

With the approval of the chairmen, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section. Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Surface Transportation Board

[Finance Docket No. 34079]

San Jacinto Rail Limited—Construction Exemption—and The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company—Operation Exemption—Build-Out to the Bayport Loop Near Houston, Harris County, TX

AGENCY: Surface Transportation Board, DOT.

ACTION: Thirty day extension on comment period of the scope of the Environmental Impact Statement.

SUMMARY: Comments on the scope of the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to be prepared by the Surface Transportation Board's Section of Environmental Analysis (SEA) in this proceeding were due on February 1, 2002. In response to written requests for an extension of the comment period, SEA is advising all interested persons that the comment period will be extended for a period of 30 days. Comments are now due on March 14, 2002.

SEA believes the extension is appropriate to provide the public sufficient opportunity to raise issues pertinent to scoping. Specifically, comments stated that an extension of the comment period is needed for potentially affected community members to explore alternatives to the proposed route. SEA recognizes that the examination of alternatives is a central consideration of the EIS, and the identification of alternatives is an important part of the scoping process. Thus, a 30-day extension of the comment period furthers the goals of the EIS process without introducing needless delay into the agency's environmental review.

SEA strongly encourages that comments be submitted in writing.

However, for parties in circumstances where submission of written comments may be impractical, parties may also submit oral comments to the toll-free number for this project at 1-888-229-7857. Persons submitting oral comments are invited to make their comments in Spanish, as well as English.

DATES: The time for filing comments on the scope of the EIS has been extended to March 14, 2002.

FLILING ENVIRONMENTAL COMMENTS:

Interested persons and agencies are invited to participate in the EIS scoping process. A signed original and 10 copies of comments should be submitted to: Office of the Secretary, Case Control Unit, STB Finance Docket No. 34079, Surface Transportation Board, 1925 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 20423-0001.

To ensure proper handling of your comments, you must mark your submission: Attention: Dana White, Section of Environmental Analysis, Environmental Filing.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Dana White, Section of Environmental Analysis, Surface Transportation Board, 1925 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 20423-0001, or SEA's toll-free number for this project at 1-888-229-7857 (TDD for the hearing impaired 1-800-877-8339). The website for the Surface Transportation Board is www.stb.dot.gov.

By the Board, Victoria Rutson, Chief, Section of Environmental Analysis.

Vernon A. Williams,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). Currently, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms within the Department of the Treasury is

soliciting comments concerning the Application for Certification/Exemption of Label/Bottle Approval Under the Federal Alcohol Administration Act.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before April 15, 2002 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Linda Barnes, 650 Massachusetts Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20226, (202) 927-8930.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the form(s) and instructions should be directed to Bill Moore, Alcohol Labeling and Formulation Division, 650 Massachusetts Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20226, (202) 927-8450.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Application for Certification/Exemption of Label/Bottle Approval Under the Federal Alcohol Administration Act.

OMB Number: 1512-0092.

Form Number: ATF 5100.31.

Abstract: ATF administers the Federal Alcohol Administration Act and its implementing regulations. The law and regulations provide, in part, standards and guidelines for the labeling of alcohol beverages. Under the law and regulations, U.S. bottlers and importers cannot bottle or import alcohol beverages without a certificate of label approval. To obtain approval, U.S. bottlers and importers must complete ATF F 5100.31.

Current Actions: ATF F 5100.31 has been revised in part to accommodate future electronic filing of applications for Certificates of Label Approval. The front of the form has been changed to include item 1. REP. ID. NO., item 8. E-MAIL ADDRESS, item 13. WINE APPELLATION IF ON LABEL, and item 17d. (formerly item 16.) RESUBMISSION AFTER REJECTION. One of the more significant changes to the front of the form is the elimination of the vendor code. The back of the form was completely changed. Following plain language guidelines, the instructions for completing the form and conditions of approval were reformatted. The conditions under which approved labels may be modified were changed to allow the deletion of any nonmandatory label information without submission of a new application for certificate of label approval. There is an increase in burden hours due to an increase in respondents. The recordkeeping requirements for this information collection is 3 years.

Type of Review: Revision.