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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Research and Special Programs Administration

Office of Hazardous Materials Safety; Notice of Delays in Processing of Exemption Applications

AGENCY: Research and Special Programs Administration, DOT.

ACTION: List of applications delayed more than 180 days.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the requirements of 49 U.S.C. 5117(c), RSPA is publishing the following list of

exemption applications that have been in process for 180 days or more. The reason(s) for delay and the expected completion date for action on each application is provided in association with each identified application.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: R. Ryan Posten, Exemptions Program Officer Hazardous Materials Exemptions and Approvals, Research and Special Programs Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590-0001, (202) 366-4535.

Key to "Reasons for Delay"

1. Awaiting additional information from applicant.
2. Extensive public comment under review.

3. Application is technically complex and is of significant impact or precedent-setting and requires extensive analysis.

4. Staff review delayed by other priority issues or volume of exemption applications.

Meaning of Application Number Suffixes

- N—New application.
- M—Modification request.
- PM—Party to application with modification request.

Issued in Washington, DC, on December 20, 2002.

R. Ryan Posten,
Exemptions Program Officer, Office of Hazardous Materials Exemptions and Approvals.

NEW EXEMPTION APPLICATIONS

Application No.	Applicant	Reason for delay	Estimated date of completion
11862-N	The BOC Group, Murray Hill, NJ	4	03/31/2003
11927-N	Alaska Marine Lines, Inc., Seattle, WA	4	01/31/2003
12381-N	Ideal Chemical & Supply Co., Memphis, TN	3	05/31/2003
12412-N	Great Western Chemical Company, Portland, OR	3	05/31/2003
12440-N	Luxfer Inc., Riverside, CA	1	05/31/2003
12648-N	Stress Engineering Services, Inc., Houston, TX	4	02/28/2003
12701-N	Fuel Cell Components & Integrators, Inc., Hauppauge, NY	1	01/31/2003
12706-N	Raufoss Composites AS, Raufoss, NO	1, 3	03/31/2003
12715-N	Arkansas Eastman Division, Eastman Chemical Co., Batesville, AR	4	01/31/2003
12718-N	Weldship Corporation, Bethlehem, PA	4	01/31/2003
12751-N	Defense Technology Corporation, Casper, WY	4	01/31/2003
12859-N	Atlantic Research Corporation, Gainesville, VA	4	03/31/2003
12867-N	G.L.I. Citergaz, 964 Civray, FR	1	03/31/2003
12902-N	C&S Railroad Corp., Jim Thorpe, PA	4	01/31/2003
12941-N	The Neiman Marcus Group, Longview, TX	4	01/31/2003
12950-N	Walnut Industries, Inc., Bensalem, PA	4	01/31/2003
12960-N	International Fuel Cells, South Windsor, CT	4	03/31/2003
12973-N	Viking Packing Specialist, Tulsa, OK	4	03/31/2003
12988-N	Air Products & Chemicals, Inc., Allentown, PA	1	05/31/2003
12990-N	Technifab Products, Inc., Brazil, IN	4	01/31/2003
12991-N	General Plastics Manufacturing Company, Tacoma, WA	4	01/31/2003
12998-N	Safety-Kleen Services, Inc., Columbia, SC	4	01/31/2003
12999-N	Safety-Kleen Services, Inc., Columbia, SC	4	01/31/2003
13001-N	The J.C. Smith Co., San Saba, TX	1	03/31/2003
4453-M	Dyno Nobel, Inc., Salt Lake City, UT	4	12/31/2002
4884-M	Matheson Tri-Gas, East Rutherford, NJ	4	01/31/2003
7060-M	Federal Express, Memphis, TN	4	01/31/2003
7277-M	Structural Composites Industries, Pomona, CA	3	02/28/2003
8162-M	Structural Composites Industries, Pomona, CA	3	02/28/2003
8718-M	Structural Composites Industries, Pomona, CA	3	02/28/2003
8723-M	Dyno Nobel, Inc., Salt Lake City, UT	1	01/31/2003
10019-M	Structural Composites Industries, Pomona, CA	3,4	02/28/2003
10751-M	Dyno Nobel, Inc., Salt Lake City, UT	4	01/31/2003
10882-M	Espar Products, Inc., Mississauga, Ontario L5T 1Z8, CN	4	01/31/2003
11194-M	Carleton Technologies Inc., Pressure Technology Div., Glen Burnie, MD	4	01/31/2003
11327-M	Phoenix Services, Inc., Pasadena, MD	4	03/31/2003
11537-M	JCI Jones Chemicals, Inc., Milford, VA	3	05/31/2003
11579-M	Dyno Nobel, Inc., Salt Lake City, UT	1	01/31/2003
11769-M	Great Western Chemical Company, Portland, OR	3	03/31/2003
11769-M	Great Western Chemical Company, Portland, OR	3	03/31/2003
11769-M	Hydrite Chemical Company, Brookfield, WI	3	03/31/2003
11791-M	The Coleman Company, Inc., Wichita, KS	4	01/31/2003
11850-M	Air Transport Association, Washington, DC	4	01/31/2003
11911-M	Transfer Flow, Inc., Chico, CA	3	05/31/2003
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12065-M	Petrolab Company, Latham, NY	4	05/31/2003
12443-M	Dow Reichhold Specialty Latex, LLC, Chickamauga, GA	4	01/31/2003
12449-M	Chlorine Service Company, Inc., Kingwood, TX	4	01/31/2003

