

by weight of the tack material, for coloring absorbable meniscal tacks made from poly(L-lactic acid) is safe; and (2) the color additive will achieve its intended coloring effect, and thus, is suitable for this use. Further, the agency concludes that the color additive regulations in § 74.3602 should be amended as set forth below.

VIII. Inspection of Documents

In accordance with § 71.15 (21 CFR 71.15), the petition and the documents that FDA considered and relied upon in reaching its decision to approve the petition are available for inspection at the Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (address above) by appointment with the information contact person listed above. As provided in § 71.15, the agency will delete from the documents any materials that are not available for public disclosure before making the documents available for inspection.

IX. Environmental Impact

The agency has previously considered the potential environmental effects of this rule as announced in the notice of filing for the petition (63 FR 12473, March 13, 1998). No new information or comments have been received that would affect the agency's previous determination that there is no significant impact on the human environment and that an environmental impact statement is not required.

X. Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995

This final rule contains no collections of information. Therefore, clearance by the Office of Management and Budget under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 is not required.

XI. Objections

Any person who will be adversely affected by this regulation may at any time on or before July 19, 1999, file with the Dockets Management Branch (address above) written objections thereto. Each objection shall be separately numbered, and each numbered objection shall specify with particularity the provisions of the regulation to which objection is made and the grounds for the objection. Each numbered objection on which a hearing is requested shall specifically so state. Failure to request a hearing for any particular objection shall constitute a waiver of the right to a hearing on that objection. Each numbered objection for which a hearing is requested shall include a detailed description and analysis of the specific factual information intended to be presented in support of the objection in the event

that a hearing is held. Failure to include such a description and analysis for any particular objection shall constitute a waiver of the right to a hearing on the objection. Three copies of all documents shall be submitted and shall be identified with the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document. Any objections received in response to the regulation may be seen in the Dockets Management Branch between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

XII. References

The following references have been placed on display in the Dockets Management Branch (address above) and may be seen by interested persons between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

1. Weisburger, E. K. et al., "Testing of Twenty-one Environmental Aromatic Amines or Derivatives for Long-Term Toxicology or Carcinogenicity," *Journal of Environmental Pathology and Toxicology*, 2:325-356, 1978.
2. Memorandum from the Division of Product Manufacture and Use, Chemistry Review Team (FDA), to the Division of Product Policy (FDA), concerning "CAP 8C0255 (MATS M2.0 & 2.1): Linvatec, Inc. (Submission of 28 January, 1998). Petition for the Safe Use of of [sic] D&C Violet #2 to Tint Poly(L-lactic acid) Meniscal Taks." dated April 13, 1998.
3. Kokoski, C. J., "Regulatory Food Additive Toxicology" in *Chemical Safety Regulation and Compliance*, edited by F. Homburger and J. K. Marquis, published by S. Karger, New York, NY, pp. 24-33, 1985.
4. Memorandum from Division of Petition Control (FDA), to Executive Secretary, Quantitative Risk Assessment Committee (FDA), concerning "Estimate of the Upper Bound Lifetime Risk From *p*-toluidine in D&C Violet No. 2 Used as a Color Additive for Meniscal Tacks Made from Poly(L-lactic acid): CAP 8C0255," dated September 28, 1998.

List of Subjects in 21 CFR Part 74

Color additives, Cosmetics, Drugs.

Therefore, under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and under authority delegated to the Commissioner of Food and Drugs, 21 CFR part 74 is amended as follows:

PART 74—LISTING OF COLOR ADDITIVES SUBJECT TO CERTIFICATION

1. The authority citation for 21 CFR part 74 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 21 U.S.C. 321, 341, 342, 343, 348, 351, 352, 355, 361, 362, 371, 379e.

2. Section 74.3602 is amended by redesignating paragraph (b)(4) as paragraph (b)(5) and by adding new paragraph (b)(4) to read as follows:

§ 74.3602 D&C Violet No. 2.

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(b) * * *

(4) The color additive, D&C Violet No. 2, may be safely used for coloring absorbable meniscal tacks made from poly (L-lactic acid) at a level not to exceed 0.15 percent by weight of the tack material.

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Dated: June 3, 1999.

Margaret M. Dotzel,

Acting Associate Commissioner for Policy Coordination.

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OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

22 CFR Chapter VII

Abolishment of the U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency and Revision of Code of Federal Regulations Chapter Heading

AGENCY: Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Overseas Private Investment Corporation ("OPIC") is amending its chapter in the Code of Federal Regulations ("CFR") to delete the reference to the U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency ("IDCA"). Under the provisions of the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998, IDCA was abolished, effective April 1, 1999.

DATES: Effective June 18, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Eli Landy, Legal Affairs Department, 202-336-8418, eland@opic.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the provisions of the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998, as contained in Public Law 105-277, IDCA was abolished, effective April 1, 1999.

