

regulations for the service they provide. The local exchange carriers (LEC) schedules containing these charges, practices, and regulations must be filed with the Commission. Part 61 established the procedures for filing tariffs which contain the charges, practices, and regulations of common carriers. Implementation of a separate basket for LEC provided video dialtone service requires changes in the existing pricing rules to address requirement for this additional price cap basket. Video dialtone service differs sufficiently from basic telephony services in the other price cap baskets to warrant the creation of its own basket. Tariff filings to implement the separate video dialtone basket generally will be accompanied by the support required under the exiting price cap rules. This information is necessary to ensure that rates for service subject to the separate basket are just, reasonable and nondiscriminatory and comply with the Commission rules.

OMB Approval Number: New Collection.

Title: Abbreviated Cost of Service for Filing For Cable Network Upgrades.

Form No.: FCC 1235.

Type of Review: New Collection.

Respondents: Businesses or other for-profit; State, Local, or Tribal Governments.

Number of Responses: 2,100 cable operators, and 525 local franchising authorities.

Estimated Time Per Response: 20 hours per cable operator response; and 10 hours per local franchising authority.

Total Annual Burden: 47,250 hours.

Needs and Uses: Section 76.922(h) enables cable operators in some circumstance to increase rates when undertaking significant network upgrades. This proposed form allows cable operators to justify rate increases related to capital expenditures used to improve services to regulated cable subscribers. Operators wishing to establish a network upgrade rate increase should file this form following the end of the month in which upgraded cable service becomes available and are providing benefits to the customers. In addition this form can be filed for pre-approval any time prior to the upgraded services becoming available to the subscribers using projected upgrade costs. If the pre-approval option is exercised the operator must file the form again following the end of the month in which upgraded cable services become available and are providing benefits to the customers.

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Federal Communications Commission.

William F. Caton,

Acting Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Security for the Protection of the Public Financial Responsibility To Meet Liability Incurred for Death or Injury to Passengers or Other Persons on Voyages; Notice of Issuance of Certificate (Casualty)

Notice is hereby given that the following have been issued a Certificate of Financial Responsibility to Meet Liability Incurred for Death or Injury to Passengers or Other Persons on Voyages pursuant to the provisions of Section 2, Public Law 89-777 (46 U.S.C. 817(d)) and the Federal Maritime Commission's implementing regulations at 46 CFR Part 540, as amended: Sun Line Cruises, Inc., Royal Olympic Cruises Ltd. and Caroline Shipping Inc., One Rockefeller Plaza, Suite 315, New York, New York 10020

Vessel: STELLA SOLARIS

Dated: January 16, 1996.

Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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Security for the Protection of the Public Indemnification of Passengers for Nonperformance of Transportation; Notice of Issuance of Certificate (Performance)

Notice is hereby given that the following have been issued a Certificate of Financial Responsibility for Indemnification of Passengers for Nonperformance of Transportation pursuant to the provisions of Section 3, Public Law 89-777 (46 U.S.C. 817(e)) and the Federal Maritime Commission's implementing regulations at 46 CFR Part 540, as amended:

Sun Line Cruises, Inc., Royal Olympic Cruises Ltd. and Caroline Shipping Inc., One Rockefeller Plaza, Suite 315, New York, New York 10020

Vessel: STELLA SOLARIS

Dated: January 16, 1996.

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Secretary.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

[File No. 961 0017]

Praxair, Inc.; Proposed Consent Agreement With Analysis to Aid Public Comment

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Proposed Consent Agreement.

SUMMARY: This Consent Agreement, accepted subject to final Commission approval, settles alleged violations of federal law prohibiting unfair or deceptive acts and practices and unfair methods of competition arising from the acquisition of CBI Industries, Inc. by Praxair, Inc. Under the terms of the proposed order contained in the Consent Agreement, Praxair, among other things, must divest all of the assets and businesses relating to four CBI plants that produce atmospheric gases—located in Vacaville, California; Irwindale, California; Bozrah, Connecticut; and Madison, Wisconsin—to an acquirer or acquirers approved by the Commission. If Praxair fails to divest these assets within 12 months after the order becomes final, a trustee may be appointed to divest the four plants. The Consent Agreement also requires Praxair to take all steps necessary to ensure that the plants to be divested continue as ongoing, viable and competitive operations, by complying with an Agreement to Hold Separate.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before March 22, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be directed to: FTC/Office of the Secretary, Room 159, 6th St. and Pa. Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James H. Holden, Jr., FTC/S-2023, Washington, D.C. 20580 (202) 326-2682; or Christina Perez, FTC/S-2214, Washington, D.C. 20580 (202) 326-2682.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to Section 6(f) of the Federal Trade Commission Act, 38 Stat. 721, 15 U.S.C. 46, and Section 2.34 of the Commission's Rules of Practice (16 CFR 2.34), notice is hereby given that the following consent agreement containing a consent order to cease and desist, having been filed with and accepted, subject to final approval, by the Commission, has been placed on the public record for a period of sixty (60) days. Public comment is invited. Such comments or views will be considered by the Commission and will be available for inspection and copying at its principal office in accordance with Section 4.9(b)(6)(ii) of the Commission's Rules of Practice (16 CFR 4.9(b)(6)(ii)).