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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

25 CFR Part 162

Leases and Permits

CFR Correction

In Title 25 of the Code of Federal Regulations, revised as of April 1, 2005, on page 435, part 162 is corrected by reinstating §§ 162.622 and 162.623 to read as follows:

§ 162.622 Can BIA take emergency action if the leased premises are threatened with immediate and significant harm?

If a tenant or any other party causes or threatens to cause immediate and significant harm to the leased premises during the term of a lease, we will take appropriate emergency action. Emergency action may include judicial action seeking immediate cessation of the activity resulting in or threatening the harm. Reasonable efforts will be made to notify the Indian landowners, either before or after the emergency action is taken.

§ 162.623 What will BIA do if a tenant holds over after the expiration or cancellation of a lease?

If a tenant remains in possession after the expiration or cancellation of a lease, we will treat the unauthorized use as a trespass. Unless we have reason to believe that the tenant is engaged in negotiations with the Indian landowners to obtain a new lease, we will take action to recover possession on behalf of the Indian landowners, and pursue any additional remedies available under applicable law.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Internal Revenue Service

26 CFR Part 1

Income Taxes

CFR Correction

In Title 26 of the Code of Federal Regulations, part 1 (§ 1.1551 to end), revised as of April 1, 2005, on page 526, in § 1.6696-1, paragraph (b), the third sentence is corrected by removing “rifed”, and adding in its place, “Thus, the claim may be prepared by the preparer’s employer or by other persons. In all cases, however, the claim for credit or refund shall contain the information specified in paragraph (d) of this section and, as required in that paragraph, shall be verified”.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

32 CFR Parts 59, 62b, 73, 158, 190, 216, 221, 224, 229, 238, 248, 252, 258, 261, 271, 336, 345, 347, 371, 378, and 388

[DOD-2006-OS-0042]

Removal of Parts

AGENCY: Department of Defense.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense is removing several CFR parts from Chapter I, Office of the Secretary of Defense. This administrative action removes obsolete information from the Code of Federal Regulations and notifies readers of the availability of the current DoD documents that contain the information being removed.

DATES: This rule is effective March 10, 2006.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: L. Bynum 703-696-6970.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The chart below identifies the status of the parts being removed. All documents with a current date status may be found as a DoD Directive (D), DoD Instruction (I), or Administrative Instruction (AI) on the Washington Headquarters Services Web site at <http://www.dtic.mil/whs/directives/>. Where “removed” is indicated, the applicable DoD document has been removed from the DoD Directives System.

Part No.	Document No.	Canceled by
59	Voluntary Military Pay Allotments	DoDD 7330.1.
62b	Drunk and Drugged Driving by DoD	DoDD 1010.7.
	DoD Personnel	
73	Training Simulators and Devices	DoDD 1430.13.
158	Guidelines for Systematic Declassification Review of Classified Information in Permanently Valuable DoD Records.	Removed 1/14/04.
190	Natural Resources Management Program	Removed 7/20/04.
216	Military Recruiting and Reserve Officer Training Corps Program Access to Institutions of Higher Education.	DoDD 1322.13.
221	Participation in the National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB)	DoDD 6025.13.
224	DoD Committee Management Program	DoDD 5105.18.
229	Protection of Archaeological Resources: Uniform Regulations	Removed 6/21/04.
238	Armed Forces Community Relations	DoDI 5410.19.
248	Department of Defense Periodicals	Removed 12/15/95.
252	Department of Defense Offshore Military Activities Program	Removed 1/13/05.
258	Cooperation with Allies in Research and Development of Defense Equipment	DoDD 2010.6.
261	Armed Services Military Club and Package Stores	DoDD 1015.2.
271	Obtaining Information from Financial Institutions	Duplicate of Part 275.
336	Publications of Proposed and Adopted Regulations Affecting the Public	AI 102.
345	Department of Defense Section 6 Schools	DoDD 1342.20.
347	Department of Defense Dependents Schools	DoDD 1342.20.
371	Defense Prisoner of War/Missing in Action Office (DPMO)	DoDD 5110.10.
378	Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Intelligence Oversight	DoDD 5148.11.
388	Ballistic Missile Defense Organization	DoDD 5134.09.

List of Subjects**32 CFR Part 59**

Military personnel, Wages.

32 CFR Part 62b

Alcohol abuse, Drug abuse, Government employees, Highway safety, Military personnel.

32 CFR Part 73

Armed forces, Education, Government procurement.

32 CFR Part 158

Classified information.