The abolition of IDCA does not affect the status and validity of OPIC regulations, directives, rulings, policies; they continue in effect.

This is a procedural rule exempt from notice and comment under 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(3)(a). This rule is not a significant rule for purposes of Executive Order 12866 and has not been reviewed by the Office of Management and Budget. This rule does not have a significant impact on small business entities under the Regulatory Flexibility Act.

For the reasons set forth in the preamble and under the authority of 22 U.S.C. 2191, revise the heading of

chapter VII of title 22 of the Code of Federal Regulations to read as follows:

CHAPTER VII—OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

Charles D. Toy,

Vice President and General Counsel.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

28 CFR Part 92

RIN 1105-AA58

FY 1998 Police Recruitment Program

AGENCY: Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, Department of Justice.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This rule adopts without change an interim rule published by the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, U.S. Department of Justice, in the **Federal Register** on September 21, 1998, which established a framework for the Police Recruitment Project, authorized by the Police Recruitment Act, Subtitle H of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994. No comments were received before the comment period expired on October 21, 1998.

DATES: Final rule is effective on June 18, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The Department of Justice Response Center at 1-800-421-6770 or (202) 307-1480, or Rob Chapman, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, at (202) 633-1295.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of this rule is to provide guidance to the non-profit community groups interested in applying to participate in the Police Recruitment Program. The rule addresses program purposes and goals, and project and eligibility requirements. The rule is not intended to be a comprehensive compilation of the administrative requirements of the Police Recruitment Program. Other program requirements and procedures will be formulated by the participating community organizations and police departments in light of their circumstances and needs.

The rule amends 28 CFR part 92 by designating existing §§ 92.1 through 92.6 as subpart A to read as follows: "Police Corps Eligibility and Selection Criteria." The rule further amends 28 CFR part 92 by adding subpart B to read as follows: "Police Recruitment Program Guidelines."

Overview

The Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, U.S. Department of Justice, administers the Police Recruitment Program. This program is designed to develop pilot projects to meet the ongoing need for additional improvement in recruiting, selecting and retaining police officer applicants. The Police Recruitment program will make grants to a limited number of qualified community organizations to assist in meeting the cost of qualified programs designed to recruit and retain applicants to police departments.

To do this, applicants under this program are expected to utilize innovative and effective methods in meeting the program guidelines. Successful applicants will be funded for a total of up to \$500,000 for a one-year grant period only, though two additional years of no-cost extensions will be permitted.

The successful applicants funded under the Police Recruitment program will ultimately design programs to enhance opportunities and increase inroads for individuals within their local police agencies. These advances will be accomplished through a variety of methods, including, but not limited to, targeted recruitment efforts; tutorial programs to enable individuals to meet police force academic requirements and pass entrance examinations; counseling for those applicants who may encounter problems throughout the application process; and programs to aid in the retention of these applicants throughout the application and hiring process.

Regulatory Flexibility Act

The Director of the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, in accordance with the Regulatory Flexibility Act, codified at 5 U.S.C. 605(b), has reviewed this regulation and, by approving it, certifies that this regulation will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. This Final Rule builds upon the statutory outline of a program providing federal grant assistance to programs sponsored by non-profit organizations providing recruiting and retention services to police department applicants. The award of such grants imposes no significant economic impacts on substantial numbers of small businesses or other entities.

Executive Order 12866

This regulation has been drafted and reviewed in accordance with Executive Order 12866, section 1(b), Principles of Regulation. The Office of Community

Oriented Policing Services has determined that this Final Rule is not a significant regulatory action under Executive Order 12866, section 3(f), Regulatory Planning and Review, and accordingly this rule has not been reviewed by the Office of Management and Budget.

Executive Order 12612

This regulation will not have substantial direct effects on the States, on the relationship between the national government and the States, or on distribution of power and responsibilities among the various levels of government. Therefore, in accordance with Executive Order 12612, it is determined that this rule does not have sufficient federalism implications to warrant the preparation of a Federalism Assessment.

Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995

This rule will not result in the expenditure by State, local, and tribal governments, in the aggregate, or by the private sector, of \$100,000,000 or more in any one year, and it will not significantly or uniquely affect small governments. Therefore, no actions were deemed necessary under the provisions of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995.

Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996

This rule is not a major rule as defined by section 804 of the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996. This rule will not result in an annual effect on the economy of \$100,000,000 or more; a major increase in costs or prices; or significant adverse effects on competition, employment, investment, productivity, innovation, or on the ability of United States-based companies to compete with foreign-based companies in domestic and export markets.

Paperwork Reduction Act

The interim rule is not subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act requirements because the information collected as part of the grant application process will be collected from fewer than ten respondents.

List of Subjects in 28 CFR Part 92

Law enforcement officers, Scholarships and fellowships.

Accordingly, the interim rule amending 28 CFR part 92 by redesignating existing §§ 92.1 through 92.6 as subpart A and adding subpart B, which was published in the **Federal**