

constitute a disaster area due to damages caused by Tropical Storm Gaston occurring on August 28–30, 2004. Applications for loans for physical damage as a result of this disaster may be filed until the close of business on November 15, 2004 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations:

U.S. Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 2 Office, One Baltimore Place, Suite 300, Atlanta, GA 30308.

The interest rates are:

	Percent
For Physical Damage:	
Non-Profit Organizations without credit available elsewhere	2.900
Non-Profit Organizations with credit available elsewhere	4.875

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is P05408.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59008).

Dated: September 28, 2004.

Herbert L. Mitchell,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #P055]

State of Vermont

As a result of the President's major disaster declaration for Public Assistance on September 23, 2004 the U.S. Small Business Administration is activating its disaster loan program only for private non-profit organizations that provide essential services of a governmental nature. I find that Addison, Caledonia, Chittenden, Franklin, Lamoille, Orleans, and Windham Counties in the State of Vermont constitute a disaster area due to damages caused by severe storms and flooding occurring on August 12, 2004 and continuing through September 12, 2004. Applications for loans for physical damage as a result of this disaster may be filed until the close of business on November 22, 2004 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations: U.S. Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 1 Office, 360 Rainbow Blvd., South, 3rd Floor, Niagara Falls, NY 14303.

The interest rates are:

	Percent
For Physical Damage	

	Percent
Non-profit organizations without credit available elsewhere	2.900
Non-profit organizations with credit available elsewhere	4.875

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is P05506.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59008.)

Dated: September 28, 2004.

Herbert L. Mitchell,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3633]

State of West Virginia (Amendment #2)

In accordance with a notice received from the Department of Homeland Security—Federal Emergency Management Agency—effective September 27, 2004, the above numbered declaration is hereby amended to establish the incident period for this disaster as beginning September 16, 2004, and continuing through September 27, 2004.

All other information remains the same, *i.e.*, the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is November 19, 2004 and for economic injury the deadline is June 20, 2005.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59002 and 59008).

Dated: September 29, 2004.

Herbert L. Mitchell,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 4853]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition Determinations: “Robert Bechtle: A Retrospective”

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 (79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459), Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 (112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 note, *et seq.*), Delegation of Authority No. 234 of

October 1, 1999, Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999, as amended, and Delegation of Authority No. 257 of April 15, 2003 [68 FR 19875], I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibition “Robert Bechtle: A Retrospective,” imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, are of cultural significance. The objects are imported pursuant to loan agreements with the foreign owners. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, from on or about February 12, 2005, until on or about June 5, 2005, at the Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth from on or about June 26, 2005 until on or about August 28, 2005, and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public Notice of these Determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, including a list of the exhibit objects, contact the Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State, (telephone: (202) 619–6982). The address is U.S. Department of State, SA–44, 301 4th Street, SW., Room 700, Washington, DC 20547–0001.

Dated: September 28, 2004.

C. Miller Crouch,

Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 4819]

Notice of Declaration of Foreign Countries as Reciprocating Countries for the Enforcement of Family Support (Maintenance) Obligations

AGENCY: Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State.

This notice amends and supplements Department of State Public Notice 4191, 67 FR 71605–06 (December 2, 2002).

Section 459A of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 659A) authorizes the Secretary of State with the concurrence of the Secretary of Health and Human Services to declare foreign countries or their political subdivisions to be reciprocating countries for the purpose of the enforcement of family support obligations if the country has established or has undertaken to establish procedures for the establishment and enforcement of duties of support for residents of the United States. These procedures must be in

substantial conformity with the standards set forth in the statute. The statutory standards are: establishment of child support orders, including the establishment of paternity if necessary to establish the order; enforcement of child support orders, including collection and distribution of payments under such orders; cost-free services (including administrative and legal services, as well as paternity testing; and the designation of an agency as Central Authority to facilitate enforcement.

Once such a declaration is made, support agencies in jurisdictions of the United States participating in the program established by Title IV–D of the Social Security Act (the IV–D program) must provide enforcement services under that program to such reciprocating countries as if the request for service came from a U.S. state.

The declaration authorized by the statute may be made “in the form of an international agreement, in connection with an international agreement or corresponding foreign declaration, or on a unilateral basis.” The Secretary of State has authorized either the Legal Adviser or the Assistant Secretary for Consular Affairs to make such a declaration after consultation with the other.

