

Applicants using this form are not eligible for employment in the United States but need an operator permit because they hold an Aircraft Pilot Certificate which is valid in the U.S. and need to operate aircraft radio stations or they hold an FCC radio station license and will use the permit for operation of that particular station. The number of respondents has been increased from 800 to 1,000, attributed to a re-evaluation of receipts. The form is being revised to add a space for the applicant to provide an Internet address. This will provide an additional option of reaching the applicant should the FCC have any questions concerning the application. The drug certification is being incorporated into the certification text prior to applicant signature and the requirement to check a "yes/no" block eliminated. The request for applicant's mailing address "state" is being changed to "state/country" to accommodate foreign mailing addresses. The Commission will redact the applicant birthdate from information available for public view.

Federal Communications Commission

**LaVera F. Marshall,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### Public Information Collections Approved by Office of Management and Budget

May 15, 1997.

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has received Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the following public information collections pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. For further information contact Shoko B. Hair, Federal Communications Commission, (202) 418-1379.

#### Federal Communications Commission

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0738.

*Expiration Date:* 04/30/2000.

*Title:* Implementation of the Telecommunications Act of 1996: Electronic Publishing and Alarm Monitoring Services—CC Docket No. 96-152.

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 7 respondents; 3000 hours per response (avg.); 21,000 total annual burden hours.

*Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden:* \$0.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Description:* In the First Report and Order issued in CC Docket 96-152, the Commission implements the non-accounting requirements prescribed by Congress in sections 260 and 274 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the Act) which respectively govern the provision of telemessaging and electronic publishing services. The Commission imposes this third-party disclosure requirement on Bell Operating Companies (BOCs) in order to implement the nondiscrimination requirement of section 274(c)(2)(A) of the Act, as amended. The Commission requires that to the extent a BOC refers a customer to a separated affiliate, electronic publishing joint venture of affiliate during the normal course of its telemarketing operations, it must refer that customer to all unaffiliated electronic publishers requesting the referral service. In particular, the BOC must provide the customer the names of all unaffiliated electronic publishers, in random order. Compliance is mandatory.

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0755.

*Expiration Date:* 05/31/2000.

*Title:* Infrastructure Sharing—CC Docket 96-237.

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 1425 respondents; 1.63 hours per response (avg.); 2325 total annual burden hours.

*Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden:* \$0.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Description:* In the Report and Order, Implementation of Infrastructure Sharing Provisions in the Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Docket No. 96-237, the Commission adopts rules to implement Section 259 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. Section 259 requires incumbent local exchange carriers (LECs) to file any arrangements showing the conditions under which they share infrastructure per section 259. Section 259 also requires incumbent LECs to provide information on deployments of new services and equipment to qualifying carriers. The Commission also requires incumbent LECs to provide 60 days notice prior to terminating section 259 agreements. The information collected under the requirement that incumbent LECs file any tariffs, contracts or other arrangements for infrastructure sharing would be made available for public

inspection. The information collected under the requirement that incumbent LECs provide timely information on planned deployments of new services and equipment would be provided to third parties (qualifying carriers). The information collected under the requirement that providing incumbent LECs furnish sixty days notice prior to termination of a section 259 sharing agreement would be provided to third parties, i.e., qualifying carriers, to protect customers from sudden changes in service. Compliance is mandatory.

*Title:* Written Contracts Filed with the Commission and Made Publicly Available—Section 274(b)(3)(B), CC Docket No. 96-152 (FNPRM).

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 4200 respondents; 1.33 hours per response (avg.); 3150 total annual burden hours.

*Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden:* \$0.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Description:* The Commission issued a Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 96-152, to implement section 274 of the Communications Act, as amended which governs BOC provision of electronic publishing services. Section 274(b)(3)(B) of the Act requires a separated affiliate or electronic publishing joint venture established pursuant to section 274(a) and the Bell Operating Company (BOC) with which it is affiliated to "carry out transactions \* \* \* pursuant to written contracts or tariffs that are filed with the Commission and made publicly available." The Further Notice notes that the phrases "filed with the Commission" and "made publicly available" in section 274(b)(3)(B) each can be read to apply to both contracts and tariffs, or only tariffs. In seeking comment on the proper interpretation of these phrases, the Further Notice proposed the following new collections of information: (1) The filing of both written contracts and tariffs with the Commission; and/or (2) the making of those contracts "publicly available." OMB approved the proposed collections. If the collections are adopted, compliance would be mandatory.

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0704

*Expiration Date:* 08/31/1997

*Title:* Policy and Rules Concerning the Interstate, Interexchange Marketplace: Implementation of Section 254(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended—CC Docket No. 96-61.

