

employees of the employer maintaining the plan and their beneficiaries;

(2) Before an exemption may be granted under section 408(a) of the Act and/or section 4975(c)(2) of the Code, the Department must find that the exemption is administratively feasible, in the interests of the plan and of its participants and beneficiaries and protective of the rights of participants and beneficiaries of the plan;

(3) The proposed exemptions, if granted, will be supplemental to, and not in derogation of, any other provisions of the Act and/or the Code, including statutory or administrative exemptions and transitional rules. Furthermore, the fact that a transaction is subject to an administrative or statutory exemption is not dispositive of whether the transaction is in fact a prohibited transaction; and

(4) The proposed exemptions, if granted, will be subject to the express condition that the material facts and representations contained in each application are true and complete, and that each application accurately describes all material terms of the transaction which is the subject of the exemption.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 16th day of July, 1996.

Ivan Strasfeld,

*Director of Exemption Determinations
Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration,
U.S. Department of Labor.*

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 97-096]

Government-Owned Inventions, Available for Licensing

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of availability of inventions for licensing.

SUMMARY: The inventions listed below are assigned to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, have been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and are available for licensing.

DATES: July 21, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Office of Patent Counsel, Langley Research Center, Mail Code 212, Hampton, VA 23681-0001; telephone (757) 864-9260.

NASA Case No. LAR 14417-1: Catalytic Oxidation Using Permeation Membranes;

NASA Case No. LAR 14581-3-SB: Method and Apparatus for Evaluating Multilayer Objects for Imperfections;

NASA Case No. LAR 14734-2-SB: Temperature Regulatory for Actively Cooled Structures;

NASA Case No. LAR 15094-3: Carbon-Carbon Cylinder Block;

NASA Case No. LAR 15105-3:

Ho:Tu:LuAG: A New Laser Material;

NASA Case No. LAR 15146-1: A Method for Improving the Working Efficiency of Propellers and Screws (Möbius Strip);

NASA Case No. LAR 15215-1: A Bluebell Nozzle for Improving the Mixing of Exhaust Jets with Ambient Air;

NASA Case No. LAR 15272-2-CU: Reflective Self-Metallizing Polyimide Films;

NASA Case No. LAR 15381-1-SB: Method for Single Layer Thickness Gauging Using Flux Focusing Eddy-Current Probe;

NASA Case No. LAR 15431-1: Long Distance Atomic Mass Detection;

NASA Case No. LAR 15518-1: Corrugated Separate Flow Co-Annular Nozzle;

NASA Case No. LAR 15525-1-CU: Solid State Carbon Monoxide Sensor;

NASA Case No. LAR 15526-2-SB: Novel Polyimide Fibers;

NASA Case No. LAR 15534-2: Poly (Arylene Ether)S with Lower Melt Viscosity

Dated: July 14, 1997.

Edward A. Frankle,
General Counsel.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (97-097)]

Notice of Prospective Patent License

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of prospective patent license.

SUMMARY: NASA hereby gives notice that New Century Pharmaceuticals, Inc., of Huntsville, Alabama, has applied for an exclusive license to practice the invention described and claimed in NASA Case No. MFS-28989-1, entitled "Protein Crystal Growth Apparatus for Microgravity," which is assigned to the United States of America as represented by the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Written objections to the prospective grant of a license should be sent to Marshall Space Flight Center.

DATES: Responses to this notice must be received by September 19, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Robert L. Board, Patent Counsel, Marshall Space Flight Center, Mail Code CC01, Huntsville, Alabama 35812, telephone (205) 544-0021, fax (205) 544-0258.

Dated: July 14, 1997.

Edward A. Frankle,
General Counsel.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Cross Disciplinary Activities; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting.

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Cross Disciplinary Activities (1193).

Date and Time: August 12-13, 1997; 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Rooms 1150, 1105.01, 1120, 1280 on the 12th, and 1150 on the 13th.

Contact Person: Harry Hedges, Program Director and Virginia Eaton, Program Director, CISE/OCDA, Room 1160, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230 (703) 306-1980.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate CISE POWRE proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: July 15, 1997.

M. Rebecca Winkler,
Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Design, Manufacture & Industrial Innovation; Notice of Meetings

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