As of this date, the following countries (or Canadian provinces or territories) have been designated foreign reciprocating countries:

Country	Effective date
Australia	May 21, 2001.
Czech Republic	May 3, 2000.
Ireland	Sept. 10, 1997.
Netherlands	May 1, 2002.
Norway	June 10, 2002.
Poland	June 14, 1999.
Portugal	Mar. 17, 2001.
Slovak Republic	Feb. 1, 1998.
Switzerland	Sept. 30, 2004.
Canadian Provinces or Territories:	
Alberta	Sept. 4, 2002.
British Columbia	Dec. 15, 1999.
Manitoba	July 11, 2000.
New Brunswick	Feb. 1, 2004.
Northwest Territories	Feb. 7, 2004.
Nunavut	Jan. 20, 2004.
Newfoundland/Labrador	Aug. 7, 2002.
Nova Scotia	Dec. 18, 1998.
Ontario	Aug. 7, 2002.

Information

Each of these countries (or Canadian provinces or territories) has designated a Central Authority to facilitate enforcement and ensure compliance with the standards of the statute. Information relating to the designated Central Authorities, and the procedures

for processing requests may be obtained by contacting the United States Central Authority for International Child Support, Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE), 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW., 4-East, Washington, DC 20447; phone (202) 401–5566, fax (202) 401–5539, e-mail ocseinternational@acf.hhs.gov.

Questions regarding this notice, the status of negotiations, declarations and agreements may be obtained by contacting Mary Helen Carlson at the Office of the Assistant Legal Adviser for Private International Law, Suite 203 South Building, 2430 E Street, NW., Washington, DC 20037–2851; phone (202) 776–8420, fax (202) 776–8482, e-mail carlsonmh@state.gov.

The law also permits individual states of the United States to establish or continue existing reciprocating arrangements with foreign countries when there has been no federal declaration. Many states have such arrangements with additional countries not yet the subject of a federal declaration. Information as to these arrangements may be obtained from the individual state IV–D Agency.

Jeffrey D. Kovar,

Assistant Legal Adviser for Private International Law, Department of State.
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 4852]

Department of State Performance Review Board Members (at Large Board)

In accordance with section 4314(c)(4) of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978 (Pub. L. 95–454), the Executive Resources Board of the Department of State has appointed the following individuals to the Department of State Performance Review Board (At-Large): James L. Millette, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Resource Management, Department of State; Susan Biniaz, Assistant Legal Advisor, Office of the Legal Advisor, Oceans Environment and Science, Department of State; Susan F. Burk, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Nonproliferation, Department of State; Richard L. Greene, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration, Department of State; Roberta S. Jacobson, Director, Office of Mexican Affairs, Bureau of Western Hemispheric Affairs, Department of State; Lawrence R. Baer,

Dean, School of Professional and Area Studies, George P. Schultz National Foreign Affairs Training Center, Department of State.

Dated: September 30, 2004.

Ruth A. Whiteside,

Acting Director General of the Foreign Service and Director of Human Resources, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Office of the Secretary

Aviation Proceedings, Agreements Filed the Week Ending September 24, 2004

The following Agreements were filed with the Department of Transportation under the provisions of 49 U.S.C. 412 and 414. Answers may be filed within 21 days after the filing of the application.

Docket Number: OST–2004–19162.

Date Filed: September 20, 2004.

Parties: Members of the International Air Transport Association.

Subject: PTC12 NMS–AFR 0209/PTC23 AFR–TC3 0244, dated 21 September 2004, Mail Vote 403—Resolution 010v—Special Passenger, Amending Resolution to/from Libya, Intended effective date: 1 November 2004.

Docket Number: OST–2004–19163.

Date Filed: September 20, 2004.

Parties: Members of the International Air Transport Association

Subject: PTC23 AFR–TC3 0238, dated 17 September 2004, Africa-South Asian Subcontinent Expedited Resolution 002d, for intended effect 1 November 2004 r1–r6; PTC23 AFR–TC3 0246, dated 21 September 2004, Africa-South Asian subcontinent Technical Correction to Memorandum PTC23 AFR–TC3 0238 Expedited Resolution 002d, for intended effect 1 November 2004; PTC23 AFR–TC3 0239, dated 17 September 2004, Africa-South Asian subcontinent Expedited Resolution 002c, for intended effect 15 January 2005 r7; PTC23 AFR–TC3 0240, dated 17 September 2004, Africa-South west Pacific Expedited Resolution 002o, for intended effective date 1 November 2004 r8; PTC23 AFR–TC3 0241, dated 17 September 2004; Africa-South West Pacific Expedited Resolution 002ee, for intended effective date 15 January 2004 r9; Intended effective date: 1 November 2004, 15 January 2005.

Docket Number: OST–2004–19164.

Date Filed: September 20, 2004.