

instruments described below, for such purposes as each is intended to be used, is being manufactured in the United States.

*Docket Number: 97-014. Applicant:* University of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA 70148. *Instrument:* Mass Spectrometer, Model VG AutoSpec. *Manufacturer:* Micromass, Inc., United Kingdom. *Intended Use:* See notice at 62 FR 13600, March 21, 1997. *Reasons:* The foreign instrument provides a signal-to-noise ratio of 800:1 for the methyl stearate ion at m/z 298 and a continuously variable scan rate of 0.1 to 1000 s/decade. Advice received from: National Institutes of Health, March 19, 1997.

*Docket Number: 97-022. Applicant:* Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ 08855. *Instrument:* 20/20 SI Mass Spectrometer. *Manufacturer:* Europa Scientific, United Kingdom. *Intended Use:* See notice at 62 FR 15657, April 2, 1997. *Reasons:* The foreign instrument provides: (1) A magnetic sector analyzer with three Faraday collectors, (2) sensitivity of 1100 molecules of CO<sub>2</sub> per mass 44 ion and (3) resolution = 125 (N<sub>2</sub>) 10% valley definition. Advice received from: National Institutes of Health, March 19, 1997.

The National Institutes of Health advises in its memoranda that (1) the capabilities of each of the foreign instruments described above are pertinent to each applicant's intended purpose and (2) it knows of no domestic instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value for the intended use of each instrument.

We know of no other instrument or apparatus being manufactured in the United States which is of equivalent scientific value to either of the foreign instruments.

**Frank W. Creel,**

*Director, Statutory Import Programs Staff.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### Export Trade Certificate of Review

**ACTION:** Notice of Issuance of an Amended Export Trade Certificate of Review, Application No. 95-A0006.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce has issued an amendment to the Export Trade Certificate of Review granted to Water and Wastewater Equipment Manufacturers Association ("WWEMA") on June 21, 1996. Notice of issuance of the Certificate was

published in the **Federal Register** on July 12, 1996 (61 FR 36708).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** W. Dawn Busby, Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, International Trade Administration, (202) 482-5131. This is not a toll-free number.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 (15 U.S.C. 4001-21) authorizes the Secretary of Commerce to issue Export Trade Certificates of Review. The regulations implementing Title III are found at 15 CFR part 325 (1997).

The Office of Export Trading Company Affairs ("OETCA") is issuing this notice pursuant to 15 CFR 325.6(b), which requires the Department of Commerce to publish a summary of a Certificate in the **Federal Register**. Under Section 305 (a) of the Act and 15 CFR 325.11(a), any person aggrieved by the Secretary's determination may, within 30 days of the date of this notice, bring an action in any appropriate district court of the United States to set aside the determination on the ground that the determination is erroneous.

#### Description of Amended Certificate

Export Trade Certificate of Review No. 95-00006, was issued to the Water and Wastewater Equipment Manufacturers Association on June 21, 1996 (61 FR 36708, July 12, 1996).

WWEMA's Export Trade Certificate of Review has been amended to:

1. Add the following companies as new "Members" of the Certificate within the meaning of Section 325.2(1) of the Regulations (15 C.F.R. 325.2(1)): Ashbrook Corporation, Houston, Texas and The F.B. Leopold Company Inc., Zelenople, Pennsylvania (Parent: Thames Water Products & Services); Jeffrey Chain Corporation, Morristown, Tennessee; and Waterlink, Inc., Canton, Ohio, and its subsidiaries which include Aero-Mod, Incorporated, Manhattan, Kansas; Great Lakes Environmental, Inc., Addison, Illinois; Mass Transfer Systems, Inc., Fall River, Massachusetts; SanTech, Inc. dba Sanborn Technologies, Medway, Massachusetts; Water Equipment Technologies, Inc., West Palm Beach, Florida; and Waterlink Operational Services, Inc. dba Blue Water Services, Manhattan, Kansas.

A copy of the amended Certificate will be kept in the International Trade Administration's Freedom of Information Records Inspection Facility, Room 4102, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230.

Dated: May 24, 1997.

**W. Dawn Busby,**

*Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

#### Northeast Region Permit Family of Forms

**ACTION:** Proposed collection; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted on or before July 28, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Linda Engelmeier, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington DC 20230.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Bonnie Rayl, 1 Blackburn Drive, Gloucester, MA 01930, 508-281-9244.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Abstract

Participants in Federally-controlled fisheries are required to obtain permits. The purpose and use of permits is to: (1) Register fishermen, fishing vessels, fish dealers and processors, (2) list the characteristics of fishing vessels and/or dealer/processor operations, (3) exercise influence over compliance (e.g. withhold issuance pending collection of unpaid penalties), (4) provide a mailing list for the dissemination of important information to the industry, (5) register participants to be considered for limited entry, and (6) provide a universe for data collection samples. Identification of the participants, their gear types, vessels, and expected activity levels is an effective tool in the enforcement of fishery regulations. This information is needed to measure the consequences of management controls as well.