

Commercial Service's objective and selection criteria mentioned below.

The Department selects events which it determines to be a leading international trade show appropriate for participation by U.S. exporting firms and promotion in overseas markets by U.S. Embassies and Consulates. Selection does not constitute a guarantee by the U.S. Government of the show's success. Selection is not an endorsement of the show organizer except as to its international buyer activities. Non-selection should not be viewed as a finding that the event will not be successful in the promotion of U.S. exports.

Exclusions: Trade shows that are either first-time or horizontal (non-industry specific) events will not be considered. Annual trade shows will not be selected for this program more than three times in any four-year period (e.g., shows selected for fiscal years 2000, 2001 and 2002 are not eligible for inclusion in this program in fiscal year 2003, but can be considered in subsequent years).

General Selection Criteria

Those events will be selected that, in the judgment of the Department, most clearly meet the following criteria:

(a) **Export Potential:** The products and services to be promoted at the trade show are from U.S. industries that have high export potential, as determined by DOC sources, i.e., best prospects lists and U.S. export statistics (certain industries are rated as priorities by our domestic and international commercial officers in their Country Commercial Guides).

(b) **International Interest:** The trade show meets the needs of a significant number of overseas markets and corresponds to marketing opportunities as identified by the posts in their Country Commercial Guides (e.g. best prospect lists). Previous international attendance at the show may be used as an indicator.

(c) **Scope of the Show:** The trade show offers a broad spectrum of U.S.-made products and/or services for the subject industry. Trade shows with a majority of United States businesses, as defined in 15 U.S.C. 4724, will be given preference.

(d) **Stature of the show:** The trade show is clearly recognized by the industry it covers as a leading event for the promotion of that industry's products and services, both domestically and internationally, and as a showplace for the latest technology or services in that industry or sector.

(e) **Exhibitor Interest:** There is demonstrated interest on the part of U.S.

exhibitors in receiving international business visitors during the trade show. A significant number of these exhibitors should be new-to-export or seeking to expand sales into additional international markets.

(f) **Overseas Marketing:** There has been demonstrated effort made to market prior shows overseas. In addition, the applicant should describe in detail the international marketing program to be conducted for the event, explaining how efforts should increase individual and group international attendance.

(g) **Logistics:** The trade show site, facilities, transportation services, and availability of accommodations are in the stature of an international-class trade show.

(h) **Cooperation:** The applicant demonstrates a willingness to cooperate with the Commercial Service to fulfill the program's goals and to adhere to target dates set out in the MOU and the event timetable, both of which are available from the program office (see "For Further Information" section above on when, where, and how to apply). Past experience in the IBP will be taken into account in evaluating current applications to the program.

Legal Authority: The Commercial Service has the legal authority to enter into the above-mentioned MOU with the show organizer under the provisions of the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act of 1961, as amended (22 U.S.C. 2455(f)). The statutory authority for the Commercial Service to conduct the International Buyer Program is 15 U.S.C. 4724.

The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has approved the information collection requirements of the application to this program under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 (44 U.S.C. 2501 et seq.) (OMB Control No. 0625-0151). Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no person is required to respond to nor shall a person be subject to a penalty for failure to comply with a collection of information subject to the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act unless that collection of information displays a currently valid OMB Control Number.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Navy

Notice of Availability of Inventions for Licensing; Government-Owned Inventions

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, DOD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The inventions listed below are assigned to the United States Government as represented by the Secretary of the Navy and are available for licensing by the Department of the Navy.

The following patents are available for licensing:

U.S. Patent Number 6,038,995:
COMBINED WEDGE-FLAP FOR IMPROVED SHIP POWERING./U.S. Patent Number 6,041,728: SHAPE MEMORY ACTUATOR SYSTEM./U.S. Patent Number 6,053,664: ELASTOMERIC COMPOSITE BUMPER SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ABSORBING HIGH ENERGY IMPACT./U.S. Patent Number 6,055,924: FOIL ASSISTED MARINE TOWING./U.S. Patent Number 6,059,618: VENTILATED OUTBOARD MOTOR-MOUNTED PUMPIET ASSEMBLY./U.S. Patent Number 6,069,101: BORON CARBIDE/SILICON CARBIDE CERAMICS./U.S. Patent Number 6,075,753: SYSTEM FOR SIMULATION OF UNDERWATER EXPLOSION PRESSURE FIELDS./U.S. Patent Number 6,076,480: FUEL STORING WATER BALLAST TANK INTERNALLY STRUCTURED FOR REDUCING RETENTION OF WATER AND OVERBOARD DISCHARGE OF FUEL./U.S. Patent Number 6,080,982: EMBEDDED WEAR SENSORS./U.S. Patent Number 6,082,436: METHOD OF CENTRIFUGALLY CASTING REINFORCED COMPOSITE ARTICLES./U.S. Patent Number 6,097,668: COMPONENT DEPLOYMENT MEANS FOR ICE PENETRATING ACOUSTICS COMMUNICATION RELAY SYSTEM./U.S. Patent Number 6,101,963: RUDDER TAB FOR SUPPRESSION OF TIP VORTEX CAVITATION./U.S. Patent Number 6,105,716: VENTURI MUFFLER HAVING PLURAL NOZZLES./U.S. Patent Number 6,116,328: FABRICATION OF TILE REINFORCED COMPOSITE ARMOR CASTING./U.S. Patent Number 6,127,130: MULTIASSAY METHOD OF DETERMINING THE CONCENTRATIONS OF ANTIGENS AND INTERFERANTS./U.S. Patent Number 6,138,724: SHIPBOARD PAINT DISPENSING SYSTEM./U.S. Patent Number 6,139,648: PRESTRESS IMPOSING TREATMENT OF

