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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Food and Drug Administration

#### 21 CFR Part 111

[Docket No. 95N-0304]

RIN 0901-AA59

#### Dietary Supplements Containing Ephedrine Alkaloids; Notification of Intent to Reopen Comment Period

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that it will reopen the comment period for the proposed rule on dietary supplements containing ephedrine alkaloids that appeared in the **Federal Register** of June 4, 1997 (62 FR 30678). The agency intends to take this action because FDA has identified a number of inadvertent omissions in the administrative record. After the agency rectifies these omissions, it will announce in the **Federal Register** the reopening of the comment period for 75 days.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Margaret C. Binzer, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFS-456), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-401-9859, FAX 202-260-8957, or E-mail M.Binzer@Bangate.fda.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In the **Federal Register** of June 4, 1997, FDA published a proposed rule regarding the formulation and labeling of dietary supplements containing ephedrine alkaloids. FDA proposed this rule in response to reports of serious illnesses and injuries, including multiple deaths, associated with the use of dietary supplement products that contain ephedrine alkaloids and the agency's investigations and analyses of these reports of illnesses and injuries. Interested persons were given until August 18, 1997, to comment on the proposal.

It has come to FDA's attention that there are omissions in the

administrative record. The agency has identified a number of missing pages in some documents that were placed in the administrative record and other minor problems. FDA will rectify these omissions and problems and make the corrected administrative record available with ample time for interested persons to review the record and prepare comments. Thus, the agency will correct the administrative record and will provide a new 75-day period for comment.

Dated: August 15, 1997.

**William K. Hubbard,**

*Associate Commissioner for Policy  
Coordination, FDA.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

### 40 CFR Part 52

[SC 30-1-9645b; FRL-5876-9]

#### Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plan, South Carolina: Listing of Exempt Volatile Organic Compounds

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** On May 6, 1996, the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control submitted revisions to the South Carolina State Implementation Plan (SIP) involving the addition of Supplement C to the air quality modeling guidelines located in 61-62.5 Standard 7, Prevention of Significant Deterioration. In the final rules section of this **Federal Register**, the EPA is approving the SIP revision as a direct final rule without prior proposal because the EPA views this as a noncontroversial revision amendment 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 EPA 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 this proposed rule. The EPA will not institute a second comment period on this document. Any parties interested in commenting on this document should do so at this time.

**DATES:** To be considered, comments must be received by September 19, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments on this action should be addressed to Mr. Randy Terry at the EPA Region 4 Office listed below.

Copies of the documents relative to this action are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following locations. The interested persons wanting to examine these documents should make an appointment with the appropriate office at least 24 hours before the visiting day.

Air and Radiation Docket and Information Center (Air Docket 6102), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW, Washington DC 20460.

Environmental Protection Agency, Region 4 Air Planning Branch, 61 Forsyth Street, SW, Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, 600 Bull Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201-1708.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Randy Terry, Regulatory Planning Section, Air Planning Branch, Air, Pesticides, and Toxics Management Division, Region 4 Environmental Protection Agency, 61 Forsyth Street, Atlanta, Georgia 30303. The telephone number is 404/562-9032.

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

Dated: May 22, 1997.

**R. F. McGhee,**

*Acting Regional Administrator.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### 48 CFR Parts 213, 214, 215, and 242

[DEARS Case 95-D715]

#### Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Past Performance

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Proposed rule; withdrawal.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense (DoD) has decided to withdraw a proposed rule published at 60 FR 57691, November 17, 1995. The rule proposed amendments to the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) to implement Section 1091 of the Federal Acquisition Streamlining