

*(C) Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received From Members, Participants, or Others*

NSCC has not solicited nor received comment on the proposed rule change.

III. Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule Change and Timing for Commission Action

Within thirty-five days of the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register or within such longer period (i) as the Commission may designate up to ninety days of such date if it finds such longer period to be appropriate and publishes its reasons for so finding or (ii) as to which NSCC consents, the Commission will:

- (a) By order approve such proposed rule change or
- (b) Institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule change should be disapproved.

IV. 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, D.C. 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 Room, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549. Copies of such filing will also be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of NSCC. All submissions should refer to the file number (File No. SR-NSCC-96-15) and should be submitted by November 12, 1996.

For the Commission by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>7</sup>

Margaret H. McFarland,

*Deputy Secretary.*

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**Performance Review Board: Membership**

**AGENCY:** Securities and Exchange Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of membership of performance review board.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission announces the appointment of Performance Review Board members.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 1, 1996.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Carol S. Smith, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, Washington, DC 20549 (202) 942-4198.

The following are the names and present titles of the individuals appointed to the Performance Review Board established by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

**NAME, TITLE, ORGANIZATION:** Michael Schlein, Chief of Staff, Office of the Chairman James M. McConnell, Executive Director, Office of the Executive Director; Richard Walker, General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel.

For the Chairman, by the Executive Director, pursuant to delegated authority.

Dated: October 2, 1996.

Margaret H. McFarland,

*Deputy Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Aviation Proceedings; Agreements Filed During the Week Ending October 11, 1996**

The following Agreements were filed with the Department of Transportation under the provisions of 49 U.S.C. 412 and 414. Answers may be filed within 21 days of date of filing.

*Docket Number:* OST-96-1843.

*Date filed:* October 7, 1996.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

PTC23 EUR-SEA 0002 dated September 27, 1996 r1-9

PTC23 EUR-SEA 0003 dated September 27, 1996 r10-19

PTC23 EUR-SEA 0004 dated September 27, 1996 r-20

Europe-Southeast Asia Expedited Resos

Intended effective date: as early as October 31, 1996

*Docket Number:* OST-96-1844.

*Date filed:* October 7, 1996.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

PTC31 S/CIRC 0003 dated September 27, 1996

TC31 Expedited Circle Pacific Reso 073c

Intended effective date: November 15, 1996

*Docket Number:* OST-96-1846.

*Date filed:* October 7, 1996.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

PTC 123 0002 dated October 4, 1996 Expedited North/Mid/South Atlantic Resos

r-1-002 r-2-015v

Intended effective date: November 1, 1996

*Docket Number:* OST-96-1853.

*Date filed:* October 9, 1996.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

PTC31 N/C 0004 dated October 8, 1996

PTC31 N/C 0005 dated October 8, 1996

North and Central Pacific Expedited Resos

r-1-311w r-2-002v r-3-073u

r-4-073v r-5-084hh r-6-071LL

r-7-071zz r-8-075r r-9-075w

Intended effective date: November 15, 1996

*Docket Number:* OST-96-1854.

*Date filed:* October 9, 1996.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

PTC31 N/C 0006 dated October 8, 1996

North and Central Pacific Expedited Resos

r-1-002z r-3-073p r-5-073u

r-2-070pp r-4-073r r-6-073v

r-7-084hh

Intended effective date: December 1, 1996

Paulette V. Twine,

*Chief, Documentary Services Division.*

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**Notice of Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits Filed Under Subpart Q During the Week Ending October 11, 1996**

The following Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits were filed under Subpart Q of

<sup>7</sup> 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12) (1996).

the Department of Transportation's Procedural Regulations (See 14 CFR 302.1701 *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.

*Docket Number:* OST-96-1845.

*Date filed:* October 7, 1996.

*Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope:* November 4, 1996.

*Description:* Application of Air Europe, S.P.A., Trading as Air Europe Italy, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 41302 and Subpart Q of the Regulations, for renewal of its foreign air carrier permit issued pursuant to Order 91-10-22, authorizing Air Europe to engage in charter foreign air transportation of persons and their accompanying baggage and property: Between a point or points in Italy and a point or points in the United States.

*Docket Number:* OST-96-1855.

*Date filed:* October 9, 1996.

*Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope:* November 6, 1996.

