DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[OMB Control No. 9000-0111]

Proposed Collection; Comment Request Entitled Organizational and Consultant Conflicts of Interest

AGENCIES: Department of Defense (DOD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA). ACTION: Notice of request for public comments regarding an extension to an existing OMB clearance (9000–0111).

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Secretariat will be submitting to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve an extension of a currently approved information collection requirement concerning Organizational and Consultant Conflicts of Interest. This OMB clearance currently expires on January 31, 1997.

DATES: *Comment Due Date:* January 27, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, or obtaining a copy of the justification, should be submitted to: General Services Administration, FAR Secretariat (MVRS), 18th & F Streets, NW, Room 4037, Washington, DC 20405. Please cite OMB Control No. 9000–0111, Organizational and Consultant Conflicts of Interest, in all correspondence.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paul Linfield, Federal Acquisition Policy Division, GSA (202) 501–1757.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Purpose

Organizational and Consultant Conflicts of Interest is a regulation which establishes policies and procedures relating to Conflicts of Interest Standards for Government contractors who provide advisory and assistance services and persons who provide marketing consulting services to Government contractors. The regulation also promotes compliance with the standards. The regulation enables the Government to identify the number of marketing consultants employed by successful offerors for large dollar contracts. It also provides the Government with information to identify, evaluate, and resolve organizational conflicts of interest.

The information gathered is used by the Government in determining the number of consultants employed by contractors as marketing consultants and to identify, evaluate, and resolve potential conflicts of interest under advisory and assistance service contracts. Without this information, identification of these individuals, and identification, evaluation, and resolution of conflicts of interest situations would not be possible.

B. Annual Reporting Burden

Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 2 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

The annual reporting burden is estimated as follows: Respondents, *4,000;* responses per respondent, *1.5;* total annual responses, *6,000;* preparation hours per response, *2;* and total response burden hours, *12,000.*

Dated: November 21, 1996. Sharon A. Kiser, *FAR Secretariat.* [FR Doc. 96–30194 Filed 11–25–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6820–EP–P

Preparation of the Theater Missile Defense Extended Test Range Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement—Eglin Gulf Test Range

AGENCY: Ballistic Missile Defense Organization (BMDO). ACTION: Notice of Intent (NOI).

SUMMARY: This notifies the public that BMDO intends to prepare a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) for the Eglin Gulf Test Range (EGTR). It will support BMDO developmental and operational flight testing of Theater Missile Defense (TMD) systems. The proposed action would allow for the development and testing of TMD systems to protect U.S. forces, friends, and allies around the world from attacks by ballistic missiles. The Departments of the Air Force, Army, and Navy, along with the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Interior, and U.S. Coast Guard will be Cooperating Agencies in this effort. As the Executing Agent, the Air Force Development Test Center (AFDTC), Eglin Air Force Base (AFB), Florida, will manage the SEIS for BMDO. The U.S. Army Space and Strategic Defense Command (USASSDC), Huntsville, Alabama, will prepare the SEIS documentation for the AFDTC. The SEIS would analyze additional missile launch and support locations, facility construction, launch preparation activities, missile flight tests, radar and optical tracking operations, and intercept tests not analyzed in the TMD Extended Test Range Final Environmental Impact Statement, November 1994.

The Record of Decision on the TMD Extended Test Range Final Environmental Impact Statement, March 21, 1995, documented only the selection of U.S. Army Kwajalein Atoll, Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the White Sands Missile Range, New Mexico, for TMD tests. However, additional interceptor and target missile launch options have been identified for the EGTR alternative which are within treaty and technology limitations. The EGTR options would provide greater flexibility in test scenarios than is possible using other ranges, and permits more realistic testing of TMD interceptor systems. Copies of the TMD **Extended Test Range Final** Environmental Impact Statement should be available at various locations within the affected communities. The exact locations will be available by the beginning of public scoping meetings and by contacting the point of contact listed below.

The purpose of expanding the EGTR's missile defense testing capability is to realistically test TMD systems to validate their capability to intercept enemy missiles with the capability of ranges up to 1,200-kilometers (746 miles). Testing with both target and interceptor launch facilities within the continental United States and its adjacent waters would provide a cost-effective, flexible, long-term means of meeting current and future TMD requirements.

Environmental issues to be analyzed in the TMD Extended Test Range SEIS for the EGTR include: Air quality; airspace control; biological resources (such as threatened or endangered species and wetlands); cultural resources; geology and soils; hazardous materials and waste; health and safety; land use; noise; socio-economic; transportation; utilities; visual and aesthetics; water resources; and other environmental issues identified during the scoping process.

PROPOSED ACTION: The BMDO proposes to establish the capability to conduct missile defense testing against targets

simulating threat systems having the capability of ranges up to 1,200kilometers (746 miles) with defensive missile intercepts over the Gulf of Mexico. The three main types of TMD activities that will be evaluated in the SEIS are: (1) Target launches from land at Eglin AFB or in the Florida Keys and/ or from aircraft from the Gulf of Mexico; (2) interceptor (defensive missile) launches from Eglin AFB and/or ships; and (3) intercept of the target missile by the interceptor over the Gulf of Mexico.

