

III. Backfitting, Forward Fitting, and Issue Finality

Issuance of NUREG/CR-7002, Rev. 1 does not constitute backfitting as defined in 10 CFR 50.109, "Backfitting," and as described in NRC Management Directive (MD) 8.4, "Management of Backfitting, Forward Fitting, Issue Finality, and Information Requests"; affect issue finality of any approval issued under 10 CFR part 52, "Licenses, Certificates, and Approvals for Nuclear Power Plants"; or constitute forward fitting as defined in MD 8.4, because, as explained in NUREG/CR-7002, Rev. 1, licensees are not required to comply with the positions set forth in that document.

IV. Paperwork Reduction Act

NUREG/CR-7002, Rev. 1, does not contain any new or amended collections of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*). Existing collections of information were approved by the Office of Management and Budget, approval numbers 3150-0011 and 3150-0151.

V. Congressional Review Act

The NUREG/CR-7002, Rev. 1, is a rule as defined in the Congressional Review Act (5 U.S.C. 801-808). However, the Office of Management and Budget has not found it to be a major rule as defined in the Congressional Review Act.

Dated: February 3, 2021.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Mark D. Lombard,

Deputy Director, Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

17 CFR Part 210

[Release No. 33-10876A; 34-90210A; FR-88A; IA-5613A; IC-34052A; File No. S7-26-19]

RIN 3235-AM63

Qualifications of Accountants

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission.

ACTION: Final rule; correction.

SUMMARY: This document makes technical corrections to amendments to update certain auditor independence requirements adopted in Release No. 33-10876 (October 16, 2020) ("Adopting

Release"), which was published in the **Federal Register** on December 11, 2020.

DATES: Effective June 9, 2021.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Peggy Kim, Senior Special Counsel, Office of the Chief Accountant, at (202) 551-5300, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: We are making technical amendments to correct § 210.2-01. Specifically, this document amends Instruction 2 published in the Adopting Release. Instruction 2.c is amended to correct a citation to § 210.2-01.

In document FR doc. 2020-23364, which was published in the **Federal Register** on Friday, December 11, 2020, at 85 FR 80508, the following correction is made:

§ 210.2-01 [Corrected]

■ 1. On page 80541, in the first column, under "§ 210.2-01" in Instruction 2.c, "Revising paragraphs (c)(1)(ii)(A) introductory text" is corrected to read "Revising paragraph (c)(1)(ii)(A)(1) introductory text."

Dated: February 4, 2021.

Vanessa A. Countryman,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of Workers' Compensation Programs

20 CFR Part 702

RIN 1240-AA13

Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act: Electronic Filing, Settlement, and Civil Money Penalty Procedures

AGENCY: Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, Labor.

ACTION: Withdrawal of direct final rule.

SUMMARY: On December 14, 2020, the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs (OWCP) published a direct final rule in the **Federal Register** revising regulations governing electronic filing and settlements, and establishing new procedures for assessing and adjudicating penalties under the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (LHWCA). Consistent with the Presidential directive as expressed in the memorandum of January 20, 2021, from the Assistant to the President and Chief

of Staff, entitled "Regulatory Freeze Pending Review," OWCP is withdrawing the direct final rule.

DATES: Effective February 9, 2021, the direct final rule published at 85 FR 80601 on December 14, 2020, is withdrawn.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Antonio Rios, Director, Division of Federal Employees', Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation, Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, (202)-693-0040, rios.antonio@dol.gov. TTY/TDD callers may dial toll free 1-877-889-5627 for further information.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On December 14, 2020, OWCP published a direct final rule entitled *Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act: Electronic Filing, Settlement, and Civil Money Penalty Procedures*, 85 FR 80601. This rule would revise the LHWCA regulations governing electronic filing and settlements, and establish new procedures for assessing and adjudicating penalties under the LHWCA. The comment period for the rule expires on February 12, 2021, and the rule will become effective March 15, 2021, unless OWCP withdraws it prior to then. OWCP stated that it would withdraw the rule if it received significant adverse public comment on either the direct final rule or a simultaneously published companion notice of proposed rulemaking. See 85 FR 80698 (Dec. 14, 2020).

A new administration assumed office on January 20, 2021. On that same date, the Assistant to the President and Chief of Staff issued a memorandum entitled "Regulatory Freeze Pending Review" to the Heads of Executive Departments and Agencies. 86 FR 7424 (Jan. 28, 2021). The purpose of the memorandum was "to ensure that the President's appointees or designees have the opportunity to review any new or pending rules." *Id.* The memorandum directs agencies to consider pausing or delaying certain regulatory actions for the purpose of reviewing questions of fact, law, and policy raised therein. OWCP believes that the most efficient way to implement the memorandum in this instance is to withdraw the rule rather than delay the effective date. The comment period is still open and if OWCP receives any significant adverse comment, it would have to withdraw the rule anyway. Withdrawing the rule will also give the new administration time to review the rule and consider the policies it implements. OWCP is simultaneously withdrawing the companion notice of proposed rulemaking. OWCP intends to offer the

public an opportunity to comment on the topics addressed at a later time.

