

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following business will be conducted: Project proposal presentations for 2014 funding. Contact Joni Lubke at 406-363-7100 for a full agenda. Anyone who would like to bring related matters to the attention of the committee may file written statements with the committee staff before the meeting. Individuals wishing to make an oral statement should request in writing by March 10, 2014 to be scheduled on the agenda. Written comments and requests for time for oral comments must be sent to Joni Lubke at 1801 N. 1st, Hamilton, MT 59840 or by email to jmlubke@fs.fed.us or via facsimile to 406-363-7159. A summary of the meeting will be posted at https://fsplaces.fs.fed.us/fsfiles/unit/wo/secure_rural_schools.nsf/Web_Agendas?OpenView&Count=1000&RestrictToCategory=Ravalli+County within 21 days of the meeting.

Dated: January 22, 2014.

Daniel G. Ritter,

Acting Forest Supervisor.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Natural Resources Conservation Service

[Docket No. NRCS-2014-0001]

Conservation Innovation Grants Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 Announcement for Program Funding

AGENCY: Natural Resources Conservation Service, United States Department of Agriculture.

ACTION: Notice of program funding.

SUMMARY: The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), an agency under the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), is announcing availability of Conservation Innovation Grants (CIG) to stimulate the development and adoption of innovative conservation approaches and technologies. Applications will be accepted from all 50 States, District of Columbia, Caribbean Area (Puerto Rico and U.S. Virgin Islands), and the Pacific Islands Area (Guam, American Samoa, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands). NRCS anticipates that the amount available for support of this program in FY 2014 will be up to \$15 million. Applications are requested from eligible governmental or non-governmental organizations or individuals for competitive consideration of grant awards for projects between 1 and 3 years in duration.

Funds will be awarded through a two-phase nationwide competitive grants process that will include: (1) A pre-proposal process, and (2) a full proposal process. The full proposal process will only be open to applicants whose pre-proposal applications are selected by NRCS. Both phases are described in the full announcement found at Grants.gov. Only pre-proposals are being solicited at this time.

Please visit <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/cig/index.html> for more information about this grant opportunity. In addition, the full notice that identifies the objectives, eligibility criteria, and application instructions for CIG projects can also be found at: www.grants.gov. Applications will be screened for completeness and compliance with the provisions of the announcement. Incomplete applications will be eliminated from competition, and notification of elimination will be mailed to the applicant. NRCS will request a full proposal package only from those applicants selected in the pre-proposal phase.

DATES: Applications for the pre-proposal phase must be received by NRCS before 4:00 p.m. EST on March 7, 2014. NRCS will announce selected pre-proposal applications by April 7, 2014. Selected applicants will then be required to submit a full proposal package to NRCS by 4:00 p.m. EDT on May 5, 2014.

ADDRESSES: Applications sent via express mail or overnight courier service must be sent to the following address: USDA-NRCS, CIG Program, 1400 Independence Avenue SW., Room 6143 South Building, Washington, DC 20250. Applications sent via the United States Postal Service must be sent to the following address: USDA-NRCS, CIG Program, Post Office Box 2890, Washington, DC 20013-2890. Applications sent electronically must be sent through www.grants.gov or nrcscig@wdc.usda.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gregorio Cruz, National CIG Program Manager, NRCS, Post Office Box 2890, Washington, DC 20250; telephone: (202) 720-8644; email: gregorio.cruz@wdc.usda.gov.

Signed this 30th day of January 2014 in Washington, DC.

Jason A. Weller,

Vice President, Commodity Credit Corporation, and Chief, Natural Resources Conservation Service.

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BROADCASTING BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Sunshine Act Meeting

DATE AND TIME: Monday, February 10, 2014. 11:30 a.m. EST.

PLACE: Broadcasting Board of Governors, Cohen Building, Room 3321, 330 Independence Ave. SW., Washington, DC 20237.

SUBJECT: Notice of Special Meeting of the Broadcasting Board of Governors.

SUMMARY: The members of the Broadcasting Board of Governors (BBG) will meet in a special session, to be conducted telephonically, to discuss and approve the agency's Operating Plan for Fiscal Year 2014.

