Federal blue-collar employees, and five representatives from Federal agencies. Entitlement to membership on the Committee is provided for in 5 U.S.C. 5347.

The Committee's primary responsibility is to review the Prevailing Rate System and other matters pertinent to establishing prevailing rates under subchapter IV, chapter 53, 5 U.S.C., as amended, and from time to time advise the Office of Personnel Management.

These scheduled meetings will start in open session with both labor and management representatives attending. During the meeting either the labor members or the management members may caucus separately with the Chair to devise strategy and formulate positions. Premature disclosure of the matters discussed in these caucuses would unacceptably impair the ability of the Committee to reach a consensus on the matters being considered and would disrupt substantially the disposition of its business. Therefore, these caucuses will be closed to the public because of a determination made by the Director of the Office of Personnel Management under the provisions of section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463) and 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(9)(B). These caucuses may, depending on the issues involved, constitute a substantial portion of the meeting.

Annually, the Chair compiles a report of pay issues discussed and concluded recommendations. These reports are available to the public, upon written request to the Committee's Secretary.

The public is invited to submit material in writing to the Chair on Federal Wage System pay matters felt to be deserving of the Committee's attention. Additional information on these meetings may be obtained by contacting the Committee's Secretary, Office of Personnel Management, Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee, Room 5559, 1900 E Street, NW., Washington, DC 20415 (202) 606– 1500.

Dated: December 12, 1996.

Phyllis G. Foley,

Chair, Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee.

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POSTAL RATE COMMISSION

[Docket No. A97-7]

DiGiorgio, California 93217: (Zack Clark, et al., Petitioners); Notice and Order Accepting Appeal and Establishing Procedural Schedule Under 39 U.S.C. § 404(b)(5)

Before Commissioners: Edward J. Gleiman, Chairman; H. Edward Quick, Jr., Vice-Chairman; George W. Haley; W.H. ''Trey'' LeBlanc III.

Issued December 17, 1996.

Docket Number: A97–7. Name of Affected Post Office: DiGiorgio, California 93217.

Name(s) of Petitioner(s): Zack Clark, et al.

Type of Determination: Closing. *Date of Filing of Appeal Papers:* December 13, 1996.

Categories of Issues Apparently Raised:

1. Effect on the community [39 U.S.C. § 404(b)(2)(A)].

2. Effect on postal services [39 U.S.C. § 404(b)(2)(C)].

After the Postal Service files the administrative record and the Commission reviews it, the Commission may find that there are more legal issues than those set forth above. Or, the Commission may find that the Postal Service's determination disposes of one or more of those issues.

The Postal Reorganization Act requires that the Commission issue its decision within 120 days from the date this appeal was filed (39 U.S.C. § 404 (b)(5)). In the interest of expedition, in light of the 120-day decision schedule, the Commission may request the Postal Service to submit memoranda of law on any appropriate issue. If requested, such memoranda will be due 20 days from the issuance of the request and the Postal Service shall serve a copy of its memoranda on the petitioners. The Postal Service may incorporate by reference in its briefs or motions, any arguments presented in memoranda it previously filed in this docket. If necessary, the Commission also may ask petitioners or the Postal Service for more information.

The Commission Orders

(a) The Postal Service shall file the record in this appeal by December 27, 1996.

(b) The Secretary of the Postal Rate Commission shall publish this Notice and Order and Procedural Schedule in the Federal Register. By the Commission. Margaret P. Crenshaw, *Secretary.*

- December 13, 1996—Filing of Appeal letter
- December 17, 1996—Commission Notice and Order of Filing of Appeal
- January 7, 1997—Last day of filing of petitions to intervene [see 39 C.F.R. § 3001.111(b)]
- January 17, 1997—Petitioners' Participant Statement or Initial Brief [see 39 C.F.R. § 3001.115 (a) and (b)]
- February 6, 1997—Postal Service's Answering Brief [see 39 C.F.R. § 3001.115(c)]
- February 21, 1997—Petitioners' Reply Brief should Petitioner choose to file one [see 39 C.F.R. § 3001.115(d)]
- February 28, 1997—Deadline for motions by any party requesting oral argument. The Commission will schedule oral argument only when it is a necessary addition to the written filings [see 39 C.F.R. § 3001.116]
- April 12, 1997—Expiration of the Commission's 120-day decisional schedule [see 39 U.S.C. § 404(b)(5)]

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Investment Company Act Release No. 22401; 811–7416]

Voyageur Missouri Municipal Income Fund, Inc.; Notice of Application

December 16, 1996. AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC").