NEW EXEMPTION APPLICATIONS—Continued

Application No.	Applicant	Reason for delay	Estimated date of completion
12599-M	Voltaix, Inc., North Branch, NJ	4	01/31/2003
12866-M	Delta Air Lines (Technical Operations Center), Atlanta, GA	4	01/31/2003

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Fiscal Service

Surety Companies Acceptable on Federal Bonds: Berkley Regional Insurance Company

AGENCY: Financial Management Service, Fiscal Service, Department of the Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is Supplement No. 4 to the Treasury Department Circular 570; 2002 Revision, published July 1, 2002, at 67 FR 44294.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Surety Bond Branch at (202) 874-6915.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: A Certificate of Authority as an acceptable surety on Federal bonds is hereby issued to the following Company under 31 U.S.C. 9304 to 9308. Federal bond-approving officers should annotate their reference copies of the Treasury Circular 570, 2002 Revision, on page 44301 to reflect this addition:

Company Name: Berkley Regional Insurance Company. *Business Address:* 7273 East Butherus Drive, Scottsdale, AZ 85260. *Phone:* (203) 629-3000.

Underwriting Limitation b/: \$16,283,000. *Surety Licenses c/:* AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CT, CO, DE, DC, FL, GA, HI, ID, IL, IN, IA, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI, WY. *Incorporated in:* Delaware.

Certificates of Authority expire on June 30 each year, unless revoked prior to that date. The Certificates are subject to subsequent annual renewal as long as the companies remain qualified (31 CFR Part 223). A list of qualified companies is published annually as of July 1 in Treasury Department Circular 570, with details as to underwriting limitations, areas in which licensed to transact surety business and other information.

The Circular may be viewed and downloaded through the Internet at <http://www.fms.treas.gov/c570>. A hard copy may be purchased from the Government Printing Office (GPO)

Subscription Service, Washington, DC, Telephone (202) 512-1800. When ordering the Circular from GPO, use the following stock number: 769-004-04067-1.

Questions concerning this Notice may be directed to the U.S. Department of the Treasury, Financial Management Service, Financial Accounting and Services Division, Surety Bond Branch, 3700 East-West Highway, Room 6F07, Hyattsville, MD 20782.

Dated: December 24, 2002.

Wanda Rogers,

Director, Financial Accounting and Services Division, Financial Management Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Fiscal Service

Surety Companies Acceptable on Federal Bonds: Ohio Indemnity Company

AGENCY: Financial Management Service, Fiscal Service, Department of the Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is Supplement No. 5 to the Treasury Department Circular 570; 2002 Revision, published July 1, 2002, at 67 FR 44294.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Surety Bond Branch at (202) 874-6507.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: A Certificate of Authority as an acceptable surety on Federal bonds is hereby issued to the following Company under 31 U.S.C. 9304 to 9308. Federal bond-approving officers should annotate their reference copies of the Treasury Circular 570, 2002 Revision, on page 44322 to reflect this addition:

Ohio Indemnity Company. Business Address: 250 East Broad Street, 10th Floor, Columbus, OH 43215. *Phone:* (614) 228-2000. *Underwriting Limitation b/:* \$2,963,000. *Surety Licenses c/:* AL, AZ, AR, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, IL, IN, IA, KS, KY, ME, MD, MI, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ, NY, NC, ND, OH, OR, PA, RI, SC, SD, UT, VT, VA, WA, WV, WI, WY. *Incorporated in:* Ohio.

Certificates of Authority expire on June 30 each year, unless revoked prior to that date. The Certificates are subject to subsequent annual renewal as long as the companies remain qualified (31 CFR Part 223). A list of qualified companies is published annually as of July 1 in Treasury Department Circular 570, with details as to underwriting limitations, areas in which licensed to transact surety business and other information.

The Circular may be viewed and downloaded through the Internet at <http://www.fms.treas.gov/c570/index.html>. A hard copy may be purchased from the Government Printing Office (GPO) Subscription Service, Washington, DC, Telephone (202) 512-1800. When ordering the Circular from GPO, use the following stock number: 769-004-04067-1.

Questions concerning this Notice may be directed to the U.S. Department of the Treasury, Financial Management Service, Financial Accounting and Services Division, Surety Bond Branch, 3700 East-West Highway, Room 6F07, Hyattsville, MD 20782.

Dated: December 24, 2002.

Wanda J. Rogers,

Director, Financial Accounting and Services Division, Financial Management Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Internal Revenue Service

Proposed Collection; Comment Request for Form 8885

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

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, Pub. L. 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). Currently, the IRS is soliciting comments concerning Form 8885,