

[FR Doc. 02-19662 Filed 8-2-02; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 4810-02-C

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

July 30, 2002.

The Department of Treasury has submitted the following public information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. Copies of the submission(s) may be obtained by calling the Treasury Bureau Clearance Officer listed. Comments regarding this information collection should be addressed to the OMB reviewer listed and to the Treasury Department Clearance Officer, Department of the Treasury, Room 2110, 1425 New York Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20220.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before September 4, 2002, to be assured of consideration.

U.S. Customs Service (CUS)

OMB Number: 1515-0051.

Form Number: Customs Form 7523.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Entry and Manifest of Merchandise Free of Duty, Carrier's Certificate and Release.

Description: Customs Form 7523 is used by carriers and importers as a manifest for the entry of merchandise free of duty under certain conditions and by Customs to authorize the entry of such merchandise. It is also used by carriers to show that the articles being imported are to be released to the importer or consignee.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 4,950.

Estimated Burden Hours Per Respondent: 5 minutes.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated Total Reporting Burden: 8,247 hours.

OMB Number: 1515-0052.

Form Number: None.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Petition for Remission of Mitigation of Forfeitures and Penalties Incurred.

Description: Persons whose property is seized or who incur monetary penalties due to violations of the Tariff Act are entitled to seek remission or mitigation by means of an informal appeal. The violator has the opportunity to claim mitigation and provides a record of such administration appeals.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Individuals or households, Not-for-profit institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 28,000.

Estimated Burden Hours Per

Respondent: 14 minutes.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated Total Reporting Burden: 6,500 hours.

OMB Number: 1515-0055.

Form Number: Customs Form 3229.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Certificate of Origin.

Description: This certification is required to determine whether an importer is entitled to duty-free entry for goods which are: (1) The growth or product of a U.S. insular possession, or (2) Caribbean Basin initiative imports.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 10.

Estimated Burden Hours Per

Respondent: 22 minutes.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated Total Reporting Burden: 113 hours.

OMB Number: 1515-0060.

Form Number: Customs Form 1300.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Vessel Entrance or Clearance Statement Form.

Description: This form is submitted upon the arrival of a vessel into the United States. Customs needs this information to record tonnage fees and to obligate the vessel captain to the truth of the manifest.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Individuals or households.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 12,000.

Estimated Burden Hours Per

Respondent: 5 minutes.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated Total Reporting Burden: 21,991 hours.

OMB Number: 1515-0181.

Form Number: None.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Line Release/Border Release Advanced Screening and Selectivity (BRASS).

Description: Line Release (new name-BRASS) was developed to release and track high volume and repetitive shipments using bar code technology.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Individuals or households, Not-for-profit institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 257.

Estimated Burden Hours Per

Respondent: 15 minutes.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated Total Reporting Burden: 6,425 hours.

Clearance Officer: Tracey Denning, U.S. Customs Service, Information Services Branch, Ronald Reagan Building, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Room 3.2.C, Washington, DC 20229, (202) 927-1429.

OMB Reviewer: Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503, (202) 395-7316.

Mary A. Able,

Departmental Reports Management Officer.

[FR Doc. 02-19702 Filed 8-2-02; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 4820-02-P

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

General Counsel Designation No. 282; Appointment of Members to the Legal Division Performance Review Board

Under the authority granted to me as General Counsel of the Department of the Treasury by 31 U.S.C. 301 and 26 U.S.C. 7801, Treasury Department Order No. 101-5 (Revised), and pursuant to the Civil Services Reform Act, I hereby appoint the following individuals to the General Counsel Panel of the Legal Division Performance Review Board:

George B. Wolfe, Deputy General Counsel, who shall serve as Chairperson;

Thomas M. McGivern, Counselor to the General Counsel;

Kenneth R. Schmalzbach, Assistant General Counsel (General Law and Ethics);

Roberta K. McInerney, Assistant General Counsel (Banking & Finance);

Russell L. Munk, Assistant General Counsel (International Affairs);

William J. Fox, Associate Deputy General Counsel;

Marilyn L. Muench, Deputy Assistant General Counsel (International Affairs);

Traci J. Sanders, Deputy Counselor to the General Counsel;

John J. Manfreda, Chief Counsel, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms;

Alfonso Robles, Chief Counsel, United States Customs Service;

John J. Kelleher, Chief Counsel, United States Secret Service;

Debra N. Diener, Chief Counsel, Financial Management Service;

Carrol H. Kinsey, Jr., Chief Counsel, Bureau of Engraving and Printing;

Judith Starr, Chief Counsel, Financial Crimes Enforcement Network; and

Daniel P. Shaver, Chief Counsel, U.S. Mint.

