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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Research Service

Government Owned Inventions Available for Licensing

AGENCY: Agricultural Research Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of Government Owned Inventions Available for Licensing.

SUMMARY: The inventions listed below are owned by the U.S. Government as represented by the Department of Agriculture, and are available for licensing in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 207 and 37 CFR 404 to achieve expeditious commercialization of results of federally funded research and development. Foreign patents are filed on selected inventions to extend market coverage for U.S. companies and may also be available for licensing.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Technical and licensing information on these inventions may be obtained by writing to: June Blalock, Technology Licensing Coordinator, USDA, ARS, Room 401, Bldg. 005, BARC-West, Beltsville, Maryland 20705; Phone 301-504-5989 or Fax 301-504-5060. Issued patents may be obtained from the Commissioner of Patents, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The inventions available for licensing are:

- 8-199,436, Method and Apparatus for Despining Cactus
- 8-273,244, System for Analyzing Moisture Content of Materials Such as Cotton
- 8-284,312, Microorganism Strains that Produce a High Proportion of Alternan to Dextran and Rapid Screening Method to Select Same
- 8-289,818, Low Enhancement Serotype 2 Vaccine for Marek's Diseases
- 8-334,085, A Direct Polymerase Chain Reaction Assay, or BIO-PCR

- 8-334,089, Enzymatic Process for the Isolation of Erucic Acid from Vegetable Oils
- 8-336,079, Bioactive Coating for Harvested Commodities
- 8-336,080, Controlled Release Fumigation of Harvested Agricultural Commodities
- 8-348,175, A Gonad-Specific Virus Which Causes Sterility in the Corn Earworm, *Helicoverpa zea*
- 8-352,650, System for Controlling Vertical Displacement of Agricultural Implements into the Soil
- 8-357,791, Assay for Enterohemorrhagic *Escherichia coli* 0157:H7 by the Polymerase Chain Reaction
- 8-373,177, Herbicidal Control of Sicklepod and Coffee Senna with *Colletotrichum gloeosporioides*
- 8-380,182, A Bifunctional Protein from Carrots (*Daucus carota*) with Aspartokinase and Homoserine dehydrogenase activities
- 8-390,833, Beneficial Insect Counting and Packaging Device
- 8-390,834, Electronic Grain Probe Insect Counter (EGPIC)
- 5,367,983, Device and Method for its Use as an Aid in Control of Ticks and Other Ectoparasites on Wildlife

June Blalock,

Technology Licensing Coordinator.

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Forest Service

Intergovernmental Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Intergovernmental Advisory Committee (IAC) will meet on May 4, 1995, at the Sheraton Portland Airport Hotel, 8235 N.E. Airport Way, Portland Oregon, 97230. The purpose of the meeting is to continue discussions on the implementation of the Northwest Forest Plan. The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. on May 4 and continue until 5:00 p.m. Agenda items to be covered include: (1) A review and discussion of comments on the revised federal watershed analysis guide; (2) a discussion of watershed restoration projects and the federal "jobs-in-the-woods" program; (3) a report on role, function and staffing requirements of the IAC Research and Monitoring

subcommittee, and the Interorganization Resource Information Coordinating Council; (4) a discussion of recent federal legislative action relative to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) and its relation to the IAC; and (5) a discussion of topics to be addressed at future meetings. The IAC meeting will be open to the public. Written comments may be submitted for the record at the meeting. Time will also be scheduled for oral public comments. Interested persons are encouraged to attend.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Questions regarding this meeting may be directed to Don Knowles, Executive Director, Regional Ecosystem Office, 333 SW 1st Avenue, P.O. Box 3623, Portland, OR 97208 (Phone: 503-326-6265).

Dated: April 5, 1995.

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Designated Federal Official.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Agency Form Under Review by the Office of Management and Budget

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: Bureau of the Census.

Title: 1995 National Census Test.

Form Number(s): DH-1A thru DH-1E.

Agency Approval Number: None.

Type of Request: New collection.

Burden: 2,550 hours.

Number of Respondents: 17,000.

Avg Hours Per Response: 9 minutes.

Needs and Uses: The 1995 National Census Test is designed to determine what impact features, which represent the integration of respondent-friendly design and image capture requirements, have on mail response and data quality as measured by item nonresponse. Specifically, features to be tested are: Color—Blue vs. Green, Stapled vs. Unstapled Booklet Form, Booklet Form vs. Single Sheet Form, and Minor Instructional Changes. Census short forms having these varying features will be mailed to a national sample of approximately 17,000 households. The