DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
National Park Service

Official Corps of Discovery II Medal

SUMMARY: This notice establishes the official National Park Service symbol with the incorporating words “Corps of Discovery II: 200 Years to the Future” commemorating the Bicentennial Anniversary of the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

DATES: This action is effective June 17, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mark Engler, Interim Superintendent, Corps of Discovery II: 200 Years to the Future, Route 3, Box 47, Beatrice, Nebraska 68310, telephone 402–223–3514.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Park Service has designated an official National Park Service symbol with the words “Corps of Discovery II: 200 Years to the Future” in honor of the Lewis and Clark Expedition Bicentennial Anniversary, 2003–2006. You may obtain a copy of the image incorporating the words “Corps of Discovery II: 200 Years to the Future” from the Interim Superintendent at the address listed above. Notice is given that whoever manufactures, sells, or possesses this symbol embossed image, or any colorable imitation thereof, or any colorable imitation or print, or engraving photograph or print, or impression in the likeness of this symbol, or any colorable imitation thereof, without authorization from the United States Department of the Interior is subject to the penalty provisions of Section 701, Title 18 of the United States Code.

Dated: June 4, 1999.

William W. Schenk,
Regional Director, Midwest Region.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement

Notice of Proposed Information Collection

AGENCY: Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSM) is announcing that the information collection request for 30 CFR Part 778, Permit Applications—Minimum Requirements for Legal, Financial, Compliance, and Related Information, has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and reauthorization. This information collection was previously approved and assigned clearance number 1029–0034. This notice describes the nature of the information collection and the expected burden and cost.

DATES: OMB has up to 60 days to approve or disapprove the information collection but may respond after 30 days. Therefore, public comments should be submitted to OMB by July 19, 1999, in order to be assured of consideration.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request a copy of the information collection request, explanatory information and related form, contact John A. Trelease at (202) 208–2783, or electronically to jtrelease@osmre.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) regulations at 5 CFR 1320, which implement provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13), require that interested members of the public and affected agencies have an opportunity to comment on information collection and recordkeeping activities (see 5 CFR 1320.8(d)). OSM has submitted a request to OMB to renew its approval of the collection of information for 30 CFR Part 778, Permit Applications—Minimum Requirements for Legal, Financial, Compliance, and Related Information. OSM is requesting a 3-year term of approval for this information collection activity.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control number for this collection of information is listed in 30 CFR Part 778, which is 1029–0034.

As required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), a Federal Register notice soliciting comments on the collection of information was published on January 13, 1999 (64 FR 2231). This notice gave the public 60 days in which to comment on the need for the collection of information, the accuracy of the burden estimate, ways to enhance the information collection, and ways to minimize the burden of respondents.

OSM received one comment from an industry group. Although afforded the opportunity, this commenter did not provide any substantive suggestions regarding the need for the collection, accuracy of the estimated burden, or methods to improve the collection. However, the commenter did state that OMB should disapprove the information collection request. OSM published an Interim Final rule on April 21, 1997 (62 FR 19540), which altered regulatory language at 30 CFR Part 778. The commenter stated that, since OSM did not prepare an information collection package with a notice and comment period “OMB should disapprove the ICs [information collections] contained in the IFR [interim final rule], until such time as OSM publishes the ICs in the Federal Register for public comment, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) and OMB regulations.” When it promulgated the IFR on April 21, 1997, OSM explained that the IFR “does not contain collections of information which require approval by [OMB] under [the PRA]. OMB has previously approved the collection activities and assigned clearance numbers. * * *” 62 FR 19450, 19457, 19459 (April 21, 1997). OSM based this statement on the good faith belief that, for PRA purposes, the collections of information contained in the IFR do not represent “material or substantive” modifications to the currently approved collections of information which were associated with the prior ownership and control rules, and therefore, did not require notice and comment from the public, nor OMB approval. (Importantly, the IFR impose no new information requirements on permit applicant’s rather, the IFR actually pose less of a burden to applicants, as they require submission of slightly less, though largely the same information, as the prior permit information rule. Indeed, all of the information called for in Part
778 of the IFR was covered by the currently valid OMB control number associated with the prior rule.) Even if the IFR’s collections of information were material or substantive, OSM’s current renewal effort relative to 30 CFR Part 778 will cure any procedural or technical defects by affording the respondent pool with the same notice and opportunity to comment that would have been provided had OSM submitted the IFR to the PRA’s notice and comment procedures; the notice and comment provisions for renewals are substantially identical to the provisions for collections for information contained in an interim final rule. 5 CFR 1320.10, 120.12. Furthermore, this renewal package reflects all changes in the IFR from the prior permit information rule, so the respondents will have a full and fair opportunity to comment on the collections of information embodied in the IFR. OSM believes that the collections of information contained in the IFR should in any case remain valid pending OMB’s review of the approval package. As required by the PRA, OSM will seek an additional 30-day comment period regarding this information collection activity upon OSM submission of this clearance request to OMB for review. All interested parties will have another opportunity in which to submit substantive comments on the following information collection activity:

Title: Permit Applications—Minimum Requirements for Legal, Financial, Compliance, and Related Information—30 CFR 778.

OMB Control Number: 1029–0034.

Summary: Section 507(b) of P.L. 95–420 provides persons conducting coal mining activities submit to the regulatory authority all relevant information regarding ownership and control of the property affected, their compliance status and history. This information is used to insure all legal, financial and compliance requirements are satisfied prior to issuance or denial of a permit.

Bureau Form Number: None.

Frequency of Collection: Once.

Description of Respondents: Surface coal mining permit applicants and State regulatory authorities.

Total Annual Responses: 420.

Total Annual Burden Hours: 16,261.

Send comments on the need for the collection of information for the performance of the functions of the agency; the accuracy of the agency’s burden estimates; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and ways to minimize the information collection burden on respondents, such as use of automated means of collection of the information, to the following address. Please refer to OMB control number 1029–0034 in all correspondence.

Address: Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Attention: Department of Interior Desk Officer, 725 17th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20503, and to John A. Trelease, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 1951 Constitution Ave, NW, Room 210–SIB, Washington, DC 20240.

Dated: June 14, 1999.

Richard G. Bryson,
Chief, Division of Regulatory Support.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 731–TA–811 (Final)]

Drams of One Megabit and Above From Taiwan


ACTION: Scheduling of the final phase of an antidumping investigation.

SUMMARY: The Commission hereby gives notice of the scheduling of the final phase of antidumping investigation No. 731–TA–811 (Final) under section 735(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677d(b)) (the Act) to determine whether an industry in the United States is materially injured or threatened with material injury, or the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially retarded, by reason of less-than-fair-value imports from Taiwan of dynamic random access memory semiconductors (DRAMs) of one megabit and above, provided for in subheadings 8542.13.80 and 8473.30.10 through 8473.30.90 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States.

For further information concerning the conduct of this phase of the investigation, hearing procedures, and rules of general application, consult the Commission’s rules, the Secretary will maintain a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to the investigation.

Limited Disclosure of Business Proprietary Information (BPI) Under an Administrative Protective Order (APO) and BPI Service List

Pursuant to § 207.7(a) of the Commission’s rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in the final phase of this investigation available to authorized applicants under the APO issued in the investigation, provided that the application is made no later than 21 days prior to the hearing date specified in this notice. Authorized applicants must represent interested