The meeting will be available for public observation via a complete audio recording and a verbatim transcript of the meeting to be promptly posted on the BBG's public Web site at www.bbg.gov.

Information regarding this meeting, including any updates or adjustments to its starting time, can also be found on the Agency's public Web site.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Persons interested in obtaining more information should contact Paul Kollmer-Dorsey at (202) 203-4545.

Patricia Hargrave,

Acting General Counsel.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Sunshine Act Notice

AGENCY: United States Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Notice of Briefing.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, February 14, 2014; 9:30 a.m. EST.

PLACE: 1331 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Suite 1150, Washington, DC 20425.

Briefing Agenda—9:30 a.m.–2:45 p.m.

This briefing is open to the public. Topic: *Patient Dumping*.

I. Introductory Remarks by Chairman.

II. Panel I—9:30 a.m.–10:45 a.m.:

Government Panel

Speakers' Remarks and Questions From Commissioners.

III. Panel II—10:45 a.m.–12:00 p.m.:

Advocate/Practitioner Panel

Speakers' Remarks and Questions From Commissioners.

IV. Panel III—12:05 p.m.–1:05 p.m.:

Scholar Panel

Speakers' Remarks and Questions From Commissioners.

V. Adjourn Briefing.

CONTACT PERSON FOR FURTHER

INFORMATION: Lenore Ostrowsky, Acting Chief, Public Affairs Unit, (202) 376–8591.

Hearing-impaired persons who will attend the briefing and require the services of a sign language interpreter should contact Pamela Dunston at (202) 376–8105 or at signlanguage@usccr.gov at least seven business days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

Dated: February 4, 2014.

David Mussatt,

Acting Chief, RPCU.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Industry and Security

Modification of Temporary Denial Order To Add Evans Meridians Ltd. as a Denied Person

In the matter of: 3K Aviation Consulting & Logistics, a/k/a 3K Havacilik Ve Danismanlik SAN. TIC. LTD. ST., Biniciler Apt. Savas Cad. No. 18/5, Sirinyali Mah. 07160, Antalya, Turkey and Sonmez Apt. No. 4/5 1523 Sokak, Sirinyali Mah. 07160, Antalya, Turkey; Huseyin Engin Borluca, Biniciler Apt. Savas Cad. No. 18/5, Sirinyali Mah. 07160, Antalya, Turkey and Sonmez Apt. No. 4/5 1523 Sokak, Sirinyali Mah. 07160, Antalya, Turkey; Adaero International Trade, LLC, 2326 17th Avenue, Rockford, IL 61104 and IDTM B 1 Blok, Kat 14 No: 439, Yesilkoy, Istanbul, Turkey; Recep Sadettin Ilgin, 2326 17th Avenue, Rockford, IL 61104 and IDTM B 1 Blok, Kat 14 No: 439, Yesilkoy, Istanbul, Turkey; Pouya Airline, a/k/a Pouya Air, Mehrebad Airport, Tehran, Iran; Evans Meridians Ltd., Drake Chambers, 1st Floor, Yamraj Building, P.O. Box 3321, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands; *Respondents.*

Pursuant to § 766.24 of the Export Administration Regulations (the “Regulations” or “EAR”),¹ I hereby grant the request of the Office of Export Enforcement (“OEE”) to modify the January 3, 2014 Order Denying the Export Privileges of Adaero International Trade LLC, Recep Sadettin Ilgin, 3K Aviation Consulting and Logistics, Huseyin Engin Borluca and

Pouya Air, as I find that modification of the Temporary Denial Order (“TDO”) is necessary in the public interest to prevent an imminent violation of the EAR. Specifically, I find it necessary to add the following person as an additional Respondent in order to prevent an imminent violation of the Regulations and the TDO: Evans Meridians Ltd., Drake Chambers, 1st Floor, Yamraj Building, P.O. Box 3321, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.

I. Procedural History

On January 3, 2014, I signed a TDO denying for 180 days the export privileges of 3K Aviation Consulting & Logistics, also known as 3K Havacilik Ve Danismanlik SAN. TIC. LTD. ST. (“3K Aviation”); Huseyin Engin Boluca (3K Aviation Consulting & Leasing’s founder and director); Adaero International Trade, LLC (“Adaero”); Recep Sadettin Ilgin (Adaero International Trade’s managing director); and Pouya Airline, also known as Pouya Air. The TDO was issued *ex parte* pursuant to § 766.24(a) and went into effect upon issuance on January 3, 2014. The TDO was published in the **Federal Register** on January 10, 2014. 79 FR 1823 (Jan. 10, 2014).

