Notice of Intent To Rule on Application To Impose and Use the Revenue From a Passenger Facility Charge (PFC) at Baton Rouge Metropolitan Airport, Baton Rouge, LA

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

**ACTION:** Notice of intent to rule on

application.

SUMMARY: The FAA proposes to rule and invites public comment on the application to impose and use the revenue from a PFC at Baton Rouge Metropolitan Airport under the provisions of the Aviation Safety and Capacity Expansion Act of 1990 (Title IX of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990) (Public Law 101–508) and Part 158 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Part 158). DATES: Comments must be received on or before January 15, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments on this application may be mailed or delivered in triplicate copies to the FAA at the following address: Mr. Ben Guttery, Federal Aviation Administration, Southwest Region, Airports Division, Planning and Programming Branch, ASW-610D, Fort Worth, TX 76193–0610.

In addition, one copy of any comments submitted to the FAA must be mailed or delivered to Mr. Anthony J. Marino, Director of Aviation, at the following address: Mr. Anthony J. Marino, Director of Aviation, Baton Rouge Metropolitan Airport, Suite 213, Ryan Terminal Building, Baton Rouge, LA 70807.

Air carriers and foreign air carriers may submit copies of the written comments previously provided to the Airport under Section 158.23 of Part 158.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mr. Ben Guttery, Federal Aviation Administration, Southwest Region, Airports Division, Planning and Programming Branch, ASW-610D, Fort Worth, TX 76193-0610, (817) 222-5614.

The application may be reviewed in person at this same location.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FAA proposes to rule and invites public comment on the application to impose and use the revenue from a PFC at Baton Rouge Metropolitan Airport under the provisions of the Aviation Safety and Capacity Expansion Act of 1990 (Title IX of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990) (Public Law 101–508) and Part 158 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Part 158).

On November 26, 1996, the FAA determined that the application to

impose and use the revenue from a PFC submitted by the Airport was substantially complete within the requirements of Section 158.25 of Part 158. The FAA will approve or disapprove the application, in whole or in part, no later than March 26, 1997.

The following is a brief overview of the application.

Level of the proposed PFC: \$3.00 Proposed charge effective date: June 1. 1997

Proposed charge expiration date: May 30, 2008

*Total estimated PFC revenue:* \$10,157,206.00

*PFC application number:* 97–04–C–00–BTR

Brief description of proposed project: Project To Impose and Use PFC's

Terminal Building Renovation/ Expansion

Proposed class or classes of air carriers to be exempted from collecting PFC's: All Air Taxi/Commercial operators (ATCO).

Any person may inspect the application in person at the FAA office listed above under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT and at the FAA regional Airports office located at: Federal Aviation Administration, Southwest Region, Airports Division, Planning and Programming Branch, ASW–610D, 2601 Meacham Boulevard, Fort Worth, TX 76137–4298.

In addition, any person may, upon request, inspect the application, notice and other documents germane to the application in person at Baton Rouge Metropolitan Airport.

Issued in Fort Worth, Texas on November 27, 1996.

Naomi L. Saunders,

Manager, Airports Division.

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# Surface Transportation Board [STB Docket No. AB-337 (Sub-No. 5X)]

Dakota, Minnesota & Eastern Railroad Corporation—Abandonment Exemption—in Wabasha and Olmsted Counties, MN

**AGENCY:** Surface Transportation Board. **ACTION:** Notice of exemption.

**SUMMARY:** The Board, under 49 U.S.C. 10502, exempts from the prior approval requirements of 49 U.S.C. 10903 the abandonment by Dakota, Minnesota & Eastern Railroad Corporation of its 13.03-mile Plainview Branch Line located between milepost 3.07, at Plainview Junction, and milepost 16.1,

at Plainview, in Olmsted and Wabasha Counties, MN, subject to labor protective conditions and a public use condition.

