

Executive Order 12372

This program/activity is listed in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance under No. 10.025 and is subject to Executive Order 12372, which requires intergovernmental consultation with State and local officials. (See 7 CFR part 3015, subpart V.)

Executive Order 12778

This proposed rule has been reviewed under Executive Order 12778, Civil Justice Reform. If this proposed rule is adopted: (1) All State and local laws and regulations that are inconsistent with this rule will be preempted; (2) no retroactive effect will be given to this rule; and (3) administrative proceedings will not be required before parties may file suit in court challenging this rule.

Paperwork Reduction Act

This proposed rule contains no information collection or recordkeeping requirements under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.).

List of Subjects in 9 CFR Part 92

Animal diseases, Imports, Livestock, Poultry and poultry products, Quarantine, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Accordingly, 9 CFR part 92 would be amended as follows:

PART 92—IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ANIMALS AND POULTRY AND CERTAIN ANIMAL AND POULTRY PRODUCTS; INSPECTION AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN MEANS OF CONVEYANCE AND SHIPPING CONTAINERS THEREON

1. The authority citation for part 92 would continue to read as follows:

Authority: 7 U.S.C. 1662; 19 U.S.C. 1306; 21 U.S.C. 102–105, 111, 114a, 134a, 134b, 134c, 134d, 134f, 135, 136, and 136a; 31 U.S.C. 9701; 7 CFR 2.22, 2.80, and 371.2(d).

2. In § 92.106, paragraphs (c)(2)(ii)(A) and (c)(2)(ii)(P)(I) would be revised to read as follows:

§ 92.106 Quarantine requirements.

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- (c) * * *
- (2) * * *
- (ii) * * *

(A) Be constructed only with material that can withstand continued cleaning and disinfection. All solid walls, floors, and ceilings must be constructed of impervious material. All openings to the outside must be double-screened, with an interior screen of metal or nylon mesh that is impervious to biting insects such as gnats or mosquitos, and an exterior metal screen that is rodent-

proof and is made of wire, such as rabbit wire, hardware cloth, or smooth welded wire, with mesh size no larger than 1 inch x 1.5 inches (2.54 cm x 3.81 cm). The interior and exterior screens must be separated by at least 3 inches (7.62 cm);

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(P) * * *

(I) Any of the exterior walls may be replaced by a double-screened wall set in a concrete or concrete-block curb. The double screening shall be of wire mesh or wire mesh and nylon mesh, as provided in paragraph (c)(2)(ii)(A) of this section, with the interior and exterior screens of the sun room wall separated by at least 3 inches (7.62 cm); the concrete or concrete block curb must be at least 12 inches high, impermeable to water, and able to prevent the escape of water, manure, and debris.

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Done in Washington, DC, this 6th day of March 1996.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy

10 CFR Part 430

Energy Conservation Program for Consumer Products: Public Workshop on the Improvements of the Appliance Standards Rulemaking Process

AGENCY: Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of new location of public workshop.

SUMMARY: On February 22, 1996, the Department of Energy (the Department or DOE) published a notice of public workshop (61 FR 6798, February 22, 1996) announcing a public workshop to be held on Tuesday, March 19, 1996, and Wednesday, March 20, 1996, at the Embassy Suites Hotel in Arlington, Virginia. The workshop will discuss possible initiatives that the Department will undertake to improve the appliance standards program. Due to the overwhelming response to this workshop, a larger facility will be required.

DATES: The public workshop will be held on Tuesday, March 19, 1996, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Wednesday,

March 20, 1996, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The new location for the workshop will be at the Washington National Airport Hilton Hotel (Crystal City), 2399 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The public workshop to discuss possible initiatives that the Department will undertake to improve the appliance standards program has been relocated. The workshop was originally scheduled to be held on Tuesday, March 19, 1996 and Wednesday, March 20, 1996, at the Embassy Suites Hotel in Arlington, Virginia. The new location for the workshop is the Washington National Airport Hilton Hotel in Arlington, Virginia. A new location was necessary to accommodate the large number of participants who have responded to the February 22, 1996, notice of public workshop published by the Department. 61 FR 798, February 22, 1996. The dates and times for the workshop have not been changed.

Please notify Bryan Berringer at the above listed address of your intention to attend the workshop or if you have any additional questions.

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