32 CFR Part 190

Armed forces, Federal buildings and facilities, Natural resources.

32 CFR Part 216

Armed forces, Armed forces reserves, Colleges and universities, Education.

32 CFR Part 221

Health professions, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

32 CFR Part 224

Advisory committees.

32 CFR Part 229

Administrative practice and procedure, Historic preservation, Indians—lands, Penalties, Public lands, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

32 CFR Part 238

Armed forces, Intergovernmental relations.

32 CFR Part 248

Armed forces, Government publications.

32 CFR Part 252

Armed forces, Continental shelf.

32 CFR Part 258

Foreign relations, National defense, Research.

32 CFR Part 261

Alcohol and alcoholic beverages, Armed forces, Concessions, Federal buildings and facilities.

32 CFR Part 271

Banks, banking, Credit, Privacy.

32 CFR Part 336

Administrative practice and procedure.

32 CFR Parts 345 and 347

Elementary and secondary education, Organization and functions (Government agencies).

32 CFR Parts 371, 378, and 388

Organization and functions (Government agencies).

PARTS 59, 62b, 73, 158, 190, 216, 221, 224, 229, 238, 248, 252, 258, 261, 271, 336, 345, 347, 371, 378, and 388—[REMOVED]

■ Accordingly, by the authority of 10 U.S.C. 301, 32 CFR parts 59, 62b, 73, 158, 190, 216, 221, 224, 229, 238, 248, 252, 258, 261, 271, 336, 345, 347, 371, 378, and 388 are removed.

Dated: March 6, 2006.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**Patent and Trademark Office****37 CFR Part 1**

[Docket No. 2004–P–038]

RIN 0651–AB79

Changes To Implement the Patent Search Fee Refund Provisions of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005

AGENCY: United States Patent and Trademark Office, Commerce.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: Among other changes to patent and trademark fees, the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (Consolidated Appropriations Act), splits the patent application filing fee into a separate filing fee, search fee and examination fee. The Consolidated Appropriations Act also provides that the United States Patent and Trademark Office (Office) may refund part or all of the excess claims fee and the search fee in certain situations. This final rule revises the rules of practice to implement the provisions for refunding the search fee for applicants who file a written declaration of express abandonment before an examination has been made of the application.

DATES: *Effective Date:* March 10, 2006.

Applicability Date: The changes in this final rule apply to any patent application filed under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) on or after December 8, 2004, in which a petition under 37 CFR 1.138(d) to expressly abandon the application was filed on or after March 10, 2006.

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Patent Examination Policy, by telephone at (571) 272–8800, by mail addressed to: Mail Stop Comments—Patents, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313–1450, or by facsimile to (571) 273–7735, marked to the attention of Robert W. Bahr.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Among other changes, the Consolidated Appropriations Act (section 801 of Division B) provides that 35 U.S.C. 41(a), (b), and (d) shall be administered in a manner that revises patent application fees (35 U.S.C. 41(a)) and patent maintenance fees (35 U.S.C. 41(b)), and provides for a separate filing fee (35 U.S.C. 41(a)), search fee (35 U.S.C. 41(d)(1)), and examination fee (35 U.S.C. 41(a)(3)) during fiscal years 2005 and 2006. The Consolidated Appropriations Act also provides that the Office may, by regulation, provide for a refund of: (1) Any part of the excess claims fee specified in 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(2) for any claim that is canceled before an examination on the merits has been made of the application under 35 U.S.C. 131; (2) any part of the search fee for any applicant who files a written declaration of express abandonment as prescribed by the Office before an examination has been made of the application under 35 U.S.C. 131; and (3) any part of the search fee for any applicant who provides a search report that meets the conditions prescribed by the Office. This final rule revises the rules of practice to implement the provision for a refund of the search fee for any applicant who files a written declaration of express abandonment as prescribed by the Office before an examination has been made of the application under 35 U.S.C. 131, and the provision for a refund of the excess claims fee for any claim that is canceled before an examination on the merits has been made of the application under 35 U.S.C. 131.

Discussion of Specific Rules

Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1, is amended as follows:

Section 1.138: Section 1.138(c) is amended to change “section” (*i.e.*, § 1.138) to “paragraph” (*i.e.*, § 1.138(c)) to clarify that a petition to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication of an application is filed under § 1.138(c) (rather than § 1.138).

Section 1.138 is also amended to include a new paragraph (d), which implements the provision in 35 U.S.C. 41(d)(1)(D) that the Office may provide for a refund of any part of the search fee “for any applicant who files a written declaration of express abandonment as prescribed by the Director before an