

ACTION: Proposed Rule; Correction.

SUMMARY: This document contains a correction to the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (DEA Number 139P) which was published on March 5, 1996 (61 FR 8503). The proposed rule related to regulatory reinvention initiatives under the President's National Performance Review (NPR).

DATES: Written comments or objections must be received by July 3, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments and objections should be submitted in quintuplicate to the Deputy Administrator, Drug Enforcement Administration, Washington, D.C. 20537, Attention: DEA Federal Register Representative/CCR.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

G. Thomas Gitchel, Chief, Liaison and Policy Section, Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, Washington, D.C. 20537, Telephone (202) 307-7297.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed rule that is the subject of this correction is intended to consolidate, eliminate, and clarify many of DEA's regulations designed to detect and deter the diversion of controlled substances and chemicals. The proposed change to Section 1304.11(c), as published, retained the current regulatory language rather than the new amended language. The new rule will provide more flexibility for registrants by allowing them to conduct biennial inventories on any date within two years of the initial inventory or previous biennial inventory.

Accordingly, the publication on March 5, 1996, of the proposed regulations under NPR, which were the subject of FR Doc. 96-4663, is corrected as follows:

§ 1304.11 [Corrected]

On page 5824, in the first column, in Section 1304.11, paragraph (c), the words "The biennial inventory may be taken on the day of the year on which the initial inventory was taken or on any other fixed date which does not vary by more than 6 months from the biennial date that would otherwise apply. If the registrant elects to take the biennial inventory on another fixed date, he/she shall notify the Administration of this election and of the date on which the biennial inventory will be taken" is corrected to read "The biennial inventory may be taken on any date which is within two years of the previous biennial inventory date."

Dated: March 13, 1996.

Gene R. Haislip,

Deputy Assistant Administrator, Drug Enforcement Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Internal Revenue Service****26 CFR Parts 1 and 31**

[IA-03-94]

RIN 1545-AS79

Federal Tax Deposits by Electronic Funds Transfer

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

ACTION: Notice of proposed rulemaking by cross-reference to temporary regulations and notice of public hearing.

SUMMARY: In the Rules and Regulations section of this issue of the Federal Register, the IRS is issuing temporary regulations relating to the deposit of Federal taxes by electronic funds transfer under section 6302 of the Internal Revenue Code. The text of the temporary regulations also serves as the comment document for this notice of proposed rulemaking. This document also provides notice of a public hearing on these proposed regulations.

DATES: Written comments and outlines of topics to be discussed at the public hearing scheduled for July 16, 1996, beginning at 10 a.m., must be received by June 19, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Send submissions to: CC:DOM:CORP:R (IA-03-94), room 5228, Internal Revenue Service, POB 7604, Ben Franklin Station, Washington, DC 20044. In the alternative, submissions may be hand delivered between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. to: CC:DOM:CORP:R (IA-03-94), Courier's Desk, Internal Revenue Service, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC. The public hearing will be held in the Commissioner's Conference Room, room 3313, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Concerning the regulations, Vincent G. Surabian, 202-622-6232 (not a toll-free number). Concerning submissions and the public hearing, Michael Slaughter, 202-622-7190 (not a toll-free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Background**

The temporary regulations published in the Rules and Regulations section of

this issue of the Federal Register contain amendments to the Regulations on Employment Taxes and Collection of Income Tax at Source (26 CFR part 31) and an addition to the Income Tax Regulations (26 CFR part 1). These amendments relate to the deposit of Federal taxes by electronic funds transfer. The text of those temporary regulations also serves as the text of these proposed regulations. The preamble to the temporary regulations explains these proposed regulations.

Special Analyses

It has been determined that this notice of proposed rulemaking is not a significant regulatory action as defined in EO 12866. Therefore, a regulatory assessment is not required. It also has been determined that section 553(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act (5 U.S.C. chapter 5) and the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. chapter 6) do not apply to these rules and, therefore, a Regulatory Flexibility Analysis is not required. Pursuant to section 7805(f) of the Internal Revenue Code, a copy of this notice of proposed rulemaking will be submitted to the Chief Counsel for Advocacy of the Small Business Administration for comment on its impact on small business.

Comments and Public Hearing

Before these proposed regulations are adopted as final regulations, consideration will be given to any written comments (a signed original and eight (8) copies) that are timely submitted to the IRS. All comments will be available for public inspection and copying.

A public hearing has been scheduled for July 16, 1996, beginning at 10 a.m. in the Commissioner's Conference Room, room 3313, Internal Revenue Building. Because of access restrictions, visitors will not be admitted beyond the building lobby more than 15 minutes before the hearing starts.

The rules of 26 CFR 601.601(a)(3) apply to the hearing.

Persons who wish to present oral comments at the hearing must submit written comments and an outline of the topics to be discussed and the time to be devoted to each topic (signed original and eight (8) copies) by June 19, 1996.

