

following information collection(s), as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) that does not display a valid control number. Comments are requested concerning: (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated information techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Written comments should be submitted on or before August 28, 1998. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all comments to Les Smith, Federal Communications, Room 234, 1919 M St., N.W., Washington, DC 20554 or via internet to lesmith@fcc.gov.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information or copies of the information collections contact Les Smith at 202-418-0217 or via internet at lesmith@fcc.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**  
*OMB Approval Number:* 3060-0010.

*Title:* Ownership Report.

*Form Number:* FCC 323.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Respondents:* Business and other for-profit entities.

*Number of Respondents:* 10,020.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 1-7 hours (1 hour per certification; 0.5 hours for respondent+0.5 hours for attorney; 7 hours per annual report and all other reports: 1 hour for respondent + 6 hours for attorney).

*Frequency of Response:* Annual and on occasion report requirements.

*Total Annual Burden:* 9,106 hours.

*Cost to Respondents:* \$10,258,410 (Attorney costs and \$45.00 fee for annual ownership report/certification).

**Needs and Uses:** Each permittee of a commercial AM, FM, TV and international broadcast station shall file an Ownership Report (FCC Form 323) within 30 days of the date of grant by the FCC of an application for an original construction permit or the consummation, pursuant to Commission consent, of a transfer of control or an assignment of license. A permittee is also required to file another report or to certify that it has reviewed its current Report on file and that it is accurate, in lieu of filing a new report, when the permittee applies for a station license. Each licensee of a commercial AM, FM and TV broadcast station shall file a Report annually. Each licensee with a current and unamended Report on file at the Commission may certify that it has reviewed its current Report and that it is accurate, in lieu of filing a new Report. The data are used by FCC staff to determine whether the licensee/permittee is abiding by the multiple ownership requirements as set down by the Commission's Rules and is in compliance with the Communications Act.

Federal Communications Commission.

**Magalie Roman Salas,**

*Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket No. 96-45; DA 98-1394]

### Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service Open Meeting

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service will convene an open meeting, on Wednesday, July 29, 1998, from 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m., in the Westin Seattle Hotel, 1900 Fifth Ave., Seattle, WA, 98101. At the meeting, the Federal-State Joint Board will address issues contained in the Commission's Joint Board Referral. In the Joint Board Referral, the Commission requests that the Joint Board provide a recommended decision on issues pertaining to the appropriate methodology for determining high cost support.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on July 29, 1998, from 12:30 to 3 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Westin Seattle Hotel, 1900 Fifth Ave., Seattle, WA, 98101.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Emily Hoffnar (202) 418-7396;

ehoffnar@fcc.gov or Chuck Keller (202) 418-7380; ckeller@fcc.gov.

Federal Communications Commission.

**Lisa Gelb,**

*Chief, Accounting Policy Division, Common Carrier Bureau.*

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## FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

### Notice of Agreement(s) Filed

The Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreement(s) under the Shipping Act of 1984.

Interested parties can review or obtain copies of agreements at the Washington, DC offices of the Commission, 800 North Capitol Street, N.W., Room 962. Interested parties may submit comments on an agreement to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573, within 10 days of the date this notice appears in the **Federal Register**.

*Agreement No.:* 202-010689-076.

*Title:* Transpacific Westbound Rate Agreement.

*Parties:*

American President Lines, Ltd.  
("APL")

Hapag-Lloyd Container Line GmbH  
Kawasaki Kisen Kaisha, Ltd.  
A.P. Moller-Maersk Line  
Mitsui O.S.K. Lines, Ltd.  
Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Ltd.  
Orient Overseas Container Line, Inc.  
Sea-Land Service, Inc.

*Synopsis:* The proposed amendment provides for the establishment of a Class B level of Agreement membership. Class B membership would be available to members who resign from the Agreement but are parties to individual service contracts jointly with other TWRA members. This would permit a resigning member to perform any remaining obligations under service contracts to which it is a party at the time of its resignation. The parties have requested a shortened review period.

*Agreement No.:* 203-011198-009

*Title:* Puerto Rico/Caribbean Discussion Agreement.

*Parties:*

Crowley American Transport  
NPR, Inc.  
Dole Ocean Liner Express  
Sea-Land Service, Inc.

*Synopsis:* The proposed modification expands the scope of the Agreement to include the U.S. Virgin Islands, Canada, Mexico, Argentina, Brazil, Paraguay, Uruguay, Chile, Ecuador, Peru, and the