allocated pro rata between the securities to be transferred to the In-house Plan and the securities which are to remain in the Portfolio.

Accordingly, after giving full consideration to the entire record, including the written comments noted above, the Department has decided to

grant the exemption.

For further information regarding the comments and other matters discussed herein, interested persons are encouraged to obtain copies of the exemption application file (Exemption Application No. D–10848) the Department is maintaining in this case. The complete application file, as well as all supplemental submissions received by the Department, are made available for public inspection in the Public Disclosure Room of the Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, Room N-1513, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Christopher Motta of the Department, telephone (202) 693–8544 (This is not a toll-free number).

General Information

The attention of interested persons is directed to the following:

(1) The fact that a transaction is the subject of an exemption under section 408(a) of the Act and/or section 4975(c)(2) of the Code does not relieve a fiduciary or other party in interest or disqualified person from certain other provisions to which the exemption does

not apply and the general fiduciary responsibility provisions of section 404 of the Act, which among other things require a fiduciary to discharge his duties respecting the plan solely in the interest of the participants and beneficiaries of the plan and in a prudent fashion in accordance with section 404(a)(1)(B) of the Act; nor does it affect the requirement of section 401(a) of the Code that the plan must operate for the exclusive benefit of the employees of the employer maintaining the plan and their beneficiaries;

- (2) This exemption is supplemental to and not in derogation of, any other provisions of the Act and/or the Code, including statutory or administrative exemptions and transactional rules. Furthermore, the fact that a transaction is subject to an administrative or statutory exemption is not dispositive of whether the transaction is in fact a prohibited transaction; and
- (3) The availability of this exemption is subject to the express condition that the material facts and representations contained in the application accurately describes all material terms of the transaction which is the subject of the exemption.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 6th day of December, 2001.

Ivan Strasfeld,

Director of Exemption Determinations, Pension and Welfare Benefits, Administration, U.S. Department of Labor. [FR Doc. 01–30756 Filed 12–11–01; 8:45 am]

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration

Notice of Extension of the Comment Periods for Proposed Exemptions Affected by the TemporaryClosure of the Mailroom at the Department of Labor

AGENCY: Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, U.S. Department of Labor (the Department).

ACTION: Notice of Extension of Comment Periods.

SUMMARY: As a result of the recent anthrax scare, the Department's mailroom was closed between October 22, 2001 and November 26, 2001 in order that protective measures could be taken to ensure the appropriate handling of the mail as well as the general safety of the Department's employees. However, during this time frame, the following proposed individual and class exemptions were published in the Federal Register and requested comments from interested persons:

Case No.	FR Citation	Date	Plan/Entity Name
D-10762	66 FR 46830	9/7/01	Key Trust Company of Ohio.
D-10894	66 FR 46837	9/7/01	Brookshire Brothers, Ltd.
D-10913, D-10914	66 FR 46839	9/7/01	The Golden Comprehensive Security Program and The Golden Retirement Savings Program.
D-10954	66 FR 49400	9/27/01	Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.
L-10937	66 FR 49415	9/27/01	Ford Motor Company.
D-10997	66 FR 46843	9/7/01	Exemption to Modify Prohibited Transaction Exemption 97–08 Involving Morgan Stanley Dean Witter & Co. Incorporated.
D-11034	66 FR 49703	9/28/01	Proposed Amendment to Prohibited Transaction Exemption 80–26 for Certain Interest Free Loans to Employee Benefit Plans.

Because no written comments were received from interested persons while the mailroom was closed and the comment periods have since expired for these pendency notices, the Department is hereby extending the comment periods for the above referenced proposed exemptions until December 26, 2001. Therefore, all written comments and/or hearing requests should be sent by regular mail to the address specified in the proposals. Alternatively, interested persons may submit their comments and/or hearing

requests by electronic mail to *moffittb@pwba.dol.gov* or by facsimile, (202) 219–0204.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Anna Mpras, U.S. Department of Labor, telephone (202) 693–8565. (This is not a toll-free number.)