The ground-launch locations to be evaluated at Eglin AFB are the Santa Rosa Island and Cape San Blas properties, and in the Florida Keys, Department of Defense controlled areas at Saddlebunch and Cudjoe Keys. These locations, along with Boca Chica, Dredger, Sugarloaf, and Fleming Keys, will also be evaluated to support missile tracking and sensor activities. The air launched locations to be evaluated include the airspace within the EGTR and other locations in the Gulf of Mexico within U.S. controlled airspace. In addition to the No Action Alternative, other alternatives brought forth by the public would be considered for evaluation in the SEIS. **SCOPING PROCESS:** Comments received

during the scoping process will be used to assist the BMDO in identifying potential impacts to the environment. Individuals or organizations may participate in the scoping process by: calling toll free 1-800-931-5566 (for information only); using E-Mail to submit questions and concerns, tmd egtr@ro.com; or sending written questions and comments to Ms. Linda Ninh, U.S. Army Space and Strategic Defense Command, ATTN: CSSD-EN-V, Post Office Box 1500, Huntsville, Alabama 35807–3801. In addition, individuals or organizations may offer verbal or written comments at scoping meetings to be held between 3 p.m. and 9 p.m. in the following Florida locations:

Fort Walton Beach, Holiday Inn, 1110 Santa Rosa Boulevard—21 Jan. 97

Key West, Holiday Inn, 3841 N. Roosevelt Boulevard—27 Jan. 97

Tampa Bay, Holiday Inn—State Fair, 2708 North 50th Street—3 Feb. 97

and between 5 p.m. and 9 p.m. in the following locations:

Port St. Joe, Port St. Joe High School, 100 Sharp Drive—23 Jan. 97

Marathon, Marathon High School, 350 Sombrero Beach Road—28 Jan. 97

Tavernier, Coral Shores High School, 89901 Old Highway—30 Jan. 97

Interested citizens and public officials will be able to receive pertinent information regarding the development of the Draft SEIS at these meetings. The AFDTC is also required to hold future public meetings after the Draft SEIS is prepared. The locations and dates of these meetings will also be published in a Federal Register notice announcing the availability of the Draft SEIS. The AFDTC intends to issue the Draft SEIS in autumn 1997 for public comment and to issue the Final SEIS in spring 1998. Lester L. Lyles,

Lieutenant General, USAF, Director.

Dated: November 20, 1996.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense. [FR Doc. 96–30089 Filed 11–25–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 5000–04–M

Department of the Army

Committee Meeting Notice

AGENCY: School of the Americas, Training and Doctrine Command. **ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92–463), announcement is made of the following committee meeting:

NAME OF COMMITTEE: School of the Americas (SOA) Subcommittee of the Army Education Advisory Committee. DATE OF MEETING: 11 and 12 December 1996.

PLACE OF MEETING: School of the Americas, Building 35, Fort Benning, Georgia.

TIME OF MEETING: 0900–1630 on 11 December 1996; 0900–1600 on 12 December 1996.

PROPOSED AGENDA: Orientation briefings on current SOA Subcommittee issues.

1. Purpose of Meeting: This is the second SOA Subcommittee meeting. The subcommittee will receive a series of briefings they requested as a result of the first subcommittee meeting.

2. Meeting of the Advisory Committee is open to the public. Due to space limitations, attendance may be limited to those persons who have notified the Committee Management Office in writing at least 5 days prior to the meeting date of their intent to attend.

3. Any member of the public may file a written statement with the committee before, during, or after the meeting. To the extent that time permits, the subcommittee chairman may allow public presentations of oral statements at the meeting.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: All communications regarding this subcommittee should be addressed to

Lieutenant Colonel Franklin Montalvo, Designated Federal Official, U.S. Army School of the Americas, ATTN: ATZB– SAZ–CS, Fort Benning, Georgia, 31905– 6245.

Gregory D. Showalter,

Army Federal Register Liaison Officer. [FR Doc. 96–30126 Filed 11–25–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3710–08–M

Intent to Grant an Exclusive License to SciClone Pharmaceuticals

AGENCY: Office of The Judge Advocate General, Defense. ACTION: Notice of Intent.

SUMMARY: In compliance with 37 CFR § 404 et seq., the Department of the Army hereby gives notice of its intent to grant to SciClone Pharmaceuticals, a corporation having its principal place of business at 90 Mariner's Island Blvd., San Mateo, CA 94404, an exclusive license under U.S. Patent Applications Serial Numbers 07/878,372 filed 4 May 1992 and 08/145,660 filed 4 November 1993 respectively, and all continuations, continuations-in-part, divisionals, and reissues of the same, and all corresponding foreign patent applications which have been or will be filed. These applications relate to a composition for and a method of treating hepatitis C. Objections along with supporting evidence, if any, should be filed within 60 days from the date of this notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Earl T. Reichert, Intellectual Property Law Division, Office of The Judge Advocate General, DA ATTN: JALS–IP, 901 North Stuart Street Arlington, VA 22203–1837.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: None.

Gregory D. Showalter,

Army Federal Register Liaison Officer. [FR Doc. 96–30125 Filed 11–25–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3710–08–M

Intent to Grant an Exclusive or Partially Exclusive License to Superconducting Core Technologies

AGENCY: U.S. Army Research Laboratory. **ACTION:** Notice of Intent.

SUMMARY: In compliance with 37 CFR 404 et seq., the Department of the Army hereby givers notice of its intent to grant to Superconducting Core Technologies, a corporation having its principle place of business at 720 Corporate Circle, Golden, Colorado, 80401, an exclusive or partially exclusive licenses under U.S. Patents 5,486,491, issued 23 Jan