

magnetic sector design permitting both high and low energy MS/MS with resolution to 60 000 and accuracy to ± 0.002 dalton to eliminate chemical interferences. *Advice Received From:* National Institutes of Health, April 25, 1995.

Docket Number: 95-006. *Applicant:* Northwestern University, Evanston, IL 60208-2150. *Instrument:* Mass Spectrometer, Model OPTIMA. *Manufacturer:* Fisons Instruments, United Kingdom. *Intended Use:* See notice at 60 FR 9662, February 21, 1995. *Reasons:* The foreign instrument provides: (1) on-line and dual-microinlet sample preparation and (2) high accuracy, high precision simultaneous multi-isotope measurements of gaseous species. *Advice Received From:* National Institutes of Health, April 25, 1995.

Docket Number: 95-009. *Applicant:* University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX 78712. *Instrument:* Precise Range and Range-rate Equipment Satellite Tracking Ground Station. *Manufacturer:* Dornier GmbH, Germany. *Intended Use:* See notice at 60 FR 13700, March 14, 1995. *Reasons:* The foreign instrument provides: (1) a regenerative, coherent X-band transponder for precise range and range rate measurements and (2) an S-band receiver for measurement of S/X-band delay difference to permit operation as a ground station for the ERS-2 satellite. *Advice Received From:* The Satellite Research Lab, NOAA, April 25, 1995.

The National Institutes of Health and The Satellite Research Lab advise that (1) the capabilities of each of the foreign instruments described above are pertinent to each applicant's intended purpose and (2) they know of no domestic instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value for the intended use of each instrument.

We know of no other instrument or apparatus being manufactured in the United States which is of equivalent scientific value to any of the foreign instruments.

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Applications for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instruments

Pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89-651; 80 Stat. 897; 15 CFR part 301), we invite comments on the question of whether instruments of equivalent scientific value, for the

purposes for which the instruments shown below are intended to be used, are being manufactured in the United States.

Comments must comply with 15 CFR 301.5(a)(3) and (4) of the regulations and be filed within 20 days with the Statutory Import Programs Staff, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230. Applications may be examined between 8:30 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. in Room 4211, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

Docket Number: 94-145R. *Applicant:* Miami University, Office of Purchasing, 213 Roudebush Hall, Oxford, OH 45056. *Instrument:* Cryostage. *Manufacturer:* Linkham Scientific Instruments, Ltd., United Kingdom. *Intended Use:* Original notice of this resubmitted application was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER of January 4, 1995.

Docket Number: 95-043. *Applicant:* Indiana University Medical Center, Department of Radiation Oncology, 535 Barnhill Drive, Indianapolis, IN 46202-5289. *Instrument:* Radiation Therapy Simulator, Model Simulix-MC. *Manufacturer:* Oldelft, The Netherlands. *Intended Use:* The instrument will be used for training resident radiation oncologists and student radiation therapists in the use and operation of this equipment. *Application Accepted by Commissioner of Customs:* June 2, 1995.

Docket Number: 95-044. *Applicant:* The University of Iowa, Department of Chemical and Biochemical Engineering, Iowa City, IA 52242. *Instrument:* Laser Light Scattering Correlator and Monomode Fiber Optical Goniometer System. *Manufacturer:* AL - Laser Vertriebsgesellschaft mbH, Germany. *Intended Use:* The instrument will be used to study polyphenolics, polycarbohydrates, proteins, surfactants of varying types, and whole cells (yeast, bacteria and insect cells). The experiments will consist of measurements of polymer characteristics (mass, size, force) to confirm or assess the state of purity of commercially purchased samples or samples prepared in the labs which are used as standards during other tests. The instrument will also be used extensively in Ph.D. Dissertation coursework by students operating the instrument collecting and analyzing the data, and characterizing the various samples. *Application Accepted by Commissioner of Customs:* June 2, 1995.

Docket Number: 95-045. *Applicant:* The Scripps Research Institute, 10666 N. Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, CA 92037. *Instrument:* Mass Spectrometer System, Model API 100. *Manufacturer:*

PE Sciex, Canada. *Intended Use:* The instrument will be used to conduct studies of proteins, peptides, oligonucleotides and carbohydrates, natural and synthetic products and components of biological fluids. The goal of the investigations is to further develop electrospray mass spectrometry as a tool for biological and biochemical research. *Application Accepted by Commissioner of Customs:* June 5, 1995.

Docket Number: 95-047. *Applicant:* Georgia State University, University Plaza, Atlanta, GA 30303. *Instrument:* Laser Ablation System, Model 266. *Manufacturer:* Finnigan MAT, United Kingdom. *Intended Use:* The instrument will be used in a pilot study to determine trace elements, including rare earth elements in fluid inclusions. The goals of this study are to: (1) fully develop the crush-leach ICPMS for analyzing bulk inclusions for REE and other petrologically and economically important trace metals, (2) evaluate the full potential of LA-ICPMS for the study of single fluid inclusions, and (3) conduct a detailed ICPMS study on bulk fluid inclusions and LA-ICPMS study on single fluid inclusions from the Bingham, base metal porphyry system in order to determine which fluids carried the bulk of the metals in this system. *Application Accepted by Commissioner of Customs:* June 6, 1995.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

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Intent to Grant an Exclusive Patent License

Pursuant to the provisions of Part 404 of Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, which implements Public Law 96-517, the Department of the Air Force announces its intention to grant Diffracto Limited, a corporation of the Province of Ontario, Canada, an exclusive license under: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/415,407 for a "System And Method For Measuring Cracking In A Transparency".

The license described above will be granted unless an objection thereto, together with a request for an opportunity to be heard, if desired, is received in writing by the addressee set forth below within sixty (60) days from the date of publication of this Notice. Copies of the patent application may be