ACTION: Notice of application for deregistration under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "Act").

APPLICANT: Voyageur Missouri Municipal Income Fund, Inc.

RELEVANT ACT SECTION: Section 8(f). **SUMMARY OF APPLICATION:** Applicant requests an order declaring that it has ceased to be an investment company. **FILING DATE:** The application was filed on December 10, 1996.

HEARING OR NOTIFICATION OF HEARING: An order granting the application will be issued unless the SEC orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary and serving applicant with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the SEC by 5:30 p.m. on January 10, 1997, and should be accompanied by proof of service on the applicant, in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons may request notification of a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary.

ADDRESSES: Secretary, SEC, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549. Applicants, 90 South Seventh Street, Suite 4400 Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402–4115.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Diane L. Titus, Paralegal Specialist, at (202) 942–0584, or Mary Kay Frech, Branch Chief, at (202) 942–0564 (Division of Investment Management, Office of Investment Company Regulation).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following is a summary of the application. The complete application may be obtained for a fee from the SEC's Public Reference Branch.

Applicant's Representations

1. Applicant is a closed-end, diversified management investment company incorporated under the laws of Minnesota. On December 31, 1992, applicant registered under the Act and filed a registration statement on Form N–2 under the Act and the Securities Act of 1933. Applicant's registration statement was not declared effective, and applicant made no public offering of its securities.

2. Applicant has no securityholders, debts, liabilities or assets. Applicant is not a party to any litigation or administrative proceeding. Applicant is not now engaged, nor does it propose to engage, in any business activities other than those necessary for the winding up of its affairs.

3. Applicant will statutorily dissolve its existence in Minnesota.

For the SEC, by the Division of Investment Management, under delegated authority. Margeret H. McFarland,

Deputy Secretary.

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[Investment Company Act Release No. 22400; 811–7940]

Voyageur Texas Municipal Income Fund; Notice of Application

December 16, 1996.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). **ACTION:** Notice of application for

deregistration under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "Act"). **APPLICANT:** Voyageur Texas Municipal Income Fund.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following is a summary of the application. The complete application may be obtained for a fee from the SEC's Public Reference Branch.

Applicant's Representations

1. Applicant is a closed-end, diversified management investment company organized as a Massachusetts business trust. On August 5, 1993, applicant registered under the Act and filed a registration statement on Form N–2 under the Act and the Securities Act of 1933. Applicant's registration statement was not declared effective, and applicant made no public offering of its securities.

2. Applicant has no securityholders, debts, liabilities or assets. Applicant is not a party to any litigation or administrative proceeding. Applicant is not now engaged, nor does it propose to engage, in any business activities other than those necessary for the winding up of its affairs.

3. Applicant terminated its existence in Massachusetts in 1993.

For the SEC, by the Division of Investment Management, under delegated authority. Margaret H. McFarland, *Deputy Secretary.* [FR Doc. 96–32455 Filed 12–20–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 8010–01–M

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Coast Guard

[CGD-94-066]

Navigation Safety Advisory Council; Vacancies

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DOT. **ACTION:** Request for applications.

SUMMARY: The Coast Guard is seeking applications for appointment to membership on the Navigation Safety Advisory Council (NAVSAC). NAVSAC provides advice and makes recommendations to the Coast Guard on matters relating to the prevention of vessel collisions, rammings, and groundings, including, but not limited to: Inland Rules of the Road, International Rules of the Road, navigation regulations and equipment, routing measures, marine information, diving safety, and aids to navigation systems.

DATES: Applications and any supporting information must be received on or before February 28, 1997.

ADDRESS: Application forms may be obtained by writing Commandant (G– MOV–3), U.S. Coast Guard, 2100 Second St., SW., Washington, DC 20593–0001; or by calling (202) 267– 0415; or by faxing (202) 267–4826. Completed application forms must be submitted to the same address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Margie Hegy, Executive Director of NAVSAC at (202) 267–0415, or Diane Schneider, Executive Secretary, telephone (202) 267–0352, fax (202) 267–4826.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Navigation Safety Advisory Council (NAVSAC) is a Federal advisory council constituted under 5 U.S.C. App. 2. It provides advice and makes recommendations to the Secretary of Transportation, via the Commandant of the Coast Guard, on matters relating to the prevention of vessel collisions, rammings, and groundings, including, but not limited to: Inland Rules of the Road, International Rules of the Road, navigation regulations and equipment, routing measures, marine information, diving safety, and aids to navigation systems.