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Executive Associate Director, Response and Recovery Directorate.

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-1219-DR]

Pennsylvania; Amendment to Notice of a Major Disaster Declaration

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the notice of a major disaster for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, (FEMA-1219-DR), dated June 8, 1998, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 25, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Madge Dale, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3260.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of a major disaster for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is hereby amended to include Categories A and B under the Public Assistance program in those areas determined to have been adversely affected by the catastrophe declared a major disaster by the President in his declaration of June 8, 1998:

The counties of Allegheny, Beaver, Berks, Somerset and Wyoming Counties for Categories A and B under the Public Assistance program (already designated for Individual Assistance and Hazard Mitigation).

(The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-3127-EM]

Texas; Emergency and Related Determinations

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a notice of the Presidential declaration of an emergency for the State of Texas (FEMA-3127-EM), dated June 23, 1998, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 23, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Madge Dale, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3260.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that, in a letter dated June 23, 1998, the President declared an emergency under the authority of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*), as follows:

I have determined that the emergency conditions in the State of Texas, resulting from extreme fire hazards beginning on June 4, 1998, is of sufficient severity and magnitude to warrant an emergency declaration under Title V, Section 501 (a) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, Pub. L. 93-288, as amended ("the Stafford Act"). I, therefore, declare that such an emergency exists in the State of Texas.

You are authorized to coordinate with other Federal agencies to provide any form of direct Federal assistance which you deem appropriate for required emergency measures, authorized under the Stafford Act, to save lives, protect property and public health and safety, and lessen or avert the threat of a catastrophe in the designated areas. You are also authorized to provide reimbursement for the eligible costs associated with the pre-staging of Emergency Management Assistance Compact fire suppression assets. In addition, you are authorized to provide such other forms of assistance under the Stafford Act, as you may deem appropriate.

In order to provide Federal assistance, you are hereby authorized to allocate from funds available for these purposes, such amounts, as you find necessary for Federal disaster assistance and administrative expenses. Consistent with the requirement that Federal

assistance be supplemental, any Federal funds provided under the Stafford Act will be limited to 75 percent of the total eligible costs.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the authority vested in the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency under Executive Order 12148, I hereby appoint Graham Nance of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to act as the Federal Coordinating Officer for this declared disaster.

I do hereby determine the following areas of the State of Texas to have been affected adversely by this declared emergency:

FEMA has been authorized to coordinate with other Federal agencies to provide any form of direct Federal assistance appropriate for required emergency measures, authorized under the Stafford Act, to save lives, protect property and public health and safety, and lessen or avert the threat of a catastrophe in the State of Texas. Reimbursement for the eligible costs associated with the pre-staging of Emergency Management Assistance Compact's fire suppression assets is authorized.

(The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing Program; 83.548, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program)

James L. Witt,

Director.

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-1229-DR]

West Virginia; Amendment No. 1 to Notice of a Major Disaster Declaration

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the notice of a major disaster for the State of West Virginia, (FEMA-1229-DR), dated July 1, 1998, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 6, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Madge Dale, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3260.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of a major disaster for the State of West

Virginia, is hereby amended to include Categories C through G under the Public Assistance program in the following areas among those areas determined to have been adversely affected by the catastrophe declared a major disaster by the President in his declaration of July 1, 1998:

Braxton, Gilmer, Jackson, Kanawha, Roane and Wood Counties for Categories C through G under Public Assistance (already designated for Individual Assistance and Categories A and B under Public Assistance).

Calhoun, Clay, Doddridge, Lewis, Marion, Pleasants, Ritchie, Tyler, and Wirt Counties for Individual Assistance and Public Assistance.

Harrison, Marshall, Ohio, Webster, and Wetzel Counties for Public Assistance. (The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing Program; 83.548, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.)

