

13461-N	Request by FIBA Technologies, Inc. Westboro, MA February 15, 2005 To authorize the manufacture, mark, sale and use of non-DOT Specification 3 series and 3T cylinders having one pressure relief device for use in transporting Division 2.1 and 2.2 non-liquefied compressed gases.
13559-N	Request by The Dow Chemical Company Midland, MI December 01, 2004 To authorize an alternative method of testing DOT-Specification 51 portable tanks for use in transporting certain Division 2.2 materials.
13578-N	Request by Scott Specialty Gases, Inc. Plumsteadville, PA September 15, 2004 To authorize the transportation in commerce of certain non-DOT specification inside metal containers similar to a DOT specification 2Q for use in transporting certain Division 2.1 material.
13938-N	Request by Questar, Inc. North Canton, OH January 21, 2005 To authorize the manufacture, mark, sale and use of corrugated fiberboard boxes for use as the outer packaging for lab pack applications.
14009-N	Request by United States Can Company Elgin, IL March 02, 2005 To authorize the transportation in commerce of DOT-2Q receptacles with an alternative wall thickness for use in transporting ORM-D, Division 2.1 and Division 2.2.
13576-N	Request by Scott Specialty Gases, Inc. Plumsteadville, PA September 15, 2004 To authorize the transportation in commerce of certain compressed gases in DOT specification 2Q containers.
13579-N	Request by Scott Specialty Gases, Inc. Plumsteadville, PA September 15, 2004 To authorize the transportation in commerce of certain Division 2.2 compressed gases in DOT specification 2Q containers.
13226-N	Request by FMC Corporation Buffalo, NY April 24, 2003 Emergency request to authorize the transportation in commerce of calcium peroxide which meet the criteria for PG I to be packaged in UN4G drums meeting the PG II performance level.
13255-N	Request by Bowgen Fuel Systems, Inc. Springfield, MO June 20, 2003 Emergency request to authorize the transportation in commerce of Compressed Natural Gas in alternative packaging.
13386-N	Request by Quad County Corn Processors Galva, IA April 28, 2004 application for an emergency exemption to use non-DOT specifications nurse tank to transport anhydrous ammonia.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Surface Transportation Board

[STB Finance Docket No. 34650]

Mittal Steel Company N.V.— Acquisition of Control Exemption—ISG Railways Inc., ISG South Chicago & Indiana Harbor Railway Co., and ISG Cleveland Works Railway Co.

Mittal Steel Company N.V. (Mittal Steel), a noncarrier, has filed a verified notice of exemption to acquire control of the following three railroads: (1) ISG Railways, Inc. (ISGR); (2) ISG South Chicago & Indiana Harbor Railway Co. (ISG/SCIH); and (3) ISG Cleveland Works Railway Co. (ISG/CWRC).¹ ISG/SCIH and ISG/CWRC are Class III railroads and ISGR is a Class II railroad.

The transaction was expected to be consummated on or after April 13, 2005.

Mittal Steel states that: (1) The railroads do not connect with each other or any railroad in their corporate family; (2) the transaction is not part of a series of anticipated transactions that would connect the railroads with each other or any railroad in their corporate family; and (3) the transaction does not involve a Class I carrier. Therefore, the transaction is exempt from the prior approval requirements of 49 U.S.C. 11323. See 49 CFR 1180.2(d)(2).

Under 49 U.S.C. 10502(g), the Board may not use its exemption authority to relieve a rail carrier of its statutory

obligation to protect the interests of its employees. Because this transaction involves the control of one Class II carrier and two Class III carriers, this grant will be made subject to labor protection requirements of 49 U.S.C. 11326(b).

If the verified notice contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*. Petitions to revoke the exemption under 49 U.S.C. 10502(d) may be filed at any time. The filing of a petition to revoke will not automatically stay the transaction.

An original and 10 copies of all pleadings, referring to STB Finance Docket No. 34650, must be filed with the Surface Transportation Board, 1925 K Street, NW., Washington, DC 20423-0001. In addition, a copy of each pleading must be served on Jeffery O. Moreno, Thompson Hine LLP, 1920 N Street NW., Suite 800, Washington, DC 20036.

Board decisions and notices are available on our Web site at <http://www.stb.dot.gov>.

Decided: April 26, 2005.

By the Board, David M. Konschnik,
Director, Office of Proceedings.

