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Water-bearing explosives having salts of oxidizing acids and nitrogen bases, sulfates, or sulfamates (cap sensitive).

Water-in-oil emulsion explosive compositions.

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Xanthomonas hydrophilic colloid explosive mixture.

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**Michael Sullivan,**

*Acting Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Cooperative Research Group on the Development and Evaluation of a Gas Chromatograph Testing Protocol

Notice is hereby given that, on November 26, 2008, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”) Southwest Research Institute—Cooperative Research Group on Development and Evaluation of a Gas Chromatograph Testing Protocol (“GCTP”) has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its nature and objective. 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, the period of performance has been extended to December 15, 2008.

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 GCTP intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On March 6, 2008, GCTP 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 April 7, 2008 (73 FR 18813).

The last notification was filed with the Department on August 26, 2008. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the

Act on September 29, 2008 (73 FR 56611).

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Network Centric Operations Industry Consortium, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on November 26, 2008, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”) Network Centric Operations Industry Consortium, Inc. has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. 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, Solera Networks, Lindon, UT has been added as a party to this venture. Also, Advanced Virtual Engine Test Cell, Inc., Springfield, OH; Chandler/May, Inc., Huntsville, AL; PrismTech Corporation, Burlington, MA; Intelligent Automation, Inc., Rockville, MD; and Hewlett-Packard Company, Palo Alto, CA have withdrawn 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 Network Centric Operations Industry Consortium, Inc. intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On November 19, 2004, Network Centric Operations Industry Consortium, Inc. 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 February 2, 2005 (70 FR 5486).

The last notification was filed with the Department on September 5, 2008. A notice was published in the **Federal**

**Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on October 21, 2008 (73 FR 62542).

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Open Devicenet Vendor Association, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on December 3, 2008, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”), Open DeviceNet Vendor Association, Inc. (“ODVA”) has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. 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, Racine Federated Inc., Racine, WI; Mon Seiki Co., Ltd. (U.S. subsidiary Digital Technology Laboratory, Corporation), West Sacramento, CA; and TR-Electronic GmbH, Trossingen, GERMANY have been added as parties to this venture. Also, Contemporary Controls Systems, Inc., Downers Grove, IL; and Bird Electronic Corporation, Solon, OH have withdrawn 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 ODVA intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On June 21, 1995, ODVA 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 February 15, 1996 (61 FY 6039).

The last notification was filed with the Department on September 5, 2008. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on October 21, 2008 (73 FR 62543).

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