In connection with the TDO, OEE presented evidence that in December 2013, two U.S.-origin General Electric CF6 aircraft engines² bearing manufacturer’s serial numbers (“MSN”) 695244 and 705112 were transported on behalf of Adaero International Trade, LLC to 3K Aviation Consulting & Logistics (“3K Aviation”), which is located in Turkey, and that 3K Aviation was preparing to re-export the engines to Iran without the U.S. Government authorization required by § 746.7 of the EAR. OEE had further information that Pouya Airline, an Iranian cargo airline, was scheduled to transport both engines from Turkey to Iran on January 7, 2014.

As discussed further below, OEE has obtained evidence following issuance of the TDO of Evans Meridians Ltd.’s involvement in the attempted export or reexport of the items to Iran.

II. Temporarily Denying Evans Meridians Ltd.’s Export Privileges

A. Legal Standard

Pursuant to § 766.24(b) of the Regulations, BIS may issue an order temporarily denying a Respondent’s export privileges upon a showing that

the order is necessary in the public interest to prevent an “imminent violation” of the Regulations. 15 CFR 766.24(b)(1). “A violation may be ‘imminent’ either in time or degree of likelihood.” 15 CFR 766.24(b)(3). BIS may show “either that a violation is about to occur, or that the general circumstances of the matter under investigation or case under criminal or administrative charges demonstrate a likelihood of future violations.” *Id.* As to the likelihood of future violations, BIS may show that “the violation under investigation or charges is significant, deliberate, covert and/or likely to occur again, rather than technical or negligent [.]” *Id.* A “lack of information establishing the precise time a violation may occur does not preclude a finding that a violation is imminent, so long as there is sufficient reason to believe the likelihood of a violation.” *Id.*

B. BIS’s Request To Add Evans Meridians Ltd. to the TDO

In its request, OEE has presented evidence demonstrating that Evans Meridians Ltd. (“Evans Meridians”), a British Virgin Islands company, is involved with the transaction described in the TDO. Prior to issuance of the TDO, OEE did not have evidence of Evans Meridians’ relationship to the items or role in the transaction. If the evidence presented in support of this modification had been available during consideration of the TDO, OEE would have sought to include Evans Meridians as a denied person on the TDO when issued on January 3, 2014.

The TDO stated that the engines were transported to 3K Aviation on behalf of Adaero. While it remains true that Adaero was involved in both the sale of the engines and the transfer of the engines from Germany to Turkey, evidence obtained by OEE and presented as part of this request shows that Evans Meridians appears on documents as the purchaser and has acted as the owner of the items in connection with their transfer to 3K Aviation en route to Iran. The two aircraft engines remain in the possession and/or control of 3K Aviation in Turkey in violation of the TDO. Moreover, Evans Meridians has made payment to 3K Aviation, a denied person, for customs storage fees for the engines. The payment to 3K Aviation was made on or about January 21, 2014, that is, 18 days after the TDO issued on January 3, 2014, and 11 days after publication of the TDO on January 10, 2014, in violation of the Regulations and/or the TDO. The evidence presented by OEE also supports its reasonable belief that the continued

¹ The EAR is currently codified at 15 CFR parts 730–774 (2013). The EAR are issued under the Export Administration Act of 1979, as amended (50 U.S.C. app. 2401–2420 (2000)) (“EAA”). Since August 21, 2001, the Act has been in lapse and the President, through Executive Order 13222 of August 17, 2001 (3 CFR 2001 Comp. 783 (2002)), which has been extended by successive Presidential Notices, the most recent being that of August 8, 2013 (78 FR 49107 (Aug. 12, 2013)), has continued the Regulations in effect under the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 U.S.C. 1701, *et seq.*) (2006 & Supp. IV 2010).

² The engines are items subject to the Regulations, classified under Export Control Classification Number 9A991.d, and controlled for anti-terrorism reasons.