

suspended investigation on small electric motors from Japan. Because no domestic interested party responded to the sunset review notice of initiation by the applicable deadline, the Department is revoking these orders and finding and terminating the suspended investigation.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 1, 2000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Martha V. Douthit, Scott E. Smith, or Melissa G. Skinner, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Pennsylvania Avenue and 14th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-3207, (202) 482-6397, or (202) 482-1560 respectively.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background**

The Treasury Department issued an antidumping finding on television receivers from Japan (36 FR 4597, March 10, 1971). In addition, the Department issued antidumping duty orders on color television receivers from South Korea and Taiwan (49 FR 7620, March 1, 1984), high power microwave amplifiers from Japan (47 FR 31413, July 20, 1982) and barium carbonate from Germany (46 FR 32864, June 25, 1981). The Department also suspended an investigation of small electric motors from Japan (45 FR 73723, July 20, 1980). Pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), the Department initiated sunset reviews of these orders, finding and suspended investigation by publishing notice of the initiation in the **Federal Register** (63 FR 52683, October 1, 1998). In addition, as a courtesy to interested parties, the Department sent letters, via certified and registered mail, to each party listed on the Department's most current service list for these proceedings to inform them of the automatic initiation of a sunset review on these orders and finding as well as the suspended investigation.

No domestic interested parties in any of the sunset reviews of these orders, finding and suspended investigation responded to the notice of initiation by the October 16, 1998, deadline (see section 351.218(d)(1)(i) of *Procedures for Conducting Five-year ("Sunset") Reviews of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Orders*, 63 FR 13520 (March 20, 1998) ("Sunset Regulations")).

**Determination to Revoke**

Pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(A) of the Act and section 351.218(d)(1)(iii)(B)(3) of the *Sunset Regulations*, if no

interested party responds to the notice of initiation, the Department shall issue a final determination, within 90 days after the initiation of the review, revoking the finding or order or terminating the suspended investigation. Because no domestic interested party responded to the notice of initiation by the applicable deadline, October 16, 1998 (see section 351.218(d)(1)(i) of the *Sunset Regulations*), we are revoking these antidumping orders and finding and terminating the suspended investigation.

**Effective Date of Revocation and Termination**

Pursuant to section 751(c)(6)(A)(iv) of the Act, the Department will instruct the United States Customs Service to terminate the suspension of liquidation of the merchandise subject to these orders and finding entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, on or after January 1, 2000. Entries of subject merchandise prior to the effective date of revocation will continue to be subject to suspension of liquidation and duty deposit requirements. The suspension agreement on small electric motors from Japan will remain in effect until January 1, 2000. The Department will complete any pending administrative reviews of these orders, finding and suspended investigation and will conduct administrative reviews of all entries prior to the effective date of revocation in response to appropriately filed requests for review.

Dated: November 17, 1998.

**Robert S. LaRossa,**

*Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**

**Modernization Transition Committee (MTC)**

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**Time and Date:** December 9, 1998, beginning at 4:30 p.m. until approximately 9 p.m. and December 10, 1998, beginning at 7 a.m. until approximately 10 a.m.

**Place:** This meeting will take place at the Huntsville Marriott, Five Tranquility Base, Huntsville, Alabama 35805.

**Status:** The meeting will be open to the public. The time between 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. on December 9, 1998, will be set

aside for public comments.

Approximately 100 seats will be available to the public on a first-come first-served basis.

**Matters to be Considered:** This meeting will include MTC consultation on the proposed Consolidation, Automation, and Closure Certifications for the Huntsville, Alabama, Weather Service Office and a report on the NWS Modernization status.

**Contact Person for More Information:** Nicholas Scheller, National Weather Service, Modernization Staff, 1325 East-West Highway, SSMC2, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910. Telephone: (301) 713-0454.

Dated: November 17, 1998.

**John E. Jones, Jr.,**

*Deputy Assistant Administrator for Weather Services.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Department of the Army**

**Availability of U.S. Patents for Non-Exclusive, Exclusive, or Partially-Exclusive Licensing**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Army Research Laboratory, Adelphi, Maryland.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with 37 CFR 404.6, announcement is made of the availability of the following U.S. patents for non-exclusive, partially exclusive or exclusive licensing. All of the listed patents have been assigned to the United States of America as represented by the Secretary of the Army, Washington, D.C.

