

provided to Ms. Sanzone at the above address prior to the meeting. See below for details on providing comments to the SAB.

2. Executive Committee

The Executive Committee (EC) of the Science Advisory Board's (SAB) will conduct a public teleconference meeting on Tuesday, March 31, 1998, between the hours of 3:00 and 5:00 pm, Eastern Time. The meeting will be coordinated through a conference call connection in Room 2103 of the Mall at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street SW, Washington, DC 20460. The public is welcome to attend the meeting physically or through a telephonic link. Additional instructions about how to participate in the conference call can be obtained by calling Ms. Priscilla Tillery-Gadson at (202) 260-8414 by March 18, 1998.

In this meeting the Executive Committee plans to review drafts from several of its Committees. These anticipated drafts include: (a) Environmental Engineering Committee Review of Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) Environmental Indicators Project; (b) Environmental Engineering Committee Review of ORD Pollution Prevention Research Plan; (c) Integrated Human Exposure Committee's Commentary on the Importance of Indoor Air Environment; and (d) Research Strategies Advisory Committee's Review of the ORD FY99 Budget Request.

For Further Information—Any member of the public wishing further information concerning the meeting or wishing to submit comments should contact Dr. Donald G. Barnes, Designated Federal Officer for the Executive Committee, Science Advisory Board (1400), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Washington DC 20460; telephone (202) 260-4126; FAX (202) 260-9232; and via the INTERNET at: barnes.don@epa.gov. Copies of the relevant documents are available from the same source. Draft documents will also be available on the SAB Website (<http://www.epa.gov/sab>) at least one week prior to the meeting.

Providing Oral or Written Comments at SAB Meetings

The Science Advisory Board expects that public statements presented at its meetings will not be repetitive of previously submitted oral or written statements. In general, each individual or group making an oral presentation will be limited to a total time of ten minutes. For conference call meetings, opportunities for oral comment will be limited to no more than five minutes per speaker and no more than fifteen

minutes total. Written comments (at least 35 copies) received in the SAB Staff Office sufficiently prior to a meeting date, may be mailed to the relevant SAB committee or subcommittee prior to its meeting; comments received too close to the meeting date will normally be provided to the committee at its meeting. Written comments may be provided to the relevant committee or subcommittee up until the time of the meeting.

Information concerning the Science Advisory Board, its structure, function, and composition, may be found in *The FY1997 Annual Report of the Staff Director* which is available from the SAB Committee Evaluation and Support Staff (CESS) by contacting US EPA, Science Advisory Board (1400), Attention: CESS, 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460 or via fax (202) 260-1889. Additional information concerning the SAB can be found on the SAB Home Page at: <http://www.epa.gov/sab>.

Dated: March 2, 1998.

A. Robert Flaak,

Acting Staff Director, Science Advisory Board.
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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Notice of 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.: 202-010689-073.

Title: Transpacific Westbound Rate Agreement ("TWRA").

Parties: American President Lines, Ltd. and APL Co. PTE Ltd., Hapag-Lloyd Container Linie GmbH, Kawasaki Kisen Kaisha, Ltd., A.P. Moller-Maersk Line, Mitsui O.S.K. Lines, Ltd., Neptune Orient Lines, Ltd., Nippon Yusen Kaisha Line, Orient Overseas Container Line, Inc., P&O Nedlloyd Limited, P&O Nedlloyd B.V., Sea-Land Service, Inc.

Synopsis: The proposed modification provides for an alternative form of short notice independent action on non-refrigerated commodities in which IA can be taken on two-days notice on a

matter that was proposed as an Agreement action but failed to be adopted.

Agreement No.: 224-201046.

Title: Alabama-Odyssey Agreement.

Parties: Alabama State Docks

Department, Odyssey Stevedoring, Inc.

Synopsis: The proposed agreement concerns the terms and conditions under which the contractor performs cargo and freight handling services at the port. The term of the agreement runs until December 31, 2002.

Dated: March 5, 1998.

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.

Ronald D. Murphy,

Assistant Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Ocean Freight Forwarder License Applicants

Notice is hereby given that the following applicants have filed with the Federal Maritime Commission applications for licenses as ocean freight forwarders pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 (46 U.S.C. app. 1718 and 46 CFR 510).

Persons knowing of any reason why any of the following applicants should not receive a license are requested to contact the Office of Freight Forwarders, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, D.C. 20573.

JFJ Freight Forwarders Inc., 320 N.W.

102nd Avenue, Pembroke Pines, FL 33026, Officer, Junetide F. Johnson, President

All Continental Group, Inc., 924 E. Main

Street, Suite 106, Alhambra, CA

91801, Officers: GE Jia, Chief

Executive Officer

Dated: March 6, 1998.

Ronald D. Murphy,

Assistant Secretary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the