

National Forests, 2250 Highway 50, Delta, Colorado 81416.

Dated: April 27, 1998.

**Robert L. Storch,**

*Forest Supervisor.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forest Service

#### Southwest Washington Provincial Advisory Committee Meeting Notice

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Southwest Washington Provincial Advisory Committee will meet on Friday, May 15, 1998, in Woodland, Washington, at the Oak Tree Restaurant (1020 Atlantic Street). The meeting will begin at 8 a.m. and continue until 3 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to: (1) Provide information on Forest Implementation and Effectiveness Monitoring, (2) Relate the status of National Forest land exchanges, (3) Provide information about the Recreation Fee Program, and (4) Public Open Forum. All Southwest Washington Provincial Advisory Committee meetings are open to the public. Interested citizens are encouraged to attend. The "open forum" provides opportunity for the public to bring issues, concerns, and discussion topics to the Advisory Committee. The "open forum" is scheduled as part of agenda item (4) of this meeting. Interested speakers will need to register prior to the open forum period. The committee welcomes the public's written comments on committee business at any time.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Direct questions regarding this meeting to Linda Turner, Public Affairs Specialist, at (360) 891-5195, or write Forest Headquarters Office, Gifford Pinchot National Forest, 10600 N.E. 51st Circle, Vancouver, WA 98682.

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**Ted C. Stubblefield,**

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## COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

#### Agenda and Notice of Public Meeting of the Illinois Advisory Committee

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and

regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, that a meeting of the Illinois Advisory Committee to the Commission will convene at 9:00 a.m. and adjourn at 6:00 p.m. on May 29, 1998, at the Ralph Metcalfe Federal Building, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Room 331, Chicago, Illinois 60604. The purpose of the meeting is to hold a conference on "Civil Rights Issues Facing the Blind in Illinois."

Persons desiring additional information, or planning a presentation to the Committee, should contact Committee Chairperson Joseph Mathewson, 312-360-1110, or Constance M. Davis, Director of the Midwestern Regional Office, 312-353-8311 (TDD 312-353-8362). Hearing-impaired persons who will attend the meeting and require the services of a sign language interpreter should contact the Regional Office at least ten (10) working days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

The meeting will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the Commission.

Dated at Washington, DC, April 29, 1998.

**Carol-Lee Hurley,**

*Chief, Regional Programs Coordination Unit.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13.

**Bureau:** International Trade Administration (ITA).

**Title:** NATO International Competitive Bidding (ICB) Bidders List Application.

**Agency Form Number:** ITA 4023P.

**OMB Number:** 0625-0055.

**Type of Request:** Regular Submission.

**Burden:** 60 hours.

**Number of Respondents:** 60.

**Avg. Hours Per Response:** 1 hour.

**Needs and Uses:** Opportunities for contracts under NATO Security Investment Program (NSIP) are only open to firms of member NATO countries. NSIP procedures for international competitive bidding (AC/4-D/2261) require that each NATO country certify that their respective firms are eligible to bid such contracts. This is done through the issuance of a "Declaration of Eligibility". The U.S.

Department of Commerce/ITA is the executive agency responsible for certifying U.S. firms. ITA-4023P is the application form used by USDOC/ITA to collect information needed to ascertain the eligibility of a US firm. ITA reviews the application for completeness and accuracy and determines a company's eligibility based on its financial viability, technical capability, and security clearances with the Department of Defense.

**Affected Public:** Businesses or other for-profit, not-for-profit institutions.

**Frequency:** On Occasion.

**Respondent's Obligation:** Required to obtain or retain a benefit, voluntary.

**OMB Desk Officer:** Dennis Marvich, (202) 395-5871.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution, N.W., Washington, DC 20230.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Dennis Marvich, OBM Desk Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: April 30, 1998.

**Linda Engelmeier,**

*Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Bureau of the Census

[Docket No. 980427107-8107-01]

#### Designation of an Urbanized Area for Flagstaff, AZ

**AGENCY:** Bureau of the Census, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of designation.

**SUMMARY:** Based on the results of a special census conducted April 1, 1995, the Bureau of the Census designated Flagstaff, Arizona, as an urbanized area under criteria published October 22, 1990 in the **Federal Register** (55 FR 42592-42596, Oct. 22, 1990). The Flagstaff, Arizona, urbanized area has a population of 53,355.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Joel L. Morrison, Chief, Geography Division, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233-7400, telephone (301) 457-1132.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Based on the results of a special census conducted April 1, 1995, the Bureau of

the Census designated Flagstaff, Arizona, as an urbanized area effective March 13, 1996. The major geographic

components of the urbanized area and the population and land area of each appear below:

| Urbanized area                 | Population | Land area |                |
|--------------------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|
|                                |            | Sq. miles | Sq. kilometers |
| Flagstaff, AZ .....            | 53,355     | 26.23     | 67.94          |
| In Central Place .....         | 52,507     | 25.60     | 66.32          |
| Flagstaff City (pt.), AZ ..... | 52,507     | 25.60     | 66.32          |
| Urban Fringe .....             | 848        | 0.63      | 1.62           |
| Coconino County (pt.) .....    | 848        | 0.63      | 1.62           |
| Coconino Division (pt.) .....  | 848        | 0.63      | 1.62           |

Since 1986, the Census Bureau has allowed the delineation of new urbanized areas based on a special census taken in the intercensal period. The Census Bureau delineates urbanized areas every 10 years as part of the decennial census of population and housing or following a special census.

