

Telechoice, Dallas, TX; Tony Fisch Consulting, Los Angeles, CA; Wandl Inc., Bound Brook, NJ; and Yipes, San Francisco, CA have been added as parties to this venture.

Also, AirFiber, San Diego, CA; American Management Systems, Fairfax, VA; Array Networks, Campbell, CA; Convedia Corporation, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada; Eureka Soft, Cedex, France; Kabira Technologies, San Rafael, CA; Olsen Consulting, Staten Island, NY; Pingtel, Woburn, MA; and Polycom Inc., Pleasanton, CA have been dropped as parties to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and SCC intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On February 4, 2003, SCC filed its original notification pursuant to section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on May 16, 2003 (68 FR 26649).

**Constance K. Robinson,**

*Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—VSI Alliance

Notice is hereby given that, on July 9, 2003, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), VSI Alliance has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership status. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Luciano Agostini (individual member), Pelotas, Brazil; Bill Ashely (individual member), Seattle, WA; Don Bouldin (individual member), Knoxville, TN; Liang T. Chen (individual member), Menlo Park, CA; Cira Nova, Inc., Campbell, CA; Dolphin Technology, Inc., San Jose, CA; Fraunhofer IPMS, Dresden, Germany; GDA Telechonogies, Inc., Bangalore, India; Stewart Goudie (individual member), Edinburgh, Scotland, United Kingdom; Diethard Mahorka (individual

member), Melk, Austria; Gary Panzer (individual member), Alta Loma, CA; Cyril Rayan (individual member), San Jose, CA; Renesas Technology Corp., Tokyo, Japan; Pratul Shroff (individual member), Santa Clara, CA; Jorge Sitkewich (individual number), Los Gatos, CA; Telecom Italia S.p.A., Torino, Italy; VCX Limited, Livingston, Scotland, United Kingdom; and WIS Technologies, Inc., San Jose, CA have been added as parties to this venture.

Also, Acuid Limited, Edinburgh, Scotland, United Kingdom; Alatek, Inc., Las Vegas, NV; ATI Technologies, Inc., Markham, Ontario, Canada; CoWare, Inc., San Jose, CA; Cypress Semiconductor, Inc., San Jose, CA; Fraunhofer Institute IMS, Dresden, Germany; Fujitsu Limited, Tokoyo, Japan; Jeda Technologies, Los Altos, CA; Susan Harrison (individual member), Palo Alto, CA; Hitachi Semiconductor America, Tokyo, Japan; Improv Systems, Inc., San Jose, CA; LogicVision, Inc., San Jose, CA; LSI Systems, Inc., Kawasaki-city, Japan; Mitsubishi Electric Corporation, Itami, Japan; Silicon Design Solutions, Inc., Milpitas, CA; Telecom Italia Lab (TILAB) Torino, Italy; The Athena Group, Inc., Gainesville, FL; and Virtual Component Exchange, Livingston, Scotland, United Kingdom have been dropped as parties to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and VSI Alliance intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On November 29, 1996, VSI Alliance filed its original notification pursuant to section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on March 4, 1997 (62 FR 9812).

The last notification was filed with the Department on April 8, 2003. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on May 14, 2003 (68 FR 25906).

**Constance K. Robinson,**

*Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.*

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## NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

### National Endowment for the Arts

#### Combined Arts Advisory Panel— Notice of Change

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that the open session for the meeting of the Combined Arts Advisory Panel, Multidisciplinary section (Creativity category) to the National Council on the Arts previously announced for August 1, 2003 from 11 a.m.–12 p.m. has been changed. The open session will instead be held from 10:10 a.m.–11:30 a.m.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Kathy Plowitz-Worden, Office of Guidelines & Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC 20506, or call 202/682-5691.

Dated: July 22, 2003.

**Kathy Plowitz-Worden,**

*Panel Coordinator, Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts.*

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Review; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

**ACTION:** Notice of the OMB review of information collection and solicitation of public comment.

**SUMMARY:** The NRC has recently submitted to OMB for review the following proposal for the collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). The NRC hereby informs potential respondents that an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and that a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

1. *Type of submission, new, revision, or extension:* Revision.

2. *The title of the information collection:* "Nuclear Material Events Database (NMED)" for the Collection of Event Report, Response, Analyses, and Follow-up Data on Events Involving the Use of Atomic Energy Act (AEA) Radioactive Byproduct Material.

3. *The form number if applicable:* Not applicable.

4. *How often the collection is required:* Monthly or within 30 days of receipt from licensee. Events that pose significant health and safety hazards—within the next working day of notification by an Agreement States licensee.

5. *Who will be required or asked to report:* Current Agreement States and any State receiving Agreement State status in the future.

6. *An estimate of the number of annual responses:* 620.

7. *The estimated number of annual respondents:* 32.

