

the aircrew) as spare parts for lethal end-items.

For non-lethal defense end-items, no distinction will be made between Libya's existing and new inventory.

Dated: January 12, 2007.

**Robert G. Joseph,**

*Under Secretary for Arms Control and International Security, Department of State.*

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## EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION

### 29 CFR Part 1603

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#### Procedures for Previously Exempt State and Local Government Employee Complaints of Employment Discrimination Under Section 304 of the Government Employee Rights Act of 1991; Revision

**AGENCY:** Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document contains revisions to the final regulations which were published in the **Federal Register** of Thursday, April 10, 1997 (62 FR 17543). The regulations pertain to the procedures by which state and local government employees previously exempt from maintaining claims of employment discrimination can pursue such claims.

**DATES:** Effective on February 7, 2007.

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#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

Prior to the passage of the Government Employees Rights Act of 1991 (GERA), certain state and local government employees and applicants did not enjoy Federal protection against employment discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability. In affording these

individuals new equal employment opportunity protections, GERA introduced an administrative enforcement mechanism different from EEOC's pre-existing charge resolution procedures. Consequently, EEOC created procedures for handling complaints brought by individuals covered by GERA. These procedures are found in 29 CFR Part 1603.

When 29 CFR Part 1603 was published initially, the legal citation for GERA was 2 U.S.C. 1201 *et seq.* and that part of GERA applicable to previously exempt state and local employees was 2 U.S.C. 1220. Due to a re-codification and transfer, the citations for GERA have been changed to 42 U.S.C. 2000e-16a *et seq.* and 42 U.S.C. 2000e-16c, respectively. Similarly, in accordance with an amendment to GERA, section 321 was renumbered as section 304.

#### Need for Revision

As published, the final regulations contain obsolete legal citations which need to be updated.

#### List of Subjects in 29 CFR Part 1603

Administrative practice and procedure, Equal employment opportunity, Intergovernmental relations, Investigations, State and local governments.

For the Commission.

Dated: January 24, 2007.

**Naomi C. Earp,**  
*Chair.*

■ Accordingly, 29 CFR part 1603 is amended to read as follows:

#### PART 1603—PROCEDURES FOR PREVIOUSLY EXEMPT STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE COMPLAINTS OF EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION UNDER SECTION 304 OF THE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE RIGHTS ACT OF 1991

■ 1. The authority citation for part 1603 is revised to read as follows:

**Authority:** 42 U.S.C. 2000e-16c.

■ 2. The heading to part 1603 is revised to read as set forth above.

#### § 1603.100 [Amended]

■ 3. Amend § 1603.100 to read as follows:

■ a. Remove “321” and add in its place “304.”

■ b. Remove “2 U.S.C. 1220” and add in its place “42 U.S.C. 2000e-16c.”

#### § 1603.101 [Amended]

■ 4. Amend § 1603.101, introductory text, by removing “321” and adding in its place “304.”

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## EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION

### 29 CFR Part 1610

#### Updating Addresses of Commission's Offices in Las Vegas, Nevada and Mobile, AL

**AGENCY:** Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** This final rule revises existing EEOC regulations to update two office addresses.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 7, 2007.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Thomas J. Schlageter, Assistant Legal Counsel, (202) 663-4668, or James G. Allison, Senior Attorney, (202) 663-4661, Office of Legal Counsel, 1801 L St., NW., Washington, DC 20507. Copies of this final rule are available in the following alternate formats: large print, braille, electronic computer disk, and audio-tape. Requests for this notice in an alternative Format should be made to the Publications Center at 1-800-699-3362 (voice), 1-800-800-3302 (TTY), or 703-821-2098 (FAX—this is not a toll free number).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Commission investigates and litigates charges of employment discrimination through its various offices located throughout the country. On July 8, 2005, the Commission voted to open two new local offices, one in Las Vegas, Nevada and one in Mobile, Alabama. These two new office have now been opened. This Final Rule incorporates the addresses of these newly opened offices in the Commission's regulations by modifying 29 CFR 1610.4(c) to reflect the new offices' addresses.

#### Regulatory Procedures

##### Executive Order 12866

This action pertains to agency organization, management or personnel matters and, therefore, is not a rule within the meaning of section 3(d)(3) of Executive Order 12866.

##### Paperwork Reduction Act

This regulation contains no new information collection requirements subject to review by the Office of Management and Budget under the

Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

#### *Regulatory Flexibility Act*

The Commission certifies under 5 U.S.C. 605(b) that this rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities because it does not affect any small business entities. The regulation affects only the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. For this reason, a regulatory flexibility analysis is not required.

#### *Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995*

This final rule will not result in the expenditure by State, local, or tribal governments, in the aggregate, or by the private sector, of \$100 million or more in any one year, and it will not significantly or uniquely affect small governments. Therefore, no actions were deemed necessary under the provisions of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995.