Dated: April 27, 1998.

**James F. Holmes,**

*Acting Director, Bureau of the Census.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Bureau of Export Administration

#### Action Affecting Export Privileges; Export Materials, Inc. and Thane-Coat International, Ltd.; Decision and Order on Renewal of Temporary Denial Order

In the matters of: Export Materials, Inc., 3727 Greenbrier Drive, No. 108, Stafford, Texas 77477, and Thane-Coat International, Ltd., Suite C, Regent Centre, Explorers Way, P.O. Box F-40775, Freeport, The Bahamas, Respondents.

On October 31, 1997, Acting Assistant Secretary for Export Enforcement Frank W. Deliberti issued a Decision and Order on Renewal of Temporary Denial Order (hereinafter "Order" or "TDO"), renewing for 180 days a May 5, 1997 Order naming Thane-Coat, Inc.; Jerry Vernon Ford, president, Thane-Coat, Inc.; Preston John Engebretson, vice-president, Thane-Coat, Inc.; Export Materials, Inc.; and Thane-Coat International, Ltd. (Export Materials, Inc. And Thane-Coat, International, Ltd. hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Respondents" and Thane-Coat, Inc., Ford, and Engebretson, the "affiliated parties"), as persons temporarily denied all U.S. export privileges. 62 FR 60063-60065 (November 6, 1997). The Order will expire on April 29, 1998.

On April 9, 1998, pursuant to Section 766.24 of the Export Administration Regulations (15 C.F.R. Parts 730-774

(1997)) (hereinafter the "Regulations"), issued pursuant to the Export Administration Act of 1979, as amended (50 U.S.C.A. app. sections 2401-2420 (1991 & Supp. 1998)) (hereinafter the "Act"),<sup>1</sup> the Office of Export Enforcement, Bureau of Export Administration, United States Department of Commerce (hereinafter "BXA"), requested that the Assistant Secretary for Export Enforcement renew the Order against Thane-Coat International, Inc. and Export Materials, Inc. for an additional 180 days.

In its request, BXA stated that, as a result of an ongoing investigation, it had reason to believe that, during the period from approximately June 1994 through approximately July 1996, Thane-Coat, Inc., through Ford and Engebretson, and using its affiliated companies, Thane-Coat International, Ltd. and Export Materials, Inc., made approximately 100 shipments of U.S.-origin pipe coating materials, machines, and parts to the Dong Ah Consortium in Benghazi, Libya. These items were for use in coating the internal surface of prestressed concrete cylinder pipe for the Government of Libya's Great Man-Made River Project.<sup>2</sup> Moreover, BXA's investigation gave it reason to believe that the Respondents and the affiliated parties employed a scheme to export U.S.-origin products from the United States, through the United Kingdom, to Libya, a country subject to a comprehensive economic sanctions program, without the authorizations

<sup>1</sup> The Act expired on August 20, 1994. Executive Order 12924 (3 C.F.R., 1994 Comp. 917 (1995)), extended by Presidential Notices of August 15, 1995 (3 C.F.R., 1995 Comp. 501 (1996)), August 14, 1996 (3 C.F.R., 1996 Comp. 298 (1997)), and August 13, 1997 (62 FR 43629, August 15, 1997), continued the Regulations in effect under the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (currently codified at 50 U.S.C.A. 1701-1706 (1991 & Supp. 1998)).

<sup>2</sup> BXA understands that the ultimate goal of this project is to bring fresh water from wells drilled in southeast and southwest Libya through prestressed concrete cylinder pipe to the coastal cities of Libya. This multibillion dollar, multiphase engineering endeavor is being performed by the Dong Ah Construction Company of Seoul, South Korea.

required under U.S. law, including the Regulations. The approximate value of the 100 shipments at issue was \$35 million. In addition, the Respondents and the affiliated parties undertook several significant and affirmative actions in connection with the solicitation of business on another phase of the Great Man-Made River Project.

BXA has stated that it believes that the matters under investigation and the information obtained to date in that investigation support renewal of the TDO issued against the Respondents.<sup>3</sup> BXA believes that a temporary denial order is necessary to give notice to companies in the United States and abroad that they should cease dealing with Thane-Coat International, Inc. and Export Materials, Inc. in export-related transactions involving U.S.-origin goods.

Based on BXA's showing, I find that it is appropriate to renew the order temporarily denying all U.S. export privileges of Thane-Coat International, Ltd. and Export Materials, Inc. I find that such renewal is necessary in the public interest to prevent an imminent violation of the Regulations and to give notice to companies in the United States and abroad to cease dealing with these persons in any commodity, software, or technology exported or to be exported from the United States and subject to the Export Administration Regulations, or in any other activity subject to the Regulations. Moreover, I find such renewal is in the public interest in order to reduce the substantial likelihood that Thane-Coat International, Inc. and Export Materials, Inc. will engage in activities which are in violation of the Regulations.

Accordingly, *it is therefore ordered:*

First, that Thane-Coat International, Ltd., and all of its successors or assigns, officers, representatives, agents, and

<sup>3</sup> On April 17, 1998, BXA requested that the Assistant Secretary for Export Enforcement renew the October 31, 1997 TDO against Thane-Coat, Inc., Jerry Vernon Ford, and Preston John Engebretson.