DATES: Provided no formal expression of intent to file an offer of financial assistance (OFA) has been received, this exemption will be effective on January 15, 1997. Formal expressions of intent to file an OFA <sup>1</sup> under 49 CFR 1152.27(c)(2) and requests for interim trail use/rail banking under 49 CFR 1152.29 must be filed by December 26, 1996; petitions to stay must be filed by December 31, 1996; and petitions to reopen must be filed by January 10, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Send pleadings referring to STB Docket No. AB–337 (Sub-No. 5X) to: (1) Office of the Secretary, Case Control Branch, Surface Transportation Board, 1201 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20423, and (2) Kevin V. Schieffer, Schieffer, Cutler & Donahoe, P.C., 431 North Phillips Avenue, Suite 300, Sioux Falls, SD 57104.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Joseph H. Dettmar, (202) 927–5660. [TDD for the hearing impaired: (202) 927–5721.]

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Additional information is contained in the Board's decision. To purchase a copy of the full decision, write to, call, or pick up in person from: DC News & Data, Inc., Room 2229, 1201
Constitution Avenue, N.W.,
Washington, DC 20423. Telephone: (202) 289–4357/4359. [Assistance for the hearing impaired is available through TDD services (202) 927–5721.]

Decided: December 9, 1996.

By the Board, Chairman Morgan, Vice Chairman Simmons, and Commissioner Owen.

Vernon A. Williams,

Secretary.

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### **DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**

# Bureau of the Public Debt; Proposed Collection: Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Exempt. of Rail Abandonment—Offers of Finan. Assist., 4 I.C.C.2d 164 (1987).

and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104–13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A). Currently the Bureau of the Public Debt within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning the Application for Relief on Account of Loss, Theft, or Destruction of United States Savings and Retirement Securities and Supplemental Statement Concerning United States Securities.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before February 14, 1997, to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Bureau of the Public Debt, Vicki S. Thorpe, 200 Third Street, Parkersburg, WV 26106–1328.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the form and instructions should be directed to Vicki S. Thorpe, Bureau of the Public Debt, 200 Third Street, Parkersburg, WV 26106–1328, (304) 480–6553.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Titles: Application For Relief on Account of Loss, Theft or Destruction of United States Savings and Retirement Securities and Supplemental Statement Concerning United States Securities.

OMB Number: 1535–0013. Form Numbers: PD F 1048 and PD F 2243.

Abstract: The information is requested to issue owners substitute securities or payment in lieu of lost, stolen or destroyed securities.

Current Actions: None. Type of Review: Extension. Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 80,000.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 25 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 32,000.

#### **Request for Comments**

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (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 respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

Dated: December 10, 1996.

Vicki S. Thorpe,

Manager, Graphics, Printing, and Records Branch.

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### Bureau of the Public Debt; Proposed Collection: Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). Currently the Bureau of the Public Debt within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning the Description of United States Savings Bonds/Notes and Description of United States Savings Bonds Series HH/H.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before February 14, 1997, to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Bureau of the Public Debt, Vicki S. Thorpe, 200 Third Street, Parkersburg, WV 26106–1328.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the form and instructions should be directed to Vicki S. Thorpe, Bureau of the Public Debt, 200 Third Street, Parkersburg, WV 26106–1328, (304) 480–6553.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Titles: Description of United States Savings Bonds/Notes and Description of United States Savings Bonds Series HH/ H.

OMB Number: 1535–0064. Form Numbers: PD F 1980 and PD F 490.

Abstract: The information is requested to establish the owner of savings bonds.

Current Actions: None. Type of Review: Extension. Affected Public: Individuals or households. Estimated Number of Respondents: 19.000.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 6 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 1,900.

### **Request for Comments**

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (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 respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

Dated: December 10, 1996.

Vicki S. Thorpe,

Manager, Graphics, Printing and Records Branch.

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# Bureau of the Public Debt; Proposed Collection: Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A). Currently the Bureau of the Public Debt within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning the Application By Voluntary Guardian of Incapacitated Owner of United States Savings Bonds/ Notes.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before February 14, 1997, to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Bureau of the Public Debt, Vicki S. Thorpe, 200 Third Street, Parkersburg, WV 26106–1328.