Lacy E. Suiter,

Executive Associate Director, Response and Recovery Directorate.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Ocean Freight Forwarder License; Applicants

Notice is hereby given that the following applicants have filed with the Federal Maritime Commission applications for licenses as ocean freight forwarders pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 (46 U.S.C. app. 1718 and 46 CFR 510).

Persons knowing of any reason why any of the following applicants should not receive a license are requested to contact the Office of Freight Forwarders, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, D.C. 20573.

Cross Trans Service USA, Inc., 1480 Elmhurst Road, Elk Grove Village, IL 60007. Officers: Kurt Konodi-Floch, President, Katherine Lovejoy-Berman, Vice President.

Dated: July 9, 1998.

Joseph C. Polking,
Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Ocean Freight Forwarder License Applicants

Notice is hereby given that the following applicants have filed with the Federal Maritime Commission applications for licenses as ocean freight forwarders pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 (46 U.S.C. app. 1718 and 46 CFR 510).

Persons knowing of any reason why any of the following applicants should not receive a license are requested to contact the Office of Freight Forwarders, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, D.C. 20573.

Crowley Logistics, Inc., 9487 Regency Square Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32225, Officers: Elliott, Burnside, President, John Hourihan, Vice President

Millennium Shipping Company, 4100 East 51st Street, Suite 104, Tulsa, OK 74135, Officers: Steven C. Reynolds, President, Karin R. Reynolds, Vice President

D. Kratt International, Inc., 841 Sivert Drive, Wood Dale, IL 60191, Officers: David P. Kratt, President, Robert Van Gent, Vice President

Dated: July 8, 1998.

Joseph C. Polking,
Secretary.

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FEDERAL MEDIATION AND CONCILIATION SERVICE

Proposed Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request

AGENCY: Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service (FMCS).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces that three Information Collection Requests (ICR) are coming up for renewal. These ICRs are: FMCS Arbitrator's Report and Fee Statement (Agency Form R-19), the Arbitrator's Personal Data Questionnaire (Agency Form R-22), and the Request for Arbitration Services (Agency Form R-43). The request seeks OMB approval to extend the expiration data of Forms R-19, R-22 and R-43 until November 30, 1998. FMCS is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the collections as described below.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before September 11, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments identified by the appropriate agency

form number by mail to: Office of Arbitration Services, FMCS, 2100 K Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20427, Room 707, 202/606-5111 ATTN: Annette Glaspie. Copies of the complete agency forms may be obtained from the Office of Arbitration Services at the above address or by contacting the person whose name appears under the section headed, **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.**

Comments and data may also be submitted by fax at (202) 606-3749 or electronic mail (e-mail) to pgmsvcfmcsc.gov. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the appropriate agency form number. No confidential business information (CBI) should be submitted through e-mail.

Information submitted as a comment concerning this document may be claimed confidential by marking any part or all of the information as "CBI". Information so marked will not be disclosed but a copy of the comment that does not contain CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public record. Information not marked confidential may be disclosed publicly by FMCS without prior notice. All written comments will be available for inspection in Room 707 at the Washington, D.C. address above from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Peter L. Regner, Director of Program Services, FMCS 2100 K Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20427. Telephone 202/606-8181; Fax 202/606/4216.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Copies of each of the agency forms are available from the Office of Arbitration Services by calling, faxing, or writing, to Ms. Glaspie at the above address. Please ask for the form by title and agency form number.

I. Information Collection Requests

FMCS is seeking comments on the following Information Collection Requests (ICRs).

Title: Arbitrator's Personal Data Questionnaire. ICR is R-22, OMB No. 3076-0001. Emergency expiration date 11/30/98.

Affecting entities: Parties affected by this information collection are individuals who apply for admission to the FMCS Roster of Arbitrators.

Abstract: Title II of the Labor Management Relations Act of 1947 (Public Law 90-101) as amended in 1959 (Public Law 86-527) and 1974 (Public Law 93-360), states that it is the labor policy of the United States that "the settlement of issues between