

(if applicable) shall be the only binding authorizing document between the recipient and the U.S. Government. The AAD will be signed by an authorized Grants Officer, and mailed to the recipient's responsible officer identified in the application.

Unsuccessful applicants will receive notification of the results of the application review from the ECA program office coordinating this competition.

**VI.2. Administrative and National Policy Requirements:** Terms and Conditions for the Administration of ECA agreements include the following:

Office of Management and Budget Circular A-122, "Cost Principles for Nonprofit Organizations."

Office of Management and Budget Circular A-21, "Cost Principles for Educational Institutions."

OMB Circular A-87, "Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Governments".

OMB Circular No. A-110 (Revised), Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals, and other Nonprofit Organizations.

OMB Circular No. A-102, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants-in-Aid to State and Local Governments.

OMB Circular No. A-133, Audits of States, Local Government, and Non-profit Organizations.

Please reference the following Web sites for additional information: <http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/grants>, <http://exchanges.state.gov/education/grantsdiv/terms.htm#articleI>.

**VI.3. Reporting Requirements:** You must provide ECA with a hard copy original plus two copies of the following reports:

(1) A final program and financial report no more than 90 days after the expiration of the award;

(2) Any interim report(s) required in the Bureau grant agreement document.

Grantees will be required to provide reports analyzing their evaluation findings to the Bureau in their regular program reports. (Please refer to Application and Submission Instructions [IV.3d.3] above for Program Monitoring and Evaluation information.)

All data collected, including survey responses and contact information, must be maintained for a minimum of three years and provided to the Bureau upon request.

All reports must be sent to the ECA Grants Officer and ECA Program Officer listed in the final assistance award document.

**VI.4. Program Data Requirements:** Organizations awarded grants will be required to maintain specific data on program participants and activities in an electronically accessible database format that can be shared with the Bureau as required. As a minimum, the data must include the following:

(1) Name, address, contact information and biographic sketch of all persons who travel internationally on funds provided by the grant or who benefit from the grant funding but do not travel.

(2) Itineraries of international and domestic travel, providing dates of travel and cities in which any exchange experiences take place. Final schedules for in-country and U.S. activities must be received by the ECA Program Officer at least three workdays prior to the official opening of the activity.

#### VII. Agency Contacts

For questions about this announcement, contact: The Office of Citizen Exchanges, ECA/PE/C, Room 220, ECA/PE/C-WHA-EAP-06-34, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, U.S. Department of State, SA-44, 301 4th Street, SW., Washington, DC, 20547; tel.: 202-453-8163; fax: 202-453-8168; [harveyrh@state.gov](mailto:harveyrh@state.gov).

For correspondence with the Bureau concerning this RFGP should reference the above title and number ECA/PE/C-06-xx. Please read the complete **Federal Register** announcement before sending inquiries or submitting proposals. Once the RFGP deadline has passed, Bureau staff may not discuss this competition with applicants until the proposal review process has been completed.

#### VIII. Other Information

##### Notice

The terms and conditions published in this RFGP are binding and may not be modified by any Bureau representative. Explanatory information provided by the Bureau that contradicts published language will not be binding. Issuance of the RFGP does not constitute an award commitment on the part of the Government. The Bureau reserves the right to reduce, revise, or increase proposal budgets in accordance with the needs of the program and the availability of funds. Awards made will be subject to periodic reporting and evaluation requirements per section VI.3 above.

Dated: March 8, 2006.

**C. Miller Crouch,**

*Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

**[Public Notice 5346]**

##### **Fine Arts Committee; Notice of Meeting**

The Fine Arts Committee of the Department of State will meet on April 20, 2006 at 2 p.m. in the Henry Clay Room of the Harry S. Truman Building, 2201 C Street, NW., Washington, DC. The meeting will last until approximately 4 p.m. and is open to the public.

The agenda for the committee meeting will include a summary of the work of the Fine Arts Office since its last meeting on October 29, 2005 and the announcement of gifts and loans of furnishings as well as financial contributions from January 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005.

Public access to the Department of State is strictly controlled and space is limited. Members of the public wishing to take part in the meeting should telephone the Fine Arts Office at (202) 647-1990 or send an e-mail to [Craighillmf@state.gov](mailto:Craighillmf@state.gov) by April 15 to make arrangements to enter the building. The public may take part in the discussion as long as time permits and at the discretion of the chairman.

Dated: March 13, 2006.

**Gail F. Serfaty,**

*Secretary, Fine Arts Committee, Department of State.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

##### **Federal Aviation Administration**

**[Docket No. FAA-2005-20109]**

##### **Ameriflight, Inc.; Extension of Comment Period**

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice; reopening of comment period.

**SUMMARY:** This action reopens the comment period for a proposed grant of exemption that was published on February 7, 2006. The purpose of that document was to improve the public's

awareness of, and participation in the FAA's regulatory activities. This reopening is a result of a request from the Air Line Pilots Association, International (ALPA) to extend the comment period to the exemption.