MAGNETOSTRICTIVE MATERIAL.// U.S. Patent Number 6,150,974: INFRARED TRANSPARENT RADAR ANTENNA.//U.S. Patent Number Re. 36,979: SURFACE CONFORMING FLEXIBLE EDDY CURRENT PROBE FOR SCANNING VARYING SURFACE CONTOURS.//U.S. Patent Number 6,159,060: PROTECTIVE SHROUDING WITH DEBRIS DIVERTING INFLOW VANES FOR PUMP-JET PROPULSION UNIT.//U.S. Patent Number 6,164,411: SUPPRESSION OF ACOUSTIC CAVITY RESONANCE INDUCED BY FLUID FLOW.//U.S. Patent Number 6,170,422: ATTACHMENT OF EQUIPMENT TO COMPOSITE SANDWICH CORE STRUCTURES.//U.S. Patent Number 6,171,159: STEERING AND BACKING SYSTEMS FOR WATERJET CRAFT WITH UNDERWATER DISCHARGE.// U.S. Patent Number 6,172,510: SYSTEM FOR DETECTION OF FLAWS BY USE OF MICROWAVE RADIATION.//U.S. Patent Number 6,174,688: MULTIASSAY METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE CONCENTRATIONS OF ANTIGENS AND INTERFERANTS.//U.S. Patent Number 6,176,943: PROCESSING TREATMENT OF AMORPHOUS MAGNETOSTRICTIVE WIRES.//U.S. Patent Number 6,182,495: TEST MACHINE FOR SIMULATION OF SHOCK WAVE INDUCED MOTION.// U.S. Patent Number 6,189,475: PROPELLED CABLE FAIRING.//U.S. Patent Number 6,192,541: DYNAMIC RAMP INTERFACE SYSTEM.//U.S. Patent Number 6,196,107: EXPLOSIVE CONTAINMENT DEVICE.//U.S. Patent Number 6,207,065: INTEGRATED LIQUID DISCHARGE SYSTEM.//U.S. Patent Number 6,208,268: VEHICLE PRESENCE, SPEED AND LENGTH DETECTING SYSTEM AND ROADWAY INSTALLED DETECTOR THEREFOR.// U.S. Patent Number 6,213,021: ELECTROMAGNETIC SEA MINE DETONATION SYSTEM.//U.S. Patent Number 6,227,139: CONTROL TAB ASSISTED LIFT REDUCING SYSTEM FOR UNDERWATER HYDROFOIL SURFACE.//U.S. Patent Number 6,229,762: ACOUSTIC SENSOR FOR A POINT IN SPACE.//U.S. Patent Number: 6,235,541: PATTERNING ANTIBODIES ON A SURFACE.

ADDRESSES: Requests for copies of the patents cited should be directed to: Naval Surface Warfare Center Carderock Division, Code 0117, 9500 MacArthur Boulevard, West Bethesda, MD 20817-5700, and must include the patent number.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Navy

Notice of Availability of Government-Owned Invention; Available for Licensing

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, DOD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Navy hereby gives notice of the general availability of exclusive or partially exclusive licenses under the following pending patent. Any license granted shall comply with 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR part 404. Applications will be evaluated utilizing the following criteria: (1) Ability to manufacture and market the technology; (2) manufacturing and marketing ability; (3) time required to bring technology to market and production rate; (4) royalties; (5) technical capabilities; and (6) small business status.

Patent application Serial Number 09/747,521 entitled "Methods for Protection Against Lethal Infection with Bacillus Anthracis" filed 21 December 2000. The present invention relates to the use selected genes from the pathogen Bacillus anthracis for constructing a plasmid or DNA-based vaccine which can be used to immunize susceptible hosts against the pathogenic effects of B. anthracis infection. Moreover, the invention describes the protective effects of immunization with DNA constructs encoding the Protective Antigen (PA) or the Lethal Factor (LF) and mutants thereof. Most importantly, the invention describes the complete protection of hosts following co-immunization of a host with PA and LF demonstrating a surprising synergistic effect. Lastly, the invention teaches the use of the synergistic effect of PA and/or LF genes for use as a general adjuvant for co-immunization with other DNA or protein based vaccines.

DATES: Applications for an exclusive or partially exclusive license may be submitted at any time from the date of this notice.

ADDRESSES: The Office of Technology Transfer, Naval Medical Research Center, 503 Robert Grant Ave., Silver Spring, MD 20910-7500, telephone (301) 319-7428.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education; Title I, Part C—Education of Migratory Children

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice of funding level for fiscal year (FY) 2001 consortium incentive grants available under Part C of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

SUMMARY: The Assistant Secretary for Elementary and Secondary Education reserves \$2,300,000 for FY 2001 consortium incentive grant awards authorized under section 1308(d) of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965. (The FY 2001 Appropriations Act for the Department (P.L. 106-554) authorizes the Department to reserve up to \$3,000,000 for these grant awards, notwithstanding the \$1,500,000 ceiling in the authorizing statute). State educational agencies (SEAs) operating Migrant Education Programs (MEPs) are the only eligible entities for this formula grant program. Criteria for an SEA's receipt of consortium incentive grants were published in the **Federal Register** on April 8, 1996 (61 FR 15670).

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