■ Accordingly, the final rule amending 20 CFR part 702 published in the **Federal Register** on December 14, 2020 (85 FR 80601) are withdrawn as of February 9, 2021.

Christopher J. Godfrey,

Director, Office of Workers' Compensation Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of the Secretary of Labor

29 CFR Part 22

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

29 CFR Part 1986

RIN 1290-AA28

Rules of Practice and Procedure Concerning Filing and Service and Amended Rules Concerning Filing and Service; Correction

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, Office of the Secretary, Office of Labor-Management Standards, Wage and Hour Division, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs.

ACTION: Direct final rule; correction.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor (Department or DOL) is correcting a direct final rule that appeared in the **Federal Register** on January 11, 2021, "Rules of Practice and Procedure Concerning Filing and Service and Amended Rules Concerning Filing and Service." The companion proposed rule to the final rule was published in the same issue of the **Federal Register**. The final rule required electronic filing (e-filing) and made acceptance of electronic service (e-service) automatic for attorneys and non-attorney representatives representing parties in proceedings before the Administrative Review Board, unless the Board authorized non-electronic filing and service for good cause. Among other changes, the final rule was intended to revise several sections of the Code of Federal Regulations. However, the final rule as published inadvertently omitted amendatory instructions to revise two section headings, despite providing revised language for those headings. This document provides the omitted

amendatory instructions to ensure that these two section headings are revised as written in the final rule.

DATES: This correction is effective on February 25, 2021, unless the Department receives a significant adverse comment to the underlying direct final rule or its companion proposed rule by February 10, 2021 that explains why the rule is inappropriate.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Thomas Shepherd, Clerk of the Appellate Boards, at 202-693-6319 or *Shepherd.Thomas@dol.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: DOL is making the following corrections to the final rule, as published in the **Federal Register** on Monday, January 11, 2021 (86 FR 1772).

DOL is adding amendatory instructions to change the section headings of two sections of the Code of Federal Regulations.

At 86 FR 1781, third column, 29 CFR part 22, amendatory instruction 43 revised § 22.39, paragraphs (a), (b)(3), (c), (f), and (h) through (l). The text of § 22.39 as written in the final rule also included a revised section heading; however, amendatory instruction 43 did not specify that the section heading should be revised in addition to the text of the above-listed paragraphs. In this action, amendatory instruction 43 is corrected to clarify that the section heading of § 22.39 should be revised as well. Amendatory instruction 43 is corrected to read: "43. In § 22.39, revise the section heading and paragraphs (a), (b)(3), (c), (f), and (h) through (l) to read as follows:". The section heading is being revised to read "Appeal to ARB" instead of "Appeal to authority head." This change is in keeping with the Department's clearly expressed intent in the preamble of the final rule to revise references in the regulations to an "authority head" to references to the "ARB" in order to clarify the responsibilities of the Administrative Review Board.

At 86 FR 1793, third column, 29 CFR part 1986, amendatory instruction 133 revised § 1986.110, paragraph (c). The text of § 1986.110 as written in the final rule also included a revised section heading; however, amendatory instruction 133 did not specify that the section heading should be revised in addition to the text of paragraph (c). In this action, amendatory instruction 133 is corrected to clarify that the section heading of § 1986.110 should be revised, as well. Amendatory instruction 133 is corrected to read: "133. In § 1986.110, revise the section heading and paragraph (c) to read as follows:". The section heading is being revised to read

"Decision and orders of the Administrative Review Board" instead of "Decisions and order of the Administrative Review Board." The change to § 1986.110 is intended to make the section heading consistent with other similar section headings in the chapter of Title 29 that are titled "Decision and orders of the Administrative Review Board."

Federal Register Correction

In the final rule published at 86 FR 1772 in the issue of January 11, 2021, the following corrections are made:

PART 22—PROGRAM FRAUD CIVIL REMEDIES ACT OF 1986

§ 22.39 [Corrected]

■ 1. On page 1781, in the third column, correct amendatory instruction 43 to read: "43. In § 22.39, revise the section heading and paragraphs (a), (b)(3), (c), (f), and (h) through (l) to read as follows:".

PART 1986—PROCEDURES FOR THE HANDLING OF RETALIATION COMPLAINTS UNDER THE EMPLOYEE PROTECTION PROVISION OF THE SEAMAN'S PROTECTION ACT (SPA), AS AMENDED

§ 1986.110 [Corrected]

■ 2. On page 1793, in the third column, correct amendatory instruction 133 to read: "133. In § 1986.110, revise the section heading and paragraph (c) to read as follows:".

Dated: February 3, 2021.

Milton A. Stewart,

Acting Secretary of Labor.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

33 CFR Part 165

[Docket Number USCG-2021-0036]

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Safety Zone; Lower Mississippi River, Mile Markers 330.0-360.0, MS

AGENCY: Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

ACTION: Temporary final rule.

SUMMARY: The Coast Guard is establishing a temporary fixed and moving safety zone for all navigable waters within 300 yards of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Bank