Ivan L. Strasfeld,

Director of Exemption, Determinations, Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, U.S. Department of Labor.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Comment Request

AGENCY: National Science Foundation. **ACTION:** Submission for OMB review; comment request.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NMSF) has submitted the following information collection requirement to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13. This is the second notice for public comment; the first was published in the Federal Register at 66 FR 46292, and two comments, showing a positive response to NSF's implementation of a web-based job recruitment system, were received. NSF is forwarding the proposed renewal submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance simultaneously with the publication of this second notice. Comments regarding (a) whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of burden including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technology should be addressed to: Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs of OMB, Attention: Desk Officer for National Science Foundation, 725—17th Street, NW., Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503, and to Suzanne H. Plimpton, Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 295, Arlington, Virginia 22230 or send E-mail to splimpto@nsf.gov. Comments regarding these information collections are best assured of having their full effect if received within 30 days of this notification. Copies of the submission(s) may be obtained by calling 703-292-

NSF may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a currently valid OMB control number and the agency informs potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information that such persons are not required to respond to the collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Title: "eRecruitment" System. OMB Control Number: 3145–NEW. Summary of Collection:

Use of the Information: The information will be used by NSF to provide applicants with the ability to apply electronically for NSF positions and receive notification as to their qualifications, application dispensation and to request to be notified of future vacancies for which they may qualify.

In order to apply for vacancies, applicants will be required to submit

certain data in order to receive consideration. Users only need access to the Internet for this system to work. This information will be used to determine which applicants are best qualified for a position, based on applicant responses to a series of job related "yes/no" or "multiple choice" questions. The resume portion requires applicants to provide the same information they would provide were they submitting a paper OF-612. The obvious benefit being that the applicant may do so on-line, 24 hours a day/seven days a week and receive electronic notification about the status of their application or information on other vacancies for which they may qualify. Staff members of the Human Resource Division and the selecting official(s) for specific positions for which applicants apply are the only ones privy to the applicant data. The most significant data is not the applicant personal data such as address or phone number but rather their description of their work experience and their corresponding responses to those questions, which determine their overall rating, ranking, and referral to the selecting official.

Estimate of Burden: Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average less than 30 to 45 minutes to create the on line resume and potentially less than 10 to 15 minutes to apply for jobs on-line.

Respondents: Individuals.
Approximately 4800 applicants apply for NSF vacancies a year. This number could potentially double based on evidence from other agencies that use electronic recruitment systems; the estimated number of responses is 6500.

Estimated Number of Responses: Approximately 25 responses per job opening.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: Approximately 45 minutes per respondent total time is all that will be needed to complete the online application, for a total of 4,875 hours annually.

Frequency of Responses: Applicants need only complete the resume one time, and they may use that resume to apply as often as they wish for any NSF job opening.

Dated: December 6, 2001.

Suzanne H. Plimpton,

Reports Clearance Officer.

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NEIGHBORHOOD REINVESTMENT CORPORATION

Sunshine Act Meeting

TIME & DATE: 2 PM, Monday, December 17, 2001.

PLACE: Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation, 1325 G Street, NW, Suite 800, Washington, DC 20005.

STATUS: Open/Closed.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Jeffrey T. Bryson, General Counsel/ Secretary, 202–220–2372.

AGENDA:

I. Call to Order

- II. Approval of Minutes: September 21, 2001 Regular Meeting
- III. Treasurer's Report
- IV. Strategic Plan Adoption
- V. Executive Directors Quarterly Management Report
- VI. Executive Session (Closed)
 - (A) Personnel Committee Report—11/ 14/01
 - (B) Personnel Committee Report—12/ 04/01

VII. Adjournment

Jeffrey T. Bryson,

General Counsel/Secretary.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Biweekly Notice Applications and Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses Involving No Significant Hazards Considerations

Note: The publication date for this notice will change from every other Wednesday to every other Tuesday, effective January 8, 2002. The notice will contain the same information and will continue to be published biweekly.

I. Background

Pursuant to Public Law 97-415, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission or NRC staff) is publishing this regular biweekly notice. Public Law 97–415 revised section 189 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), to require the Commission to publish notice of any amendments issued, or proposed to be issued, under a new provision of section 189 of the Act. This provision grants the Commission the authority to issue and make immediately effective any amendment to an operating license upon a determination by the Commission that such amendment involves no significant hazards consideration, notwithstanding the