

Specifically, Deutsche Telekom, Berlin, GERMANY; and Excel, Inc., Hyannis, MA, have become Principal Members. Ariel Corp., Cranbury, NJ; Comdial Corporation, Charlottesville, VA; DeTeWe Kommunikations, Berlin, GERMANY; Dictaphone, Stratford, CT; Eastman Kodak, Rochester, NY; Force Computers, San Jose, CA; Mitsubishi Electronics Corp., Kanagawa, JAPAN; Offnet SPA, Rome, ITALY; Phillips Business Communications, Hilversum, THE NETHERLANDS; Summa Four, Inc., Manchester, NH; and Vanguard, Morris Plains, NJ, have become Auditing Members.

Precision Systems, Inc. and Voice Technologies Group are no longer Principal Members.

Ascom Telecom Ltd, Berkeley Speech Technologies; and Digital Systems International, are no longer Auditing Members.

No other changes have been made in the membership, nature or objectives of ECTF. Membership remains open, and ECTF intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On February 20, 1996, ECTF filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on May 13, 1996 (61 FR 22074).

The last notification was filed with the Department on May 2, 1997. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on November 28, 1997 (62 FR 63387).

Constance K. Robinson,

Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on April 10, 1998, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), the National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, Inc. ("NCMS") filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership status. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the

recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, the following companies were accepted as active members of NCMS: Dow-United Technologies Composite Products, Inc., Wallingford, CT; OG Technology, Inc., Ann Arbor, MI; Preco Industries, Inc., Lenexa, KS; Steel Products Division (United Defense Systems, L.P.), Anniston, AL; MicroDexterity Systems, Inc., Carbondale, CO. Also approved for affiliate membership in NCMS were: Alberta Research Council, Edmonton, Alberta, CANADA; Interconnection Technology Research Institute, Austin, TX; Industry Canada, Ottawa, Ontario, CANADA; Materials and Manufacturing Ontario, Mississauga, Ontario, CANADA; National Research Council, Ottawa, Ontario, CANADA.

The following companies recently resigned from membership in NCMS: Angle, Inc., Springfield, VA; SDL, Inc., San Jose, CA; American Foundrymen's Society, Des Plaines, IL; Gear Research Institute, Evanston, IL.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. membership remains open, and NCMS intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes.

On February 20, 1987, NCMS filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on March 17, 1987 (52 FR 8375).

The last notification was filed with the Department on October 20, 1997. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on November 28, 1997 (62 FR 63388).

Constance K. Robinson,

Director of Operations Antitrust Division.

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NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

Advisory Committee on Preservation Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the National Archives Advisory Committee on Preservation will meet Tuesday, August 11, 1998, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in lecture room A of the National Archives at College Park, 8601 Adelphi Rd., College Park, MD 20740-6001.

The agenda for the meeting will be Charters reencasement needs and reencasement design concept.

This meeting will be open to the public. For further information, contact Alan Calmes at (301) 713-7403.

Dated: June 12, 1998.

John W. Carlin,

Archivist of the United States.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Engineering Education and Centers; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Special Emphasis Panel Engineering Education and Centers (#173).

Date/Time: July 9-10, 1998, 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, Room 580, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Mary Poats, Program Manager, Engineering Education and Centers Division, National Science Foundation, Room 585 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate proposals submitted to the Combined Research-Curriculum Development Program.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b. (c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: June 15, 1998.

M. Rebecca Winkler,

Committee Management Officer.

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PANAMA CANAL COMMISSION

Extension of a Currently Approved Collection of Information

AGENCY: Panama Canal Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 109 Stat. 163), this notice announces the Panama Canal Commission (PCC) is planning to submit to the Office of Management and Budget a Paperwork