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For the Commission by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.⁴

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Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

RTCA Special Committee 194; ATM Data Link Implementation

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 5 U.S.C., Appendix 2), notice is hereby given for Special Committee 194 meeting to be held November 28-30 (and December 1, if needed) 2000, starting at 9 a.m. The meeting will be held at RTCA, 1140 Connecticut Ave., NW, Suite 1020, Washington, DC 20036.

The agenda will include:

November 28

9 a.m. Plenary Session

- (1) Review Agenda
- (2) Review/Approve Previous Meeting Summary
- (3) Presentation by the U.S. Representative to the ICAO Review of the General Concept of Separation Panel (RGCSP)
- (4) Working Group Reports
- (5) Presentation of WG-2's document, DO-XXX: "Implementation Requirements for Services Integrating Flight Operations and Air Traffic Management Using Addressed Data Link"

1 p.m.

- (6) Working Groups meet:
 - (a) WG-1, Data Link Ops Concept & Implementation Plan
 - (b) WG-2, Flight Operations and ATM Integration
 - (c) WG-3, Human Factors
 - (d) WG-4, Service Provider Interface

November 29

- (7) Working Groups 1-4 continue

November 30

9 a.m. Plenary Session

- (8) Develop Plenary Consensus approval of WG-2's document, DO-XXX: "Implementation Requirements for Services Integrating Flight

Operations and Air Traffic Management Using Addressed Data Link"

- (9) Working Group Reports:
 - (e) Includes presentation of WG-4 draft working paper for plenary review
- (10) Other Business
- (11) Date and Location of Next Meeting
- (12) Closing

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space availability. With the approval of the chairman, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the RTCA Secretariat, 1140 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Suite 1020, Washington, DC 20036; (202) 833-9339 (phone); (202) 833-9434 (fax); or <http://www.rtca.org> (web site). Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

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Designated Official.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Highway Administration

[Docket No. FHWA-2000-8194]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Request for Comments; Renewed Approval of Seven Information Collections

AGENCY: Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The FHWA invites public comments about our intention to request the Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) approval to renew seven information collections which are summarized below under Supplementary Information. We are required to publish this notice in the **Federal Register** by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Please submit comments by January 5, 2001.

ADDRESSES: You may mail or hand deliver comments to the U.S. Department of Transportation, Dockets Management Facility, Room PL-401, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590; telefax comments to 202/493-2251; or submit electronically at <http://dmses.dot.gov/submit>. All comments should include the docket

number in this notice's heading as well as the OMB control number referencing the specific information collection that is being addressed. All comments may be examined and copied at the above address from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. If you desire a receipt you must include a self-addressed stamped envelope or postcard or, if you submit your comments electronically, you may print the acknowledgment page.

PUBLIC COMMENTS INVITED: You are asked to comment on any aspect of these information collections, including: (1) Whether the proposed collections are necessary for the FHWA's performance; (2) the accuracy of estimated burdens; (3) ways for the FHWA to enhance the quality, usefulness, and clarity of the collected information; and (4) ways that burdens could be minimized, including use of electronic technology, without reducing the quality of the collected information. The agency will summarize and/or include your comments in the request for OMB's clearance of these information collections.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

1. Title: Bid Price Data.

OMB Control Number: 2125-0010 (Expiration Date: March 31, 2001).

Abstract: Information collected on Form FHWA-45, Bid Price Data, is needed for the FHWA to monitor changes in purchasing power of the Federal-aid construction dollar. FHWA follows these trends so that changes in highway construction prices can be measured and funding level recommendations to Congress can be justified. The Federal share of the cost of certain projects constructed by the States in advance of regular apportionments is adjusted based on the bid price index (Title 23 United States Code 115). Form FHWA-45 is prepared for Federal-aid highway construction contracts greater than \$0.5 million in the 50 States plus Washington, DC, and Puerto Rico. Data is reported on six major items of highway construction, together with the total materials and labor costs of the project, taken from the bid tabulation of construction items submitted by the lowest or winning bidder to the State Transportation Department. The State Transportation Departments furnish copies of the bid tabulation to the FHWA that uses the data to produce the national FHWA bid price index and related statistics.

Respondents: 52 State Transportation Departments, including the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico.

Frequency: The data is collected by the States and submitted to FHWA one

⁴ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).