petitions, and public comments (including comments in support of or in opposition to de minimis waivers) are invited in accordance with the Requirements for Submissions below.

List III shows GSP-eligible articles from certain BDCs that are currently not receiving GSP duty-free treatment, but that may be considered for GSP redesignation based on 2009 trade data and consideration of certain statutory factors, as set forth above. Recommendations to the President on redesignations are normally made as part of the GSP annual review process, and public comments (including comments in support of or in opposition to redesignations) are invited in accordance with the Requirements for Submissions below.

List IV shows articles subject to the new CNL waiver thresholds of section 503(d)(4)(B)(ii) of the 1974 Act, as amended by Public Law 109–432. Recommendations to the President on revocation of these waivers will be made as part of the 2009 GSP annual review process, and public comments (including comments in support of or in opposition to revocations of CNL waivers) are invited in accordance with the Requirements for Submissions below.

IV. Public Comments

Requirements for Submissions

Submissions in response to this notice must be submitted electronically by the March 25, 2010 deadline listed above using http://www.regulations.gov, docket number USTR–2010–0009. Instructions for submitting business confidential versions are provided below. Hand-delivered and faxed submissions will not be accepted. Submissions must be submitted in English to the Chairman of the GSP Subcommittee, Trade Policy Staff Committee, by the applicable deadlines set forth in this notice.

To make a submission using http://www.regulations.gov, enter docket number USTR–2010–0009 on the homepage and click “Search.” The site will provide a search-results page listing all documents associated with this docket. Locate the reference to this notice by selecting “Notices” under “Document Type.” Locate the reference to this notice by selecting “Notices” under “Document Type” on the left side of the search-results page, and click on the link entitled “Submit a Comment.” (For further information on using the http://www.regulations.gov Web site, please consult the resources provided on the Web site by clicking “How to Use This Site” on the left side of the home page.)

The http://www.regulations.gov Web site offers the option of providing comments by filling in a “Type Comment and Upload File” field or by attaching a document. Given the detailed nature of the information sought by the GSP subcommittee, USTR prefers comments to be provided in an attached document. If a document is attached, it is sufficient to type “See attached” in the “Type Comment and Upload File” field.

Comments must be in English, with the total submission not to exceed 30 single-spaced standard letter-size pages in 12-point type, including attachments. Any data attachments to the submission should be included in the same file as the submission itself, and not as separate files. Any person or party making a submission is strongly advised to review the GSP regulations and GSP Guidebook (available at: http://www.ustr.gov/trade-topics/trade-development/preference-programs/generalized-system-preference-gsp/gsp-program-inf).

V. Business Confidential Comments

A person requesting that information contained in a comment submitted by that person be treated as confidential business information must certify that such information is business confidential and would not customarily be released to the public by the submitter. Confidential business information must be clearly designated as such, the submission must be marked “BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL” at the top and bottom of the cover page and each succeeding page, and the submission should indicate, via brackets, the specific information that is confidential. Additionally, “Business Confidential” should be included in the “Type Comment & Upload File” field. Anyone submitting a comment containing business confidential information must also submit as a separate submission a non-confidential version of the confidential submission, indicating where confidential information has been redacted. The non-confidential summary will be placed in the docket and open to public inspection.

Public versions of all documents relating to this review will be available for public viewing at http://www.regulations.gov, docket number USTR–2010–0009, upon completion of processing and no later than approximately two weeks after the due date.

Mary Estelle Ryckman,
Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Trade and Development, Office of the U.S. Trade Representative.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Office of the Secretary

Notice of Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits Filed Under Subpart B (Formerly Subpart Q) During the Week Ending February 6, 2010

The following applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits were filed under Subpart B (formerly Subpart Q) of the Department of Transportation’s Procedural Regulations (See 14 CFR 301.201 et seq.).

The due date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motions to Modify Scope are set forth below for each application. Following the Answer period DOT may process the application by expedited procedures. Such procedures may consist of the adoption of a show-cause order, a tentative order, or in appropriate cases a final order without further proceedings.


Date Filed: February 2, 2010.

Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope: February 23, 2010.

Description: Application of Perimeter Aviation LP as represented by its general partner Perimeter Aviation GP Inc. c/o/b Perimeter Aviation requesting an exemption and a foreign air carrier permit to engage in charter foreign air transportation of persons, property and mail: (1) Between any points in Canada and any point or points in the United States; (2) between any point or points in the United States and any point or points in a third country or countries, provided that, except with respect to cargo charters, such service constitutes part of a continuous operation, with or without a change of aircraft, that includes service to Canada for the purpose of carrying local traffic between
The following Agreements were filed with the Department of Transportation under the Sections 412 and 414 of the Federal Aviation Act, as amended (49 U.S.C. 1382 and 1384) and procedures governing proceedings to enforce these provisions. Answers may be filed within 21 days after the filing of the application.

