

Total Annual Burden: 800 hours.

Total Annual Cost: \$1,610,350.

Privacy Act Impact Assessment: N/A.

Needs and Uses: FCC Form 305 is to be used to apply for authority to assign an Multipoint Distribution Service (MDS) Authorization pursuant to 47 CFR 21.11, 21.38 and 21.39. The data is used by FCC staff to determine if the applicant is qualified to become a Commission licensee or permittee and to carry out the statutory provisions of section 310(d) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

The Commission is now revising FCC Form 305 to request additional information to complete the Universal Licensing System (ULS) data elements since MDS/Instructional Television Fixed Service (ITFS) has been implemented into ULS. Additional information such as the licensee's e-mail address, fax number, type of applicant, contact's e-mail address and fax number will be added to this collection. There will also be clarification of data elements, instructions and corrections of mailing addresses and Web sites.

There is no change to the estimated average burden or number of respondents.

Federal Communications Commission.

Marlene H. Dortch,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket No. 97-90; CCB/CPD File No. 97-12; DA 04-2055]

Requests of US West Communications, Inc. for Interconnection Cost Adjustment Mechanisms; Petition for Declaratory Ruling and Contingent Petition for Preemption

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: By this Order, the Wireline Competition Bureau dismisses without prejudice a joint Petition for Declaratory Ruling and Contingent Petition for Preemption filed by Electric Lightwave, Inc., McLeod USA Telecommunications Services, Inc., and NEXTLINE Communications, L.L.C. (Petitioners) asking the Commission to declare that the Interconnection Cost Adjustment Mechanism (ICAM) surcharges proposed by US West (now Qwest) violate the Communications Act of

1934, as amended. The petition is dismissed without prejudice unless any interested party comments within 30 days that there is still a genuine dispute that remains to be resolved.

DATES: Comments are due: September 29, 2004. Reply comments are due: October 14, 2004.

ADDRESSES: All filings must be sent to the Commission's Secretary, Marlene H. Dortch, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, Room TW-A325, 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. Filings may also be submitted using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS) by sending an electronic file via the Internet to <http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/ecfs/>. Filings should reference CC Docket No. 97-90.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Julie Saulnier, Wireline Competition Bureau, Pricing Policy Division, (202) 418-1530.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Order dismisses without prejudice joint Petitioners' request that the Commission declare that the ICAM surcharges proposed by US West (now Qwest) in each of the fourteen states in which it provides telecommunications services violate the cost-based interconnection standards of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. The Order also dismisses Petitioners' request that the Commission initiate proceedings to preempt any state commission action allowing US West to implement ICAM surcharges. Qwest never pursued recovery of interconnection costs through ICAM surcharges, instead recovering them through a separate unbundled network element operations support system charge or a local interconnection service charge. Therefore, there appears to be no remaining controversy, and the petition is dismissed without prejudice unless any interested party provides notice within 30 days that there is still a genuine dispute that remains to be resolved.

This is a summary of the Bureau's Order in CC Docket No. 97-90, adopted on July 9, 2004. The complete text of the Order is available for public inspection Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. in the Commission's Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau, Reference Information Center, Room CY-A257, 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. The complete text is available also on the Commission's Internet site at <http://www.fcc.gov>. Alternative formats are available to persons with disabilities by contacting Brian Millin at (202) 418-7426 or TTY (202) 418-7365. The

complete text of the Order may be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor, Best Copying and Printing, Inc., Room CY-B402, 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554, telephone (202) 488-5300, facsimile (202) 488-5563 or e-mail at <http://www.bcpweb.com>.

Federal Communications Commission

Jeffrey J. Carlisle,

Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The application also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than September 24, 2004.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of

Minneapolis (Jacqueline G. Nicholas, Community Affairs Officer) 90 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291:

1. *Timberland Bancorp*, Baxter, Minnesota; to become a bank holding

company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Buhl Bancorporation, Inc., Buhl, Minnesota, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of The First National Bank of Buhl, Buhl, Minnesota.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, August 25, 2004.