These patents cover a wide variety of technical arts including: A device to eliminate the "dead-zone" in digital phase detectors, and a method and system for forming images by back projection.

Under the authority of Section 11(a)(2) of the Federal Technology Transfer Act of 1986 (Pub. L. 99-502) and Section 207 of Title 35, United States Code, the Department of the Army as represented by the U.S. Army Research Laboratory wish to license the U.S. patents listed below in a non-exclusive, exclusive, or partially exclusive manner to any party interested in manufacturing, using, and/or selling devices or processes covered by these patents.

**Title:** Method and System for Forming Image by Backprojection.

*Inventor:* John W. McCorkle.

*Patent Number:* 5,805,098.

*Issued Date:* Sep. 8, 1998.

*Title:* Fast-Locking Low-Noise Phase-Locked Loop.

*Inventor:* John W. McCorkle.

*Patent Number:* 5,821,817.

*Issued Date:* Oct. 13, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Norma Cammarata, Technology Transfer Office, AMSRL-CS-TT, U.S. Army Research Laboratory, 2800 Powder Mill Road, Adelphi, Maryland 20783-1197, tel: (301) 394-2952; fax: (301) 394-5818.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** None.

**Gregory D. Showalter,**

*Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

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**SUMMARY:** In accordance with 37 CFR 404.6, announcement is made of the availability of the following U.S. patents for non-exclusive, partially exclusive or exclusive licensing. All of the listed patents have been assigned to the United States of America as represented by the Secretary of the Army, Washington, D.C.

These patents covers a wide variety of technical arts including: A range correction module for spin stabilized projectiles, a response compensation circuit, a method and apparatus for fabricating high density monolithic metal and alloy, billets, and a hand-held probe for real-time analysis of trace pollutants in the atmosphere and on surfaces.

Under the authority of Section 11(a)(2) of the Federal Technology Transfer Act of 1986 (Pub. L. 99-502) and Section 207 of Title 35, United States Code, the Department of the Army as represented by the U.S. Army Research Laboratory wish to license the U.S. patents listed below in a non-exclusive, exclusive or partially exclusive manner to any party interested in manufacturing, using, and/or selling devices or processes covered by these patents.

*Title:* Range Correction Module for a Spin Stabilized Projectile.

*Inventors:* Michael S.L. Hollis and Fred J. Brandon.

*Patent Number:* 5,816,531.

*Issued Date:* Oct 6, 1998.

*Title:* Transduce Response Compensator.

*Inventors:* Richard B. Loucks and Larry G. Ferguson.

*Patent Number:* 5,823,043.

*Issued Date:* Oct 20, 1998.

*Title:* Hot Explosive Consolidation of Refractor Metal and Alloys.

*Inventor:* Laszlo J. Kecskes.

*Patent Number:* 5,826,160.

*Issued Date:* Oct 20, 1998.

*Title:* Hand-Held Probe for Real-Time Analysis of Trace Pollutants in Atmosphere and on Surfaces.

*Inventors:* Robert J. Lieb, Richard B. Murray, Robert L. Pastel and Rosario C. Sausa.

*Patent Number:* 5,826,214.

*Issued Date:* Oct 20, 1998.

*Title:* Drag Control Module for Range Correction of a Spin Stabil.

*Inventors:* Fred J. Brandon and Michael S.L. Hollis.

*Patent Number:* 5,826,821.

*Issued Date:* Oct 27, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Michael Rausa, Technology Transfer Office, AMSRL-CS-TT, U.S. Army Research Laboratory, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland 21005-5069, tel: (410) 278-5028; fax: (410) 278-5820.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** None.

**Gregory D. Showalter,**

*Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**SUMMARY:** The Leader, Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Financial and Chief Information Officer, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before January 22, 1999.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, D.C. 20202-4651, or should be electronically mailed to the internet address [Pat\\_Sherrill@ed.gov](mailto:Pat_Sherrill@ed.gov), or should be faxed to 202-708-9346.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Patrick J. Sherrill (202) 708-8196.

Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Leader, Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Financial and Chief Information Officer, publishes that notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g. new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.

Dated: November 17, 1998.

**Kent H. Hannaman,**

*Leader, Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Financial and Chief Information Officer.*

*Office of Postsecondary Education*

*Type of Review:* Revision.