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Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Seamless High Off-Chip Connectivity Consortium

Notice is hereby given that, on December 19, 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 Seamless High Off-Chip Connectivity Consortium ("SHOCCC") 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 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: Cray Research, Inc., Eagan, MN; The Dow Chemical Company, Midland, MI; and Integrated Device Technology, San Jose, CA. The general areas of planned activity for SHOCCC are research and development with the intent of developing and assessing the cost and performance of materials and process technologies for the parallel manufacture of digital electronic systems having multiple active integrated circuit devices interconnected by high-performance passive structures.

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Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Trico Steel Company, L.L.C.: Construction and Operation of a Flat Rolled Steel Minimill

Notice is hereby given that, on July 18, 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 parties to a cooperative production venture relating to the construction and operation of a flat rolled steel minimill have 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 project. 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: LTV-Trico, Inc., Cleveland, OH (controlled by the LTV Corporation, Cleveland, OH); SMI-Trico, Inc., Wilmington, DE (controlled by Sumitomo Metal Industries, Ltd., Tokyo, JAPAN); and British Steel Trico Holdings, Inc., Wilmington, DE (controlled by British Steel plc., London, ENGLAND). The nature and objectives of the venture are to design, finance, construct and operate in Decatur, Alabama a flat rolled steel minimill with the capacity to produce approximately 2.2 million tons annually of hot-rolled steel coils. The joint venture products will be sold to a separate entity owned by the LTV Corporation and will be sold by that entity to steel service centers and tubular converters, as well as to the automotive, construction and general manufacturing industries. The joint venture will utilize state of the art technology to produce hot-rolled, light gauge products that will compete against hot-rolled steel sheet and strip, tin and plate products and certain cold-rolled sheet products. Major components of the plant will include electric furnaces, thin slab casters and a hot-strip rolling mill.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of the Secretary

Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA), Title IV-D, Demonstration Program: Nontraditional Employment for Women (NEW) for Fiscal Year 1995 (Now Being Completed in Fiscal Year 1996)

AGENCY: Women's Bureau, U.S. Department of Labor.

ACTION: Notice of Availability of Funds and Solicitation for Grant Applications (SGA 96-01).

SUMMARY: All information required to submit a proposal is contained in this announcement. All applicants for grant funds should read this notice in its entirety. The Women's Bureau (Washington, D.C.), U.S. Department of Labor (USDOL), announces a grant

competition for demonstration program authorized under the Nontraditional Employment for Women (NEW) Act funded through Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA), Title IV-D funds administered by the Employment and Training Administration. The NEW Act amends the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) and is incorporated into the subsequent Job Training Reform Amendments of 1992. With the Solicitation for Grant Applications (SGA) 96-01, the Women's Bureau expects to award grants to six States, the maximum allowed by the NEW legislation.

This notice describes the background, the application process, statement of work, evaluation criteria, and reporting requirements for Solicitation for Grant Applications (SGA 96-01). WB anticipates that up to a total amount of \$1.5 million will be available for the support of all grants using demonstration funding.

DATES: One (1) ink-signed original, complete grant application (plus five (5) copies of the Technical Proposal and three (3) copies of the Cost Proposal shall be submitted to the U.S. Department of Labor, Office of Procurement Services, Room N-5416, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210, not later than 4:45 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, April 26, 1996, or be postmarked by the U.S. Postal Service on or before that date. Hand delivered applications must be received by the Office of Procurement Services by that time.

ADDRESSES: Applications shall be mailed to the U.S. Department of Labor, Office of Procurement Services, Attention: Lisa Harvey, Reference SGA 96-01, Room N-5416, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lisa Harvey, Office of Procurement Services, Telephone (202) 219-6445 [not a toll-free number]

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This announcement consists of five parts: Part I describes the background and purpose of the demonstration program and identifies demonstration policy and topics. Part II describes the application process and provides detailed guidelines for use in applying for demonstration grants. Part III includes the Statement of Work for the demonstration projects. Part IV identifies and defines the evaluation criteria to be used in reviewing and evaluating applications. Part V describes the deliverables and reporting requirements.