

apply to the proposed purchase by the Plan of shares of common stock of Valley Forge Corporation (the Stock) from the Martin Bloom Family Trust, a disqualified person with respect to the Plan provided that the following conditions are satisfied: (1) The purchase of the Stock will be a one-time transaction for cash; (2) the Plan will purchase the Stock at a price no greater than the fair market value of the Stock as reported on the American Stock Exchange (AMEX) on the date of the purchase; (3) the Plan will not pay any expenses in connection with the proposed transaction; and (4) the purchase of the Stock shall represent no more than 25% of the fair market value of the Plan's assets.

For a more complete statement of the facts and representations supporting this exemption, refer to the notice of proposed exemption, published on August 8, 1997 at 62 FR 47064.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Allison Padams of the Department, telephone (202) 219-8971. (This is not a toll free number.)

General Information

The attention of interested persons is directed to the following:

(1) The fact that a transaction is the subject of an exemption under section 408(a) of the Act and/or section 4975(c)(2) of the Code does not relieve a fiduciary or other party in interest or disqualified person from certain other provisions to which the exemptions does not apply and the general fiduciary responsibility provisions of section 404 of the Act, which among other things require a fiduciary to discharge his duties respecting the plan solely in the interest of the participants and beneficiaries of the plan and in a prudent fashion in accordance with section 404(a)(1)(B) of the Act; nor does it affect the requirement of section 401(a) of the Code that the plan must operate for the exclusive benefit of the employees of the employer maintaining the plan and their beneficiaries;

(2) These exemptions are supplemental to and not in derogation of, any other provisions of the Act and/or the Code, including statutory or administrative exemptions and transactional 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

(3) The availability of these exemptions is subject to the express condition that the material facts and representations contained in each application accurately describes all

material terms of the transaction which is the subject of the exemption.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 30th day of September, 1997.

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 (97-143)]

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: October 3, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Office of Patent Counsel, Langley Research Center, Mail Stop 212, Hampton, VA 23681-0001; telephone (757) 864-9260.

NASA Case No. LAR-15547-1: An Improved Substrate Material for Holographic Emulsions Utilizing Fluorinated Polyimide Film.

NASA Case No. LAR-14997-3: Optical Flameout Detector (FWC of—2).

NASA Case No. LAR-15539-1: Advanced Layered Composite Polylamine Electro-Active Actuator.

NASA Case No. LAR-15411-2-CU: Process and Apparatus for Applying Powder Particles to a Filamentary Material (FWC of—1).

NASA Case No. LAR-15062-2: Multi-Channel Electronically Scanned Cryogenic Pressure Sensor (FWC of—1).

NASA Case No. LAR-15289-2: 3-Dimensional Object Tracking System and Method Employing Plural Sensors/Processors for Performing Parallel Processing (FWC of—1).

Dated: September 26, 1997.

Edward A. Frankle,

General Counsel.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 97-144]

NASA Advisory Council, Aeronautics and Space Transportation Technology Advisory Committee, Air Traffic Management Research and Development Executive Steering Committee; Meeting

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration announces a NASA Advisory Council, Aeronautics and Space Transportation Technology Advisory Committee, Air Traffic Management Research and Development Executive Steering Committee meeting.

DATES: October 21, 22, and 23, 1997, 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Ames Research Center, Building 262, Room 100, Moffett Field, CA 94035.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Herbert W. Schlickmaier, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Headquarters, Washington, DC 20546, 202/358-4638.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting will be open to the public up to the seating capacity of the room. The meeting will focus on NASA's Advanced Air Transportation Technology (AATT) element of the aviation capacity research program. Agenda topics for the meeting are as follows:

- AATT Program Introduction
- Overview of AATT Level II Plan
- Summary at AATT Sub-element Level III Plans
- Review of the AATT Level 1, Milestone 1, Program Plan Assessment

It is imperative that the meeting be held on these dates to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants. Visitors will be requested to sign a visitors register.

Dated: September 26, 1997.

Leslie M. Nolan

Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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