

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Army****Availability for Non-Exclusive, Exclusive, or Partially Exclusive Licensing of U.S. Patent Concerning Invaplex From Gram Negative Bacteria, Method of Purification and Method of Use****AGENCY:** Department of the Army, DoD.**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with 37 CFR 404.6 and 404.7, announcement is made of the availability for licensing of U.S. Patent No. 6,680,374 entitled "Invaplex from Gram Negative Bacteria, Method of Purification and Method of Use," filed January 31, 2001. The United States Government, as represented by the Secretary of the Army, has rights in this invention.

ADDRESSES: Commander, U.S. Army Medical Research and Materiel Command, ATTN: Command Judge Advocate, MCMR-JA, 504 Scott Street, Fort Detrick, Frederick, MD 21702-5012.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For patent issues, Ms. Elizabeth Arwine, Patent Attorney, (301) 619-7808. For licensing issues, Dr. Paul Mele, Office of Research & Technology Assessment, (301) 619-6664, both at telefax (301) 619-5034.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Isolated antibodies to Invaplex; novel compositions comprising immunoglobulins directed to invasin proteins and LPS from gram negative bacteria that selectively bind to Invaplex, and do not bind to the individual components of Invaplex.

Luz D. Ortiz,
Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.
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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Army****Intent To Grant an Exclusive License to Capewell, Inc.****AGENCY:** Department of the Army, DoD.**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with 35 U.S.C. 209(e) and 37 CFR 404.7 (a)(1)(i), announcement is made of the intent to grant an exclusive, royalty-bearing, revocable license to U.S. Patent No. 6,079,791 filed June 27, 2000 entitled "Retractable Grappling Hook", to Capewell, Inc. with its principal place

of business at 105 Nutmeg Road South, South Windsor, CT 06074.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Robert Rosenkrans at U.S. Army Soldier Systems Center (SSC), Kansas Street, Natick, MA 01760, Phone; (508) 233-4928 or E-mail Robert.Rosenkrans@natick.army.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The prospective exclusive license will be royalty bearing and will comply with the terms and conditions of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7. The prospective exclusive license may be granted, unless within fifteen (15) days from the date of this published Notice, SSC receives written evidence and argument to establish that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7.

Luz D. Ortiz,
Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.
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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Navy****Notice of Availability of Government-Owned Inventions; Available for Licensing****AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DOD.**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: The inventions listed below are assigned to the U.S. Government as represented by the Secretary of the Navy and are available for licensing by the Department of the Navy.

U.S. Patent No. 5,793,787: Type II Quantum Well Laser with Enhanced Optical Matrix, Navy Case No. 77,044/ U.S. Patent No. 6,154,299: Modulating Retro-reflector Using Multiple Quantum Well Technology, Navy Case No. 78,582.

ADDRESSES: Requests for copies of the inventions cited should be directed to the Naval Research Laboratory, Code 1004, 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20375-5320, and must include the Navy Case number.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jane F. Kuhl, Technology Transfer Office, NRL Code 1004, 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20375-5320, telephone (202) 767-7230. Due to temporary U.S. Postal Service delays, please fax (202) 404-7920, E-Mail: kuhl@utopia.nrl.navy.mil or use courier delivery to expedite response.

(Authority: 35 U.S.C. 207, 37 CFR part 404)

Dated: January 20, 2004.

J.T. Baltimore,
Lieutenant Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Alternate Federal Register Liaison Officer.
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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Navy****Notice of Intent To Grant Exclusive Patent License; Austin AI, LLC****AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DOD.**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Navy hereby gives notice of its intent to grant to Austin AI, LLC, a revocable, nonassignable, exclusive license to practice in the fields of (1) Environmental Soil Characterization, e.g. for the analysis of contaminated soils, sediments or sludge for the presence of heavy metals; (2) for Mineral Exploration, including use in exploratory, process and recovery mining and mineralogy specifically including sub-surface soil characterization for mineral exploration and three dimensional profiling/analysis of tailings to determine the potential content of reprocessible metals; and (3) for use of Energy Dispersive X-ray Fluorescence (EDXRF) for Liquid Media Monitoring for (a) the petroleum and petrochemical industries specifically including in-tank monitoring of sulfur in oils, e.g. for grading of diesel fuels by sulfur content or for determination of sulfur levels during fuel blending and for a probe for analysis of lead in waste oil tanks, underground tanks of refueling facilities, storage tanks at refineries, diesel long-haul truck tanks, (b) for the wood treatment industry for use in or on tank monitors for storage, mixing or treatment tanks for analysis of copper, chromium, and/or arsenic, and (c) in the environmental testing/monitoring industry in the United States and certain foreign countries, the Government-owned invention described in U.S. Patent No. 6,097,785 entitled "Cone Penetrometer Utilizing an X-Ray Fluorescence Metals Sensor", Navy Case No. 77,638.

DATES: Anyone wishing to object to the grant of this license must file written objections along with supporting evidence, if any, not later than February 11, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Written objections are to be filed with the Naval Research Laboratory, Code 1004, 4555 Overlook

Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20375–5320.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Jane F. Kuhl, Technology Transfer Office, NRL Code 1004, 4555 Overlook Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20375–5320, telephone (202) 767–7230. Due to U.S. Postal delays, please fax (202) 404–7920, E-Mail: kuhl@nrl.navy.mil or use courier delivery to expedite response. (Authority: 35 U.S.C. 207, 37 CFR part 404)

Dated: January 20, 2004.

J.T. Baltimore,

Lieutenant Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Alternate Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of Education.

SUMMARY: The Leader, Regulatory Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer invites comments on the submission for OMB review as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before February 26, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Melanie Kadlic, Desk Officer, Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503 or should be electronically mailed to the Internet address Melanie_Kadlic@omb.eop.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Leader, Regulatory Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer, publishes that notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these

requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g. new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment.

Dated: January 21, 2004.

Angela C. Arrington,

Leader, Regulatory Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

Federal Student Aid

Type of Review: Reinstatement.

Title: Clearance Package for FSA Customer Satisfaction Surveys Master Plan.

Frequency: As needed.

Affected Public: Individuals or household; Businesses or other for-profit; Not-for-profit; institutions; State, Local, or Tribal, Gov't, SEAs or LEAs.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 12,000.

Burden Hours: 2,900.

Abstract: In order to redefine the planning and decision-making processes to improve the quality of Federal Student Aid products and services.

Requests for copies of the submission for OMB review; comment request may be accessed from <http://edicsweb.ed.gov>, by selecting the "Browse Pending Collections" link and by clicking on link number 2370. When you access the information collection, click on "Download Attachments" to view. Written requests for information should be addressed to Vivian Reese, Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 4050, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202–4651 or to the e-mail address vivan.reese@ed.gov. Requests may also be electronically mailed to the internet address OCIO_RIMG@ed.gov or faxed to (202) 708–9346. Please specify the complete title of the information collection when making your request.

Comments regarding burden and/or the collection activity requirements should be directed to Joe Schubart at his e-mail address Joe.Schubart@ed.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1–800–877–8339.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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Dated: January 21, 2004.

Angela C. Arrington,

Leader, Regulatory Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

Office of Vocational and Adult Education

Type of Review: Revision.