A period of 10 minutes will be allotted to each person for making comments.

An agenda showing the scheduling of the speakers will be prepared after the deadline for receiving outlines has passed. Copies of the agenda will be available free of charge at the hearing.

Drafting Information

The principal author of these regulations is Vincent G. Surabian, Office of the Assistant Chief Counsel (Income Tax & Accounting), IRS. However, other personnel from the IRS and Treasury Department participated in their development.

List of Subjects

26 CFR Part 1

Income taxes, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

26 CFR Part 31

Employment taxes, Income taxes, Penalties, Pensions, Railroad retirement, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Social security, Unemployment compensation.

Proposed Amendments to the Regulations

Accordingly, 26 CFR parts 1 and 31 are proposed to be amended as follows:

PART 1—INCOME TAXES

Paragraph 1. The authority citation for part 1 is amended by adding the following entry to read as follows:

Authority: 26 U.S.C. 7805 * * *

Section 1.6302-4 also issued under 26 U.S.C. 6302(a) and (c). * * *

Par. 2. Section 1.6302-4 is added to read as follows:

§ 1.6302-4 Use of financial institutions in connection with individual income taxes.

[The text of this proposed section is the same as the text of § 1.6302-4T published elsewhere in this issue of the Federal Register].

PART 31—EMPLOYMENT TAXES AND COLLECTION OF INCOME TAX AT SOURCE

Par. 3. The authority citation for part 31 continues to read in part as follows:

Authority: 26 U.S.C. 7805 * * *

Par. 4. Proposed § 31.6302-1(h), published July 11, 1994 (59 FR 35418), by cross-referencing temporary regulations published the same day (59 FR 35414) is amended as follows:

1. Paragraph (h)(1)(ii)(A) is redesignated as paragraph (h)(1)(ii)(A)(1); the first sentence in the paragraph is removed, and three new sentences are added in its place; and, in the last sentence of the newly designated paragraph, the text preceding the table is revised.

2. Paragraph (h)(1)(ii)(A)(2) is added.

3. Paragraphs (h)(2), (h)(3), (h)(7) and (h)(8) are revised.

The revised and added provisions read as follows:

§ 31.6302-1 Federal tax deposit rules for withheld income taxes and taxes under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act (FICA) attributable to payments made after December 31, 1992.

[The text of paragraphs (h)(1)(ii)(A)(1), (h)(1)(ii)(A)(2), (h)(2), (h)(3), (h)(7) and (h)(8) is the same as the text of those paragraphs in § 31.6302-1T published elsewhere in this issue of the Federal Register.]

Margaret Milner Richardson,

Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52

[IL140-1-7283b; IL141-1-7284b; FRL-5441-6]

Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Illinois

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) proposes to approve Illinois' November 14, 1995 request to incorporate an exemption for acetone from the definitions of Organic Material and Organic Materials, Petroleum Liquid, and Volatile Organic Matter (VOM) or Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) contained in the Illinois State Implementation Plan (SIP) and thereby from regulation as an ozone precursor. The USEPA also proposes to approve Illinois' November 15, 1995 request to revise the definition of VOM or VOC contained in the Illinois SIP to incorporate an exemption for parachlorobenzotrifluoride and cyclic, branched or linear completely-methylated siloxanes from the definition of VOM or VOC and thereby, from regulation as ozone precursors. These requested SIP revisions were made in response to and consistent with USEPA's action to add these chemical compounds to the list of chemicals that are exempted from the definition of VOC. In the final rules section of this Federal Register, the USEPA is approving these actions as a direct final rule without prior proposal because USEPA views this as a noncontroversial action and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for the approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If no adverse comments are received in response to that direct final rule, no further activity is contemplated

in relation to this proposed rule. If USEPA receives adverse comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on the proposed rule. USEPA will not institute a second comment period on this action. Any parties interested in commenting on this document should do so at this time.

DATES: Comments on this proposed rule must be received on or before April 22, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be mailed to: J. Elmer Bortzer, Chief, Regulation Development Section, Air Programs Branch (AR18-J), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604.

Copies of the State submittal and USEPA's analysis of it are available for inspection at: Regulation Development Section, Air Programs Branch (AR18-J), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Randolph O. Cano, Regulation Development Section, Air Programs Branch (AR-18J), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604, (312) 886-6036.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: For additional information see the direct final rule published in the rules section of this Federal Register.

Dated: March 1, 1996.

Valdas V. Adamkus,
Regional Administrator.

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40 CFR Part 52

[IN66-1-7289b; FRL-5439-7]

Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plan; Indiana; Clean Fuel Fleet Program

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) is proposing to approve a revision to the Indiana State Implementation Plan (SIP) for the purpose of establishing a Clean-Fuel Fleet Program. Indiana submitted the SIP revision request on December 20, 1995, and February 14, 1996, to satisfy a federal mandate, found in the Clean Air Act, requiring certain states to establish Clean-Fuel Fleet Programs.