

Federal Register unless we receive written adverse comments or written notice of intent to submit adverse comments within 30 days of the date of publication of this rule in the **Federal Register**.

Adverse comments are comments that suggest the rule should not be adopted or suggest the rule should be changed.

If we receive written adverse comments or written notice of intent to submit adverse comments, we will publish a document in the **Federal Register** withdrawing this rule before the effective date. We will then publish a proposed rule for public comment. Following the close of that comment period, the comments will be considered, and a final rule addressing the comments will be published.

As discussed above, if we receive no written adverse comments nor written notice of intent to submit adverse comments within 30 days of publication of this direct final rule, this direct final rule will become effective 60 days following its publication. We will

publish a document to this effect in the **Federal Register**, before the effective date of this direct final, confirming that it is effective on the date indicated in this document.

Direct Final Action

In 1991 FGIS incorporated by reference the 1990 edition of Handbook 105-1. FGIS will continue to adopt this edition by reference in section 802.0(a) of the regulations.

The 1990 edition of Handbook 44 has been changed annually by NIST as new items are adopted, deleted, or revised by the National Conference on Weights and Measures. Many of these changes were for clarity. Further, most State weights and measures organizations automatically adopt each new edition of Handbook 44 and Handbook 105-1. FGIS will revise section 802.0(a) by incorporating by reference the 1994 edition of Handbook 44 including the following sections:

Section 1.10 General Code
Section 2.20 Scales

Section 2.22 Automatic Bulk Weighing Systems

Section 2.23 Weights

In addition, recent amendments to the U.S. Grain Standards Act (Public Law 103-156) have included the authority to provide for the testing of weighing equipment used for other than weighing grain. FGIS is referring to this type of testing as commercial testing and is including references to commercial services in its regulations.

The following table lists those relevant codes and paragraphs, but not definitions, in which amendments and editorial changes were made in 1991 through 1994 by the 75th, 76th, 77th, and 78th National Conference on Weights and Measures as they appeared in the 1991 through 1994 editions of Handbook 44. The column headed "Action" indicates changes noted as "added", "amended", "deleted", "renumbered", or provides an explanation.

Code	Paragraph	Action
1990 Amendments		
General	G-S.5.3.1 & G-S.5.6	Retroactive.
Scales	S.1.7	Amended.
Scales	S.2.1.5	Added.
Scales	S.6.1., S.6.2.1, S.6.3., S.6.4	Deleted.
Scales	S.6.5., S.6.6., S.6.7., S.6.7.1	Deleted.
Scales	S.6.7.2., S.6.8., S.6.10	Deleted.
Scales	S.6.11	Deleted.
Scales	S.6.1. and S.6.2	Renumbered.
Scales	S.6.3	Added.
Scales	Tables S.6.3.a & b	Added.
Scales	S.6.11	Amended.
Scales	N.3.1	Amended.
Scales	N.3.1.1	Deleted.
Scales	N.3.1.1., N.3.1.2, N.3.1.3	Added.
Scales	N.4.-N.4.3.1.4	Added.
Scales	T.N.3.6.-T.N.3.6.4	Amended.
Scales	T.N.3.7	Renumbered.
Scales	T.N.3.8	Renumbered.
Scales	UR.5	Added.
Scales	Section T.1	Amended.
Scales	Table T.1.1	Added.
Scales	T.N.8.1.3	Amended.
1990 Editorial Changes		
Scales	T.1.1.1	Deleted.
Scales	Table 8	Class III entries restored.
1991 Amendments		
General	G-S.1	Amended.
General	G-UR.2.3	Amended.
General	G-UR.4.1	Amended.
Scales	S.1.11	Amended.
Scales	S.2.4	Amended.
Scales	N.1.3.4	Amended.
Scales	N.4	Footnote Added.
Scales	N.4.3.1.3	Amended.
Automatic Bulk Weighing Systems	UR.4	Amended.