

OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

5 CFR Part 731

[Docket ID: OPM–2025–0173]

RIN 3206–AO97

Suitability Action Appeals; Correction

AGENCY: Office of Personnel Management.

ACTION: Final rule; correction.

SUMMARY: The Office of Personnel Management (OPM) published a final rule in the **Federal Register** on August 3, 2026, concerning suitability action appeals. That document contained typographical and structural errors in the regulatory text. This document corrects the final rule.

DATES: Effective September 2, 2026.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: OPM published a final rule on August 3, 2026 (91 FR 49034; FR Doc. 2026–15650), revising subpart E of 5 CFR part 731. The document contained clerical errors, including missing spaces in § 731.504(c); a limiting principle miscast as an item in the list of sanctions in § 731.506(b); a cross-reference in § 731.505(b) that erroneously included paragraph (d) of that section, which provides for the assignment of an administrative judge rather than an administrative law judge; and citation-form and capitalization errors. In addition, the preamble relies on 5 U.S.C. 3302, which was inadvertently omitted from the revised authority citation for part 731. This document corrects those errors before the rule's effective date. The corrections are non-substantive.

Regulatory Review

OPM has examined this rule under Executive Orders 12866 and 13563. For the reasons discussed above, this rule is not a significant regulatory action under Executive Order 12866. This is not an E.O. 14192 regulatory action because this rule is not significant under E.O. 12866.

Signing Statement

The Director of OPM, Scott Kupor, reviewed and approved this document and has authorized the undersigned to electronically sign and submit this document to the Office of the Federal Register for publication.

Office of Personnel Management.

Jerson Matias,

Federal Register Liaison.

Correction

In FR Doc. 2026–15650, appearing on page 49034 in the **Federal Register** of Monday, August 3, 2026, the following corrections are made:

PART 731 [CORRECTED]

■ 1. On page 49065, in the third column, in amendatory instruction 1, in the authority citation for part 731, remove “5 U.S.C. 1103, 1302, 2301, 2302, 3301, 7301.” and add in its place “5 U.S.C. 1103, 1302, 2301, 2302, 3301, 3302, 7301.”.

§ 731.503 [Corrected]

- 2. On page 49067, starting in the second column, in § 731.503:
 - a. In paragraph (c)(1), remove “documents establishing” and add in its place “Documents establishing”;
 - b. In paragraph (c)(2), remove “all investigative” and add in its place “All investigative”;
 - c. In paragraph (c)(3), remove “the charge-by-charge” and add in its place “The charge-by-charge”;
 - d. In paragraph (c)(4), remove “the written final decision” and add in its place “The written final decision”;
 - e. In paragraph (c)(5), remove “any direction from OPM” and add in its place “Any direction from OPM”;
 - f. In paragraph (c)(6), remove “a certification” and add in its place “A certification”;
 - g. In the paragraph (f) subject heading, remove “Service of Documents.” and add in its place “Service of documents.”; and
 - h. In the paragraph (g) subject heading, remove “Untimely Filings.” and add in its place “Untimely filings.”.

§ 731.504 [Corrected]

- 3. On page 49068, in the first column, in § 731.504(c), remove “an employee of the responsible agency or OPM and” and add in its place “an employee of the responsible agency or OPM and”.

§ 731.505 [Corrected]

- 4. On page 49068, starting in the second column, in § 731.505:
 - a. In paragraph (b), remove “under this paragraph or paragraphs (a) or (d) of this section” and add in its place “under this paragraph (b) or paragraph (a) of this section”; and
 - b. In paragraph (e), remove “pursuant to paragraph (d),” and add in its place “pursuant to paragraph (d) of this section,”.
- 5. On page 49069, in the first column, in § 731.506, paragraph (b)(4) is

redesignated as paragraph (c) and corrected to read as follows:

§ 731.506 [Corrected]

(c) *Scope of sanctions.* Any sanction issued under paragraph (b) of this section must be proportionate, causally related to the violation, and no broader than necessary to protect the adjudicatory process.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

14 CFR Part 73

[Docket No. FAA–2026–10430; Airspace Docket No. 25–AWP–168]

RIN 2120–AA66

Amendment of Restricted Areas R–2505, R–2524, R–2508, and R–2515 in California

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This action amends multiple coordinates used to describe restricted areas R–2505, R–2524, R–2508, and R–2515 in California. The amendments are administrative in nature and do not expand any outer boundaries, altitudes, times of designation, or activities conducted within the restricted areas.

DATES: Effective date 0901 UTC, October 29, 2026.

ADDRESSES: A copy of this final rule and all background material may be viewed online at www.regulations.gov using the FAA Docket number. Electronic retrieval help and guidelines are available on the website. It is available 24 hours each day, 365 days each year. An electronic copy of this document may also be downloaded from www.federalregister.gov.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority for This Rulemaking

The FAA's authority to issue rules regarding aviation safety is found in Title 49 of the United States Code. Subtitle I, Section 106 describes the authority of the FAA Administrator. Subtitle VII, Aviation Programs, describes in more detail the scope of the