

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Plastic Packaging Consortium

Notice is hereby given that, on August 30, 1995, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), the Plastic Packaging Consortium has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objectives of the Consortium. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties are: National Semiconductor Corporation, Santa Clara, CA; Amoco Chemical Company, Naperville, IL; Leading Technologies, Incorporated, Apollo, PA; Delco Electronics Corporation, Kokomo, IN; Dexter Electronic Materials, Olean, NY; IPAC, San Jose, CA; Olin Corporation Metals Research Laboratory, New Haven, CT; Plaskon Electronic Materials, Inc., Rohm and Haas Company, Spring House, PA; Sheldahl, Incorporated, Northfield, MN; and Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM.

The purpose of the Plastic Packaging Consortium is to advance the technology and enhance the United States production capabilities of plastic packaging for integrated microcircuits with the goal of promoting both military and commercial customers to employ plastic encapsulated integrated circuits in a wide variety of applications.

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Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Portland Cement Association

Notice is hereby given that, on September 20, 1995, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), the Portland Cement Association ("PCA") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of

antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, ABB Raymond (headquartered in Lisle, IL) has resigned as an associate member of PCA, and Allis Mineral Systems has changed its name to Svedala Industries, Inc. (headquarters in York, PA).

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and PCA intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On January 7, 1985, PCA filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the Federal Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on February 5, 1985, 50 FR 5015. The last notification was filed with the Department on July 18, 1995. A notice has not yet been published in the Federal Register.

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Notice Pursuant to The National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Cost Effective Processes for Manufacturing Advanced Combustion Turbine Blades

Notice is hereby given that, on September 15, 1995, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Advanced Technology Program Project No. 95-07-0017, "Cost Effective Processes for Manufacturing Advanced Combustion Turbine Blades" has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the Identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objectives of the venture. The notifications were filed as required by the Act. Pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties are Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Orlando, FL; and PCC Airfoils, Inc., Beachwood, OH. The general area of planned activity is to develop processes for manufacturing advanced combustion turbine blades for the power generation industry under the subject Advanced Technology Program of NIST.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Documents Containing Reporting or Recordkeeping Requirements: Notice of Pending Submittal to The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

ACTION: Notice of pending NRC action to submit an information collection request to OMB and solicitation of public comment.

SUMMARY: The NRC is preparing a submittal to OMB for review of continued approval of information collections under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Information pertaining to the requirement to be submitted:

1. The title of the information collection: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Acquisition Regulation (NRCAR).
2. Current OMB approval number: 3150-0169.
3. How often the collection is required: On occasion; one time.
4. Who is required to be reported: Offerors responding to NRC solicitations and contractors receiving contract awards from NRC.
5. The number of annual respondents: 750.
6. The number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request: 11,372 (10.7 hours per response).

7. Abstract: The mandatory requirements of the NRCAR implement and supplement the government-wide Federal Acquisition Regulation, and ensure that the regulations governing the procurement of goods and services within the NRC satisfy the needs of the agency.

Submit by February 2, 1996, comments that address the following questions:

1. Is the proposed collection of information necessary for the NRC to properly perform its functions? Does the information have practical utility?
2. Is the burden estimate accurate?
3. Is there a way to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected?
4. How can the burden of the information collection be minimized, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology?

A copy of the draft supporting statement may be viewed free of charge at the NRC Public Document Room,