

**PART 71—[AMENDED]**

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

**Authority:** 49 U.S.C. 106(g), 40103, 40113, 40120; EO 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 7400.9J dated August 31, 2001, and effective September 16, 2001, is proposed to be amended as follows:

*Section 5, Class D airspace areas extending upward from the surface of the earth.*

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**AEA NY D White Plains, NY**

Westchester County Airport, White Plains, NY

(Lat. 41° 04'01"N., long 73° 42'27" W.)

That airspace extending upward from the surface to but not including 3000 feet MSL within a 4.1-radius of the Westchester County Airport and within 1.5 miles each side of White Plains/Westchester County ILS northwest localizer course extending from the 4.1 mile radius to 8.1 miles northwest of the airport. This Class D airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be continuously published in the Airport/Facility Directory.

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**F.D. Hatfield,**

*Manager, Air Traffic Division, Eastern Region.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION****Federal Aviation Administration****14 CFR Part 71**

[Airspace Docket No. 01–AWP–18]

**Proposed Establishment of Class E Airspace; Calipatria, CA**

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of proposed rulemaking.

**SUMMARY:** This notice proposes to establish a Class E airspace area at Calipatria, CA. The establishment of an Area Navigation (RNAV) Global Positioning System (GPS) Standard Instrument Approach Procedure (SIAP) RNAV (GPS) Runway (RWY) 08 SIAP to Cliff Hatfield Memorial Airport, Calipatria, CA has made this proposal necessary. Additional controlled airspace extending upward from 700

feet or more above the surface of the earth is needed to contain aircraft executing the RNAV (GPS) RWY 08 SIAP to Cliff Hatfield Memorial Airport. The intended effect of this proposal is to provide adequate controlled airspace for Instrument Flight Rules (IFR) operations at Cliff Hatfield Memorial Airport, Calipatria, CA.

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before May 1, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments on the proposal in triplicate to: Federal Aviation Administration, Attn: Manager, Airspace Branch, AWP–520, Docket No. 01–AWP–18, Air Traffic Division, 15000 Aviation Boulevard, Lawndale, California 90261.

The official docket may be examined in the Office of the Regional Counsel, Western-Pacific Region, Federal Aviation Administration, Room 6007, 15000 Aviation Boulevard, Lawndale, California 90261.

An informal docket may also be examined during normal business hours at the Office of the Manager, Airspace Branch, Air Traffic Division at the above address.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jeri Carson, Air Traffic Airspace Specialist, Airspace Branch, AWP–520, Air Traffic Division, Western-Pacific Region, Federal Aviation Administration, 15000 Aviation Boulevard, Lawndale, California 90261.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****Comments Invited**

Interested parties are invited to participate in this proposed rulemaking by submitting such written data, views, or arguments, as they may desire. Comments that provide the factual basis supporting the views and suggestions presented are particularly helpful in developing reasoned regulatory decisions on the proposal. Comments are specifically invited on the overall regulatory, aeronautical, economic, environmental, and energy-related aspects of the proposal.

Communications should identify the airspace docket number and be submitted in triplicate to the address listed above. Commenters wishing the FAA to acknowledge receipt of their comments on this notice must submit with the comments a self-addressed, stamped postcard on which the following statement is made: “Comments to Airspace Docket No. 01–AWP–18.” The postcard will be date/time stamped and returned to the commenter. All communications received on or before the specified closing date for comments will be considered before taking action on the

proposed rule. The proposal contained in this notice may be changed in light of comments received. All comments submitted will be available for examination in the Airspace Branch, Air Traffic Division, 15000 Aviation Boulevard, Lawndale, California 90261, both before and after the closing date for comments. A report summarizing each substantive public contact with FAA personnel concerned with this rulemaking will be filed in the docket.

**Availability of NPRM**

Any person may obtain a copy of this Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) by submitting a request to the Federal Aviation Administration, Airspace Branch, 15000 Aviation Boulevard, Lawndale, California 90261. Communications must identify the notice number of this NPRM. Persons interested in being placed on a mailing list for future NPRM's should also request a copy of Advisory Circular No. 11–2A, which describes the application procedures.

**The Proposal**

The FAA is considering an amendment to 14 CFR part 71 by establishing a Class E airspace area at Calipatria, CA. The establishment of a RNAV (GPS) RWY 08 SIAP at Cliff Hatfield Memorial Airport has made this proposal necessary. Additional controlled airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface is needed to contain aircraft executing the RNAV (GPS) RWY 08 SIAP to Cliff Hatfield Memorial Airport. The intended effect of this proposal is to provide adequate controlled airspace for aircraft executing the RNAV (GPS) RWY 08 SIAP to Cliff Hatfield Memorial Airport, Calipatria, CA. Class E airspace designations are published in paragraph 6005 of FAA Order 7400.9J dated September 1, 2001, and effective September 16, 2001, which is incorporated by reference in 14 CFR 71.1. The Class E airspace designation listed in this document would be published subsequently in this Order.

