DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Internal Revenue Service

26 CFR Part 1

[REG-156518-04]

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Section 411(d)(6) Protected Benefits; Correction

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

ACTION: Correction to notice of proposed rulemaking and notice of public hearing.

SUMMARY: This document corrects a notice of proposed rulemaking and notice of public hearing (REG-156518-04) that was published in the Federal Register on Friday, August 12, 2005 (70 FR 47155). The document contains regulations relating to the anti-cutback rules of section 411(d)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code, which generally protect accrued benefits, early retirement benefits, retirement-type subsidies, and optional forms of benefit under qualified retirement plans.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The notice of proposed rulemaking and notice of public hearing (REG–156518–04) that is the subject of this correction is under section 411(d)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Need for Correction

As published, REG-156518-04 contains errors that may prove to be misleading and are in need of clarification.

Correction of Publication

Accordingly, the notice of proposed rulemaking and notice of public hearing (REG-156518-04), that was the subject of FR Doc. 05-15960, is corrected as follows:

1. On page 47155, column 2, in the preamble under the caption ADDRESSES:, fourth line from the bottom of the paragraph, the language 156581–04). The public hearing will be" is corrected to read "156518–04). The public hearing will be".

§ 1.411(d)-3 [Corrected]

2. On page 47159, column 1, § 1.411(d)-3, (a)(4) paragraph (ii) Example 4, the last line of the paragraph, the language "greater of the 2." is corrected to read, "greater of the 2 vesting schedules (*e.g.*, for G and each other participant in Plan E to be fully vested if the participant completes 5 years of service) for those account balances and earnings.".

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 197

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Notice of Extension of the Public Comment Period, Public Health and Environmental Radiation Protection Standards for Yucca Mountain, NV; Proposed Rule

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule; extension of comment period and announcement of additional public hearing in Las Vegas on October 6, 2005.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency is extending the comment period for the Public Health and Environmental Radiation Protection Standards for Yucca Mountain, Nevada; Proposed Rule which appeared in the Federal Register on August 22, 2003 (68 FR 65120). The public comment period for this proposed rule was to end on October 21, 2005. The purpose of this notice is to extend the comment period to November 21, 2005, and to announce an additional public hearing in Las Vegas on October 6, 2005.

DATES: EPA will accept public comments on this proposed rule until November 21, 2005. Comments received after that date will be marked "late" and accepted at our discretion. The public hearing will be on October 6, 2005 from 11 a.m. to 12. a.m. This hearing will be preceded by an information session from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

ADDRESSES: Procedures for preregistering for and testifying at the public hearing are detailed in the "Hearings Procedures" subsection of the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION section. Comments may be submitted by mail to: EPA Docket Center (EPA/DC), Air and Radiation Docket, Environmental Protection Agency, EPA West, Mail Code 6102T, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave.,

NW., Washington, DC 20460, Attention Docket ID No. OAR–2005–0083. Comments may also be submitted electronically or through hand delivery/courier. Follow the detailed instructions as provided in the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION section.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ray Clark, Office of Radiation and Indoor Air, Radiation Protection Division (6608J), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC, 20460–0001; telephone (202) 343–9601; fax number: 202–343–2305; e-mail address: clark.ray@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Extension of the Public Comment Period

The proposed rule which is the subject of this notice was published in the **Federal Register** on August 22, 2005 (70 FR 49014). That notice requested public comment on the proposed amendments to the public health and environmental radiation protection standards for Yucca Mountain, Nevada (40 CFR part 197).

At that time, EPA announced a 60-day public comment period ending on October 21, 2005. However, the Agency has received formal requests from several stakeholders to extend the comment period to 180 days. EPA recognizes the high level of interest in the issue of Yucca Mountain and that the proposed rule addresses safety over unprecedented time frames. Furthermore, the Agency agrees that it is important to allow adequate time for public information to readily reach more rural areas, particularly in Nevada, which may be affected by decisions related to Yucca Mountain. In view of these factors, and in consideration of requests from the stakeholders, EPA is extending the comment period an additional 30 days to end on November 21, 2005. This will provide a full three months for the public to submit comments, as much time as EPA provided for the full Yucca Mountain standards issued in 2001, which covered a significantly wider array of issues.

II. Additional Public Hearing in Las Vegas, Nevada

EPA is also adding an additional day, October 6, 2006, for a public hearing in Las Vegas, to respond to concerns about schedule conflicts with religious holidays. Hearings for two days (October 4 and October 5) in Las Vegas were announced in a previous **Federal Register** notice published on September 14, 2005 (70 FR 54325–54327). That notice also announced hearings in