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before April 3, 2006.

**ADDRESSES:** You may send comments identified by Docket Number FAA-2005-20109 using any of the following methods:

- DOT Docket Web site: Go to <http://dms.dot.gov> and follow the instructions for sending your comments electronically.
- Government-wide rulemaking Web site: Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and follow the instructions for sending your comments electronically.
- Mail: Docket Management Facility; U.S. Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Nassif Building, Room PL-401, Washington, DC 20590-001.
- Fax: 1-202-493-2251.
- Hand Delivery: Room PL-401 on the plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

For more information on the rulemaking process, see the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this document.

**Privacy:** We will post all comments we receive, without change, to <http://dms.dot.gov>, including any personal information you provide. For more information, see the Privacy Act discussion in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this document.

**Docket:** To read background documents or comments received, go to <http://dms.dot.gov> at any time or to Room PL-401 on the plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Katherine Perfetti, Air Transportation Division, Flight Standards Service, Room 831, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591, telephone: (202) 267-3760, e-mail: [katherine.perfetti@faa.gov](mailto:katherine.perfetti@faa.gov).

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **Comments Invited**

The FAA invites interested persons to submit written comments, data, and views on the agency's analysis contained in the proposed grant of exemption. The most helpful comments reference a specific portion of the analysis, explain the reason for any recommended change, and include

supporting data. We ask that you send us two copies of written comments.

We will file in the docket all comments we receive, as well as a report summarizing each substantive public contact with FAA personnel concerning this proposed rulemaking. The docket is available for public inspection before and after the comment closing date. If you wish to review the docket in person, go to the address in the **ADDRESSES** section of this preamble between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. You may also review the docket using the Internet at the web address in the **ADDRESSES** section.

**Privacy Act:** Using the search function of our docket Web site, anyone can find and read the comments received into any of our dockets, including the name of the individual sending the comment (or signing the comment on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.).

You may review DOT's complete Privacy Act Statement in the **Federal Register** published on April 11, 2000 (65 FR 19477-78) or you may visit <http://dms.dot.gov>.

Before acting on this proposal, we will consider all comments we receive on or before the closing date for comments. We will consider comments filed late if it is possible to do so without incurring expense or delay. We may change this proposal in light of the comments we receive.

If you want the FAA to acknowledge receipt of your comments on this proposal, include with your comments a pre-addressed, stamped postcard on which the docket number appears. We will stamp the date on the postcard and mail it to you.

##### **Background**

On February 7, 2006, the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) issued Proposed Grant of Exemption; Ameriflight, Inc. (71 FR 6307, 02/07/2006). Comments to that document were to be received on or before March 9, 2006.

By letter dated March 6, 2006, ALPA requested that the FAA extend the comment period for this proposed exemption for a period of 30 days. The FAA concurs with ALPA's request for an extension of the comment period. The comment period, however, closed on March 9, 2006. Additionally, the FAA believes that a 30-day extension would be excessive, thus, it will reopen the comment period for 15 days.

##### **Reopening of Comment Period**

In accordance with § 11.47 of Title 14, Code of Federal Regulations, the FAA has reviewed the petition made by

ALPA for an extension of the comment period to the subject proposed grant of exemption. ALPA has shown a substantive interest in the proposed exemption and good cause for the extension. The FAA also has determined that the reopening of the comment period is consistent with the public interest, and that good cause exists for taking this action.

Accordingly, the comment period for the proposed grant of exemption; Ameriflight, Inc.; Docket No. FAA-2005-20109 is reopened until April 3, 2006.

Issued in Washington, DC, on March 13, 2006.

**Anthony F. Fazio,**

*Director, Office of Rulemaking.*

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## **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

### **Federal Highway Administration**

#### **Environmental Impact Statement; Horry and Georgetown Counties, SC**

**AGENCY:** Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of Intent.

**SUMMARY:** The FHWA is issuing this notice to advise the public that an environmental impact statement will be prepared for a proposed hurricane evacuation route project in Horry and Georgetown Counties, South Carolina.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Patrick Tyndall, Environmental Program Manager, Federal Highway Administration, Strom Thurmond Federal Building, 1835 Assembly Street, Suite 1270, Columbia, SC 29201-2483, Telephone: 803-765-5411.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The FHWA in cooperation with the South Carolina Department of Transportation (SCDOT) will prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) on a proposal to establish a hurricane evacuation route for the southeastern portion of Horry County and the northeastern portion of Georgetown County in South Carolina. This project has been locally named the Southern Evacuation Lifeline. Horry County and Georgetown County Councils have appointed a Task Force of local representatives to guide the development of this project.

A timely and efficient means of hurricane evacuation is needed for the southern portion the South Carolina Grand Strand Area also known as the South Strand. This proposed action would establish a hurricane evacuation route between U.S. Route (US) 17 (in the