

| Item                                                                                          | Responses<br>(a) | Filing fees<br>(\$)*<br>(b) | Total non-<br>hour cost<br>burden<br>(a) × (b) |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Application to Extend Patent Term under 35 U.S.C. 156(d)(1) .....                             | 50               | \$1,120                     | \$56,000                                       |
| Request for Interim Extension under 35 U.S.C. 156(e)(2) .....                                 | 1                | 0                           | 0                                              |
| Petition to Review Final Eligibility Decision .....                                           | 1                | 130                         | 130                                            |
| Initial Application for Interim Extension under 35 U.S.C. 156(d)(5) .....                     | 1                | 420                         | 420                                            |
| Subsequent Application for Interim Extension under 37 CFR 1.790 .....                         | 1                | 220                         | 220                                            |
| Response to Requirement to Elect .....                                                        | 2                | 0                           | 0                                              |
| Response to Request to Identify Holder of Regulatory Approval .....                           | 1                | 0                           | 0                                              |
| Declaration to Withdraw an Application to Extend Patent Term .....                            | 1                | 0                           | 0                                              |
| Petition for Reconsideration of Patent Term Adjustment Determination (35 U.S.C. 154(b)) ..... | 24,000           | 200                         | 4,800,000                                      |
| Petition for Reinstatement of Reduced Patent Term Adjustment (35 U.S.C. 154(b)) .....         | 2,800            | 400                         | 1,120,000                                      |
| Totals .....                                                                                  | 26,858           | 2,490                       | 5,976,770                                      |

\* NOTE: All fees listed are based on per class filing.

#### IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: April 3, 2001.

**Susan K. Brown,**

*Records Officer, USPTO, Office of Data Management, Data Administration Division.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

##### Department of the Air Force

##### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Department of the Air Force, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

In compliance with section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Skills Management Branch, Air Force Personnel Center, announces the proposed reinstatement of a public information collection and seeks public

comment on the provisions thereof.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by June 11, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Skills Management Branch (DPPAE), Air Force Personnel Center, 550 C Street West, Suite 10, ATTN: Mrs. Blanche Thompson, Randolph AFB, TX 78150-4712.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to the above address or call Mrs. Blanche Thompson at 210-565-2461.

*Title, Associated Form, and OMB Number:* "Application for Appointment as Reserves of the Air Force or USAF Without Component," Air Force (AF) Form 24, OMB number 0701-0096.

*Needs and Uses:* The information collection requirement is necessary for providing necessary information to determine if applicant meets qualifications established for appointment as a Reserve (Air National Guard of the United States (ANGUS) and U.S. Air Force Reserves (USAFR)) or in the USAF without component. Use of the Social Security Number (SSN) is necessary to make positive

identification of an applicant and his or her records.

*Affected Public:* Individuals and households.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 5,899.

*Number of Respondents:* 5,899.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Average Burden per Response:* 1 Hour.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Summary of Information Collection

This is an information collection from person applying for appointment as a member of the Reserves of the Air Force or an Air Force member without a component and entry into active duty. The information contained on AF Form 24 supports the Air Force as it applies to direct appointment (procurement) programs for civilian and military applicants. It provides necessary information to determine if an applicant meets qualifications established for appointment to fill authorized ANGUS and USAFR position vacancies and active duty requirements. Eligibility requirements are outlined in Air Force Instruction 36-2005.

**Janet A. Long,**

*Air Force Federal Register Liaison Officer*  
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#### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

##### Department of the Army

##### Army Science Board, Notice of Open Meeting

In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (PL 92-463), announcement is made of the following Committee Meeting:

*Name of Committee:* Army Science Board (ASB).

*Date of Meeting:* 16-17 April 2001.

*Time of Meeting:* 0730–1700, 16 April 2001; 0730–1600, 17 April 2001.

*Place:* 11493 Sunset Hills Road, Reston, VA 20190–5214.

*Agenda:* The Army Science Board's (ASB) panel will conduct a study on "Knowledge Based Management and Information Reliability" to examine innovative ways of addressing technology issues that have the potential to "weigh down" our future Warfighters with massive amounts of data. These meetings will be open to the public. Any interested person may attend, appear before, or file statements with the committee at the time and in the manner permitted by the committee. For further information, please contact Mr. Randy Woodson, Office of the DA DCSINT, 703–604–2462, [randy.woodson@hqda.army.mil](mailto:randy.woodson@hqda.army.mil).

