Protocol Specialist to the Special Assistant to the Secretary of Defense. Effective May 16, 1997.

Department of Education

Special Assistant to the Deputy Secretary, Office of the Deputy Secretary. Effective May 7, 1997.

Confidential Assistant to the Director, Office of Public Affairs. Effective May 14, 1997.

Special Assistant to the Assistant Secretary, Office for Civil Rights. Effective May 16, 1997.

Confidential Assistant to the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Regional Services. Effective May 16, 1997.

Confidential Assistant to the Assistant Secretary, Office of Elementary and Secondary Education. Effective May 16, 1997.

Confidential Assistant to the Assistant Secretary, Office of Vocational and Adult Education. Effective May 22, 1997.

Confidential Assistant to the Assistant Secretary, Office of Postsecondary Education. Effective May 27, 1997.

Confidential Assistant to the Director, Office of Public Affairs. Effective May 29, 1997.

Director, Office of Corporate Liaison to the Assistant Secretary, Office of Intergovernmental and Interagency Affairs. Effective May 30, 1997.

Department of Energy

Special Projects Liaison Specialist to the Director, Public Affairs. Effective May 21, 1997.

Department of Health and Human Services

Special Assistant to the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Legislation (Human Services). Effective May 5, 1997.

Special Assistant to the Deputy Secretary. Effective May 7, 1997.

Senior Press Officer to the Health Care Financing Administration. Effective May 9, 1997.

Confidential Assistant to the Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration. Effective May 9, 1997.

Special Assistant to the Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration. Effective May 9, 1997.

Confidential Assistant (Advance) to the Director of Scheduling and Advance. Effective May 9, 1997.

Special Assistant to the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs (Policy and Strategy). Effective May 9, 1997.

Department of Housing and Urban Development

Special Assistant to the Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research. Effective May 2, 1997.

Department of Justice

Deputy Assistant Attorney General to the Assistant Attorney General, Office of Policy Development. Effective May 2, 1997.

Senior Counsel to the Assistant Attorney General. Effective May 7, 1997.

Assistant to the Attorney General. Effective May 16, 1997.

Department of State

Policy Analyst to the Assistant Secretary, Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs. Effective May 9, 1997.

Senior Advisor to the Under Secretary for Management. Effective May 16, 1997.

Department of Transportation

Director for Scheduling and Advance to the Chief of Staff. Effective May 29, 1997.

Deputy Director, Executive Secretariat to the Director, Executive Secretariat. Effective May 29, 1997.

Department of the Treasury

Enforcement Policy Advisor to the Director, Office of Policy Development (Senior Advisor to the Assistant Secretary (Enforcement)). Effective May 7, 1997.

Special Assistant to the Deputy Secretary of the Treasury. Effective May 7, 1997.

Enforcement Policy Advisor to the Director, Office of Policy Development/ (Senior Advisor to the Assistant Secretary (Enforcement)). Effective May 7, 1997.

Environmental Protection Agency

Staff Assistant to the Deputy Associate Administrator. Effective May 14, 1997.

Assistant to the Deputy Administrator for External Affairs. Effective May 16, 1997.

Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission

Attorney-Advisor to the Commissioner, Office of the Commissioner. Effective May 22, 1997.

National Aeronautics and Space Administration

Director for Enterprise Liaison to the Associate Administrator for Aeronautics and Space Transport Technology. Effective May 30, 1997.

National Transportation Safety Board

Public and Family Affairs Specialist to the Director, Office of Government, Public, and Family Affairs. Effective May 2, 1997.

Director, Office of Governmental Affairs to the Director, Office of Government, Public, and Family Affairs. Effective May 29, 1997.

Office of National Drug Control Policy

Executive Assistant to the Deputy Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy. Effective May 29, 1997.

Office of Personnel Management

Legislative Assistant to the Director, Office of Congressional Relations. Effective May 23, 1997.

White House Liaison to the Deputy Chief of Staff. Effective May 28, 1997.

Office of Science and Technology Policy

Chief of Staff to the Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy. Effective May 9, 1997.

Small Business Administration

Director of Communications to the Assistant Administrator of Communications. Effective May 30, 1997.

United States Information Agency

Confidential Assistant to the Director, Office of Cuba Broadcasting. Effective May 7, 1997.

Confidential Assistant to the Director, United States Information Agency. Effective May 9, 1997.

Senior Coordinator for Public Diplomacy Programs to the Associate Director, Bureau of Information. Effective May 30, 1997.

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 3301 and 3302; E.O. 10577, 3 CFR 1954–1958 Comp., P. 218.

Office of Personnel Management.

James B. King,

Director.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[File No. 1–10207]

Issuer Delisting; Notice of Application To Withdraw From Listing and Registration (Alaris Medical, Inc., Common Stock, $.01 Par Value)

June 30, 1997.

Alaris Medical, Inc. (''Company'') has filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission (''Commission''), pursuant to Section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of

1934 (''Act'') and Rule 12d2–2(d) promulgated thereunder, to withdraw the above specified security (''Security'') from listing and registration on the American Stock Exchange, Inc. (''Amex'').

