

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 135.251, 135.255, 135.353, and Appendixes I and J to part 121.

*Description of Relief Sought/Disposition:* To permit EAA Chapter 1047 to conduct local sightseeing flights at the Wilson Industrial Center, Wilson, North Carolina, for a one-day open house event in September 2000, for compensation or hire, without complying with certain anti-drug and alcohol misuse prevention requirements of part 135. *Grant, 08/29/00, Exemption No. 7329.*

*Docket No.:* 30185.

*Petitioner:* Dr. Fred A. Collatz, III.

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 135.251, 135.255, 135.353 and Appendixes I and J to part 121.

*Description of Relief Sought/Disposition:* To permit Dr. Collatz to conduct local sightseeing flights in the vicinity of Manchester, Kentucky, for the Clay County Days Festival on August 31, 2000, through September 2, 2000, for compensation or hire, without complying with certain anti-drug and alcohol misuse prevention requirements of part 135. *Grant, 08/31/00, Exemption No. 7331.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

[Summary Notice No. PE- 2000-47]

#### Petitions for Exemption; Summary of Petitions Received; Dispositions of Petitions Issued

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of petitions for exemption received and of dispositions of prior petitions.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to FAA's rulemaking provisions governing the application, processing, and disposition of petitions for exemption (14 CFR Part 11), this notice contains a summary of certain petitions seeking relief from specified requirements of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Chapter I), dispositions of certain petitions previously received, and corrections. The purpose of this notice is to improve the public's awareness of, and participation in, this aspect of FAA's regulatory activities. Neither publication of this notice nor the inclusion or omission of information in the summary is intended to affect the legal status of any petition or its final disposition.

**DATES:** Comments on petitions received must identify the petition docket

number involved and must be received on or before October 8, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments on any petition in triplicate to: Federal Aviation Administration, Office of Chief Counsel, Attn: Rule Docket (AGC-200), Petition Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591.

The petition, any comments received, and a copy of any final disposition are filed in the assigned regulatory docket and are available for examination in the Rules Docket (AGC-200), Room 915G, FAA Headquarters Building (FOB 10A), 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591; (202) 267-3132.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Cherie Jack (202) 267-7271, Forest Rawls (202) 267-8033, or Vanessa Wilkins (202) 267-8029 Office of Rulemaking (ARM-1), Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591.

This notice is published pursuant to paragraphs (c), (e), and (g) § 11.27 of Part 11 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Part 11).

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**Donald P. Byrne,**

Assistant Chief Counsel for Regulations.

#### Dispositions of Petitions

*Docket No.:* 30040.

*Petitioner:* Mr. Kenneth D. Jannereth.

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 121.383(c).

*Description of Relief Sought/*

*Disposition:* To permit Mr. Jannereth to act as a pilot in operations conducted under part 121 after reaching his 60th birthday. *Denial, 09/01/00, Exemption No. 7338.*

*Docket No.:* 30168.

*Petitioner:* Washington Flyers Club (WFC).

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 135.251, 135.255, 135.353, and Appendix I and J to part 121.

*Description of Relief Sought/*

*Disposition:* To permit WFC to conduct local sightseeing flights at Washington County Pennsylvania Airport for a one-day charitable event in September 2000, for compensation or hire, without complying with certain anti-drug and alcohol misuse prevention requirements of part 135. *Grant, 09/06/00, Exemption No. 7334.*

*Docket No.:* 30075.

*Petitioner:* Mr. Joe A. Stamm.

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 135.251, 135.255, 135.353, and Appendixes I and J to part 121.

*Description of Relief Sought/*

*Disposition:* To permit Mr. Stamm to conduct a local sightseeing flight at

Cuyahoga County Airport, Richmond Heights, Ohio, to benefit the Orange Public Schools Foundation, on one day between September 29, 2000, and September 28, 2001, to be determined by Mr. Stamm and the passenger(s), for compensation or hire, without complying with certain anti-drug and alcohol misuse prevention requirements of part 135. *Grant, 09/06/00, Exemption No. 7333.*

*Docket No.:* 31136.

*Petitioner:* Columbiana County Pilots Association.

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 135.251, 135.255, 135.353, and Appendixes I and J to part 121.

*Description of Relief Sought/*

*Disposition:* To permit CCPA to conduct local sightseeing flights at Columbiana County Airport for its one-day Wings-N-Wheels event in September 2000, for compensation or hire, without complying with certain anti-drug and alcohol misuse prevention requirements of part 135. *Grant, 09/06/00, Exemption No. 7332.*

*Docket No.:* 30133.

*Petitioner:* Fullerton Chapter of the Ninety-Nines, Inc.

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 135.251, 135.255, 135.353, and Appendix I and J to part 121.

*Description of Relief Sought/*

*Disposition:* To permit Fullerton Ninety-Nines to conduct local sightseeing flights at Fullerton Municipal Airport, California, for a one-day charitable event in September 2000, for compensation or hire, without complying with certain anti-drug and alcohol misuse prevention requirements of part 135. *Grant, 09/06/00, Exemption No. 7340.*

*Docket No.:* 30153.

*Petitioner:* Mr. Rick Mantei.

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 135.251, 135.255, 135.353, and Appendixes I and J to part 121.

