

Environmental Quality Regulations for implementing the procedural provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act at 40 CFR 153.3 in addressing these points.

After the comment period on the Draft EIS ends, the comments will be analyzed, considered, and responded to by the NRCS in preparing the Final EIS. The Final EIS is scheduled for completion by the spring of 2006. The responsible officials will consider the comments, responses, environmental consequences discussed in the Final EIS, and applicable laws, regulations, and policies in making a decision regarding this proposed action. The responsible officials will document the decisions and reasons for the decisions in a Record of Decision. That decision will be subject to appeal in accordance with 36 CFR part 215.

Dated: September 24, 2004.

Harold L. Klaege,

State Conservationist.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Cane Creek Watershed, Lauderdale County, TN

AGENCY: Natural Resources Conservation Service.

ACTION: Notice of availability of record of decision.

SUMMARY: James W. Ford, responsible Federal official for projects administered under the provisions of Public Law 83-566, 16 U.S.C. 1001-1008, in the State of Tennessee, is hereby providing notification that a record of decision to proceed with the installation of the Cane Creek Watershed Remedial project is available. Single copies of this record of decision may be obtained from James W. Ford at the address shown below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James W. Ford, State Conservationist, Natural Resources Conservation Service, 675 U. S. Courthouse, 801 Broadway, Nashville, Tennessee 37203, telephone (615) 277-2531.

(This activity is listed in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance under No. 10.904, Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention, and is subject to the provisions of Executive Order 12372, which requires intergovernmental consultation with State and local officials)

Dated: September 23, 2004.

James W. Ford,

State Conservationist.

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ARCTIC RESEARCH COMMISSION

Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the U.S. Arctic Research Commission will hold its 73rd Meeting in Durham, NH, on October 5-8, 2004. The Business Session open to the public will convene at 9 a.m. Tuesday, October 5; the Agenda items include:

(1) Call to order and approval of the Agenda.

(2) Approval of the Minutes of the 72nd Meeting.

(3) Reports from Congressional Liaisons.

(4) Agency Reports.

The focus of the Meeting will be reports and updates on programs and research projects affecting the U.S. Arctic. Presentations include a review of the research needs for civil infrastructure in Alaska.

The Business Session will reconvene at 9 a.m. Wednesday, October 6, 2004. An Executive Session will follow adjournment of the Business Session.

Any person planning to attend this meeting who requires special accessibility features and/or auxiliary aids, such as sign language interpreters must inform the Commission in advance of those needs.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Garrett W. Brass, Executive Director, Arctic Research Commission, (703) 525-0111 or TDD (703) 306-0090.

Garrett W. Brass,

Executive Director.

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COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

Procurement List; Proposed Addition

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase from People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Proposed addition to procurement list.

SUMMARY: The Committee is proposing to add to the Procurement List products to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

Comments Must Be Received On or Before: October 31, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Jefferson Plaza 2, Suite 10800, 1421 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia, 22202-3259.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sheryl D. Kennerly, (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 47(a)(2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the proposed actions. If the Committee approves the proposed additions, the entities of the Federal Government identified in the notice for each product or service will be required to procure the products listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. If approved, the action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the products to the Government.

2. If approved, the action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the products to the Government.

3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the products proposed for addition to the Procurement List. Comments on this certification are invited.

Commenters should identify the statement(s) underlying the certification on which they are providing additional information.

End of Certification

The following products are proposed for addition to Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

Products

Product/NSN: Laser Labels

7530-01-289-8190—White label size—
1" × 4"

7530-01-289-8191—White label size—
1" × 2⁵/₈"

7530-01-302-5504—White label size—
1¹/₃" × 4"

7530-01-336-0540—White label size—
2" × 4"

7530-01-349-4463—White label size—
8¹/₂" × 11"

7530-01-349-4464—White label size—
3 1/3" x 4"

NPA: North Central Sight Services, Inc.,
Williamsport, Pennsylvania.
Contract Activity: Office Supplies & Paper
Products Acquisition Center, New York,
New York.

Sheryl D. Kennerly,

Director, Information Management.

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COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

Procurement List; Additions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase from
People Who Are Blind or Severely
Disabled.

ACTION: Additions to procurement list.

SUMMARY: This action adds to the
Procurement List products and a service
to be furnished by nonprofit agencies
employing persons who are blind or
have other severe disabilities.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 31, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase
From People Who Are Blind or Severely
Disabled, Jefferson Plaza 2, Suite 10800,
1421 Jefferson Davis Highway,
Arlington, Virginia, 22202-3259.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Sheryl D. Kennerly, (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On June
14, and August 6, 2004, the Committee
for Purchase From People Who Are
Blind or Severely Disabled published
notice (69 FR 32975, and 47863) of
proposed additions to the Procurement
List.

