develop and improve the RNAV route structure.


Colored Federal airway A–17 extends between the Chena, AK, NDB and the Put River NDB. The decommissioning of the Chandalar Lake and Put River NDBs would render A–17 unusable. The FAA proposes to revoke A–17 in its entirety. The loss of A–17 is mitigated by existing RNAV route T–227 which is near A–17.

Colored Federal airway G–16 extends between the Point Lay, AK, NDB and the Put River NDB. The decommissioning of the Wainwright Village, Browerville, Nuiqsut Village, and Put River NDBs would render G–16 unusable. The FAA proposes to revoke G–16 in its entirety. The loss of G–16 is mitigated by existing RNAV routes T–366 and T–235 which overlay or are near G–16.

The Proposal

The FAA is proposing an amendment to 14 CFR part 71 to revoke Colored Federal airways A–3, A–17, and G–16 in Alaska due to the pending decommissioning of their supporting NAVAID. Colored Federal airway A–3 extends between the Evansville and Put River NDBs. Colored Federal airway A–17 extends between the Chena and the Put River NDBs. Colored Federal airway G–16 extends between the Point Lay and the Put River NDBs. The FAA proposes to revoke Colored Federal airways A–3, A–17, and G–16 in their entirety.

Regulatory Notices and Analyses

The FAA has determined that this proposed regulation only involves an established body of technical regulations for which frequent and routine amendments are necessary to keep them operationally current. It, therefore: (1) is not a “significant regulatory action” under Executive Order 12866; (2) is not a “significant rule” under DOT Regulatory Policies and Procedures (44 FR 11034; February 26, 1979); and (3) does not warrant preparation of a regulatory evaluation as the anticipated impact is so minimal. Since this is a routine matter that will only affect air traffic procedures and air navigation, it is certified that this proposed rule, when promulgated, will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities under the criteria of the Regulatory Flexibility Act.

Environmental Review

This proposal will be subject to an environmental analysis in accordance with FAA Order 1050.1F, “Environmental Impacts: Policies and Procedures” prior to any FAA final regulatory action.

List of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 71

Airspace, Incorporation by reference, Navigation (air).

The Proposed Amendment

In consideration of the foregoing, the Federal Aviation Administration proposes to amend 14 CFR part 71 as follows:

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF CLASS A, B, C, D, AND E AIRSPACE AREAS; AIR TRAFFIC SERVICE ROUTES; AND REPORTING POINTS

§ 71.1 [Amended]

1. The authority citation for 14 CFR part 71 continues to read as follows:


§ 71.1 [Amended]

2. The incorporation by reference in 14 CFR 71.1 of FAA Order JO 7400.11H, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated August 11, 2023, and effective September 15, 2023, is amended as follows:

Paragraph 6009(a) Colored Federal Airways.

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G–16 Remove

Paragraph 6009(c) Colored Federal Airways.

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A–2 Remove

A–17 Remove

Issued in Washington, DC, on November 17, 2023.

Karen Chioldini,
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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

39 CFR Part 3030

[Docket No. RM2020–5; Order No. 6801]

RIN 3211–AA27

Market Dominant Postal Products

AGENCY: Postal Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Supplemental notice of proposed rulemaking.

SUMMARY: The Commission previously proposed amendments to its regulations concerning rate incentives for Market Dominant products. After the period for filing comments in the instant docket closed, in Docket No. R2023–3, the Postal Service proposed, and the Commission subsequently approved, two Market Dominant rate incentives for Calendar Year (CY) 2024. Because the rule proposals in the instant docket may have a bearing on any future proposals to include these rate incentives in the percentage change in rates calculation, the Commission provides the public with an opportunity to comment on the relationship of the rule proposals in the instant docket and the rate incentives approved for CY 2024 in Docket No. R2023–3.

DATES: Comments are due: December 4, 2023.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments electronically via the Commission’s Filing Online system at http://www.prc.gov. Those who cannot submit comments electronically should contact the person identified in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section by telephone for advice on filing alternatives.

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I. Background

Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 503 and 3622, the Commission proposed amendments to its regulations concerning rate incentives for Market Dominant products appearing in existing 39 CFR part 3030. The proposed amendments would revise the regulation defining “rate of general applicability” for purposes of Market Dominant rate adjustment proceedings to clarify that,
to qualify as a rate of general applicability, a rate incentive may not be based on historical mail volumes or prior mailer participation in a rate incentive or promotion. See Order No. 6325 at 1. Further, the Commission proposed to begin enforcing 39 CFR 3030.123(f) and 39 CFR 3030.128(f)(2)(iv) in their entirety. Enforcing these rules would add an additional criterion for a rate incentive to be eligible for inclusion in a percentage change in rates calculation and would require that more information concerning Market Dominant rate incentives be included in a notice of rate adjustment. See Order No. 6325 at 2.

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II. Invitation To Comment

Because the First-Class Mail Growth Incentive and the Marketing Mail Growth Incentives were proposed after the timeframes for submitting comments in responses to the rule proposals set forth in Order No. 6325 ended, and because those rule proposals may have a bearing on the Postal Service's ability to include those rate incentives in the percentage change in rates calculation, the Commission provides an opportunity for comment on the relationship between the pending rule proposals in the instant proceeding and the First-Class Mail Growth Incentive and the Marketing Mail Growth Incentive. The Commission invites comments from the public on the relationship of these rule proposals and rate incentives, including on the questions that the Commission raised in Order No. 6713 about whether the First-Class Mail Growth Incentive and the Marketing Mail Growth Incentive would be permitted to be included in the percentage change in rates calculation under the rule proposals in Order No. 6325.

III. Administrative Actions

The Regulatory Flexibility Act requires federal agencies, in promulgating rules, to consider the impact of those rules on small entities. See 5 U.S.C. 601 et seq. If the proposed or final rules will not, if promulgated, have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities, the head of the agency may certify that the initial and final regulatory flexibility analysis requirements of 5 U.S.C. 603 and 604 do not apply. See 5 U.S.C. 605(b).

In the context of this rulemaking, the Commission’s primary responsibility is in the regulatory oversight of the United States Postal Service. The rules that are the subject of this rulemaking have a regulatory impact on the Postal Service, but do not impose any regulatory obligation upon any other entity. Based on these findings, the Chairman of the Commission certifies that the rules that are the subject of this rulemaking will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. Therefore, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 605(b), this rulemaking is exempt from the initial and final regulatory flexibility analysis requirements of 5 U.S.C. 603 and 604.

Interested persons are invited to provide written comments as discussed in this notice. Comments are due no later than December 4, 2023. All comments received will be available for review on the Commission's website, http://www.prc.gov.

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By the Commission.
Erica A. Barker,
Secretary.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Does this action apply to me?

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