8. *An estimate of the total number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request:* 1,240 hours (an average of approximately 2.0 hours per response) for all existing Agreement States reporting; any new Agreement State would add approximately 19 event reports (including follow-up reports) per year or 38 burden hours.

9. *An indication of whether Section 3507(d), Pub. L. 104-13 applies:* N/A.

10. *Abstract:* NRC regulations require NRC licensees to report incidents and events involving the use of radioactive byproduct material, and source material, such as those involving radiation overexposures, leaking or contaminated sealed source(s), release of excessive contamination of radioactive material, lost or stolen radioactive material, equipment failures, abandoned well logging sources and medical events. Agreement State licensees are also required to report these events to their individual Agreement State regulatory authorities under compatible Agreement State regulations. NRC is requesting that the Agreement States provide information on the initial notification, response actions, and follow-up investigations on events involving the use of nuclear materials regulated pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act. The event information should be provided in a uniform electronic format, for assessment and identification of any facilities/site specific or generic safety concerns that could have the potential to impact public health and safety. The identification and review of safety concerns may result in proposals for changes or revisions to technical or regulatory designs, processes, standards, guidance or requirements.

A copy of the final supporting statement may be viewed free of charge at the NRC Public Document Room, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Room O-1 F21, Rockville, MD 20852. OMB clearance requests are available at the NRC worldwide Web site: <http://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/>

[doc-comment/omb/index.html](http://www.nrc.gov/doc-comment/omb/index.html). The document will be available on the NRC home page site for 60 days after the signature date of this notice.

Comments and questions should be directed to the OMB reviewer listed below by August 27, 2003. Comments received after this date will be considered if it is practical to do so, but assurance of consideration cannot be given to comments received after this date. Bryon Allen, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (3150-0163), NEOB-10202, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

Comments can also be submitted by telephone at (202) 395-3087.

The NRC Clearance Officer is Brenda Jo Shelton, 301-415-7233.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 21st day of July, 2003.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**Brenda Jo Shelton,**

*NRC Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## **NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**[Docket No. 040-00044]**

### **Notice of Consideration of Request for License Termination of Rolls-Royce Corporation License and Release of Its Facility In Indianapolis, IN; Amendment and Opportunity to Provide Comments and Request a Hearing**

**ACTION:** Notice of consideration of amendment request to terminate Source Material License No. STB-204 and release of facility for unrestricted use.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Peter J. Lee, Division of Nuclear Materials Safety, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region III, 801 Warrenville Road, Lisle, Illinois 60532-4351; telephone (630) 829-9870 or by e-mail at [pjl2@nrc.gov](mailto:pjl2@nrc.gov).

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **I. Introduction**

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is considering the issuance of an amendment to Rolls-Royce Corporation (Rolls-Royce) Source Material License No. STB-204, to terminate the License and release its facility located at 2355 South Tibbs Avenue in Indianapolis, Indiana, for unrestricted use. The site was initially licensed under the name of General Motors Corporation, Allison Division.

Other names on the license were Allison Gas Turbine Division, General Motors Corporation, and Allison Engine Company, Inc., prior to the license being amended to Rolls-Royce in February 2003. In December 1956, a license was approved for the fabrication of aircraft components made of magnesium alloy containing not to exceed 4 percent by weight of thorium. Fabrication of aircraft parts containing thorium continued until 1989. In 1994, the license was amended to allow possession incident to storage only for the licensed materials. On December 3, 2002, Rolls-Royce submitted its request to the NRC to terminate its license.

The NRC staff has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) in support of this licensing action in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR Part 51. The conclusion of the EA is a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) for the proposed licensing action.

#### **II. EA Summary**

The staff has examined Rolls-Royce's request and the information that the licensee has provided in support of its request, including the surveys performed by Rolls Royce to demonstrate compliance with 10 CFR 20.1402, "Radiological Criteria for Unrestricted Use," to ensure that the NRC's decision is protective of the public health and safety and the environment. All machining operations for the fabrication of aircraft parts containing thorium were conducted under "wet conditions," meaning drilling, grinding, burring, etc., were performed with the castings under oil/liquid coolants intended to prevent potential fires. This industry-wide method of machining not only prevents potential fires, it prevents contamination from airborne thorium dust. The thoriated magnesium cuttings, turnings, scraps, coolants, and clean-up debris were collected and sent off-site to a low-level radioactive waste disposal site.

The licensee's final status survey did not show any residual contamination in the facility. Therefore, the staff has determined that there will be no environmental impacts associated with the release for unrestricted use of the Rolls-Royce Corporation facility.

#### **III. Finding of No Significant Impact**

The staff has prepared the EA (summarized above) in support of Rolls-Royce's proposed license amendment to release the Indianapolis facility for unrestricted use. On the basis of the EA, the staff has concluded that the environmental impacts from the