factors for certification. This notice is necessary to advise the public of this FAA policy and give all interested persons an opportunity to present their views on it.

**DATES:** Send your comments by October 22, 2001.

Discussion: On August 29, 2001, the Small Airplane Directorate issued a proposed policy statement. We are making this proposed policy statement available to the public and all manufacturers for their comments.

**ADDRESSES:** Copies of the proposed policy statement, PS-ACE100-2001-004, may be requested from the following: Small Airplane Directorate, Standards Office (ACE-110), Aircraft Certification Service, Federal Aviation Administration, 901 Locust Street, Room 301, Kansas City, MO 64106. The proposed policy statement is also available on the Internet at the following address: http://www.faa.gov/programs rsvp2/smart/faa home page/ certification/aircraft/small airplane directorate\_news\_proposed.html. Send all comments on this proposed policy statement to the individual identified under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Frank Bick, Federal Aviation Administration, Small Airplane Directorate, Regulations & Policy, ACE– 111, 901 Locust Street, Room 301, Kansas City, Missouri 64106; telephone: (816) 329–4119; fax: 816–329–4090; email: frank.bick@faa.gov.

# SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### Comments Invited

We invite your comments on this proposed policy statement. Send any data or views as you may desire. Identify the proposed Policy Statement Number PS-ACE100–2001–004 on your comments, and if you submit your comments in writing, send two copies of your comments to the above address. The Small Airplane Directorate will consider all communications received on or before the closing date for comments. We may change the proposal contained in this notice because of the comments received.

You may also send comments to the following Internet address: 9-ACE-Part23HF-Policy@faa.gov. Comments sent by fax or the Internet must contain "Comments to proposed policy statement PS-ACE100–2001–004" in the subject line. You do not need to send two copies if you fax your comments or send them through the Internet. If you send comments over the Internet as an attached electronic file, format it in

either Microsoft Word 97 for Windows or ASCII text.

State what specific change you are seeking to the proposed policy memorandum and include justification (for example, reasons or data) for each request.

Issued in Kansas City, Missouri on September 6, 2001.

# Michael Gallagher,

Manager, Small Airplane Directorate, Aircraft Certification Service.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

## **Federal Highway Administration**

Notice to Rescind Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement: St. Francois County, MO

**AGENCY:** Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), DOT, and the Missouri Department of Transportation.

**ACTION:** Rescind Notice of Intent to prepare an environmental impact statement.

**SUMMARY:** The FHWA is issuing this notice to advise the public that we are rescinding the Notice Of Intent (NOI) to prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) for improvements that were proposed to the transportation system in St. Francois County, Missouri.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Donald L. Neumann, Programs Engineer, FHWA, Division Office, 209 Adams Street, Jefferson City, MO 65101; Telephone: (573) 634–2393 or Scott Meyer, District Engineer, Missouri Department of Transportation, PO Box 160, Sikeston, Missouri, 63801; Telephone: (573) 472–5333.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FHWA, in cooperation with the Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT), is rescinding the NOI to prepare an EIS for a project that had been proposed to improve the transportation system in St. Francois County, Missouri. The NOI is being rescinded because MoDOT lacks funding to build this project. They do not want to concentrate their efforts on completing an EIS for a project which may not be built for 20 years, at which time the EIS would need to be reevaluated.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Number 20.205, Highway Planning and Construction. The regulations implementing Executive Order 12372 regarding intergovernmental consultation on Federal programs and activities apply to this program) Issued on: September 12, 2001.

#### Donald L. Neumann,

Programs Engineer, Jefferson City.
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#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

# Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

[Docket No. FMCSA-99-5578 (formerly FHWA-99-5578)]

# **Qualification of Drivers; Exemption Applications; Vision**

**AGENCY:** Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of renewal of exemption; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the FMCSA's decision to renew the exemptions from the vision requirement in 49 CFR 391.41(b)(10) for 18 individuals.

**DATES:** This decision is effective September 20, 2001. Comments from interested persons should be submitted by October 22, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Mail or hand deliver comments to the U.S. Department of Transportation, Dockets Management Facility, Room PL-401, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590, or submit electronically at http:// dmses.dot.gov/submit. All comments received will be available for examination and copying at the above address from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., e.t., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. Those desiring notification of receipt of comments must include a selfaddressed, stamped postcard or you may print the acknowledgment page that appears after submitting comments electronically.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information about the vision exemptions in this notice, Ms. Sandra Zywokarte, Office of Bus and Truck Standards and Operations, (202) 366–2987; for information about legal issues related to this notice, Mr. Joseph Solomey, Office of the Chief Counsel, (202) 366–1374, FMCSA, Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590. Office hours are from 7:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., e.t., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

## **Electronic Access and Filing**

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