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*Director of the Diplomatic Security Service,
Department of State.*

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UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

Notice of Meeting of the Industry Sector Advisory Committee on Small and Minority Business (ISAC-14)

AGENCY: Office of the United States Trade Representative.

ACTION: Notice of an opened meeting.

SUMMARY: The Industry Sector Advisory Committee on Small and Minority Business (ISAC-14) will hold a meeting on March 6, 2002, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. The meeting will be opened to the public from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

DATES: The meeting is scheduled for March 6, 2002, unless otherwise notified.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held in Conference Room 2015B of the Department of Commerce, located at 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pam Wilbur or Kelly Parsons (principal contacts), at (202) 482-4792, Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230 or myself on (202) 395-6120.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: During the meeting the agenda items to be addressed will be:

- A vote on Chairman Jon Weinstein's letter to Secretary Evans discussing TPA legislation;
- Report on the results of the June OECD meeting of the SME Working Party;
- Preparations for the upcoming APEC SME Ministerial in Mexico;
- Input for WTO negotiators; and
- Possible cooperation with Canadian advisory groups.

Christina Sevilla,

*Acting Assistant U.S. Trade Representative
for Intergovernmental Affairs and Public
Liaison.*

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OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

Procurement Thresholds for Implementation of Trade Agreements Act

AGENCY: Office of the United States Trade Representative.

ACTION: Notice of procurement thresholds under the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and Chapter 10 of the North American Free Trade Agreement.

SUMMARY: Executive Order 12260 requires the U.S. Trade Representative to set the U.S. dollar thresholds for application of Title III of the Trade Agreements Act of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2511 *et seq.*), which implements U.S. obligations under the World Trade Organization Government Procurement Agreement (GPA) and Chapter 10 of the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA). These obligations apply to covered procurements valued at or above the specified U.S. dollar thresholds. The U.S. Trade Representative has determined that, for the calendar years 2002-2003, the thresholds are as follows:

I. WTO Government Procurement Agreement

A. Central Government Entities Listed in U.S. Annex 1

(1) Procurement of goods and services—\$169,000.

B. Sub-Central Government Entities Listed in U.S. Annex 2

(1) Procurement of goods and services—\$460,000.

(2) Procurement of construction services—\$6,481,000.

C. Other Entities Listed in U.S. Annex 3

(1) Procurement of goods and services—\$518,000.

(2) Procurement of construction services—\$6,481,000.

II. Chapter 10 of the NAFTA

A. Federal Government Entities Listed in the U.S. Schedule to Annex 1001.1a-1

(1) Procurement of goods and services—\$56,190.

(2) Procurement of construction services—\$7,304,733.

B. Government Enterprises Listed in the U.S. Schedule to Annex 1001.1a-2

(1) Procurement of goods and services—\$280,951.

(2) Procurement of construction services—\$8,990,862.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Questions relating to the implementation of NAFTA Chapter 10

may be directed to Karissa Kovner, USTR Director for International Procurement Negotiations (202/395-3063), Office of the U.S. Trade Representative, 600 Seventeenth Street, NW, Washington, DC 20508.

Carmen Suro-Bredie,

Chairman, Trade Policy Staff Committee.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Notice of Submission Deadline for International Slots For the Winter 2002/2003 Scheduling Season

AGENCY: Department of Transportation, FAA.

ACTION: Notice of submission deadline.

SUMMARY: On October 1, 1999, the FAA amended the regulations governing takeoff and landing slots and slot allocation procedures at certain High Density Traffic Airports as a result of the "Open Transborder" Agreement between the Government of the United States and the Government of Canada. One element of this final rule established that the deadline for submission of requests for international slots will be published in a Federal Register notice for each scheduling season. The purpose of the amendment is for the FAA deadline for international slot requests to coincide with the International Air Transport Association deadline for submission of international requests. For the Winter 2002/2003 Scheduling Season, the IATA submission deadline is May 12, 2002, which falls on a Sunday. Therefore, the FAA announces in this notice that the deadline for submitting requests for international slots for allocation under 14 CFR 93.217 is May 13, 2002.

DATES: Requests for international slots must be submitted no later than May 13, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Requests may be submitted by mail to Slot Administration Office, AGC-220, Office of the Chief Counsel, 800 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20591; facsimile: 202-267-7668; ARINC:DCAYAXD; e-mail address: 7-AWA-slotadmin@faa.gov.

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