The reasons cited in the application for withdrawing the Security from listing and registration include the following:

According to the Company, the Board of Directors (the ''Committee'') unanimously approved a resolution on February 27, 1997 to withdraw the Company's Security from listing on the Amex and, instead, to list such Security on the National Association of Securities Dealers Automated Quotation National Market System (''Nasdaq/NMS''). The Company's Security began trading on Nasdaq/NMS on June 10, 1997. In making the decision to withdraw the Security from listing on the Amex, the Company has informed the Commission that it has considered the direct and indirect costs and expenses associated with maintaining dual listings. The Company does not see any particular advantage in the dual trading of its Security.

The Company has complied with the Rules of the Amex by notifying the Amex of its intention to withdraw its Common Stock from listing on the Exchange by letter dated May 27, 1997. The Amex has informed the Company, by letter dated June 3, 1997, that it has no objection to the withdrawal of the Security from listing on the Amex.

Any interested person may, on or before July 22, 1997, submit by letter to the Secretary of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549, facts bearing upon whether the application has been made in accordance with the rules of the exchange and what terms, if any, should be imposed by the Commission for the protection of investors. The Commission, based on the information submitted to it, will issue an order granting the application after the date mentioned above, unless the Commission determines to order a hearing on the matter.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.

Jonathan G. Katz,

Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Rel. No. IC–22729; 812–10486]

Nations Fund Trust, et al.; Notice of Application

June 27, 1997.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission (''SEC'').

ACTION: Notice of application for exemption under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the ''Act'').

Applicants: Nations Fund Trust (''NFT''), Nations Fund, Inc. (''NFI''), Nations Fund Portfolios, Inc. (''NFPI''), Nations Institutional Reserves (''NIR''—formerly, The Capitol Mutual Funds), each open-end management investment company or series thereunder, that currently is, or in the future becomes, part of the same ''group of investment companies,'' as defined in rule 11a–3 under the Act, any other registered investment companies or series thereof that are now or in the future advised by NationsBanc Advisors, Inc. (''NBAI'') (collectively, ''Nations Fund Family''), and NBAI.

Relevant Act Sections: Order requested under section 12(d)(1)(J) for an exemption from sections 12(d)(1)(A) and 12(d)(1)(B), under sections 6(c) and 17(b) for an exemption from section 17(a), and under section 17(d) and rule 17d–1 thereunder permitting certain joint transactions.

Summary of Application: Applicants request an order that would permit certain investment companies to purchase shares of affiliated money market funds in excess of the limits prescribed in section 12(d)(1).

Filing Dates: The application was filed on January 10, 1997, and amended on April 15, 1997, and June 26, 1997.

Hearing or Notification of Hearing: An order granting the application will be issued unless the SEC orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary and serving applicants with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the SEC by 5:30 p.m. on July 22, 1997 and should be accompanied by proof of service on the applicants, in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons may request notification of a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary.

ADDRESSES: Secretary, SEC, 450 5th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549. Applicants, One NationsBank Plaza, 101 South Tryon Street, Charlotte, North Carolina 28255.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joseph B. McDonald, Jr., Senior Counsel, at (202) 942–0533, or Christine Y. Greenlees, Branch Chief, at (202) 942–0564 (Division of Investment Management, Office of Investment Company Regulation).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following is a summary of the application. The complete application may be obtained for a fee from the SEC's Public Reference Branch.

Applicants' Representations

1. NFT and NIR are Massachusetts business trusts registered under the Act as open-end management investment companies. NFI and NFPI are Maryland corporations registered under the Act as open-end management investment companies. The Nations Fund Family presently consists of 50 distinct investment portfolios.

2. NFT currently consists of 35 separate series or investment portfolios, two of which hold themselves out as money market funds that seek to maintain a constant net asset value (''NAV''), and are subject to the requirements of rule 2a–7 under the Act, and 33 of which have per share NAVs that fluctuate from day to day. NFI currently consists of eight separate series or investment portfolios, two of which hold themselves out as money market funds and six of which have fluctuating per share NAVs. NFPI currently consists of three separate series or investment portfolios, all of which have fluctuating per share NAVs. NIR currently consists of four separate series or investment portfolios, all of which hold themselves out as money market funds. Additional series of NFT, NFI, NFPI, and NIR may be added in the future.

3. Each existing and any future money market portfolio of NFT, NFI, NFPI, NIR and any other investment companies advised now or in the future by NBAI are referred to herein individually as a ''Money Market Fund'' and collectively as the ''Money Market Funds.'' Each existing and any future variable NAV portfolio of NFT, NFI, NFPI, and any other investment companies advised now or in the future by NBAI are referred to herein individually as a ''Non-Money Market Fund'' and collectively as the ''Non-Money Market Funds.'' The Money Market Funds and the Non-Money Market Funds are