#### *Congressional Review Act*

This action pertains to the Commission's management, personnel and organization and does not substantially affect the rights or obligations of non-agency parties and, accordingly, is not a "rule" as that term is used by the Congressional Review Act (Subtitle E of the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996 (SBREFA)). Therefore, the reporting requirement of 5 U.S.C. 801 does not apply.

#### **List of Subjects in 29 CFR Part 1610**

Administrative practice and procedure, Equal Employment Opportunity.

Dated: January 24, 2007.

For the Commission.

**Naomi C. Earp,**  
*Chair.*

■ For the reasons set forth in the preamble, part 1610 is amended as follows:

#### **PART 1610—AVAILABILITY OF RECORDS**

■ 1. The authority citation for part 1610 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 42 U.S.C. 2000e-12(a), 5 U.S.C. 552 as amended by Pub. L. 93-502, Pub. L. 99-570, and Pub. L. 105-231; for § 1610.15, non-search or copy portions are issued under 31 U.S.C. 9701.

#### **§ 1610.4 [Amended]**

■ 2. Amend § 1610.4(c) as follows:

■ a. After the words "Las Vegas Local Office (Los Angeles District)," remove the words "not yet open" and add, in

their place, the words "333 Las Vegas Blvd. South, Suite 8112, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101."

■ b. After the words "Mobile Local Office (Birmingham District)," remove the words "not yet open" and add, in their place, the words "63 South Royal Street, Suite 504, Mobile, Alabama 36602."

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## **DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

### **Coast Guard**

#### **33 CFR Part 117**

[CGD05-06-089]

**RIN 1625-AA09**

#### **Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Lewes and Rehoboth Canal, Lewes, DE and Rehoboth, DE; Mispillion River, Milford, DE**

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DHS.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Coast Guard is changing the drawbridge operation regulations of three Delaware Department of Transportation (DelDOT) bridges: the Savannah Road/SR 18 Bridge, at mile 1.7, in Lewes, the SR 14A Bridge, at mile 6.7, in Rehoboth, and the S14 Bridge, at mile 11.0, across Mispillion River at Milford, DE. This final rule will allow the Savannah Road/SR 18 Bridge to open on signal if 4 hours advance notice is given and allow the SR 14A and S14 Bridges to open on signal if 24 hours advance notice is given. This change will provide longer advance notification for vessel openings from 4 hours to 24 hours while still providing for the reasonable needs of navigation.

**DATES:** This rule is effective March 9, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments and material received from the public, as well as documents indicated in this preamble as being available in the docket, are part of docket CGD05-06-089 and are available for inspection or copying at Commander (dpb), Fifth Coast Guard District, Federal Building, 1st Floor, 431 Crawford Street, Portsmouth, VA 23704-5004 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. The Fifth Coast Guard District maintains the public docket for this rulemaking.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Waverly W. Gregory, Jr., Bridge

Administrator, Fifth Coast Guard District, at (757) 398-6222.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

#### **Regulatory History**

On October 5, 2006, we published a notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM) entitled "Drawbridge Operation Regulation; Lewes and Rehoboth Canal, Mispillion River, DE" in the **Federal Register** (71 FR 58776). We received one comment on the proposed rule. No public meeting was requested, and none was held.

#### **Background and Purpose**

DelDOT, who owns and operates the Savannah Road/SR 18 Bridge, at mile 1.7, in Lewes, the SR 14A Bridge, at mile 6.7, in Rehoboth, and the S14 Bridge, at mile 11.0, across Mispillion River at Milford, requested longer advance notification for vessel openings from 2 hours to 24 hours for the following reasons:

#### *Lewes and Rehoboth Canal*

In the closed-to-navigation position, the Savannah Road/SR 18 Bridge, at mile 1.7, in Lewes and the SR 14A Bridge, at mile 6.7, in Rehoboth, have vertical clearances of 15 feet and 16 feet, above mean high water, respectively. The existing operating regulation for these drawbridges is set out in 33 CFR 117.239, which requires the bridges to open on signal from May 1 through October 31 from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. and from 8 p.m. to 7 a.m. if at least two hours notice is given. From November 1 through April 30, the draws shall open if at least 24 hours notice is given.

DelDOT provided information to the Coast Guard about the conditions and reduced operational capabilities of the draw spans. Due to the infrequency of requests for vessel openings of the drawbridge for the past 10 years, DelDOT requested that we amend the current operating regulation by requiring the draw spans to open on signal if at least 24 hours notice is given year-round.

#### *Mispillion River*

The S14 Bridge, at mile 11.0 in at Milford, has a vertical clearance of five feet, above mean high water, in the closed-to-navigation position. The existing regulation is listed at 33 CFR 117.241, which requires the bridge to open on signal if at least two hours notice is given. Due to the infrequency of requests for vessel openings of the drawbridge for the past 10 years, DelDOT requested that we amend the current operating regulation by requiring the draw spans to open on