Date Filed: February 9, 2010.
Parties: Members of the International Air Transport Association.
Subject: Mail Vote 621.

Special Passenger Amending Resolution 010n, from Hong Kong SAR to India, (Memo 1355).

Intended effective date: 22 February 2010.
Date Filed: February 9, 2010.
Parties: Members of the International Air Transport Association.
Subject: Mail Vote 619.

TC3 Special Passenger Amending Resolution 010m between Korea (Rep. of) and China excluding Hong Kong SAR and Macao SAR, (Memo 1354).

Intended effective date: 15 February 2010.
Date Filed: February 12, 2010.
Parties: Members of the International Air Transport Association.
Subject: Mail Vote 622.

TC3 Within South East Asia, Special Passenger Amending Resolution 010c between Viet Nam and Myanmar (Memo 1356).

Intended effective date: 22 February 2010.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Office of the Secretary

Aviation Proceedings, Agreements Filed the Week Ending February 13, 2010

The following Agreements were filed with the Department of Transportation under the Sections 412 and 414 of the Federal Aviation Act, as amended (49 U.S.C. 1382 and 1384) and procedures governing proceedings to enforce these provisions. Answers may be filed within 21 days after the filing of the application.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Surface Transportation Board

[STB Finance Docket No. 35354]

Montoff Transportation Company, LLC—Acquisition Exemption—BNSF Railway Company

Montoff Transportation Company, LLC (Montoff), a noncarrier, has filed a verified notice of exemption under 49 CFR 1150.31 to acquire from BNSF Railway Company (BNSF) its right to reactivate rail service on a 42.80-mile rail-banked line (Line) between milepost 73.60 near Fairmont and milepost 116.40 near Guthrie, in Garfield and Logan Counties, OK.1

The notice of exemption relates back to the Decision and Notice of Interim Trail Use or Abandonment (NITU) that the Board, at the request of BNSF and the Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT), issued for the Line in The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company—Abandonment Exemption—in Garfield and Logan Counties, OK, STB Docket No. AB–6 (Sub-No. 379X) (STB served October 27, 1998). Shortly after the NITU was issued, BNSF and ODOT entered into an interim trail use/rail banking agreement pursuant to the National Trails System Act, 16 U.S.C. 1247(d).

Montoff, ODOT, and BNSF have now reached an agreement that would return the Line to active rail service. Pursuant to that agreement, Montoff and ODOT simultaneously filed with this notice of exemption a joint motion requesting that the Board vacate the existing NITU and issue a replacement NITU permitting Montoff to substitute for ODOT as interim trail manager for the Line. Montoff states that it intends to reactivate rail service, but that this cannot be done until necessary track and bridge rehabilitation work is completed. BNSF, in a pleading submitted in this docket on February 23, 2010, supports Montoff’s filing and states that it consents to the substitution of Montoff in lieu of ODOT as interim trail manager for the Line but only if the Board first accepts Montoff’s filing in this docket. This notice of exemption and the procedure proposed by Montoff is being accepted to facilitate the return of this rail-banked line to active rail service in a timely fashion.2

Before Montoff may begin operating the Line, it will need to obtain a decision vacating the NITU in STB Docket No. AB–6 (Sub-No. 379X), and, if necessary the operator will have to obtain authority to operate the Line. Montoff states that it expects this acquisition transaction to be consummated on or after March 18, but no later than March 25, 2010. The earliest this transaction may be consummated is March 21, 2010, the effective date of the exemption (30 days after the notice of exemption was officially filed). 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 effectiveness of the exemption. Stay petitions must be filed no later than March 12, 2010.

An original and 10 copies of all pleadings, referring to STB Finance Docket No. 35354, must be filed with the Surface Transportation Board, 395 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20423–0001. In addition, a copy of each pleading must be served on Charles H. Montange, 426 NW. 162nd Street, Seattle, WA 98177.

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

Decided: March 2, 2010.

By the Board, Rachel D. Campbell, Director, Office of Proceedings.

Jeffrey Herzig,
Clearance Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Maritime Administration

Reports, Forms and Recordkeeping Requirements; Agency Information Collection Activity Under OMB Review

AGENCY: Maritime Administration, DOT.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.), this notice announces that the Information Collection abstracted below has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval. The nature of the information collection is described as well as its

and an appropriate petition or notice of exemption to acquire and operate the line at issue.