After consideration of the material
presented to it concerning capability of
qualified nonprofit agencies to provide
the products and services and impact of
the additions on the current or most
recent contractors, the Committee has
determined that the products and
service listed below are suitable for
procurement by the Federal Government
under 41 U.S.C. 46-48c and 41 CFR 51-
2.4.

The following comments pertain to
Tabs, Index.

Comments were received from the
current contractor, from one of its
subcontractors which is the actual
manufacturer of the index tabs, from a
trade association representing these
companies, and from a Member of
Congress. All of these comments
addressed the impact of this
Procurement List addition on the
subcontractor.

Sales of these index tabs to the
current contractor account for nearly the

entire production of the index tabs by
the subcontractor. If these sales are lost,
the subcontractor claims it would be
forced to cease production of the index
tabs and terminate the employees
producing them. The subcontractor
would also lose a portion of its total
sales. The commenters noted that other
producers of index tabs are large
businesses that have already impacted
the subcontractor's sales and its ability
to succeed in the office products market
as a domestic producer.

The contractor to which the index
tabs manufacturer sells the tabs is not
limited to re-selling them to the Federal
Government. Accordingly, the
Committee is not convinced that this
addition to the Procurement List will
destroy the manufacturer's market and
force a cessation of production of the
index tabs. However, even if a cessation
were to occur, the percentage of sales
the manufacturer would lose does not
rise to the level which the Committee
normally considers to be a severe
adverse impact on a contractor. In
addition, addition of the index tabs to
the Procurement List will create jobs for
workers with severe disabilities, a group
which has an unemployment rate far
above that of the workers who may be
displaced. Therefore, the Committee
believes the addition of these index tabs
to the Procurement List is justified, as
it will not have a severe adverse impact
on either the current contractor or the
subcontractor, and it will create jobs for
people with severe disabilities who
would be less likely to find other
employment than the subcontractor's
workers.

The following material pertains to all
of the items being added to the
Procurement List.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification

I certify that the following action will
not have a significant impact on a
substantial number of small entities.
The major factors considered for this
certification were:

1. The action will not result in any
additional reporting, recordkeeping or
other compliance requirements for small
entities other than the small
organizations that will furnish the
products and service to the Government.

2. The action will result in
authorizing small entities to furnish the
products and service to the Government.

3. There are no known regulatory
alternatives which would accomplish
the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-
O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in
connection with the products and
service proposed for addition to the
Procurement List.

End of Certification

Accordingly, the following products
and service are added to the
Procurement List:

Products

Product/NSN: Tabs, Index

7530-01-368-3489 (Assorted Colors—Tabs
1 through 10)

7530-01-368-3490 (Assorted Colors—Tabs
January through December)

7530-01-368-3491 (Clear—Tabs January
through December)

7530-01-368-3492 (Assorted Colors—Tabs
A through Z)

7530-01-368-3493 (Assorted Colors—
Index Sheets 1 through 31)

NPA: South Texas Lighthouse for the Blind,
Corpus Christi, Texas.

Contract Activity: Office Supplies & Paper
Products Acquisition Center, New York,
New York.

Services

Service Type/Location: Classified Technical
Order Distribution,

Tinker Air Force Base, Building 3, Door 57,
Tinker AFB, Oklahoma.

NPA: The Oklahoma League for the Blind,
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Contract Activity: Directorate of Contracting
(OC-ALC/PKOSF), Tinker AFB,
Oklahoma.

This action does not affect current
contracts awarded prior to the effective date
of this addition or options that may be
exercised under those contracts.

Sheryl D. Kennerly,

Director, Information Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 23-2004]

Foreign-Trade Zone 176: Application for Expansion/Reorganization, Rockford, IL; Amendment of Application

Notice is hereby given that the
application of the Greater Rockford
Airport Authority, grantee of FTZ 176,
for authority to reorganize and expand
FTZ 176 in the Rockford, Illinois, area
(Doc. 23-2004, 69 FR 30871, 6/1/04),
has been amended to include an
additional site (*Proposed Site 6*) at the
Rolling Hills Industrial Park (74 acres),
located in Woodstock, Illinois. The
public comment period is being
extended to October 22, 2004, to allow
interested parties additional time in
which to comment. Rebuttal comments
may be submitted until November 5,
2004.

Submissions (original and 3 copies)
shall be addressed to the Board's