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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

5 CFR Part 870

RIN 3206-AM96

Federal Employees' Group Life Insurance Program: Options B and C; Correction

AGENCY: U.S. Office of Personnel Management.

ACTION: Final rule; correction.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Office of Personnel Management (OPM) published a document in the **Federal Register** on May 5, 2016 (81 FR 26997) to amend the Federal Employees' Group Life Insurance (FEGLI) regulation to provide a second reduction election opportunity for annuitants and compensationers enrolled in FEGLI Option B and Option C. This document makes a minor correction to that rule.

DATES: Effective June 29, 2016.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: We are correcting the final rule published May 5, 2016 (81 FR 26997). The final rule included a section entitled **ADDRESSES.** This section was included in error since the regulation is a final rule and OPM is not accepting further comments.

In rule FR Doc. 2016–10539 published on May 5, 2016 (81 FR 26997) make the following correction. On page 26997, in the first column, remove the **ADDRESSES** section.

U.S. Office of Personnel Management. Jonathan Foley,

Director, Planning and Policy Analysis. [FR Doc. 2016–15261 Filed 6–28–16; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6325–63–P

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Food Safety and Inspection Service

9 CFR Parts 312, 322, 350, 362, 381, 590, and 592

[Docket No. FSIS-2009-0026]

RIN 0583-AD41

Electronic Export Application and Certification Charge; Flexibility in the Requirements for Export Inspection Marks, Devices, and Certificates; Egg Products Export Certification

AGENCY: Food Safety and Inspection Service, USDA.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) is amending the meat and poultry inspection regulations to provide for an electronic export application and certification system. The electronic export application and certification system will be a component of the Agency's Public Health Information System (PHIS). The PHIS Export Component will be available as an alternative to the paperbased export application and certification process. FSIS will charge an application fee to exporters that use the PHIS Export Component. FSIS is establishing a formula for calculating the fee. On an annual basis, the Agency will use the formula to update the fee and publish the new fee in the Federal **Register**. The updated fee will apply at the start of each calendar year. FSIS is also amending the meat and poultry export regulations to provide flexibility in the requirements for official export inspection marks, devices, and certificates. In addition, FSIS is amending the egg product export regulations to parallel the meat and poultry product export regulations.

DATES: *Effective Date:* August 29, 2016. Applicability Date: The regulations that provide for an electronic export application and certification system for meat, poultry, and egg products; an electronic application fee; and the use of a 7-digit export mark or unique identifier will be applicable on June 29, 2017. These regulations include 9 CFR 312.8; 381.104; 322.2(a); 381.106(a); 590.407(a); 590.407(c) (unique identifier and 7-digit export mark provisions only); 350.7(e) through (g) and 362.5(e) through (g); 592.500(a); and 592.500(d) through (f).

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Daniel Engeljohn, Assistant Administrator, Office of Policy and Program Development, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 1400 Independence Avenue SW., Room 2147, Washington, DC 20250–3700, (202) 205–0495. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Executive Summary

On January 23, 2012, FSIS proposed to amend its regulations to provide for the PHIS Export Component, an electronic export application and certification system that would be available as an alternative to the paperbased application and certification process (77 FR 3159). The Agency also proposed amendments to provide exporters with flexibility in the official marking of exported products and to delete certain prescriptive practices from the regulations, such as the obsolete "upon request" poultry export certification provision (9 CFR 381.105(a)) and requirements for "triplicate" and "duplicate" forms (9 CFR 322.2 and 381.105) to allow for "copies" of the export certificates. In addition, FSIS proposed to organize and make parallel, to the extent possible, the regulatory language for the export application and certification of meat and poultry products and to amend the egg products export regulations to add export application and certification requirements.

Because the PHIS Export Component will provide exporters with new service options, such as the ability to electronically submit, track, and manage their export applications, the Agency proposed to charge exporters a fee for the service. FSIS proposed a formula for calculating the fee based on recovering the Agency's costs of maintaining and operating the PHIS Export Component.

After review and consideration of all the comments submitted, FSIS is finalizing the proposed amendments, with modifications:

• One component of the fee formula, direct inspection cost, has been deleted. Other cost components of the formula, *e.g.*, technical support, export library maintenance, on-going operations and maintenance cost, and the number of export applications, have been updated. The export application fee has been recalculated based on the updated costs