Advanced Copy Document Library), NRC subsystem at FedWorld, 703-321-3339. Members of the public who are located outside of the Washington, DC area can dial FedWorld, 1-800-303-9672, or use the FedWorld Internet address: fedworld.gov (Telnet). The document will be available on the bulletin board for 30 days after the signature date of this notice. If assistance is needed in accessing the document, please contact the FedWorld help desk at 703-487-4608. Additional assistance in locating the document is available from the NRC Public Document Room, nationally at 1-800-397–4209, or within the Washington, DC area at 202-634-3273.

Comments and questions should be directed to the OMB reviewer by September 11, 1996.

Peter Francis, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, (3150–0046, 3150– 0047, and 3150–0050), NEOB–10202, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

Comments can also be submitted by telephone at (202) 395–3084. The NRC Clearance Officer is Brenda Jo Shelton, (301) 415–7233.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 1st day of August 1996.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. Gerald F. Cranford,

Designated Senior Official for Information Resources Management.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Proposed Collection; Comment Request for a Revised Information Collection

AGENCY: Office of Personnel

Management.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, May 22, 1995), this notice announces that the Office of Personnel Management intends to submit to the Office of Management and Budget a request for reclearance of a revised information collection. Application to Participate as a Carrier Under 5 U.S.C. 8903(4), is used by OPM to determine if Comprehensive Medical Plans applying for participation in the Federal **Employees Health Benefits Program** meet the requirements for participation. The revised application considerably lessens the information collection burden of the current application. This

revision needs to be in place by the end of 1996 so plans can use it during the next application cycle.

The total annual reporting burden is estimated to be 4,500 hours based on 50 applications at an average time burden of 90 hours per plan.

For copies of this proposal, contact Jim Farron on (202) 418–3208, or E– Mail to jmfarron@mail.opm.gov

DATES: Comments on this proposal should be received on or before October 11, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Send or deliver comments to—Abby L. Block, Chief, Insurance Policy and Information Division, Retirement and Insurance Service, 1900 E Street, NW, Room 3451, Washington, DC 20415–0001.

FOR INFORMATION REGARDING ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATION—CONTACT:

Mary Beth Smith-Toomey, Team Leader, Management Services Division, (202) 606–0623.

U.S. Office of Personnel Management.

Lorraine A. Green,

Deputy Director.

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PRESIDENTIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON GULF WAR VETERANS' ILLNESSES

Meeting

AGENCY: Presidential Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, this notice is hereby given to announce an open meeting concerning the Presidential Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses.

DATES: September 4, 1996, 9:00 a.m.– 4:45 p.m.; September 5, 1996, 9:00 a.m.– 4:30 p.m.

PLACE: Loews L'Enfant Plaza Hotel, 480 L'Enfant Plaza, SW, Washington, DC 20024.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The President established the Presidential Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses by Executive Order 12961, May 26, 1995. The purpose of this committee is to review and provide recommendations on the full range of government activities associated with Gulf War veterans' illnesses. The committee reports to the President through the Secretary of Defense, the Secretary of Health and Human Services, and the Secretary of Veterans

Affairs. The committee members have expertise relevant to the functions of the committee and are appointed by the President from non-Federal sectors.

Tentative Agenda

Wednesday, September 4, 1996

9:00 a.m.—Call to order and opening remarks

9:05 a.m.—Public comment

10:00 a.m.—Committee discussion and staff briefings on charter and final report

11:00 a.m.—Break

11:15 a.m.—Committee discussion and staff briefings on charter and final report

12:15 p.m.—Lunch

1:30 p.m.—Committee discussion and staff briefings on charter and final report

3:00 p.m.—Break

3:15 p.m.—Briefings: What's new for Bosnia

4:45 p.m.—Meeting recessed

Thursday, September 5, 1996

9:00 a.m.—Briefings: Risk communication

10:30 a.m.—Break

10:45 a.m.—Briefings: Risk communication (cont.)

12:15 p.m.—Lunch

1:30 p.m.—Followup on Persian Gulf Investigation Team/risk factors panel meeting

1:45 p.m.—Committee discussion and staff briefings on charter and final report

3:00 p.m.—Briefings: Department of Defense, Department of Health and Human Services, and Department of Veterans Affairs

4:15 p.m.—Committee and staff discussion: Next steps

4:30 p.m.—Meeting adjourned

A final agenda will be available at the meeting.

Public Participation

The meeting is open to the public. Members of the public who wish to make oral statements should contact the Advisory Committee at the address or telephone number listed below at least five business days prior to the meeting. Reasonable provisions will be made to include on the agenda presentations from individuals who have not yet had an opportunity to address the Advisory Committee. The Advisory Committee Chair is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. People who wish to file written statements with the Advisory Committee may do so at any time.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

John D. Longbrake, Presidential Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses, 1411 K Street, N.W., suite 1000, Washington, DC 20005, Telephone: (202) 761–0066, Fax: (202) 761–0310.

Dated: August 1, 1996.