Robert deV. Frierson,
Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Meeting of the National Vaccine Advisory Committee; Public Participation Working Group

AGENCY: Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Secretary.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) is hereby giving notice that the Public Participation Working Group of the National Vaccine Advisory Committee (NVAC) will hold a meeting. The purpose of this meeting is to provide the Working Group with an overview of different public engagement models and to learn how these models might be applied in developing a public engagement model for vaccine policy issues. The meeting is open to the public.

DATES: The meeting will be held on September 13, 2004, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and on September 14, 2004, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Department of Health and Human Services; Hubert H. Humphrey Building, Room 705A; 200 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20201.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT: Ms. Erika Joyner, Program Analyst, National Vaccine Program Office, Department of Health and Human Services, Room 725H Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20201; (202) 690-5566, ejoyner@osophs.dhhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to Section 2101 of the Public Service Act (42 U.S.C. Section 300aa-1), the Secretary of Health and Human Services was mandated to establish the National Vaccine Program (NVP) to achieve optimal prevention of human infectious diseases through immunization and to achieve optimal prevention against adverse reactions to vaccines. The Secretary designated the Assistant Secretary for Health to serve as the

Director, NVPO. The National Vaccine Advisory Committee (NVAC) was established to provide advice and make recommendations to the Director, NVPO, on matters related to the program's responsibilities. A Public Participation Working Group has been established to assess how to enhance public engagement in vaccine policy issues.

A number of Federal models for enhancing public engagement will be examined. A tentative agenda will be made available on or about September 6 for review on the NVAC Web site: <http://www.hhs.gov/nvpo/nvac>.

Public attendance at the meeting is limited to space available. Individuals must provide a photo ID for entry into the Humphrey Building. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should notify the designated contact person. Members of the public will have the opportunity to provide comments at the meeting. Public comment will be limited to five minutes per speaker. Preregistration is required for both public attendance and comment. Any individual who wishes to attend the meeting and/or participate in the public comment session should email ejoyner@osophs.dhhs.gov.

Dated: August 25, 2004.

Bruce Gellin,
Director, National Vaccine Program Office, Executive Secretary, National Vaccine Advisory Committee.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Government-owned Inventions; Availability for Licensing and Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs)

AGENCY: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Technology Transfer Office, Department of Health and Human Services.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The invention named in this notice is owned by agencies of the United States Government and is available for licensing in the United States (U.S.) in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 207, and is available for cooperative research and development agreements (CRADAs) in accordance

with 15 U.S.C. 3710, to achieve expeditious commercialization of results of federally funded research and development. U.S. and foreign patent applications are expected to be filed in the near future, to extend market coverage for U.S. companies, and may also be available for licensing.

ADDRESSES: Licensing information may be obtained by writing to Suzanne Seavello Shope, J.D., Technology Licensing and Marketing Scientist, Technology Transfer Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Mailstop K-79, 4770 Buford Highway, Atlanta, GA 30341, telephone (770) 488-8613; facsimile (770) 488-8615; e-mail sshope@cdc.gov. CRADA information, and information related to the technology listed below, may be obtained by writing to Kathleen Goedel, Program Analyst, Technology Transfer Office, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), mailstop R-6, 4676 Columbia Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45226, telephone (513) 841-4560; facsimile (513) 458-7170; or e-mail kgoedel@cdc.gov. A signed Confidential Disclosure Agreement (available under Forms at <http://www.cdc.gov/tto>) will be required to receive copies of unpublished patent applications and other information.

Occupational Safety

Cleansing and Removal Method and Technique for Lead Contaminated Dermal Surfaces

Workplace exposure to toxic metals, (i.e., lead, cadmium, and arsenic) can cause systemic poisoning and are a recognized health threat to thousands of workers in numerous industries. A potentially significant, but often overlooked risk for exposures is hand-to-mouth transfer due to contaminated hands. Other metals of concern include chromium and nickel, which are potential skin sensitizers that can have significant and long-term health consequences for those affected. Prevention of skin exposures should be the primary course of action, but effective removal of metals from skin becomes necessary when dermal exposures cannot be completely controlled, and when the efficacy of handwashing is questionable.

NIOSH/CDC researchers have developed a novel handwipe system for removal of certain toxic metals from the skin. Preliminary research shows that this new approach is highly effective and performs better than traditional handwashing (soap and water) as well as better than other commercial