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Acting Administrator, Rural Utilities Service.

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COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

Procurement List Proposed Additions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase from People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Proposed Additions to Procurement List.

SUMMARY: The Committee is proposing to add to the Procurement List products and services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE: April 27, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Jefferson Plaza 2, Suite 10800, 1421 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3259.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sheryl D. Kennerly, (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C 47(a)(2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments of the proposed actions.

If the Committee approves the proposed additions, the entities of the Federal Government identified in the notice for each product or service will be required to procure the products and services listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. If approved, the action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the products and services to the Government.

2. If approved, the action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the products and services to the Government.

3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in

connection with the products and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List. Comments on this certification are invited. Commenters should identify the statement(s) underlying the certification on which they are providing additional information.

The following products and services are proposed for addition to Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

Products

Product/NSN: Aloud Digital Audio Labeling System; 6515-00-NIB-0226.

Product/NSN: Aloud Audio Labels 6515-00-NIB-0227.

NPA: Central Association for the Blind & Visually Impaired, Utica, New York.

Contract Activity: Veterans Affairs National Acquisition Center, Hines, Illinois.

Services:

Service Type/Location: Janitorial/Custodial, Corporate Accounting Office, Overseas Warehouse, and Ship Stores, Norfolk, Virginia.

NPA: Community Alternatives, Incorporated, Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Contract Activity: Navy Exchange Service Command (NEXCOM), Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Service Type/Location: Janitorial/Custodial, NEXCOM Uniform Support Center, Bldg 1545, Chesapeake, Virginia.

NPA: Community Alternatives, Incorporated, Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Contract Activity: Navy Exchange Service Command (NEXCOM), Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Louis R. Bartalot,

Director, Program Analysis and Evaluation.

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COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

Procurement List; Additions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase from People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Additions to Procurement List.

SUMMARY: This action adds to the Procurement List products and services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 27, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Jefferson Plaza 2, Suite 10800,

1421 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3259.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sheryl D. Kennerly, (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

On December 20, December 27, 2002, January 10, and January 17, 2003, the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled published notice (67 FR 77962, 79044/79045, 68 FR 1434, and 2498) of proposed additions to the Procurement List. After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the products and services and impact of the additions on the current or most recent contractors, the Committee has determined that the products and services listed below are suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 46-48c and 41 CFR 51-2.4. I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the products and services to the Government.

2. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the products and services to the Government.

3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the products and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Accordingly, the following products and services are added to the Procurement List:

Products

Skilcraft Aerosol Cleaners

Product/NSN: Clean "N" Disinfect/7930-00-NIB-0223.

Product/NSN: Glass Pro/7930-00-NIB-0191.

Product/NSN: Maximum/7930-00-NIB-0192.

Product/NSN: Office Plus/7930-00-NIB-0190.

Product/NSN: X-Spot Carpet Stain Remover/7930-00-NIB-0224.

NPA: Lighthouse for the Blind, St. Louis, Missouri.

Contract Activity: Office Supplies & Paper Products Acquisition Center, New York, New York.

Services

Service Type/Location: Grounds Maintenance, Naval & Marine Corps Reserve Center-Sacramento, Sacramento, California.

NPA: Easter Seal Society of Superior California, Sacramento, California.

Contract Activity: Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Alameda, California.

Service Type/Location: Janitorial/Custodial, U.S. Army Reserve Center, Blacklick, Ohio.

NPA: Licking-Knox Goodwill Industries, Inc., Newark, Ohio.

Contract Activity: Headquarters, 88th Regional Support Command, Fort Snelling, Minnesota.

Service Type/Location: Janitorial/Custodial, VA Central Iowa Health Care System, Day Care Center, Des Moines, Iowa.

NPA: Goodwill Solutions, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa.

Contract Activity: VA Central Iowa Health Care System, Des Moines, Iowa.

Service Type/Location: Mess Attendant, Willow Grove Naval Air Station Joint Reserve Base, Liberty Dining Hall, Horsham, Pennsylvania.

NPA: Occupational Training Center of Burlington County, Mt. Holly, New Jersey.

Contract Activity: Fleet Industrial Supply Center Norfolk DET Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

This action does not affect current contracts awarded prior to the effective date of this addition or options that may be exercised under those contracts.

