

identify their marketing objective(s) for a specific event as well as current marketing activities and status in the specific foreign market where the event will take place. The ITA/Commercial Service overseas posts use the information to schedule business appointments during the trade event, to arrange "blue ribbon" calls on key agents or distributors identified by participants prior to an event, and to issue specific invitations to appropriate prospective overseas business partners. It is critical to prearrange business appointments, thus providing U.S. participants with a program of high caliber business contacts.

**Affected Public:** Businesses or other for profit, not-for-profit institutions.

**Frequency:** On occasion.

**Respondent's Obligation:** Required to obtain or retain a benefit, voluntary.

**OMB Desk Officer:** Victoria Baecher-Wassmer, (202) 395-7340.

Copies of the above information collection can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, Department Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington D.C. 20230.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent to Victoria Baecher-Wassmer, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington D.C. 20503 within 30 days of the publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: September 16, 1998.

**Linda Engelmeier,**

*Department Forms Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### Applications for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instruments

Pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89-651; 80 Stat. 897; 15 CFR part 301), we invite comments on the question of whether instruments of equivalent scientific value, for the purposes for which the instruments shown below are intended to be used, are being manufactured in the United States.

Comments must comply with 15 CFR 301.5(a)(3) and (4) of the regulations and be filed within 20 days with the Statutory Import Programs Staff, U.S.

Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230. Applications may be examined between 8:30 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. in Room 4211, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

Docket Number: 98-045. Applicant: The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, 7703 Floyd Curl Drive, San Antonio, TX 78284-7750. Instrument: Electron Microscope, Model EM208S. Manufacturer: N.V. Philips, Czech Republic. Intended Use: The instrument will be used to study the ultrastructural differences in tissues, bacterial growth and response on plastics, cellular response to non-biological particulates, the effects of mutations on photoreceptor structure and the expression pattern of Rh5 opsin protein in rhabdomeres of R-8 cells employing fly retinas. Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs: September 2, 1998.

Docket Number: 98-046. Applicant: University of Minnesota, Biomedical Engineering Institute, Box 297 Mayo, 420 Delaware Street SE, Minneapolis, MN 55455. Instrument: (2) Bioelectric Impedance Tomographs, Models APT/EIT and Mk3a EIT/APT. Manufacturer: University of Sheffield, United Kingdom. Intended Use: The instruments will be used to produce real time dynamic images of cardiac blood volume changes and to characterize the condition of different tissues such as the lung. Experiments will be conducted on subjects with cardiac problems, in heart failure and with peripheral vascular disease using the data to develop and evaluate simpler instruments using only four electrodes to obtain similar information. Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs: September 2, 1998.

**Gerald A. Zerdy,**

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## COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Meeting

**TIME AND DATE:** 11:00 a.m., Friday, October 30, 1998.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., N.W., Washington, D.C., 9th Floor Conference Room.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Surveillance Matters.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Jean A. Webb, 202-418-5100.

**Jean A. Webb,**

*Secretary of the Commission.*

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## COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Meeting

**TIME AND DATE:** 2:00 p.m., Monday, October 26, 1998.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., N.W., Washington, D.C., 9th Floor Conference Room.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Adjudicatory Matters.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Jean A. Webb, 202-418-5100.

**Jean A. Webb,**

*Secretary of the Commission.*

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## COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Meeting

**TIME AND DATE:** 11:00 a.m., Friday, October 23, 1998.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st., N.W., Washington, D.C., 9th Floor Conference Room.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Surveillance Matters.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Jean A. Webb, 202-418-5100.

**Jean A. Webb,**

*Secretary of the Commission.*

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## COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Meeting

**TIME AND DATE:** 2:00 a.m., Monday, October 19, 1998.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st., N.W., Washington, D.C., 9th Floor Conference Room.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Adjudicatory Matters.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Jean A. Webb, 202-418-5100.

**Jean A. Webb,**

*Secretary of the Commission.*

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