

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 34-67867; File No. SR-NASD-2005-100]

Self-Regulatory Organizations; Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc.; Notice of Withdrawal of Proposed Rule Change and Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Thereeto, To Require Members To Provide Customers in TRACE-Eligible Debt Securities With Additional, Transaction-Specific Disclosures and To Notify Customers of the Availability of a Disclosure Document

September 14, 2012.

On August 19, 2005, the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. ("NASD"), n/k/a Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. ("FINRA"), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission"), pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act" or "Act")¹ and Rule 19b-4 thereunder,² a proposed rule change that would have (1) adopted NASD Rule 2231, which would have required members, subject to specified exceptions, to provide customers in transactions in debt securities that are TRACE-eligible securities, as defined in former NASD Rule 6210(a),³ with additional, transaction-specific disclosures relating to applicable charges, credit ratings, the availability of last-sale transaction information, and certain interest, yield and call provisions; and (2) amended NASD Rule 2340 (customer account statements) to require members to notify certain customers of the availability of a disclosure document discussing debt securities authored by FINRA and deliver the document to customers upon request. NASD filed Amendment No. 1 to the proposed rule change on December 21, 2005, Amendment No. 2 to the proposed rule change on January 26, 2007, and Amendment No. 3 to the proposed rule change on July 16, 2007. FINRA filed Amendment No. 4 on August 21, 2007. The proposed rule change, as modified by Amendments 1, 2, 3 and 4, was published for comment in the **Federal Register** on October 19,

2007.⁴ The Commission received four comments on the proposal.⁵

On September 14, 2012, FINRA withdrew the proposed change (SR-NASD-2005-100).

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.⁶

Kevin O'Neill,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 8036]

30-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collections: Two Directorate of Defense Trade Controls Information Collections: "Request To Change End-User, End-Use, and/or Destination of Hardware" and "Request for Advisory Opinion"

ACTION: Notice of request for public comment and submission to OMB of proposed collections of information.

SUMMARY: The Department of State has submitted the information collections described below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for approval. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 we are requesting comments on these collections from all interested individuals and organizations. The purpose of this Notice is to allow 30 days for public comment.

DATES: Submit comments to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) up to October 22, 2012.

ADDRESSES: Direct comments to the Department of State Desk Officer in the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs at the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). You may submit comments by the following methods:

- **Email:**

oir_submission@omb.eop.gov. You must include the DS form number, information collection title, and OMB control number in the subject line of your message.

- **Fax:** 202-395-5806. Attention: Desk Officer for Department of State.

⁴ See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 56661 (Oct. 15, 2007), 72 FR 59321 (Oct. 19, 2009).

⁵ All comments are posted on the Commission's Web site, <http://www.sec.gov/comments/sr-nasd-2005-100/nasd2005100.shtml> (last visited Sept. 14, 2012). FINRA filed a response to comments. See letter from Sharon Zackula, FINRA, to Florence E. Harmon, SEC, dated Sept. 5, 2008 available at <http://www.sec.gov/comments/sr-nasd-2005-100/nasd2005100-5.pdf>.

⁶ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Direct requests for additional information regarding the collections listed in this notice, including requests for copies of the proposed collection instrument and supporting documents, to Nicholas Memos, PM/DDTC, SA-1, 12th Floor, Directorate of Defense Trade Controls, Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, U.S. Department of State, Washington, DC 20522-0112, who may be reached via phone at (202) 663-2829, or via email at memosni@state.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

- **Title of Information Collection:** Request to Change End-User, End-Use, and/or Destination of Hardware.
 - **OMB Control Number:** 1405-0173.
 - **Type of Request:** Extension of Currently Approved Collection.
 - **Originating Office:** Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, Directorate of Defense Trade Controls, PM/DDTC.
 - **Form Number:** DS-6004.
 - **Respondents:** Business and Nonprofit Organizations.
 - **Estimated Number of Respondents:** 2,700.
 - **Estimated Number of Responses:** 2,700.
 - **Average Hours per Response:** 1 hour.
 - **Total Estimated Burden:** 2,700 hours.
 - **Frequency:** On Occasion.
 - **Obligation to Respond:** Required to Obtain Benefits.
 - **Title of Information Collection:** Request for Advisory Opinion.
 - **OMB Control Number:** 1405-0174.
 - **Type of Request:** Extension of Currently Approved Collection.
 - **Originating Office:** Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, Directorate of Defense Trade Controls, PM/DDTC.
 - **Form Number:** DS-6001.
 - **Respondents:** Business and Nonprofit Organizations.
 - **Estimated Number of Respondents:** 250.
 - **Estimated Number of Responses:** 250.
 - **Average Hours per Response:** 1 hour.
 - **Total Estimated Burden:** 250 hours.
 - **Frequency:** On Occasion.
 - **Obligation to Respond:** Voluntary.
- We are soliciting public comments to permit the Department to:
- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper functions of the Department.
 - Evaluate the accuracy of our estimate of the burden of the proposed collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.
 - Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

³ NASD Rule 6210 was superceded by FINRA Rule 6710 as of Dec. 15, 2008. See FINRA Regulatory Notice 08-57, SEC Approves New Consolidated FINRA Rules (October 2008) available at http://finra.complinet.com/net_file_store/new_rulebooks/fi/finra_08-57.pdf.

- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of technology.

Please note that comments submitted in response to this Notice are public record. Before including any detailed personal information, you should be aware that your comments as submitted, including your personal information, will be available for public review.

Abstract of proposed collection: The export, temporary import, temporary export and brokering of defense articles, defense services and related technical data are licensed by the Directorate of Defense Trade Controls in accordance with the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (22 CFR parts 120–130) and Section 38 of the Arms Export Control Act. Any person who engages in the business of manufacturing or exporting defense articles, defense services, and related technical data, or the brokering thereof, must register with the Department of State. Persons desiring to engage in brokering activities must submit an application or written request to conduct the transaction to the Department to obtain a decision whether it is in the interests of U.S. foreign policy and national security to approve the transaction.

Methodology: These forms/information collections may be sent to the Directorate of Defense Trade Controls via the following methods: Mail or personal delivery.

Dated: September 12, 2012.

Robert S. Kovac,

*Managing Director of Defense Trade Controls,
Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, U.S.
Department of State.*

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Notice of Request To Release Airport Property

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of Intent to Rule on Request to Release Airport Property at the Meade Municipal Airport (MEJ), Meade, KS.

SUMMARY: The FAA proposes to rule and invites public comment on the release of land at the Meade Municipal Airport (MEJ), Meade, Kansas, under the provisions of 49 U.S.C. 47107(h)(2).

DATES: Comments must be received on or before October 22, 2012.

ADDRESSES: Comments on this application may be mailed or delivered to the FAA at the following address: Lynn D. Martin, Airports Compliance Specialist, Federal Aviation Administration, Airports Division, ACE–610C, 901 Locust Room 364, Kansas City, MO 64106.

In addition, one copy of any comments submitted to the FAA must be mailed or delivered to: Dean Cordes, City Administrator, Meade Municipal Airport, City of Meade P.O. Box 338, 132 S. Fowler, Meade, KS 67864, (620) 873–2091.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lynn D. Martin, Airports Compliance Specialist, Federal Aviation Administration, Airports Division, ACE–610C, 901 Locust Room 364, Kansas City, MO 64106, (816) 329–2644, lynn.martin@faa.gov. The request to release property may be reviewed, by appointment, in person at this same location.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FAA invites public comment on the request to release approximately 2.75 acres of airport property at the Meade Municipal Airport (MEJ) under the provisions of 49 U.S.C. 47107(h)(2). On February 1, 2012, the City of Meade's City Administrator requested from the FAA that approximately 2.75 acres of property be released for sale to Max Papay's Water Hauling Services. On August 16, 2012, the FAA determined that the request to release property at Meade Municipal Airport (MEJ) submitted by the Sponsor meets the procedural requirements of the Federal Aviation Administration and the release of the property does not and will not impact future aviation needs at the airport. The FAA may approve the request, in whole or in part, no sooner than thirty days after the publication of this Notice.

The following is a brief overview of the request:

Meade Municipal Airport (MEJ) is proposing the release of a parcel, totaling 2.75 acres. The release of land is necessary to comply with Federal Aviation Administration Grant Assurances that do not allow federally acquired airport property to be used for non-aviation purposes. The sale of the subject property will result in the land at the Meade Municipal Airport (MEJ) being changed from aeronautical to nonaeronautical use and release the lands from the conditions of the AIP Grant Agreement Grant Assurances. In accordance with 49 U.S.C. 47107(c)(2)(B)(i) and (iii), the airport will receive fair market value for the property, which will be subsequently reinvested in another eligible airport

improvement project for general aviation facilities at the Meade Municipal Airport.

Any person may inspect, by appointment, the request in person at the FAA office listed above under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**. In addition, any person may, upon appointment and request, inspect the application, notice and other documents determined by the FAA to be related to the application in person at the Meade Municipal Airport.

Issued in Kansas City, MO on September 12, 2012.

Jim A. Johnson,

Manager, Airports Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Highway Administration

[Docket No. FHWA–2012–0077]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Request for Comments for a New Information Collection

AGENCY: Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: FHWA invites public comments about our intention to request the Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) approval for a new information collection, which is summarized below under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**. We published a **Federal Register** Notice with a 60-day public comment period on this information collection on June 22, 2012. We are required to publish this notice in the **Federal Register** by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Please submit comments by October 22, 2012.

ADDRESSES: You may send comments within 30 days to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street NW., Washington, DC 20503, Attention DOT Desk Officer. You are asked to comment on any aspect of this information collection, including: (1) Whether the proposed collection is necessary for the FHWA's performance; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways for the FHWA to enhance the quality, usefulness, and clarity of the collected information; and (4) ways that the burden could be minimized, including the use of electronic technology, without reducing the quality of the collected information.