

U. S. Department of Labor, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington 25, D. C., their views and comments relative to the proposed amendment.

Signed in Washington, D. C., this 10th day of July 1953.

WM. R. McCOMB,
Administrator,
Wage and Hour Division.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

[16 CFR Part 300]

[File No. 204-5]

RULES AND REGULATIONS UNDER WOOL PRODUCTS LABELING ACT OF 1939

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING

1. The Federal Trade Commission hereby gives notice of proposed rule making in the matter of amending Rule 28 of the Rules and Regulations (16 CFR

300.28) under the Wool Products Labeling Act of 1939.

It is proposed that § 300.28 (Rule 28) be amended as follows:

a. By adding the following as paragraph (a) thereof:

(a) *Products containing synthetic fibers produced from textile by-products.* Where a wool product is composed in part of various synthetic fibers produced from textile by-products containing undetermined quantities of such fibers, the percentage content of the respective fibers from such textile by-products may be disclosed on the required stamp, tag or label in aggregate form as "synthetic fibers" followed by the naming of such fibers in the order of their predominance by weight, as for example:

- 60% wool.
- 40% synthetic fibers:
 - Rayon.
 - Acetate.
 - Nylon.

b. By setting forth the title and text of present § 300.28 as paragraph (b) of the amended section.

c. By substituting for the title of present § 300.28, the following title: § 300.28 *Undetermined quantities of synthetic and miscellaneous reused fibers.*

2. Such action is taken pursuant to authority provided in section 6 (a) of the Wool Products Labeling Act of 1939 (54 Stat. 1151; 15 U. S. C. A. section 68d).

3. Interested parties may participate by submitting to the Federal Trade Commission at its offices in Washington, D. C., on or before the 17th day of August 1953, in writing and in duplicate, their views, arguments or other data, either in support of or against the proposed rule, or the form thereof. The Commission will consider all views, arguments and data submitted before taking final action with respect to the proposed rule.

Issued: July 9, 1953.

By direction of the Commission.

[SEAL] WM. P. GLENDENING, Jr.,
Acting Secretary.

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NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Bureau of Customs

[495.22]

LEATHER-COVERED BRIER PIPES

PROSPECTIVE TARIFF CLASSIFICATION

JULY 10, 1953.

It appears probable that a correct interpretation of paragraph 1552, Tariff Act of 1930, requires that tobacco pipes and pipe bowls of brier, covered with and in chief value of leather, be classified thereunder as "pipes, pipe bowls * * *, not specially provided for, * * * of whatever material composed," and not as "tobacco pipe bowls, wholly or in chief value of brier or other wood or root, * * * and tobacco pipes having such bowls," at a rate of duty, in some instances, higher than that currently assessed under an established and uniform practice.

Pursuant to § 16.10a (d), Customs Regulations of 1943 (19 CFR 16.10a (d)), notice is hereby given that the existing practice of classifying such merchandise is under review in the Bureau of Customs.

Consideration will be given to any relevant data, views, or arguments pertaining to the correct tariff classification of such pipes, which are submitted in writing to the Bureau of Customs, Washington 25, D. C. To assure consideration, such communications must be received in the Bureau not later than 30 days from the date of this publication. No hearings will be held.

[SEAL] D. B. STRUBINGER,
Acting Commissioner of Customs.

[F. R. Doc. 53-6275; Filed, July 15, 1953; 8:51 a. m.]

Office of the Secretary

[Treasury Department Order 150-28]

COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO CERTIFY ASSESSMENT LISTS

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue is authorized to delegate to officers or employees of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, including the field service, authority to certify all lists of assessments of internal revenue taxes and to authorize such officers or employees to delegate any such function to any other officer or employee under their general supervision and control.

This order shall be effective July 1, 1953.

Dated: July 6, 1953.

[SEAL] M. B. FOLSOM,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

[F. R. Doc. 53-6277; Filed, July 15, 1953; 8:51 a. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

CERTAIN LANDS ACQUIRED UNDER TITLE III, BANKHEAD-JONES FARM TENANT ACT

SUITABILITY FOR NATIONAL FOREST PURPOSES

JUNE 30, 1953.

Pursuant to the requirement of Executive Order 10445, dated April 10, 1953 (18 F. R. 2069), except as to lands within the States of Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, New Mexico, Oregon, Washington, and Wyoming, all lands within the exterior boundaries of national forests which have been ac-

quired through exchange since April 10, 1953, or that are in the process of being acquired through exchange by the Forest Service on behalf of the United States under authority of Title III of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, as amended (7 U. S. C. 1010-1013), are hereby determined to be suitable for national forest purposes.

[SEAL] RICHARD E. McARDLE,
Chief, Forest Service.

[F. R. Doc. 53-6262; Filed, July 15, 1953; 8:48 a. m.]

Rural Electrification Administration

[Administrative Order 4250]

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR LOANS

JUNE 16, 1953.

I hereby amend:
(a) Administrative Order No. 1618, dated October 13, 1948, by reducing the allocation of \$1,200,000 therein made for "Georgia 45N Sumter" by \$616,901.14 so that the reduced allocation shall be \$583,098.86.

[SEAL] WM. C. WISE,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 53-6279; Filed, July 15, 1953; 8:52 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4251]

MINNESOTA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

JUNE 16, 1953.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the