The FAA has determined that this proposed regulation only involves an established body of technical regulations for which frequent and routine amendments are necessary to keep them operationally current. Therefore, this proposed regulation—(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 proposed rule would 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 proposes to amend 14 CFR part 71 as follows:

#### PART 71—DESIGNATION OF CLASS A, CLASS B, CLASS C, CLASS D, AND CLASS E AIRSPACE AREAS; 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 the Federal Aviation Administration Order 7400.9J, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated September 1, 2001, and effective September 16, 2001, is amended as follows:

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

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#### AWP CA E5 Calipatria, CA [NEW]

Cliff Hatfield Memorial Airport, CA  
(Lat. 33°07'47" N, long. 115°31'18" W)  
Brawley Municipal Airport, CA.  
(Lat. 33°59'35" N., long. 115°31'01"W.)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.3 mile radius of Cliff Hatfield Memorial Airport; excluding that portion within the Brawley Municipal Airport, CA, Class E airspace area.

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Issued in Los Angeles, California, on March 12, 2002.

**John Clancy,**

*Manager, Air Traffic Division, Western-Pacific Region.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### 18 CFR Chapter I

[Docket No. RM02–7–000]

#### Accounting and Reporting of Asset Retirement Obligations

April 23, 2002

**AGENCY:** Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, DOE.

**ACTION:** Notice of technical conference and updated agenda.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) previously issued a Notice of Informal Technical Conference on March 29, 2002, announcing that the Commission staff will hold a technical conference on May 7, 2002 to discuss the financial accounting, reporting and ratemaking implications related to asset retirement obligations associated with the retirement of tangible long-lived assets. In addition, the March 29, 2002, notice requests written comments be submitted on or before April 29, 2002. Today's notice updates the agenda, showing the names of panelists and times for each panel. All interested parties are invited to attend.

**DATES:** The May 7, 2002, technical conference begins at 9 a.m. and ends at 4 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Technical conference will be held in the Commission Meeting Room of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mark Klose (Project Manager/Technical Issues), at (202) 219–2595 or [mark.klose@ferc.gov](mailto:mark.klose@ferc.gov), Raymond Reid (Technical Issues), at (202) 219–2928 or [raymond.reid@ferc.gov](mailto:raymond.reid@ferc.gov) or Julia Lake (Legal Issues), at (202) 208–2019 or [julia.lake@ferc.gov](mailto:julia.lake@ferc.gov)

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In addition to publishing the full text of this document in the **Federal Register**, it is available for inspection in the Commission's Public Reference Room at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, during regular business hours and is posted on both the Commission's Issuance Posting System (CIPS) and the Records and Information Management Systems (RIMS), and may be viewed and printed remotely via the Internet through Commission's Home Page: <http://www.ferc.gov>.

As announced in the Notice of Conference issued March 29, 2002,<sup>1</sup>

Commission staff will hold a technical conference on May 7, 2002 to discuss the financial accounting, reporting and ratemaking implications related to asset retirement obligations associated with the retirement of tangible long-lived assets. This one-day conference will begin at 9 a.m. and end at approximately 4 p.m., and will be held in the Commission Meeting Room of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC. All interested persons are invited to attend.

#### Notice of Technical Conference and Updated Agenda

The Commission staff will discuss the following topics with panelists:

1. The types of fixed assets that have an asset retirement obligation that would be recognized and measured under such a requirement.

2. The impact asset retirement obligations have on depreciation accounting and depreciation procedures.

3. The accounting implementation issues related to the recognition of asset retirement obligations for existing and future long-lived assets.

4. The impact on the Uniform Systems of Accounts and the Commission's rate regulations.

Attached is the updated Agenda, showing names of panelists and times for each panel.

Questions about the conference and the program should be directed to Mark Klose (Project Manager/Technical Issues), at (202) 219–2595 or [mark.klose@ferc.gov](mailto:mark.klose@ferc.gov), Raymond Reid (Technical Issues), at (202) 219–2928 or [raymond.reid@ferc.gov](mailto:raymond.reid@ferc.gov) or Julia Lake (Legal Issues), at (202) 208–2019 or [julia.lake@ferc.gov](mailto:julia.lake@ferc.gov)

**Magalie R. Salas,**  
*Secretary.*

#### May 7, 2002 Conference Agenda

##### I. Opening Remarks—FERC Staff

9 a.m.–9:15 a.m.

John M. Delaware, Deputy Executive Director and Chief Accountant

##### II. Panel 1—CPA Firms/Academia

9:15 a.m.–10:45 a.m.

##### CPA Firms

Jan Umbaugh, Partner, Deloitte & Touche, LLP.

Mike Barrett, Partner, Ernst & Young, LLP.

Carl Gilbert, Partner, KPMG, LLP.

Kim Staudt, Partner,  
PricewaterhouseCoopers, LLP.

<sup>1</sup> See 67 FR 16071 (April 4, 2002).