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 519 respondents; 266.2 hours per response (avg.); 138,175 total annual burden hours.

*Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden:* \$435,000.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Description:* CC Docket 96-61

eliminates the requirement that nondominant interexchange carriers file tariffs for interstate, domestic, interexchange telecommunications services. In order to facilitate enforcement of such carriers' statutory obligation to geographically average and integrate their rates, and to make it easier for customers to compare carriers' service offerings, the Commission requires affected carriers to maintain, and to make available to the public in at least one location, information concerning their rates, terms and conditions for all of their interstate domestic, interexchange services. The information collected under the tariff cancellation requirement must be disclosed to the Commission, and will be used to implement the Commission's detariffing policy. The information collected under the recordkeeping and certification requirements will be used by the Commission to ensure that affected interexchange carriers fulfill their obligations under the Communications Act, as amended. The information in the disclosure requirement must be provided to third parties, and will be used to ensure that such parties have adequate information to bring to the Commission's attention any violations of geographic rate averaging and rate integration requirements of Section 254(g) of the Communications Act, as amended. Compliance is mandatory.

Public reporting burden for the collections of information is as noted above. Send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of the collections of information, including suggestions for reducing the burden to Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Washington, D.C. 20554.

Federal Communications Commission.

**LaVera F. Marshall,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[DA 97-932]

### Commission Adjusts its Annual Revenue Threshold to Account for Inflation for 1996 in Accordance With Section 402 of the 1996 Telecommunications Act

May 2, 1997.

Pursuant to Section 402(c) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and the interim procedures established in Implementation of the Telecommunications Act of 1996: Reform of Filing Requirements and Carrier Classifications, Order and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, CC Docket No. 96-193, 11 FCC Recd 11716 (1996), the Commission hereby adjusts the annual revenue threshold pursuant to part 32 of its regulations (47 CFR part 43) and § 64.903 of its regulations (47 CFR 64.903) to account for inflation for 1996 by creating a ratio between the 1996 Gross Domestic Product Chain-type Price Index (GDP-CPI) and the GDP-CPI as of October 19, 1992.

The estimated value of the GDP-CPI on October 19, 1992 is 100.69. This estimate was obtained by linearly interpolating the seasonally adjusted third quarter 1992 GDP-CPI value of 100.2 (as of the mid-point of the third quarter, August 15, 1992) and the seasonally adjusted fourth quarter 1992 GDP-CPI value of 100.9 (as of the mid-point of the fourth quarter, November 15, 1992).

Accordingly, the inflation-adjusted revenue threshold for 1996 is calculated as follows:

- [A] GDP-CPI (October 19, 1992), 100.69
- [B] GDP-CPI (Annual) (1996), 109.9
- [C] Ratio: GDP-CPI (Annual) (1996)/ GDP-CPI (October 19, 1992), 1.0915<sup>1</sup>
- [D] Original Revenue Threshold, \$100 million
- [E] Inflation-Adjusted Threshold, \$109 million<sup>2</sup>

Accordingly, the inflation-adjusted revenue threshold for 1996 is \$109 million.

For further information, contact Maureen Peratino, Office of Public Affairs, at (202) 418-0500, or Warren Firschein, Accounting and Audits Division, Common Carrier Bureau, at (202) 418-0844.

Source: National Data Tables, Survey of Current Business, Mar. 1997, tbl. 7.1 at D-17.

<sup>1</sup> Calculated by dividing line B by line A.

<sup>2</sup> Calculated by multiplying line D by line C. This figure has been rounded to the nearest million.

Federal Communications Commission.

**LaVera Marshall,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

### Agreement(s) Filed

The Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreement(s) under the Shipping Act of 1984.

Interested parties can review or obtain copies of agreements at the Washington, DC offices of the Commission, 800 North Capitol Street, NW., Room 962. Interested parties may submit comments on an agreement to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573, within 10 days of the date this notice appears in the **Federal Register**.

*Agreement No.:* 203-011507-002.

*Title:* Di Gregorio/Tricon Agreement.

*Parties:* Di Gregorio Navegacao Ltda., DSR-Senator Lines ("DSL"), Cho Yang Shipping Co., Ltd.

*Synopsis:* The proposed amendment specifies that nothing in the Agreement precludes DSL from engaging in any activity authorized by the Hanjin/DSR-Senator Cooperative Management Agreement, FMC-203-011570.

Dated: May 16, 1997.

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.

**Ronald D. Murphy,**

*Assistant Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

### 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:

American Canadian Caribbean Line, Inc., 461 Water Street, Warren, RI 02885

Vessel: GRANDE CARIBE

Costa Cruise Lines N.V., Costa Crociere S.p.A., Prestige Cruises N.V. and