

growth and tag retention rates. Information will be collected on turtle numbers, species, size, sex, tags, health status, stock origin, and behavior and movement patterns. Genetic analysis of blood samples will contribute to an international effort to determine stock structure of Pacific sea turtles. The applicants request a 5-year permit from March 1, 1996.

Application P534A requests authorization to capture 20 green sea turtles (*Chelonia mydas*) annually in South San Diego Bay, take blood samples, attach tags and transmitters, and measure heart rate and internal temperature. Some turtles may have lavage stomach sampling performed. The purpose of the research is (1) to determine habitat preferences, behavioral activity patterns (such as foraging behavior), and residence patterns, and (2) to determine thermal preferences. The applicant requests a 2-year permit from September, 1996. Both applicants (P602 and P534A) will be coordinating their research efforts.

Those individuals requesting a hearing on either application should set out the specific reasons why a hearing on that particular application would be appropriate (see **ADDRESSES**). The holding of such hearing is at the discretion of the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NOAA. All statements and opinions contained in these application summaries are those of the applicants and do not necessarily reflect the views of NMFS.

Dated: January 17, 1996.

Russell J. Bellmer,

Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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## Patent and Trademark Office

### Customer Input—Customer Surveys

**AGENCY:** Patent and Trademark Office, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Proposed agency information collection activity; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506 (c) (2) (A)).

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted on or before March 25, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Margaret Woody, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC. 20230.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Requests for additional information should be directed to Greg Mullen, Patent and Trademark Office, Crystal Park 1, Suite 812, Arlington, Va. 20231, (703) 305-4207.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

I. Abstract

This is a generic clearance for an undefined number of surveys to be conducted over the next three years. These surveys are designed to obtain customer feedback regarding products, services and related service standards of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

II. Method of Collection

Surveying using random sampling is the primary method of collection. Statistical methods will be followed.

III. Data

*OMB Number:* New collection.

*Form Number:* None.

*Type of Review:* Regular.

*Affected Public:* Individuals and businesses applying for patents and trademarks, and individuals and businesses interested in patents and trademarks for information/research purposes.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 10,000.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 30 minutes.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 5,000.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden, (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection

and will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: January 18, 1996.

Margaret L. Woody,

Office of Management and Organization.

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## COMMISSION OF FINE ARTS

### Notice of Meeting

The Commission of Fine Arts' next meeting is scheduled for February 15, 1996 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commission's offices in the Pension Building, Suite 312, Judiciary Square, 441 F Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001 to discuss various projects affecting the appearance of Washington, D.C., including buildings, memorials, parks, etc.; also matters of design referred by other agencies of the government.

Inquiries regarding the agenda and requests to submit written or oral statements should be addressed to Charles H. Atherton, Secretary, Commission of Fine Arts, at the above address or call the above number.

Dated in Washington, D.C. January 16, 1996.

Charles H. Atherton,

Secretary.

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## COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

### Announcement of an Import Restraint Limit for Certain Cotton and Man-Made Fiber Textile Products Produced or Manufactured in Laos

January 17, 1996.

**AGENCY:** Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements (CITA).

**ACTION:** Issuing a directive to the Commissioner of Customs establishing a limit.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 24, 1996.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Helen L. LeGrande, International Trade Specialist, Office of Textiles and Apparel, U.S. Department of Commerce, (202) 482-4212. For information on the quota status of this limit, refer to the Quota Status Reports posted on the bulletin boards of each Customs port or call (202) 927-5850. For information on embargoes and quota re-openings, call (202) 482-3715.