**Wayne Joyner,**

*Program Support Specialist, Army Science Board.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Navy

#### Notice of Availability of Invention for Licensing; Government-Owned Invention

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DOD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The invention listed below is assigned to the United States Government as represented by the Secretary of the Navy and is available for licensing by the Department of the Navy. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/275,272 entitled "Atmospheric Ozone Concentration Detector," Navy Case No. 79,555.

**ADDRESSES:** Requests for copies of the patent application cited should be directed to the Naval Research Laboratory, Code 1008.2, 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20375–5320, and must include the Navy Case number.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Catherine M. Cotell, Ph.D., Head, Technology Transfer Office, NRL Code 1004, 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20375–5320, telephone (202) 767–7230.

(Authority: 35 U.S.C. 207, 37 CFR Part 404)

Dated: April 4, 2001.

**J. L. Roth,**

*Lieutenant Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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## DELAWARE RIVER BASIN COMMISSION

### Notice of Commission Meeting and Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given that the Delaware River Basin Commission will hold an informal conference followed by a public hearing on Thursday, April 19, 2001. The hearing will be part of the Commission's regular business meeting. Both the conference session and business meeting are open to the public and will be held at the New York City Municipal Building, One Centre Street, Building One, Room 1019, in lower Manhattan.

The conference among the Commissioners and staff will begin at 10:00 a.m. Topics of discussion will include a progress report on the Commission's Comprehensive Plan; the status of a proposal to improve the flood warning system in the Delaware River Basin; and a summary of the Toxics Advisory Committee meeting of March 23, 2001 and related activities. The session will conclude with a historical slide presentation on the New York City water supply system.

The subjects of the public hearing to be held during the 1:00 p.m. business meeting include, in addition to the dockets listed below, a resolution to amend the Commission's Comprehensive Plan and Water Code to establish water usage reporting requirements.

The dockets scheduled for public hearing are as follows:

1. *New York State Department of Environmental Conservation D–77–20 (Revision 4)*. A resolution to continue for one year the experimental augmented conservation release program for the New York City Delaware Basin Reservoirs.
2. *Merrill Creek Owners Group D–77–110 CP (Amendment 11)*. A resolution to amend Table A (Revised) of Docket No. D–77–110 CP (Amendment 10) to include the addition of the Liberty Electric Power, LLC facility as a "Designated Unit".
3. *Merrill Creek Owners Group D–77–110 CP (Amendment 12)*. A resolution to amend Table A (Revised) of Docket No. D–77–110 CP (Amendment 11) to

include the addition of the Hay Road Unit #8 as a "Designated Unit".

4. *Pechiney Plastic Packaging, Inc. (formerly American National Can Company) D–97–50 RENEWAL*. An application for approval of a ground water withdrawal project to supply up to 14 mg/30 days of water to the applicant's manufacturing facility from new Well No. 5 in the Kittatinny Aquifer and to retain the existing withdrawal limit from all wells of 14 million gallons (mg)/30 days. The project is located in Washington Borough, Warren County, New Jersey.

5. *Bucks County Water & Sewer Authority D–99–66 CP*. An application for approval of a ground water withdrawal project to supply up to 6.4 mg/30 days of water to the applicant's distribution system from new Well No. S–3 in the Brunswick Formation and to limit the withdrawal from all wells to 6.4 mg/30 days. The project is located in Solebury Township, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

6. *Buckingham Township D–2000–38 CP*. An application for approval of a ground water withdrawal project to supply up to 3 mg/30 days of water to the applicant's public water distribution system from new Well No. F–3 in the Lockatong Formation and to retain the existing withdrawal limit from all wells of 33.2 mg/30 days. The project is located in Buckingham Township, Bucks County in the Southeastern Pennsylvania Ground Water Protected Area.

7. *Hellertown Borough Authority D–2000–53 CP*. A ground water withdrawal project to provide a standby source of supply for the applicant's public water distribution system which will continue to serve Hellertown Borough and Lower Saucon Township. The applicant requests that the withdrawal from standby Well No. 3 in the Limestone Aquifer be limited to 22 mg/30 days and that the total withdrawal from all sources remain limited to 22 mg/30 days. The project is located in Hellertown Borough, Northampton County, Pennsylvania.

8. *Upper Uwchlan Township D–2000–55 CP*. An application to construct a 0.3 mgd secondary lagoon sewage treatment plant (STP) and spray irrigation system to serve development along the Route 100 North corridor of Upper Uwchlan Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania. No surface water discharge is proposed.

In addition to the public hearing, the Commission will address the following at its 1:00 p.m. business meeting: minutes of the February 28, 2001 business meeting; announcements; report on hydrologic conditions in the