

[Docket No. 15373; Amdt. No. ~~93-93~~]

**PART 93—SPECIAL AIR TRAFFIC RULES
AND AIRPORT TRAFFIC AREAS**

**Revocation of the Columbia River Seaplane
Base Special Air Traffic Rule**

The purpose of this amendment to Part 93 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is to revoke the special rule applicable to the Columbia River Seaplane Base near Portland, Oregon.

On August 29, 1967, the Federal Aviation Administration promulgated Subpart H to Part 93 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (32 FR 12747) establishing special rules for operating aircraft to or from the Pearson Airpark and the Columbia River Seaplane Base. The proximity of these airports to Portland International Airport was such that special communications requirements and special approach and departure patterns were required in the interest of safety.

The Federal Aviation Administration has been notified, pursuant to Part 157 of the Federal Aviation Regulations, that the Columbia River Seaplane Base has been abandoned and that flight operations are no longer being conducted at that airport. Therefore, the rule applicable to aircraft operations conducted to or from that airport may be revoked.

Because the special air traffic rule applicable to the Columbia River Seaplane Base is an obsolete regulation having no substantive effect on any person, compliance with the notice and public procedure requirements of 5 U.S.C. 553 is unnecessary. Since this amendment merely revokes an obsolete regulation, it may also be made effective in less than 30 days.

AUTHORITY: Section 307 and 313(a) of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (49 U.S.C. §§ 1348 and 1354(a)); and Section 6(c) of the Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. § 1655(c)).

In consideration of the foregoing, Subpart H of Part 93 of the Federal Aviation Regulations is amended, effective February 5, 1976, as follows:

1. In § 93.101, the words "or the Columbia River Seaplane Base" following the words "Pearson Airpark" are deleted.
2. In § 93.103, the words "or the Columbia River Seaplane Base" following the words "Pearson Airpark" are deleted.
3. Section 93.107 is revoked in its entirety.

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Acting Administrator.

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