

notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, the AVSI Cooperative intends to undertake the following joint research projects:

"Energy Harvesting and Structural Damping"—To determine the feasibility of using multifunctional carbon nanotube supercapacitors as a stand-alone system to harvest aero-elastic energy, dampen structural buffeting and provide structural elements.

"Modular Open Systems Approach Interoperability"—To develop an open systems approach for airborne systems such as avionics to allow greater interoperability through modular common interfaces and architectures. The goal is to reduce operational and support costs for these systems to enable increased investment in acquisition of new and/or technology-refreshed replacement systems.

"Validation and Verification of Advanced Flight Control Systems"—To validate and verify advanced nonlinear, adaptive and reconfigurable control strategies for manned and unmanned aircraft.

"Economic Analysis of Fuel and Infrastructure Options for Aircraft Fuel Cell Applications"—To investigate the economic feasibility of fuel type and fuel supply infrastructure options for aircraft fuel cell applications.

Furthermore, Textron Company, acting through its Cessna Aircraft Company, Wichita, KS, has withdrawn as a party to this venture. In addition, BAE Systems, acting through its BAE Systems Controls Division, a corporation in Rockville, MD; and Rockwell Collins, acting through its Air Transport Systems Division, Cedar Rapids, IA, have been added as parties to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activities of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and the AVSI Cooperative intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On November 18, 1998, the AVSI Cooperatives filed its original notification pursuant to section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on February 18, 1999 (64 FR 8123).

The last notification was filed with the Department on October 29, 2003. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the

Act on December 12, 2003 (68 FR 69422).

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Water Heater Industry Joint Research and Development Consortium

Notice is hereby given that, on February 26, 2004, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Water Heater Industry Joint Research and Development Consortium ("the Consortium") filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing a change in its status. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, the term of the Consortium has been changed as of February 21, 2004 from a term of nine years beginning February 27, 1995 to a period of ten years beginning February 27, 1995.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and the Consortium intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On February 28, 1995, the Consortium filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on March 27, 1995 (60 FR 15789).

The last notification was filed with the Department on March 3, 2003. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on April 16, 2003 (68 FR 18658).

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Fiscal Year (FY) 2004 Congressional Rescissions for WIA Adults and Dislocated Workers; Program Year (PY) 2004 Workforce Investment Act (WIA Allotments and Additional Funds From Dislocated Worker National Reserve for Adult/Dislocated Worker Activities for Eligible States; PY 2004 Wagner-Peyser Act Final Allotments; FY 2004 Work Opportunity Tax Credit and Welfare-to-Work Tax Credit Allotments

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This Notice announces FY 2004 Congressional Rescissions for WIA Adults and Dislocated Worker programs, states' allotments for PY 2004 (July 1, 2004–June 30, 2005) for WIA Title I Youth, Adults and Dislocated Worker programs; additional PY 2004 funding from the Dislocated Worker National Emergency Reserve for eligible states; final allotments for Employment Service (ES) activities under the Wagner-Peyser Act for PY 2004; and Work Opportunity Tax Credit and Welfare-to-Work Tax Credit allotments for FY 2004.

The WIA allotments for states and the final allotments for the Wagner-Peyser Act are based on formulas defined in their respective statutes. The WIA allotments for the outlying areas are based on a formula determined by the Secretary. As required by WIA section 182(d), on February 17, 2000, a Notice of the discretionary formula for allocating PY 2000 funds for the outlying areas was published in the **Federal Register** at 65 FR 8236 (February 17, 2000). The rationale for the formula and methodology was fully explained in the February 17, 2000 **Federal Register** Notice. The formula for PY 2004 is the same as used for PY 2000 and is described in the section on Youth allotments. The data for all outlying areas was obtained from the Bureau of the Census and was based on 2000 census surveys for those areas conducted either by the Bureau or the outlying areas. This is the first year that 2000 census data is used in the allotment formula. Comments are invited upon the formula used to allot funds to the outlying areas.

DATES: Comments must be received by April 26, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments to the Employment and Training