C.A. Bock,

Federal Register Liaison Officer, Presidential Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Rel. No. IC-22116; 812-10232]

Driehaus International Large Cap Fund, L.P. et al.; Notice of Application

August 5, 1996.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC").

ACTION: Notice of Application for Exemption Under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "Act").

APPLICANTS: Driehaus International Large Cap Fund, L.P. (the "Partnership"), Driehaus Mutual Funds (the "Trust"), Driehaus Capital Management, Inc. (the "Adviser") and Richard H. Driehaus.

RELEVANT ACT SECTION: Order requested under section 17(b) of the Act for an exemption from section 17(a) of the Act.

SUMMARY OF APPLICATION: Applicants request an order that would permit the Partnership to transfer substantially all of its assets and liabilities to the Trust in exchange for shares of beneficial interest of the Trust, which then would be distributed *pro rata* to the partners of the Partnership.

FILING DATES: The application was filed on July 2, 1996.

HEARING OR NOTIFICATION OF HEARING: An order granting the application will be issued unless the SEC orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary and serving applicants with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the SEC by 5:30 p.m. on August 30, 1996, and should be accompanied by proof of service on applicants in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons who wish to be notified of a

hearing may request notification by writing to the SEC's Secretary.

ADDRESSES: Secretary, SEC, 450 5th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20549. Applicant, 25 East Erie Street, Chicago, IL 60611.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Suzanne Krudys, Senior Counsel, at (202) 942–0641, or Alison E. Baur, Branch Chief, (202) 942–0564 (Office of Investment Company Regulation, Division of Investment Management).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following is a summary of the application. The complete application may be obtained for a fee at the SEC's Public Reference Branch.

Applicant's Representation

- 1. The Partnership was organized as a Delaware limited partnership on July 1, 1990. The Partnership's investment objective is to seek capital appreciation by investing in equity securities of foreign companies with a market capitalization of more than \$300 million using growth style investment criteria. The Partnership is organized as an investment partnership allowing investors to purchase limited partnership interests ("Interests") or have them redeemed at net asset value on a monthly basis. The offering of the Interests was structured as a private placement under section 4(2) of the Securities Act of 1933 and Regulation D promulgated thereunder. The Partnership is not registered under the Act in reliance on section 3(c)(1) of the Act. Interests are sold to institutional investors and high net worth individuals. The Partnership has a minimum initial purchase requirement of \$500,000.
- 2. Richard H. Driehaus serves as the sole general partner of the Partnership and has exclusive responsibility for its overall management, control and administration. The Adviser, which is wholly owned by Mr. Driehaus, serves as investment adviser with respect to Partnership assets. SEC records indicate that the adviser is registered under the Advisers Act.
- 3. The trust was organized as a Delaware business trust on June 3, 1996. The Trust is a registered no-load, openend management investment company. The Trust currently has a single series, the Driehaus International Growth Fund (the "Fund") with an investment objective and policies similar to those of the Partnership. The Trust is managed by a board of trustees (the "Board"), which will include as a majority of its members persons who are not "interested persons" (as defined in the

Act) of the Trust (the "Independent Trustees").

- 4. The Fund proposes to acquire assets and liabilities from the Partnership in exchange for series of beneficial interests of the Trust relating to the Fund (the "Fund Shares") (the "Exchange"). The Exchange will be effected pursuant to an Agreement and Plan of Exchange (the "Plan"). Prior to effecting the Exchange, a memorandum will be distributed to each limited partner in the Partnership which will describe the nature and reasons for the Exchange.
- 5. The shares delivered to the Partnership in the Exchange will have an aggregate net asset value equivalent to the net asset value of the assets transferred by the Partnership to the Trust (except for the effect of certain organizational expenses paid by the Fund). Upon consummation of the Exchange, the shares received by the Partnership will be distributed by the Partnership to its partners, with each partner receiving shares having an aggregate net asset value equivalent to the net asset value of the Interests in the Partnership held by such partner prior to the Exchange. The Partnership may retain sufficient assets to pay any Partnership-accrued expenses that are not transferred to the Fund and retain any assets that the Fund is not permitted to purchase or that are reasonably determined to be unsuitable for it. Assets retained by the Partnership that are not needed to pay accrued expenses will be distributed pro rata to the partners of the Partnership. The Partnership will be liquidated and dissolved following the distribution.
- 6. The Partnership Agreement provides that the General Partners, upon 60 days advance notice to the Limited Partners, may terminate the Partnership. Limited Partners who do not wish to participate in the Exchange will have adequate opportunity to redeem their Partnership Interests before the Exchange and receive cash.
- 7. The expenses of the Exchange will be borne by the Adviser. Trust organizational expenses will be paid by the Fund and amortized over five years. Any unamortized organizational expenses associated with the organization of the Fund at a time Mr. Driehaus withdraws his initial investment in the Trust will be borne by Mr. Driehaus and/or the Adviser and not the Fund.
- 8. The Trust will enter into an advisory agreement with the Adviser (the "Advisory Agreement"), pursuant to which the Adviser will render advisory services to the Fund substantially the same as those the