

District of Pennsylvania charging Armscor and Kentron with violating and conspiring to violate the AECA. Denel, which is related to Armscor, was included in the policy of denial (see 59 FR 33811, June 30, 1994).

Armscor and Kentron have entered pleas of nolo contendere to charges of violating the AECA. Pursuant to the Agreement between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of South Africa concerning cooperation of defense trade controls, Armscor, Denel, and Kentron will be subject to statutory debarment until further notice.

This notice involves a foreign affairs function of the United States encompassed within the meaning of the military and foreign affairs exclusion of the Administrative Procedure Act. Because the exercise of this foreign affairs function is discretionary, it is excluded from review under the Administrative Procedure Act.

Dated: March 12, 1997.

**William J. Lowell,**

*Director, Office of Defense Trade Controls,  
Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, U.S.  
Department of State.*

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**[Public Notice 2522]**

**Office of Defense Trade Controls;  
Statutory Debarment Under the  
International Traffic in Arms  
Regulations**

**AGENCY:** Department of State.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that the Department of State's policy of denial for all export license applications and other requests for approval involving Fuchs Electronics (Pty) Ltd. (Fuchs), and, any divisions, subsidiaries, associated companies, affiliated persons, and successor entities, is rescinded, and is replaced by statutory debarment pursuant to Section 127.7(c) of the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (22 CFR Parts 120-130) (ITAR).

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 27, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Philip S. Rhoads, Chief, Compliance and Enforcement Branch, Office of Defense Trade Controls, Department of State (703-875-6644).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 38(g)(4) of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2778) (AECA) prohibits licenses and other requests for approval for the export of defense articles and the furnishing of defense services to be

issued to a person, or any party to the export, be issued to a person, or any party to the export, convicted of violating or conspiring to violate the AECA. This notice is provided in order to make the public aware that the following entities are prohibited from participating directly or indirectly in the export from the United States of defense articles, related technical data, or defense services for which a license or other approval is required from the Department of State under the AECA: Fuchs Electronics (Pty) Ltd., 15 Combrinck Street, Alrode, Gauteng, South Africa, including the Fuchs Electronics Division of Reunert Limited.

Effective June 8, 1994, the Department of State implemented a policy of denial pursuant to Sections 38 and 42 of the AECA and Sections 126.7(a)(1) and (a)(2) of the ITAR for Fuchs and any divisions, subsidiaries, associated companies, affiliated persons, and successor entities in response to an indictment returned in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania charging Fuchs with violating and conspiring to violate the AECA (see 59 Federal Register 33811, June 30, 1994).

Fuchs pleaded guilty on February 27, 1997, to charges of violating the AECA. Pursuant to a Consent Agreement between Fuchs and the Department of State, and an Order signed by the Assistant Secretary for Political-Military Affairs, Fuchs, including the Fuchs Electronics Division of Reunert Limited, will be subject to statutory debarment and its licensing privileges will be reinstated in accordance with the terms of the Consent Agreement entered into by Fuchs and the Department on January 24, 1997. At such time, a further notice will be published herein.

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**TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY**

**Sunshine Act Meeting (Meeting No. 1493)**

**TIME AND DATE:** 10 a.m. (CST), March 26, 1997.

**PLACE:** Ramada Inn Convention Center, Room 4, 854 North Gloster Street, Tupelo, Mississippi.

**STATUS:** Open.

*Agenda*

Approval of minutes of meeting held on February 19, 1997.

Discussion Items

1. Lowndes, Mississippi, Substation
2. TVA Customer Service Centers

New Business

E—Real Property Transactions

E1. Deed modification affecting approximately 0.065 acre of former TVA land on Kentucky Lake in Stewart County, Tennessee (Tract No. XGIR-259).

E2. Grant of easement affecting approximately 330 square feet of TVA's Summer Place Building and Parking Garage property in Knox County, Tennessee (Tract No. XKOC-1B).

E3. Abandonment of a portion of the right-of-way easement affecting approximately 3.02 acres of land on the Lonsdale-Alcoa transmission line in Blount County, Tennessee (Tract No. NA-188).

Unclassified

- F1. Filing of condemnation cases.

Information Items

1. Revision to the price schedule for commodity-based power arrangements with SKW Metals and Alloys, Inc.

2. Joint marketing agreement with Tata Electric Companies.

3. Business Practice 9, Management of TVA's Supply Chain Process.

4. Grant of easement affecting approximately 1 acre of land on Norris Lake for a fire station in Union County, Tennessee (Tract No. XTNR-111B).

5. New investment managers and management agreements between the TVA Retirement System and Wellington Management Company, LLP, and Goldman Sachs Asset Management.

For more information: Please call TVA Public Relations at (423) 632-6000, Knoxville, Tennessee. Information is also available at TVA's Washington Office (202) 898-2999.