2. *Applicant:* Gary D. Miller, Biology Department, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87131–0001.

[Permit Application No. 2002–005]

Activity for Which Permit is Requested: Take and Import into the U.S. The applicant proposes continue the analysis of phylogenetic relationships, population genetics, and disease of Antarctic seabirds. The applicant proposes to collect blood and tissue samples from up to 400 Adelie and up to 200 Chinstrap, Gentoo, Macaroni, and Emperor penguins, South Polar and Antarctic skuas, Kelp gulls and Snowy Sheathbills each over the next two years. In addition, the applicant plans to attach up to 10 conventional VHF transmitters and not more than 3 satellite transmitters on skuas each year to determine the dynamics of movement around the breeding area and then to determine the greater distance traveled during migration. This will address the ability of skuas to become infected and subsequently pass on avian diseases.

The applicant will conduct most of his sampling in collaboration with Australian scientists at Davis Station in East Antarctica. Other samples will be taken on an opportunistic basis while serving as a lecturer onboard cruise ships operating in the Peninsula Area during the austral summer. Samples collected will be returned to the United States for analysis.

Location: Antarctic Peninsula and associated islands, East Antarctica and the Ross Sea region.

Dates: November 1, 2001 to April 1, 2003.

3. *Applicant*: Ruldolf S. Scheltema, Biology Department, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, Woods Hole, MA 02543.

[Permit Application No. 2002–006]

Activity for Which Permit is Requested: Introduce into Antarctica. The applicant proposes to use *Thalassiosera pseudonana, Isochryois galbana,* and *Dunaliella teriolecta* cultures of unicellur algae in rearing zooplankton organisms. Indigenous zooplankton will be collected in antarctic waters and reared in the laboratory onboard ship, using the above named unicellular algae as food. The study will deal with the history of antarctic organisms, in particular with the larvae of benthic organisms. The larval life history is especially important in understanding the demography of bottom organisms. At the completion of the study, the algal cultures will be disposed of by heat sterilization.

Location: Onboard the R/V LAURENCE M. GOULD in the region of the South Shetland Islands, Antarctic Peninsula region.

Dates: November 30, 2001 to December 31, 2001.

Nadene G. Kennedy,

Permit Officer, Office of Polar Programs.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

DATE: Weeks of August 6, 13, 20, 27, September 3, 10, 2001.

PLACE: Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

STATUS: Public and Closed.

Matters To Be Considered

Week of August 6, 2001

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of August 6, 2001.

Week of August 13, 2001—Tentative

Tuesday, August 14, 2001
  9:30 a.m. Briefing on NRC International Activities (Public Meeting) (Contact: Elizabeth Doroshuk, 301–415–2775)
Wednesday, August 15, 2001
  9:30 a.m. Briefing on EEO Program (Public Meeting) (Contact: Irene Little, 301–415–7380)
  1:25 p.m. Affirmation Session (Public Meeting) (If needed)
  1:30 p.m. Meeting with Organization of Agreement States (OAS) and Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors (CRCPD) (Public Meeting) (Contact: John Zabko, 301–415–1277)

Week of August 20, 2001—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of August 20, 2001.

Week of August 27, 2001—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of August 27, 2001.

Week of September 3, 2001—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of September 3, 2001.

Week of September 10, 2001—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of September 10, 2001.

The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. To verify the status of meetings call (recording)—(303) 415–1292. Contact person for more information: David Louis Gamberoni (301) 415–1651.

Additional Information

By a vote of 4–0 on July 30, the Commission determined pursuant to U.S.C. 552b(e) and § 9.107(a) of the Commission's rules that ''Affirmation of International Uranium (USA) Corporation (Source Material License Amendment, License No. SUA–1358) Docket No. 40–8681–MLA–8; Review of LBP–01–08'' be held on July 30, and on less than one week's notice to the public.

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Dated: August 2, 2001.

David Louis Gamberoni,

Technical Coordinator, Office of the Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Investment Company Act Release No. 25098; 812–12168]

Sage Life Assurance of America, Inc. et al.; Notice of Application

August 1, 2000.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission (''Commission'').

ACTION: Notice of an application for an order under section 12(d)(1)(J) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the ''Act'') for an exemption from sections 12(d)(1)(A) and (B) of the Act and under sections 6(c) and 17(b) of the Act for an exemption from section 17(a) of the Act.

Summary of Application

Applicants request an order that would permit them to implement a ''fund of funds'' arrangement. The fund of funds would invest in other funds that are part of the same group of investment companies and in funds that are not part of the same group of investment companies in reliance on section 12(d)(1)(F) of the Act.