*Description of Relief Sought/*

*Disposition:* To permit Mr. Mantei to conduct local sightseeing flights in the vicinity of Corder, South Carolina, for a one-day charitable event benefiting the local chapter of the Experimental Aircraft Association in September 2000, for compensation or hire, without complying with certain anti-drug and alcohol misuse prevention requirements of part 135. *Grant, 09/08/00, Exemption No. 7342.*

*Docket No.:* 28718.

*Petitioner:* The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company.

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 21.325(b)(3).

*Description of Relief Sought/*

*Disposition:* To permit the issuance of

U.S. export airworthiness approvals for aircraft tires manufactured and located at Goodyear's Bangkok, Thailand, facility. *Grant, 09/07/00, Exemption No. 6682D.*

*Docket No.:* 29509.

*Petitioner:* Michelin Aircraft Tire Corporation.

*Section of the FAR Affected:* 14 CFR 21.325(b)(3).

*Description of Relief Sought/*

*Disposition:* To permit the issuance of U.S. export airworthiness approvals for aircraft tires manufactured and located at Michelin's Nong Khae, Thailand facility. *Grant, 09/07/00, Exemption No. 7099B.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Federal Highway Administration**

**Environmental Impact Statement: Atlanta, GA**

**AGENCY:** Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT).

**ACTION:** Notice of intent.

**SUMMARY:** The FHWA is issuing this notice to advise the public that an environmental impact statement will be prepared for the "Northern Arc," a proposed west-east connector between U.S. 411 in Bartow County, Georgia and S.R. 400 in Forsyth County, Georgia.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Jennifer Giersch, Environmental Coordinator, Federal Highway Administration, Atlanta Federal Center, 61 Forsyth Street, SW., Suite 17T100, Atlanta, GA 30303-3104, Telephone (404) 562-3653; or Mr. Harvey Keeper, State Environmental/Location Engineer, Georgia Department of Transportation, Office of Environment/Location, 3993 Aviation Circle, Atlanta, Georgia 30336, Telephone (404) 699-4400; or Northern Arc Information Line, Telephone (770) 455-1946, Email info@northernarc.com.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The FHWA, in cooperation with the GDOT, will prepare an Environmental Impact

Statement (EIS) on a proposal to construct a four-lane, limited access highway located between U.S. 411 in Bartow County and S.R. 400 in Forsyth County, a distance of approximately 50 miles. The proposed project is necessary to provide a new facility to mitigate existing and projected traffic congestion for west-east traffic on S.R. 20 and other existing facilities in Bartow, Cherokee, and Forsyth Counties.

Letters describing the proposed action and soliciting comments will be sent to appropriate Federal, State, and local agencies. A public hearing will be held and a public notice will be given of the time and place of the hearing.

To ensure that the full range of issues related to this proposed project are addressed and all significant issues identified in the EIS, comments and suggestions are invited from all interested parties. Comments or questions concerning this proposed action should be directed to the FHWA at the address provided above.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Number 20.205, Highway Research, Planning and Construction. Georgia's approved clearinghouse review procedures apply to this program.)

Issued on September 7, 2000.

**Jennifer Giersch,**

*Environmental Coordinator, Atlanta, Georgia.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Federal Transit Administration**

**Over-the-Road Bus Accessibility Program Announcement of Project Selection**

**AGENCY:** Federal Transit Administration, DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Federal Transit Administration (FTA) announces the selection of projects to be funded under the Over-the-road Bus (OTRB) Accessibility Program, authorized by Section 3038 of the Transportation

Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21). The OTRB Accessibility Program makes funds available to private operators of over-the-road buses to help finance the incremental capital and training costs of complying with DOT's over-the-road bus accessibility rule, published in a **Federal Register** Notice on September 24, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The appropriate FTA Regional Administrator for grant-specific issues; or Sue Masselink, Office of Program Management, 202-366-2053 for general information about the OTRB Accessibility Program.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Projects Selected for Fiscal Year 2000 Funding**

In fiscal year 2000, a total of \$7.6 million was requested by 57 applicants: \$5.9 million was requested for intercity fixed-route providers, and \$1.7 million was requested for other providers such as charter, tour, and commuter service providers. A total of \$3.7 million was available for providers of over-the-road services: \$2 million at 90 percent Federal share for providers of intercity fixed-route services and \$1.7 million at 50 percent Federal share for providers of other types of services, such as charter, tour, and commuter. See section 3038 of TEA-21, Pub. L. 105-178 and section 342 of the Department of Transportation and Related Agencies Appropriation Act 2000, Pub. L. 106-69. Project selections were made on a discretionary basis, based on each applicant's responsiveness to statutory project selection criteria, fleet size, and level of funding received last year. Because of the high demand for the funds available to providers of intercity fixed-route service, most applicants received less funding than they requested, although with the exception of some of the applicants that received funding last year, all qualified applicants received some funding. Each of the following 47 awardees, as well as the 10 applicants who were not selected for funding, will receive a letter which explains how funding decisions were made.

Operator	Award amounts		
	Intercity fixed-route	Other	Total
<b>REGION I</b>			
The Arrow Line, Inc, East Hartford, CT .....	\$123,400	\$0	\$123,400
Bonanza Bus Lines, Providence, RI .....	68,900	0	68,900
Concord Trailways, Concord, NH .....	31,300	0	31,300
Peter Pan Bus Lines, Springfield, MA .....	129,700	0	129,700
Edwin J. Pina, Sr. and Sons, Inc., Marstons Mill, PA .....	0	14,250	14,250