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Dear Registrant:

Pursuant to [28 CFR 50.26 and 50.27](#), newly approved guidance has been posted to the [Guidance Document Portal](#) and [Question & Answers](#) sections on the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Diversion Control Division website. The guidance is also accessible on the Department of Justice [Guidance Portal](#). Links to the specific documents are included below for your convenience.

Document No.: DC-21-052

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Document Title: Use of a Home Address as a Principal Place of Business or Professional Practice by an Individual Practitioner

Document Summary: This guidance document addresses issues pertaining to an individual practitioner's use of their home address as a principal place of business or professional practice and the home address becoming controlled premises subject to unannounced inspections and administrative warrants under existing Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) regulations.

DEA Guidance Document Portal Link:

[https://www.dea diversion.usdoj.gov/GDP/\(DEA-DC-052\)\(EO-DEA183\)%20Home as Registered Location.pdf](https://www.dea diversion.usdoj.gov/GDP/(DEA-DC-052)(EO-DEA183)%20Home as Registered Location.pdf)

DEA Website Q&A Link:

https://www.dea diversion.usdoj.gov/faq/registration_faq.htm

DOJ Guidance Portal Link:

<https://www.justice.gov/guidance?keys=dea-dc-052&=Apply>

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