*Description:* Application of Air Tindi Ltd., pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 41302, and Subpart Q of the Regulations, applies for an initial foreign air carrier permit authorizing it to engage in on-demand foreign charter air transportation of persons, property and mail between a point or points in Canada and a point or points in the United States of America. Air Tindi also requests authority to perform foreign charter air transportation between a point or points in the United States of America and a point or points not in the United States of America or Canada, pursuant to Part 212 of the Department's Economic Regulations.

*Docket Number:* OST-96-1857.

*Date filed:* October 10, 1996.

*Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope:* November 7, 1996.

*Description:* Application of Pakistan International Airlines Corporation, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Sections 41301 and Part 211 and Subpart Q of the Department's Regulations, applies for an amendment to its foreign air carrier permit to engage in: (a) foreign air transportation of persons, property, and mail, from Pakistan via intermediate points: Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan, and

Turkmenistan; the Middle East, and North Africa; Rome, Amsterdam, Frankfurt, Geneva, Zurich, Paris, London, Montreal, Toronto and three intermediate points on a transpacific routing; to New York and seven additional U.S. points, two of which are to be served through cooperative arrangements only; and beyond to the points listed above; and (b) foreign air transportation of property and mail from Pakistan via intermediate points to a point or points in the United States and beyond; and (c) foreign charter air transportation of persons, property, and mail between any point or points in Pakistan and any point or points in the United States and between any point or points in the United States and any point or points not in Pakistan or the United States and any other charter flights authorized pursuant to Part 212 of the Department's regulations.

*Docket Number:* OST-96-1862.

*Date filed:* October 11, 1996.

*Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope:* November 8, 1996.

*Description:* Application of Air Atlantic Dominicana, C. Por A., pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 41302 and Subpart Q of the Regulations, for a foreign air carrier permit authorizing it to engage in scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property and mail between Santo Domingo in the Dominican Republic, on the one hand, and the co-terminal points San Juan, P.R., Miami, FL and New York, NY on the other hand, and charter foreign air transportation between a point or points in the Dominican Republic and any point or points in the U.S.

Paulette V. Twine,

Chief, Documentary Services Division.

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## Federal Railroad Administration

[Docket No. RSAC-96-1, Notice No. 3]

### Railroad Safety Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

**AGENCY:** Federal Railroad Administration (FRA), Department of Transportation (DOT).

**ACTION:** Notice of Railroad Safety Advisory Committee ("RSAC") Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** As required by Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), and 41 CFR 101-6.1015(b), the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) gives notice of a meeting of the Railroad Safety Advisory Committee ("RSAC"). The meeting is

designed to accomplish several things: (1) the RSAC's evaluation for consensus approval of the Track Safety Standards working group's proposal for the revision of the track safety standards contained in 49 CFR Part 213; (2) presentation to the RSAC of the Radio Communications and Power Brake working groups' consensus reports, which represent the principles the groups have agreed must be contained in any revision to these regulations (49 CFR Parts 220, 215, 229, and 232); (3) the RSAC's receipt of progress information about the Tourist and Historic Railroads working group's revision of the Steam Locomotive Inspection standards (49 CFR Part 230); (4) the agency's tasking of the RSAC with the revision of miscellaneous aspects of the regulations addressing Locomotive Engineer Certification (49 CFR Part 240); (5) the tasking of the RSAC with the development of On-Track Equipment safety standards; (6) the RSAC's consideration of the establishment of an interim working group to review and make recommendations about the agency's Report to Congress on Locomotive Crashworthiness and Working Conditions; and (7) the agency's engagement in exploratory discussions with the RSAC regarding several issues that may be tasked to the RSAC in the future (dispatcher training standards, blue signal protection, event recorders, and positive train control).

**DATES:** The meeting of the RSAC is scheduled to commence at 8:30 a.m. on both Thursday, October 31st and on Friday, November 1st, concluding at 12:00 p.m. on November 1st.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting of the RSAC will be held at the Washington Vista Hotel, 1400 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. The meeting is open to the public on a first-come, first-served basis and is accessible to individuals with disabilities. Sign language interpreters will be available for individuals with hearing impediments.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Vicky McCully, FRA, 400 7th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590, (202) 632-3330, Grady Cothen, Deputy Associate Administrator for Safety Standards and Program Development, FRA, 400 7th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590, (202) 632-3309, or Lisa Levine, Office of Chief Counsel, FRA, 400 7th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590, (202) 632-3189.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), FRA is giving notice of a meeting of the Railroad Safety Advisory