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DATES: This correction is effective August 6, 2014 and applicable beginning July 2, 2014.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jamie Dvoretzky, at (202) 317-6799 (not a toll free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The final regulations (TD 9673) that are the subject of this correction is under section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Need for Correction

As published, the final (TD 9673) contains errors that may prove to be misleading and are in need of clarification.

List of Subjects in 26 CFR Part 1

Income taxes, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Correction of Publication

Accordingly, 26 CFR part 1 is corrected by making the following correcting amendments:

PART 1—INCOME TAXES

■ **Paragraph 1.** The authority citation for part 1 continues to read in part as follows:

Authority: 26 U.S.C. 7805 * * *

■ **Par. 2.** Section 1.401(a)(9)–6 is corrected by revising paragraph (c)(4)(i) introductory text, the second sentence of paragraph (d)(1)(ii)(B), and paragraph (d)(3)(i) to read as follows:

§ 1.401(a)(9)–6 Required minimum distributions for defined benefit plans and annuity contracts.

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(c) * * *

(4) * * *

(i) * * * In lieu of a life annuity payable to a designated beneficiary under paragraph (c)(1) or (2) of this A–17, a QLAC is permitted to provide for a benefit to be paid to a beneficiary after the death of the employee in an amount equal to excess of—

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(d) * * *

(1) * * *

(ii) * * *

(B) * * * If the excess premium (including the fair market value of an

annuity contract that is not intended to be a QLAC, if applicable) is returned to the non-QLAC portion of the employee's account after the last valuation date for the calendar year in which the excess premium was originally paid, then the employee's account balance for that calendar year must be increased to reflect that excess premium in the same manner as an employee's account balance is increased under A–2 of § 1.401(a)(9)–7 to reflect a rollover received after the last valuation date.

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(3) * * *

(i) *Structural deficiency.* If a contract fails to be a QLAC at any time for a reason other than an excess premium described in paragraph (d)(1)(ii) of this A–17, then as of the date of purchase the contract will not be treated as a QLAC (for purposes of A–3(d) of § 1.401(a)(9)–5) or as a contract that is intended to be a QLAC (for purposes of paragraph (b) of this A–17).

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Internal Revenue Service

26 CFR Parts 1 and 602

[TD 9673]

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Longevity Annuity Contracts; Correction

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

ACTION: Final regulations; correction.

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Correction of Publication

Accordingly, the final regulations (TD 9673), that are the subject of FR Doc. 2014–15524, are corrected as follows:

1. On page 37634, third column, in the preamble, first line from the top of the page, the language “premium payments will be taken into” is corrected to read “premium payments would be taken into”.

2. On page 37636, first column, in the footnotes, the seventh line from the bottom of the page, the language “411(a) of the Code). Section 205(e)(2) of the” is corrected to read “411(a). Section 205(e)(2) of the”.

3. On page 37637, first column, in the preamble, under the paragraph heading “II. IRAs”, the first sentence is removed.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement

30 CFR Part 943

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Texas Regulatory Program

AGENCY: Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Interior.

ACTION: Final rule; approval of amendment.

SUMMARY: We, the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSMRE), are approving an amendment to the Texas regulatory program (Texas program) under the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (SMCRA or the Act). Texas proposed revisions to its regulations regarding annual permit fees. Texas revised its program at its own initiative to raise revenues sufficient to cover its anticipated share of costs to administer the coal regulatory program and to encourage mining companies to more quickly reclaim lands and request bond