Dated: July 17, 2002.

David D. Aufhauser,

General Counsel.

[FR Doc. 02-19697 Filed 8-2-02; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 4810-39-M

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Fiscal Service

Surety Companies Acceptable on Federal Bonds: Liquidation—the Connecticut Surety Company

AGENCY: Financial Management Service, Fiscal Service, Department of the Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Liquidation of an insurance company formerly certified by this Department as an acceptable surety/reinsurer on Federal bonds.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Surety Bond Branch at (202) 874-6850.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Connecticut Surety Company, a Connecticut company, formerly held a Certificate of Authority as an acceptable surety on Federal bonds and was last listed as such at 64 FR 35871, July 1, 1999. The Company's authority was terminated by the Department of the Treasury effective March 9, 2000. Notice of the termination was published in the *Federal Register* of March 21, 2000, on page 15196.

On May 17, 2002, upon a petition by the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Connecticut, the Superior Court of the Judicial District of Hartford, issued an Order of Liquidation with respect to The Connecticut Surety Company. Susan F. Cogswell, Insurance Commissioner of the State of Connecticut, and her successors in office were appointed as the Liquidator. All persons having claims against The Connecticut Surety Company must file their claims by November 15, 2002, or be barred from sharing in the distribution of assets.

All claims must be filed in writing and shall set forth the amount of the

claim, the facts upon which the claim is based, and priorities asserted, and any other pertinent facts to substantiate the claim. Federal Agencies should assert claim priority status under 31 U.S.C. 3713, and send a copy of their claim, in writing, to: Department of Justice, Civil Division, Commercial Litigation Branch, P.O. Box 875, Ben Franklin Station, Washington, D.C. 20044-0875, Attn: Mr. Randy Harwell, Attorney.

The above office will consolidate and file any and all claims against The Connecticut Surety Company, on behalf of the United States Government. Any questions concerning filing of claims may be directed to Mr. Harwell at (202) 307-0180.

The Circular may be viewed and downloaded through the Internet (<http://www.fms.treas.gov/c570/index.html>). A hard copy may be purchased from the Government Printing Office (GPO), Subscription Service, Washington, DC, (202) 512-1800. When ordering the Circular from GPO, use the following stock number 048-000-00536-5.

Questions concerning this notice may be directed to the U.S. Department of the Treasury, Financial Management Service, Financial Accounting and Services Division, Surety Bond Branch, 3700 East-West Highway, Room 6F04, Hyattsville, MD 20782.

Dated: July 30, 2002.

Wanda Rogers,

Director, Financial Accounting and Services, Division Financial Management Service.

[FR Doc. 02-19700 Filed 8-2-02; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 4810-35-M

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Research and Development Office; Notice of Intent to Grant Exclusive License

AGENCY: Research and Development Office, VA.

ACTION: Notice of Intent.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Department of Veterans Affairs

Research and Development Office intends to grant to TransMedics, Inc., a Delaware corporation having a principal place of business in Woburn, Massachusetts, U.S.A., an exclusive license to U.S. Patent Numbers: 6,046,046, issued April 4, 2000, entitled Compositions, Methods and Devices for Maintaining an Organ; and 6,100,082, issued August 8, 2000, entitled Perfusion Apparatus and Method Including Chemical Compositions for Maintaining an Organ.

DATES: Comments must be received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this published Notice.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to: Mindy Aisen, M.D., Director of Technology Transfer, Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20420. Telephone: (202) 408-3670; Facsimile: (202) 275-7228; e-mail: mindy.aisen@mail.va.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Copies of the issued patents may be obtained from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at <http://www.uspto.gov>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: It is in the public interest to so license these inventions as TransMedics, Inc. submitted a complete and sufficient application for a license. The prospective exclusive license will be royalty-bearing and will comply with the terms and conditions of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7. The prospective exclusive license may be granted unless, within fifteen (15) days from the date of this published Notice, the Department of Veterans Affairs Research and Development Office receives written evidence and argument which establishes that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7.

Dated: July 29, 2002.

Anthony J. Principi,

Secretary of Veterans Affairs.

[FR Doc. 02-19646 Filed 8-2-02; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 8320-01-P