Louis R. Bartalot,

Director, Program Analysis and Evaluation.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS**Agenda and Notice of Public Meeting of the Rhode Island Advisory Committee**

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, that a meeting of the Rhode Island Advisory Committee to the Commission will convene at 1 p.m. and adjourn at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, April 1, 2003, at the Providence Marriott Hotel, One Orms Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02904. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss Orientation, briefing, and planning future program activities.

Persons desiring additional information, or planning a presentation

to the Committee, should contact Ki-Taek Chun, Director of the Eastern Regional Office, (202) 376-7533 (TDD (202) 376-8116). Hearing-impaired persons who will attend the meeting and require the services of a sign language interpreter should contact the Regional Office at least ten (5) working days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

The meeting will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the Commission.

Dated at Washington, DC, March 19, 2003.

Ivy L. Davis,

Chief, Regional Programs Coordination Unit.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**Bureau of Industry and Security**

[Docket No. 030319065-3065-01]

Revisions to the Unverified List—Guidance as to “Red Flags” Under Supplement No. 3 to 15 CFR Part 732

AGENCY: Bureau of Industry and Security, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On June 14, 2002, the Bureau of Industry and Security (“BIS”) published a notice in the **Federal Register** that set forth a list of persons in foreign countries who were parties to past export transactions where pre-license checks (“PLC”) or post-shipment verifications (“PSV”) could not be conducted for reasons outside the control of the U.S. Government (“Unverified List”). The notice also advised exporters that the involvement of a listed person as a party to a proposed transaction constitutes a “red flag” as described in the guidance set forth in Supplement No. 3 to 15 CFR Part 732, requiring heightened scrutiny by the exporter before proceeding with such a transaction. The notice also stated that, when warranted, BIS would add and remove persons from the Unverified List.

This notice adds Brilliant Intervest to the Unverified List and removes Xian XR Aerocomponents Co., Ltd. from the Unverified List.

DATES: This notice is effective March 28, 2003.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Thomas W. Andrukonis, Office of Enforcement Analysis, Bureau of Industry and Security, Telephone: (202) 482-4255.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In administering export controls under the

Export Administration Regulations (15 CFR parts 730 to 774) (“EAR”), BIS carries out a number of preventive enforcement activities with respect to individual export transactions. Such activities are intended to assess diversion risks, identify potential violations, verify end-uses, and determine the suitability of end-users to receive U.S. commodities or technology. In carrying out these activities, BIS officials, or officials of other Federal agencies acting on BIS’s behalf, selectively conduct PLCs to verify the bona fides of the transaction and the suitability of the end-user or ultimate consignee. In addition, such officials sometimes carry out PSVs to ensure that U.S. exports have actually been delivered to the authorized end-user, are being used in a manner consistent with the terms of a license or license exception, and are otherwise consistent with the EAR.

In certain instances BIS officials, or other Federal officials acting on BIS’s behalf, have been unable to perform a PLC or PSV with respect to certain export control transactions for reasons outside the control of the U.S. Government (including a lack of cooperation by the host government authority, the end-user, or the ultimate consignee). In a notice issued on June 14, 2002 (67 FR 40910), BIS set forth an Unverified List of certain foreign end-users and consignees involved in such transactions.

The June 14 notice also advised exporters that the participation of a person on the Unverified List in a proposed transaction will be considered by BIS to raise a “red flag” under the “Know Your Customer” guidance set forth in Supplement No. 3 to 15 CFR Part 732 of the EAR. Under that guidance, whenever there is a “red flag,” exporters have an affirmative duty to inquire, verify, or otherwise substantiate the proposed transaction to satisfy themselves that the transaction does not involve a proliferation activity set forth in 15 CFR part 744, and does not violate the EAR.

The **Federal Register** notice further stated that persons on the Unverified List would be added and removed from the list when warranted. BIS has attempted, and was unable to conduct, a PSV in transactions involving the following person: Brilliant Intervest, 14-1, Persian 65C, Jalan Pahang Barat, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia 53000.

This notice advises exporters that Brilliant Intervest is added to the Unverified List, and a “red flag” now exists for transactions involving this person due to its inclusion on the Unverified List. As a result, exporters