Vernon A. Williams,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900-New (Pay Now Enter Info Page)]

Agency Information Collection Activities Under OMB Review

AGENCY: Office of Management,
Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995 (44 U.S.C., 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the Office of Management (OM), Department of Veterans Affairs, has submitted the collection of information abstracted below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment. The PRA submission describes the nature of the information collection and its expected cost and burden; it includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before June 2, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY OF THE SUBMISSION CONTACT:

Denise McLamb, Records Management Service (005E3), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420, (202) 273-8030, FAX (202) 273-5981 or e-mail: denise.mclamb@mail.va.gov. Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900-New (Pay Now Enter Info Page)."

Send comments and recommendations concerning any aspect of the information collection to VA's OMB Desk Officer, OMB Human Resources and Housing Branch, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 (202) 395-7316. Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900-

¹ Mittal Steel, through its wholly owned subsidiary, Park Acquisition Inc., will acquire the three railroads pursuant to its merger with International Steel Group, Inc.

New (Pay Now Enter Info Page)" in any correspondence.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Pay Now Enter Info Page.

OMB Control Number: 2900–New (Pay Now Enter Info Page).

Type of Review: New collection.

Abstract: VA is participating in a program of online debt collections in cooperation with the Department of the Treasury's Pay.gov initiative. Claimants who participated in VA's benefit programs and owe debts to VA can voluntarily make online payments through VA's Pay Now Enter Info Page Web site. Data enter on the Pay Now Enter Info Page is redirected to the Department of Treasury's Pay.gov Web site allowing claimants to make payments with credit or debit cards, or directly from their bank account. At the conclusion of the transaction, the claimant will receive a confirmation acknowledging the success or failure of the transaction.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The **Federal Register** Notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on January 19, 2005, at page 3104.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Estimated Annual Burden: 1,167 hours.

Estimated Average Burden Per Respondent: 15 minutes.

Frequency of Response: Daily.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 7,000.

Dated: April 25, 2005.

By direction of the Secretary:

Loise Russell,

Director, Records Management Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900–0031]

Proposed Information Collection Activity: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA), Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the

proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of a currently approved collection, and allow 60 days for public comment in response to this notice. This notice solicits comments on information needed to determine a claimant's eligibility for specially adapted housing grant.

DATES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed collection of information should be received on or before July 5, 2005.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information to Nancy J. Kessinger, Veterans Benefits Administration (20M35), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420 or e-mail: irmnkess@vba.va.gov. Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900–0031" in any correspondence.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Nancy J. Kessinger at (202) 273–7079 or FAX (202) 275–5947.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the PRA of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13; 44 U.S.C. 3501–3521), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. This request for comment is being made pursuant to Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA.

With respect to the following collection of information, VBA invites comments on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of VBA's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of VBA's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

Title: Veteran's Supplemental Application for Assistance in Acquiring Specially Adapted Housing, VA Form 26–4555c.

OMB Control Number: 2900–0031.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: Veterans complete VA Form 26–4555c to apply specially adapted housing grant. VA uses the data collected to determine if it is

economically feasible for a veteran to reside in specially adapted housing and to determine the veteran's eligibility for such grant.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Estimated Annual Burden: 150 hours.

Estimated Average Burden Per Respondent: 15 minutes.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 600.

Dated: April 25, 2005.

By direction of the Secretary:

Loise Russell,

Director, Records Management Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Enhanced-Use Lease of VA Property, Chicago (Lakeside), IL

AGENCY: Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice of intent to dispose of property to an enhanced-use lessee.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) intends to dispose of approximately 3.8 acres of VA property (known as "Lakeside") in Chicago, Illinois. The Department, in accordance with 38 U.S.C. 8164, proposes to transfer all right, title, and interest of the United States in the property to Northwestern Memorial Hospital, which is currently leasing the property from VA for 75 years. VA would use the disposal proceeds to improve and expand health care services and facilities for veterans. Under other terms of the proposed disposal, VA could continue using a portion of the Lakeside property to provide outpatient care services to veterans until January 18, 2008.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Brian A. McDaniel, Office of Asset Enterprise Management (004B), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420, (202) 273–9492.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: 38 U.S.C. 8164 specifically provides that the Secretary may dispose of enhanced-use leased property if he determines that the leased property is no longer needed by the Department, and that disposal under that section, rather than under 38 U.S.C. 8122, is in the best interests of the Department.