

will change from Visual Flight Rules (VFR) to Instrument Flight Rules (IFR). This rule provides adequate controlled airspace for aircraft flying IFR procedures at Egegik, AK.

EFFECTIVE DATE: 0901 UTC, May 17, 2001.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

History

On December 28, 2000, a proposal to amend part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR part 71) to establish the Class E airspace at Egegik, AK, was published in the **Federal Register** (65 FR 82300). The proposal was necessary due to establishment of new RNAV instrument approaches to runway (RWY) 12 and RWY 30 at Egegik, AK.

Interested parties were invited to participate in this rulemaking proceeding by submitting written comments on the proposal to the FAA. No public comments to the proposal were received; however, the coordinates for the Egegik Airport contained errors. The airport coordinates have been corrected to read "lat. 58°11'18" N, long. 157°22'52" W." The Federal Aviation Administration has determined that this change is editorial in nature and will not increase the scope of this rule. Except for the non-substantive change just discussed, the rule is adopted as written.

The area will be depicted on aeronautical charts for pilot reference. The coordinates for this airspace docket are based on North American Datum 83. The Class E airspace areas designated as 700/1200 foot transition areas are published in paragraph 6005 of FAA Order 7400.9H, *Airspace Designations and Reporting Points*, dated September 1, 2000, and effective September 16, 2000, which is incorporated by reference in 14 CFR 71.1. The Class E airspace designations listed in this document will be revised and published subsequently in the Order.

The Rule

This amendment to 14 CFR part 71 establishes the Class E airspace at Egegik, AK, through the establishment of RNAV instrument approaches to RWY 12 and RWY 30 at Egegik, AK. The Egegik Airport status will change from VFR to IFR. The area will be depicted

on aeronautical charts for pilot reference. The intended effect of this proposal is to provide adequate controlled airspace for IFR operations at Egegik Airport, Egegik, AK.

The FAA has determined that these regulations only involve an established body of technical regulations for which frequent and routine amendments are necessary to keep them operationally current. It, therefore —(1) Is not a "significant regulatory action" under Executive Order 12866; (2) is not a "significant rule" under DOT Regulatory Policies and Procedures (44 FR 11034; February 26, 1979); and (3) does not warrant preparation of a regulatory evaluation as the anticipated impact is so minimal. Since this is a routine matter that will only affect air traffic procedures and air navigation, it is certified that this rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities under the criteria of the Regulatory Flexibility Act.

List of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 71

Airspace, Incorporation by reference, Navigation (air).

Adoption of the Amendment

In consideration of the foregoing, the Federal Aviation Administration amends 14 CFR part 71 as follows:

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF CLASS A, CLASS B, CLASS C, CLASS D, AND CLASS E AIRSPACE AREAS; AIRWAYS; ROUTES; AND REPORTING POINTS

1. The authority citation for 14 CFR part 71 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 49 U.S.C. 106(g), 40103, 40113, 40120; E.O. 10854, 24 FR 9565, 3 CFR, 1959-1963 Comp., p. 389.

§ 71.1 [Amended]

2. The incorporation by reference in 14 CFR 71.1 of Federal Aviation Administration Order 7400.9H, *Airspace Designations and Reporting Points*, dated September 1, 2000, and effective September 16, 2000, is amended as follows:

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Paragraph 6005 Class E airspace areas extending upward from 700 feet or more above the surface of the earth.

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Egegik Airport, AK
(Lat. 58°11'18" N., long. 157°22'52" W.)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.3 mile radius of the Egegik Airport.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

17 CFR Part 240

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Disclosure of Order Execution and Routing Practices

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission.

ACTION: Final rule; extension of initial compliance date.

SUMMARY: The Commission is extending the initial compliance date of Rule 11Ac1-5 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Rule 11Ac1-5 and Rule 11Ac1-6 require improved public disclosure of order execution and order routing practices and were published on December 1, 2000 (65 FR 75414).

DATES: *Effective Date:* The effective date of Rule 11Ac1-5 published on December 1, 2000 (65 FR 75414) remains January 30, 2001.

Compliance Date: The initial compliance date for the first phase-in of securities subject to Rule 11Ac1-5 is extended from April 2, 2001, to May 1, 2001. While this order alters the initial compliance date for Rule 11Ac1-5, the subsequent phase-in dates of Rule 11Ac1-5 and the compliance date of Rule 11Ac1-6 are unchanged.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Susie Cho, Attorney, at (202) 942-0748, Division of Market Regulation, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549-1001.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On November 17, 2000, the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission") adopted Rule 11Ac1-5¹ ("Rule") under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act") to improve public disclosure of order execution practices.² Under the Rule, market centers that trade national market system securities are required to make available to the public monthly electronic reports that include uniform statistical measures of execution quality.

¹ 17 CFR 240.11Ac1-5.

