of March 27, 1978, 3 CFR, 1978 Comp, p 168**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	12/12/2002	67 FR 76307
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	01/13/2003	
Withdrawn	02/17/2009	

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AB68 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Uncertified Foreign Health Care Workers**Abstract:** This regulation outlines requirements for foreign health care workers.**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Completed Action**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 40.53 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 8 USC 1104**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	12/17/2002	67 FR 77158
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	02/18/2003	
Final Action	10/20/2008	73 FR 62197

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AB84 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Documentation of Immigrants Under the Immigration and Nationality Act--Electronic Petition for Diversity Immigrant Status**Abstract:** This rule changes the manner in which aliens may petition for the opportunity to participate in the Diversity Visa Program from a standard mail-in system to an entirely electronic system utilizing a specifically designated Internet website.**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Completed Action**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 42.33 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 8 USC 1104**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	08/18/2003	68 FR 49353
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	10/17/2003	
Final Action	01/15/2009	74 FR 2369

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No**Government Levels Affected:** No**Small Entities Affected:** No**Federalism:** No**Energy Affected:** No**Agency Contact:** Barbara J. Kennedy

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC23 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Passport Procedures--Amendment to Passport Regulations**Abstract:** This interim rule implements the requirements to the Passport Services Enhancement Act of 2005, amending the Passport Act of June 4, 1920, to authorize the Secretary of State to establish and collect a surcharge to cover costs of meeting the increased demand for passports as a result of actions taken to comply with section 7209(b) of the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 (IRTPA). The Passport Services Enhancement Act authorizes the Department of State to assess a surcharge on applicable fees for the filing of each passport application to offset its additional costs. The surcharge will

be collected from within the application fee and will not increase the overall current cost of the passport.

Priority: Other Significant

Agenda Stage of Rulemaking: Completed Action

Major: No

Unfunded Mandates: No

CFR Citation: 22 CFR sec 51.51 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)

Legal Authority: PL 109-167, 119 Stat 3578

Legal Deadline: None

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	08/14/2006	71 FR 46396
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	09/13/2006	
Final Action	11/19/2007	72 FR 64930

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Government Levels Affected: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Federalism: No

Energy Affected: No

Related RINs: Merge with 1400-AC28

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RIN: 1400-AC45

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Title: Procedures for Children Abducted to the United States

Abstract: This regulation requires revision to reflect a change regarding the functions of the U.S. Central Authority.

Priority: Info./Admin./Other

Agenda Stage of Rulemaking: Completed Action

Major: No

Unfunded Mandates: No

CFR Citation: 22 CFR 94.6 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)

Legal Authority: PL 100-300

Legal Deadline: None

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	08/15/2008	73 FR 47829
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	09/15/2008	
Final Action	10/30/2008	73 FR 64539

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Small Entities Affected: No

Federalism: No

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC48 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Exchange Visitor Program--Au Pairs**Abstract:** This rule amends the repeat participation section located at 22 CFR 62.31(p).**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Completed Action**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 62.31 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** Mutual Educational and Cultural Act of 1961, PL 87-256, 22 USC 2451, et seq; sec 102 of the Act, 22 USC 2452; sec 101(c)(15)(J) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 USC 1101 (a)(15)(J)**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	06/19/2008	73 FR 34861
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End	07/21/2008	
Final Action	04/08/2009	74 FR 15844

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Small Entities Affected:** No**Federalism:** No**Energy Affected:** No**Agency Contact:** Stanley S. Colvin

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC49 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Board of Appellate Review: Review of Loss of Nationality**Abstract:** This interim final rule would eliminate the regulations in 22 CFR part 7 and the Department's Board of Appellate Review (L/BAR) established by such regulations. The rule would also amend 22 CFR 50.51 by removing references to L/BAR and authorizing on a discretionary basis an alternative review of loss of nationality determinations by the Department.**Priority:** Info./Admin./Other**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Completed Action**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 7.1 to 7.12; 22 CFR 50.51 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 8 USC 1481 to 1504**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	07/18/2008	73 FR 41256

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Department of State (DOS)**RIN:** 1400-AC50 [View Related Documents](#)**Title:** Directorate of Defense Trade Controls Amendment to the ITAR: Registration Fee Change**Abstract:** The proposed rule increases the registration fees, changes the registration renewal period, and makes other minor administrative changes.**Priority:** Routine and Frequent**Agenda Stage of Rulemaking:** Completed Action**Major:** No**Unfunded Mandates:** No**CFR Citation:** 22 CFR 122 (To search for a specific CFR, visit the [Code of Federal Regulations](#).)**Legal Authority:** 22 USC 2778**Legal Deadline:** None**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/28/2008	73 FR 43653
NPRM Comment Period End	08/27/2008	
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