

In order to implement the binding recommendations of ICCAT, the Atlantic Tunas Dealer Permit (currently approved under 0648-0202) will be modified to address all import, export, and re-export of bigeye tuna for Atlantic coast dealers. The Pacific Tuna Dealer Permit (currently approved under 0648-0202) will be modified to address Pacific dealers involved in the import, export, and re-export of bigeye tuna. Finally, the Swordfish Dealer Permit (currently approved under 0648-0205) will be modified to include export and re-export of swordfish. All existing tuna and swordfish dealer permit requirements will be merged with the highly migratory species vessel permits under this collection.

II. Method of Collection

Relevant dealers must apply for or renew permits annually by mail. Renewal forms for all dealer permits are provided annually.

III. Data

OMB Number: 0648-0327.

Form Number: None.

Type of Review: Regular submission.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit organizations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 960.

Estimated Time Per Response: 5 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 80.

Estimated Total Annual Cost to Public: \$500.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: February 5, 2003.

Gwellnar Banks,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Navy

Notice of Availability of Government-Owned Inventions; Available for Licensing

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, DOD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The inventions listed below are assigned to the United States Government, as represented by the Secretary of the Navy and are available for licensing by the Department of the Navy.

U.S. Patent No. 5,525,800 entitled "Selective Multi-Chemical Fiber Optic Sensor", Navy Case No. 76,085; U.S. Patent 5,735,927 entitled "Method of Producing Core/Cladding Glass Optical Fiber Preforms Using Hot Isostatic Pressing", Navy Case No. 76,989; U.S. Patent No. 5,739,536 entitled "Fiber Optic Infrared Cone Penetrometer System", Navy Case No. 77,412; U.S. Patent No. 5,778,125 entitled "Optical Fiber Terminations", Navy Case No. 77,790; U.S. Patent No. 5,779,757 entitled "Process for Removing Hydrogen and Carbon Impurities from Glasses by Adding a Tellurium Halide", Navy Case No. 77,216; U.S. Patent No. 5,846,889 entitled "Infrared Transparent Selenide Glasses", Navy Case No. 77,674; U.S. Patent No. 5,879,426 entitled "Process for Making Optical Fibers from Core and Cladding Glass Rods", Navy Case No. 77,577; U.S. Patent No. 5,900,036 entitled "Multi-Cylinder Apparatus for Making Optical Fibers, Process and Product", Navy Case No. 76,981; U.S. Patent No. 5,949,935 entitled "Infrared Fiber Optic Coupler", Navy Case No. 78,344; U.S. Patent No. 5,953,478 entitled "Metal-Coated IR-Transmitting Chalcogenide Glass Fibers", Navy Case No. 77,806; U.S. Patent No. 5,973,824 entitled "Amplification by Means of Dysprosium Doped Low Phonon Energy Glass Waveguides", Navy Case No. 78,395; U.S. Patent No. 6,015,765 entitled "Rare Earth Soluble Telluride Glasses", Navy Case No. 78,347; U.S. Patent No. 6,021,649 entitled "Apparatus for Making Optical Fibers from Core and Cladding Glass Rods with Two Coaxial Molten Glass Flows", Navy Case No. 79,632; U.S. Patent No. 6,128,429

entitled "Low Phonon Energy Glass and Fiber Doped with a Rare Earth", Navy Case No. 78,394; U.S. Patent No. 6,145,342 entitled "Catalyzed Preparation of Amorphous Chalcogenides", Navy Case No. 78,533; U.S. Patent No. 6,157,856 entitled "Tissue Diagnostics Using Evanescent Spectroscopy", Navy Case No. 79,047; U.S. Patent No. 6,175,678 entitled "Infrared Fiber Imager", Navy Case No. 79,823; U.S. Patent No. 6,195,483 entitled "Fiber Bragg Gratings in Chalcogenide or Chalcohalide Based Infrared Optical Fibers", Navy Case No. 77,161; U.S. Patent No. 6,285,811 entitled "Near-Field Optical Microscope with Infrared Fiber Probe", Navy Case No. 78,932; U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/906,010 entitled "Chalcogenide Glass Fiber Raman Laser and Amplifier", Navy Case No. 82,848; U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/964,548 entitled "Multi Heating Zone Process for Fabrication of Infrared Optical Fibers", Navy Case No. 82,941; and Navy Case No. 83,486 entitled "All Fiber FTIR", invention disclosure filed October 2, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Requests for copies of the patents or inventions cited should be directed to the Naval Research Laboratory, Code 1004, 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20375-5320, and must include the Navy Case number.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Catherine M. Cotell, Ph.D., Head, Technology Transfer Office, NRL Code 1004, 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20375-5320, telephone (202) 767-7230. Due to temporary U.S. Postal Service delays, please fax (202) 404-7920, e-mail: cotell@nrl.navy.mil or use courier delivery to expedite response.

(Authority: 35 U.S.C. 207, 37 CFR part 404)

Dated: February 6, 2003.

R.E. Vincent, II,

Lieutenant Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Navy

Notice of Intent to Grant Exclusive Patent License; Shook-Argosy Joint Venture

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, DOD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Navy hereby gives notice of its intent to grant to Shook-Argosy Joint Venture, a revocable, nonassignable, exclusive license to practice in the United States and certain foreign countries, the Government-Owned invention described in Navy Case No. 84,339 filed October 24, 2002, entitled "Infrastructure Linkage and Augmentation System".

DATES: Anyone wishing to object to the grant of this license must file written objections along with supporting evidence, if any, not later than February 27, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Written objections are to be filed with the Naval Research Laboratory, Code 1004, 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20375-5320.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Catherine M. Cotell, Ph.D. Head, Technology Transfer Office, NRL Code 1004, 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20375-5320, telephone (202) 767-7230. Due to U.S. Postal delays, please fax (202) 404-7920, e-mail: cotell@nrl.navy.mil or use courier delivery to expedite response. (Authority: 35 U.S.C. 207, 37 CFR Part 404.)

Dated: February 4, 2003.

R.E. Vincent II,

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of Education.

SUMMARY: The Acting Leader, Regulatory Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer invites comments on the submission for OMB review as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before March 14, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Karen Lee, Desk Officer, Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503 or should be electronically mailed to the Internet address Karen_F_Lee@omb.eop.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Acting Leader, Regulatory Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer, publishes that notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g. new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) title; (3) summary of the collection; (4) description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) reporting and/or recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment.

Dated: February 6, 2003.

Joe Schubart,

Acting Leader, Regulatory Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education

Type of Review: Revision.

Title: Consolidated State Performance Report.

Frequency: Annually.

Affected Public: State, local, or tribal gov't, SEAs or LEAs.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden: Responses: 52. Burden Hours: 134,768.

Abstract: This information collection package contains the Consolidated State Performance Report (CSPR). The Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), in general, and its provision for submission of consolidated plans, in particular (see section 14301 of the ESEA), emphasize the importance of cross-program coordination and integration of federal programs into educational activities carried out with State and local funds. States would use the instrument for reporting on activities that occur during the 2001-2002 school year. The proposed CSPR requests some of the same information as in 2000-2001, with a few modifications to eliminate certain sections. The Department is working

actively to revise the content of these documents and develop an integrated information collection system that responds to No Child Left Behind (NCLB), uses new technologies, and better reflects how federal programs help to promote State and local reform efforts.

Written requests for information should be addressed to Vivian Reese, Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 4050, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651 or to the e-mail address vivian_reese@ed.gov. Requests may also be faxed to 202-708-9346. Please specify the complete title of the information collection when making your request.

Comments regarding burden and/or the collection activity requirements should be directed to Kathy Axt at her e-mail address Kathy.Axt@ed.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at ;1-800-877-8339.

Office of the Chief Financial Officer

Type of Review: New collection.

Title: Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program—Phase I—Grant Application Package (1890-0001) (KA).

Frequency: Annually.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit (primary).

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden: Responses: 50. Burden Hours: 3750.

Abstract: This application package invites small business concerns to submit a Phase I research application for the Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program. This is in response to Pub. L. 106-554, the "Small Business Reauthorization Act of 2000, H.R. 5667" (the "Act") enacted on December 21, 2000. The Act requires certain agencies, including the Department of Education (ED), to establish a Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program by reserving a statutory percentage of their extramural research and development budgets to be awarded to small business concerns for research or R&D through a uniform, highly competitive, three-phase process each fiscal year. This collection falls under the Streamlined Discretionary Process, 1890-0011.

This collection is being submitted under the Streamlined Clearance Process for Discretionary Grant Information Collections (1890-0001). Therefore, the 30-day public comment period notice will be the only public comment notice published for this information collection.