² See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 43590 (November 17, 2000), 65 FR 75414.

The compliance date for the first phase-in of securities subject to the Rule was Monday, April 2, 2001.

The Rule also directs the self-regulatory organizations ("SROs") that trade national market system securities to act jointly in establishing procedures for market centers to follow in making their monthly order execution reports available to the public in a readily accessible, uniform, and usable electronic format. On February 21, 2001, the Commission issued a release giving notice of the filing of a proposed plan establishing such procedures by the SROs ("Joint SRO Plan").³ In addition, the Commission's staff has been working with market participants to answer frequently asked interpretive questions concerning the implementation and operation of the Rule.

The Commission is extending the initial compliance date of Rule 11Ac1-5 to May 1, 2001. The extension is intended to allow market centers a fuller opportunity to implement procedures for making reports available to the public and to incorporate the Commission staff's interpretive guidance on the Rule. The market centers will have additional time to program their systems to comply with the Rule's reporting requirements and to produce accurate, reliable, and usable monthly reports.

Dated: March 9, 2001.

By the Commission.

Margaret H. McFarland,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

25 CFR Part 20

RIN 1076-AE11

Technical Amendments to Financial Assistance and Social Service Programs

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Interim Final Rule and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) is amending certain definitions and amending the qualifications for eligibility for Direct Assistance under the Financial Assistance and Social

Services Program regulations published on October 20, 2000. The amended definitions govern who is eligible for services as well as where service will be provided under the existing Financial Assistance and Social Services Programs. This new rule is intended to clarify who is eligible for service in Alaska and to define the service area for the State of Alaska.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 15, 2001. The BIA must receive comments on or before April 16, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments to Larry Blair, Chief, Division of Social Services, Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, 1849 C Street NW., MS-4660-MIB, Washington, DC, 20240.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Larry Blair, (202) 208-2479.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under 25 U.S.C. 13, the Secretary of the Interior has the authority to establish regulations to implement financial assistance and social services programs for Indian people. Therefore, the BIA published proposed rules in the **Federal Register** on May 6, 1999 (64 FR 24296). The regulations had a public comment period and were finalized on October 20, 2000 (65 FR 63144). The BIA October 20, 2000, final regulations at 25 CFR part 20 set forth, among other things, the criteria defining who is eligible for financial assistance and social services as well as defining the location of the service areas. After the regulations were finalized, the BIA was notified of an inconsistency between the preamble and the final definitions published in the October 20, 2000, final regulations. This inconsistency could support an unintended interpretation that the BIA was denying services to persons previously served under the former regulations. The change imposed by these rules will not have a negative impact on other tribes, as the 2001 budget request provided for services to Alaska Natives.

Determination To Issue a Final Rule

The Department has determined that the public notice and comment provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. 553(b), do not apply because of the good cause exception under 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(3)(B), which allows the agency to suspend the notice and public procedure when the agency finds for good cause that those requirements are impractical, unnecessary and contrary to the public interest. This amendment is intended to clarify the eligibility requirement for financial assistance and social services and is further intended to clearly define

the service area for the State of Alaska. Moreover, the effect of these amendments will assure the Alaska Natives that financial assistance and social services programs will continue without interruption.

In addition, it is in the interest of Alaska Natives and the general public not to delay implementation of these changes for notice and comment, particularly when there is a strong interest to ensure continuity of services during the winter months and because no adverse comments are anticipated. However, the BIA invites and will consider public comments submitted in response to this final rule. If significant adverse comments are received, the BIA will consider the comments, and reserves the option of issuing further amendments.

Determination To Make Rule Effective Immediately

Because the need to avoid delay in clarifying the scope of financial assistance and social services is at issue, the BIA has determined it appropriate to make the rule effective immediately by waiving the requirement of publication on 30 days advance of the effective date found at 5 U.S.C. 553(d). It is in the public interest and in the interest of the Alaska Natives not to delay implementation of these amendments. Accordingly, this amendment is issued as a final rule effective immediately.

Regulatory Planning and Review

This document is not a significant rule and is not subject to review by the Office of Management and Budget under Executive Order 12866.

(1) This rule will not have an effect of \$100 million or more on the economy. It will not adversely affect in a material way the economy, productivity, competition, jobs, the environment, public health or safety, or state, local, or tribal governments or communities. Tribes have been operating this financial assistance program for 30 years and the amount of funding is dependent upon the local economy in terms of unemployment and extent of need for funds. Approximately 400 tribes receive some form of financial assistance yearly and the amount of funds varies according to caseload increases and decreases. The Bureau's total expenditure for social service programs is \$94 million.

(2) This rule will not create a serious inconsistency or otherwise interfere with an action taken or planned by another agency.

(3) This rule does not alter the budgetary effects of entitlements, grants, user fees, or loan programs or the rights

³ See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 43992 (February 21, 2001).