

\$.64 per \$100 of declared value should not only be retained, but increased to \$1.35 per \$100 of declared value. Removing the \$.64 valuation charge will simply serve to take even more money away from carriers, with no valid reason. Unless liability level is returned to \$.60 per pound per article, the valuation charge is needed in return.

MTMC Response: MTMC agrees with GAO's recommendation that the valuation charge is unnecessary. Carriers should include appropriate claims costs in their rates. MTMC is examining alternatives to phase out/eliminate the valuation charge.

13. **Comment:** The Total Quality Assurance Program and the High Risk Item Protection Program and the present carrier liability should be used for evaluation and utilized to reach a supportable decision.

MTMC Response: The commenter has mixed evaluation of carrier services with liability for loss and damage. Each of these areas is separate and distinct. Also, the industry's HRIP is an excellent initiative to reduce loss and damage; however, this also is a quality control/assurance tool and should not be confused with carrier liability when loss/damage does occur.

14. **Comment:** It is unfair and not justified to hold international carriers responsible for the full value of damages incurred on an international move. The movement in international trade is many times outside the carrier's direct control, such as movement by vessel, aircraft, or the movement of goods in foreign lands. It is just and right that the Government should take part in a portion of that risk.

MTMC Response: MTMC recognizes international personal property shipments require additional handling and over-ocean movement. Accordingly, MTMC expects carriers to subcontract with ocean and linehaul carriers and other parties that provide quality service and damage-free movement. MTMC also expects carriers to have appropriate provisions in their contracts with underlying service providers, which include adequate reimbursement options for loss and damage.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Questions should be referred to Mr. Alex Moreno, MTOP-T-NP, (703) 756-2383.

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Department of the Navy

CNO Executive Panel; Closed Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 2), notice is hereby given that the Chief of Naval Operations Executive Panel will meet May 24-25, 1995, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on each day. The meeting will be held at 4401 Ford Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia. This session will be closed to the public.

The purpose of this meeting is to conduct discussions on strategies for an uncertain future to include information warfare, reserve structure and mobilization, and the changing strategic environment. These matters constitute classified information that is specifically authorized by Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense and are, in fact, properly classified pursuant to such Executive order. Accordingly, the Secretary of the Navy has determined in writing that the public interest requires that all sessions of the meeting be closed to the public because they will be concerned with matters listed in section 552b(c)(1) of title 5, United States Code.

For further information concerning this meeting, contact: Timothy J. Galpin, Assistant for CNO Executive Panel Management, 4401 Ford Avenue, Suite 601, Alexandria, Virginia 22302-0268, Phone: (703) 756-1205.

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CNO Executive Panel; Closed Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 2), notice is hereby given that the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) Executive Panel will meet June 16, 1995, from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., at the Pentagon, room 4E630. This session will be closed to the public.

The purpose of this meeting is to brief the Chief of Naval Operations on naval warfare innovations in the areas of joint operations, information warfare, naval doctrine, and research and development. These matters constitute classified information that is specifically authorized by Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense and are, in fact, properly classified pursuant to such Executive order. Accordingly, the Secretary of the Navy has determined in

writing that the public interest requires that all sessions of the meeting be closed to the public because they will be concerned with matters listed in section 552b(c)(1) of title 5, United States Code.

For further information concerning this meeting, contact: Timothy J. Galpin, Assistant for CNO Executive Panel Management, 4401 Ford Avenue, Suite 601, Alexandria, VA 22302-0268, Phone: (703) 756-1205.

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Intent to Grant Exclusive Patent License; Biocompatibles Limited

SUMMARY: The Department of the Navy hereby gives notice of its intent to grant Biocompatibles Limited, a revocable, nonassignable, exclusive license in the United States to practice the Government owned inventions described in U.S. Patents Nos. 4,867,917, "Method for Synthesis of Diacetylenic Compounds," patented 19 September 1989; 4,877,501, "Process for Fabrication of Lipid Microstructures," patented 31 October 1989; 4,911,981, "Metal Clad Lipid Microstructures," patented 27 March 1990; 5,049,382, "Coating and Composition Containing Lipid Microstructure Toxin Dispenses," patented 17 September 1991; and Patent Application Serial No. 08/077,503, "Method of Controlled Release and Controlled Release Microstructures," filed 17 June 1993 in the field of lipid derived controlled release systems for non-medical biofouling applications.

Anyone wishing to object to the granting of this license has 60 days from the date of this notice to file written objections along with supporting evidence, if any. Written objections are to be filed with the Office of Naval Research, ONR, 00CC, Ballston Tower One, Arlington, Virginia 22217-5660.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. R.J. Erickson, Staff Patent Attorney, Office of Naval Research, ONR 00CC, Ballston Tower One, 800 North Quincy Street, Arlington, Virginia 22217-5660, telephone (703) 696-4001.

Dated: May 1, 1995.

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