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This list is subject to change by the Commission when the public interest requires. Before amending the list, the Commission will first issue a public notice giving affected parties the opportunity for comment and hearing on the proposed changes. The Commission will then release an order amending the exclusion list. This list also is subject to change upon issuance of an Executive Order. See Streamlining the Section 214 Authorization Process and Tariff Requirements, IB Docket No. 95-118 FCC 96-79, released March 13, 1996.

For additional information, contact the International Bureau's Telecommunications Division, Policy and Facilities Branch, (202) 418-1460.

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## FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

### Notice of Agreement(s) Filed

The Federal Maritime Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreement(s) pursuant to section 5 of the Shipping Act of 1984.

Interested parties may inspect and obtain a copy of each agreement at the Washington, D.C. Office of the Federal Maritime Commission, 800 North Capitol Street NW., 9th Floor. Interested parties may submit comments on each agreement to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, D.C. 20573, within 10 days after the date of the Federal Register in which this notice appears. The requirements for comments are found in section 572.603 of Title 46 of the Code of Federal Regulations. Interested persons should consult this section before communicating with the Commission regarding a pending agreement.

*Agreement No.:* 202-008900-060.

*Title:* The "8900" Lines Agreement.

*Parties:* A.P. Moller-Maersk Line, DSR-Senator Lines, The National Shipping Company of Saudi Arabia,

P&O Containers, Ltd., Sea-Land Service, Inc., United Arab Shipping Company (S.A.G.).

*Synopsis:* The proposed modification makes several technical corrections to the Agreement: (1) deletes the reference to Agreement No. 203-011408; (2) revises the geographic scope in Article V(1) to correspond with the scope in Article IV of the Agreement; (3) revises Article VI to clarify who will chair meetings in the absence of the Executive Director; (4) revises Articles VII and XIII by substituting "e-mail" for "telex"; (5) revises paragraphs J(1), J(2) and L of Appendix B by substituting "Executive Director" for "Vice Chairman"; and (6) revises paragraph M of Appendix B to provide for arbitration in New Jersey instead of New York.

*Agreement No.:* 224-200229-003.

*Title:* Manchester Terminal Corporation/Empire Scott Stevedoring, Inc., Terminal Agreement.

*Parties:* Manchester Terminal Corporation ("MTC"), Empire Scott Stevedoring, Inc. ("Empire").

*Synopsis:* The proposed modification is a renegotiated contract between MTC and Empire. MTC assigns the right to Empire Scott Stevedoring, Inc., to load, unload, handle and render other related services to cargo and containers moving through MTC's facilities. The Agreement also reflects a name change of Scott Marine Services, Inc., to Empire Scott Stevedoring, Inc.

*Agreement No.:* 224-200972-001.

*Title:* Port Of Houston/TMM/HLC Terminal Agreement.

*Parties:* Port of Houston Authority, Transportation Maritima Mexicana, S.A. de C.V. ("TMM"), Hapag-Lloyd (America), Inc. ("HLC").

*Synopsis:* The proposed modification amends section IX of the Agreement to specify that storage charges will be based on a reasonable number of containers and chassis. The Agreement is further amended in section VII to specify that the Port, under special conditions, will reimburse TMM or HLC for certain expenses.

*Agreement No.:* 224-201004.

*Title:* Indiana's International Port/Burns Harbor General Cargo Terminal Operating Agreement.

*Parties:* Indiana Port Commission, Indiana Stevedoring and Distribution Corporation ("ISD").

*Synopsis:* The Agreement provides that ISD will operate and maintain terminal facilities, for all public users desiring to use ISD's services, at Indiana's International Port/Burns Harbor for an initial period of ten years beginning January 1, 1999.

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.

Dated: November 12, 1996.

Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

### Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. Once the application has been accepted for processing, it will also be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act, including whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company can "reasonably be expected to produce benefits to the public, such as greater convenience, increased competition, or gains in efficiency, that outweigh possible adverse effects, such as undue concentration of resources, decreased or unfair competition, conflicts of interests, or unsound banking practices" (12 U.S.C. 1843). Any request for a hearing must be accompanied by a statement of the reasons a written presentation would not suffice in lieu of a hearing, identifying specifically any questions of fact that are in dispute, summarizing the evidence that would be presented at a hearing, and indicating how the party commenting would be aggrieved by approval of the proposal. Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank