

C. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received from Members, Participants or Others

No written comments were either solicited or received.

III. Solicitation of Comments

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views and arguments concerning the foregoing. Persons making written submissions should file six copies thereof with the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20549. Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Section, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20549. Copies of such filing will also be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the PHLX. All submissions should refer to File No. SR-PHLX-96-24 and should be submitted by July 26, 1996.

IV. Commission's Findings and Order Granting Accelerated Approval of Proposed Rule Change

The Commission finds that the PHLX's proposal to amend its holiday schedule respecting the early closure of the PHLX equity trading floor at 1:15 P.M., equity and index options trading floor at 1:10 and 1:15 P.M. respectively, and PHLX currency options at 1:00 P.M. on Friday, July 5, 1996, is consistent with the requirements of the Act and the rules and regulations thereunder applicable to a national securities exchange.

The Commission believes that, because the registered national securities exchanges are planning an early closure of equity trading at 1:00 P.M. on Friday, July 5, 1996, in part due to fact that the exchanges do not anticipate that there will be significant trading volume on the day after the Fourth of July, Independence Day, our national holiday, it is appropriate to grant the request of the PHLX to modify its previously adopted holiday schedule. Because the PHLX had planned to be open for a full day of trading on Friday, July 5, 1996,

accelerated approval will permit the PHLX to provide member firms and customers with sufficient notice and lead time to prepare for closing early on July 5, 1996.

Based on the above, the Commission finds that there is good cause, consistent with Section 6(b)(5) of the Act, to accelerate approval of the amended proposed rule change in that it will promote just and equitable principles of trade and remove impediments to a free and open market by providing the Exchange with the basis for notifying its members and customers of the scheduled change, thus ensuring the protection of investors and the public.

The Commission finds good cause for approving the proposed rule change prior to the thirtieth day after the date of publication of notice of filing thereof in the Federal Register. Accelerating approval of this proposal will provide the Exchange with sufficient time to notify member firms, and customers of the schedule change and allow such persons and entities to consider their trading strategies in light of the amended holiday schedule. The Commission believes that granting accelerated approval of the proposed rule change is appropriate and consistent with Sections 6(b)(5) and 19(b)(2) of the Act.

It is therefore ordered, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act,⁵ that the proposed rule change (SR-PHLX-96-24) is approved.

For the Commission by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.⁶

Margaret H. McFarland,
Deputy Secretary.

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SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection Request

Normally on Fridays, the Social Security Administration publishes a list of information collection packages that will require submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance in compliance with P.L. 104-13 effective October 1, 1995, The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Since the last list was published in the Federal Register on June 14, the information collections listed below have been proposed or will require extension of the current OMB approvals.

⁵ 15 U.S.C. § 78s(b)(2) (1988).

⁶ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12) (1995).

(Call the SSA Reports Clearance Officer on (410) 965-4125 for a copy of the form(s) or package(s), or write to her at the address listed below the information collections.)

1. Application for Wife's or Husband's Insurance Benefits—0960-0008. The information collected on form SSA-2 is needed by the Social Security Administration to determine an applicant's eligibility to wife's or husband's benefits. The respondents are individuals who wish to file for those types of benefits.

Number of Respondents: 700,000

Frequency of Response: 1

Average Burden Per Response: 10 minutes

Estimated Annual Burden: 116,667 hours

2. Statement of Marital Relationship (By One of the Parties)—0960-0038. The information collected on form SSA-754 is used by the Social Security Administration to prove or disapprove the existence of a valid common-law marriage. The respondents are individuals who allege a common-law marriage to someone entitled to Social Security benefits.

Number of Respondents: 30,000

Frequency of Response: 1

Average Burden Per Response: 30 minutes

Estimated Annual Burden: 15,000 hours

3. Worker's Compensation/Public Disability Benefit Questionnaire—0960-0247. The information collected on form SSA-546 is used by the Social Security Administration to help determine if receipt of a workmen's compensation or public disability benefit by an individual will cause a reduction in his or her Social Security disability benefits. The respondents are applicants for Social Security Title II disability benefits.

Number of Respondents: 100,000

Frequency of Response: 1

Average Burden Per Response: 15 minutes

Estimated Annual Burden: 25,000 hours

4. Voluntary Customer Surveys In Accordance with E.O. 12862 Within the Social Security Administration—0960-0526. These voluntary customer surveys will be used to ascertain customer satisfaction with the Social Security Administration in terms of timeliness, appropriateness, access, and other measures of quality service. Surveys will involve individuals that are the direct or indirect beneficiaries of SSA services. The average burden per response for these activities is estimated to range from 5 minutes for a simple comment card to 2 hours for participation in a focus group.

FY 1997: Number of Respondents:

1,328,767

Frequency of Response: 1**Estimated Annual Burden:** 121,840 Hours**FY 1998: Number of Respondents:**

1,339,327

Frequency of Response: 1**Estimated Annual Burden:** 124,784**FY 1999: Number of Respondents:**

1,328,707

Frequency of Response: 1**Estimated Annual Burden:** 122,670

Written comments and recommendations regarding these information collections should be sent within 60 days from the date of this publication, directly to the SSA Reports Clearance Officer at the following address: Social Security Administration, DCFAM, Attn: Judith T. Hasche, 6401 Security Blvd., 1-A-21 Operations Bldg., Baltimore, MD 21235.

In addition to your comments on the accuracy of the agency's burden estimate, we are soliciting comments on the need for the information; its practical utility; ways to enhance its quality, utility and clarity; and on ways to minimize burden on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

The information collections listed below, which were published in the Federal Register on May 2 and May 8, 1996 have been submitted to OMB.

1. Survey of Employers Regarding A Pre-retirement Satellite Broadcast—0960-NEW. The Social Security Administration is attempting to establish satellite communications with private sector employers as an economical and efficient means of providing program information and training. SSA will broadcast a pre-retirement seminar via satellite and ask employers to provide information on the broadcast. The information collected by SSA will be used to determine employer interest in receiving information by satellite and to determine what issues should be covered; i.e., retirement, legislative updates, wage reporting training, etc. The respondents are employers who have received the satellite transmission.

Number of Respondents: 10,000**Frequency of Response:** 1**Average Burden Per Response:** 5 minutes**Estimated Annual Burden:** 833 hours**2. Modified Benefit Formula**

Questionnaire-Foreign Pension—0960-NEW. The information collected on form SSA-308 is used by SSA to determine exactly how much (if any) of a foreign pension may be used to reduce

the amount of Social Security retirement or disability benefits under the modified benefit formula. The respondents are applicants for Social Security retirement/disability benefits.

Number of Respondents: 50,000**Frequency of Response:** 1**Average Burden Per Response:** 10 minutes**Estimated Annual Burden:** 8,333 hours

Written comments and recommendations regarding these information collections should be sent within 30 days of the date of this publication. Comments may be directed to OMB and SSA at the following addresses:

(OMB), Office of Management and Budget, OIRA, Attn: Laura Oliven, New Executive Office Building, Room 10230, 725 17th St., NW, Washington, D.C. 20503.

(SSA), Social Security Administration, DCFAM, Attn: Judith T. Hasche, 6401 Security Blvd, 1-A-21 Operations Bldg., Baltimore, MD 21235.

Dated: June 24, 1996.

Judith T. Hasche,

Reports Clearance Officer, Social Security Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**Federal Aviation Administration****Agency Information Collection Activity Under OMB Review**

AGENCY: Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration. (FAA)
ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) this notice announces that the information collection request described below has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review. The FAA is requesting an emergency clearance by July 23, 1996, in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.13. The following information describes the nature of the information collection and its expected burden.

DATES: Submit any comments to OMB by July 22, 1996.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Each year the System Safety Office produces a videotape titled "VFR Arrival Procedures: Oshkosh '96" for the Oshkosh Fly-In in August. To better serve our customers needs for this information and our distribution procedures, we will be asking pilots who fly in to Oshkosh a few short

questions on the availability and usefulness of the videotape. This is a one day, one time survey.

Title: Oshkosh Video Survey.

Need: The System Safety Office will use this information to serve the needs of our customers better. Per their suggestions, we may be able to add information to the video or add distribution points.

Respondents: An estimated 100 pilots who fly into Oshkosh for the annual fly-in.

Frequency: One time oral survey.

Burden: One minute, 13 seconds per respondent for a total of 2 hours and 2 minutes.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: or to receive copies of the justification document submitted to OMB, you can contact Judith Street on (202) 267-9895 or write to her at: Federal Aviation Administration, Corporate Information Division, ABC-100, 800 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20591

Comments may be submitted to the agency at the address above or to: Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Docket Library, Room 10102, 725 17th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20503

Issued in Washington, DC on June 28, 1996.

Patricia W. Carter,

Acting Manager, Corporate Information Division, ABC-100.

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[Summary Notice No. PE-96-31]**Petitions for Exemption; Summary of Petitions Received; Dispositions of Petitions Issued**

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of petitions for exemption received and of dispositions of prior petitions.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to FAA's rulemaking provisions governing the application, processing, and disposition of petitions for exemption (14 CFR Part 11), this notice contains a summary of certain petitions seeking relief from specified requirements of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Chapter I), dispositions of certain petitions previously received, and corrections. The purpose of this notice is to improve the public's awareness of, and participation in, this aspect of FAA's regulatory activities. Neither publication of this notice nor the inclusion or omission of information in the summary is intended to affect the legal status of any petition or its final disposition.