For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority. 25

Margaret H. McFarland,

Deputy Secretary.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3309]

State of Oklahoma

As a result of the President's major disaster declaration on November 27, 2000, I find that Caddo and Grady Counties in the State of Oklahoma constitute a disaster area due to damages caused by severe storms and flooding beginning on October 21, 2000 and continuing through October 29, 2000. Applications for loans for physical damage as a result of this disaster may be filed until the close of business on January 26, 2001, and for loans for economic injury until the close of business on August 27, 2001 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations: U.S. Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 3 Office, 4400 Amon Carter Blvd., Suite 102, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

In addition, applications for economic injury loans from small businesses located in the following contiguous counties may be filed until the specified date at the above location: Blaine, Canadian, Cleveland, Comanche, Custer, Garvin, Kiowa, McClain, Stephens, and Washita in the State of Oklahoma.

The interest rates are:

	Percent
For Physical Damage:	
Homeowners with credit avail-	
able elsewhere	7.375
Homeowners without credit	
available elsewhere	3.687
Businesses with credit available	
elsewhere	8.000
Businesses and non-profit orga-	
nizations without credit avail-	
able elsewhere	4.000
Others (including non-profit or-	
ganizations) with credit avail-	
able elsewhere	6.750
For Economic Injury: Businesses	0.700
and small agricultural coopera-	
tives without credit available	
elsewhere	4.000

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 330911 and for economic injury the number is 9J7900.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59002 and 59008)

Dated: November 29, 2000.

Herbert L. Mitchell,

Acting Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[License No.: 09/79-0416]

Notice of Surrender of License

Notice is hereby given that Sundance Venture Partners II, L.P., located at 5030 E. Sunrise Drive, Suite 200, Phoenix, Arizona 85044, has surrendered its license to operate as a small business investment company under the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, as amended (the Act). Sundance Venture Partners II, L.P., was licensed by the Small Business Administration on 05/ 04/98. Under the authority vested by the Act and pursuant to the Regulations promulgated thereunder, the surrender was acted on this date, and accordingly, all rights, privileges and franchises derived therefrom have been terminated.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 59.11, Small Business Investment Companies)

Dated: November 29, 2000.

Donald A. Christensen,

Associate Administrator for Investment. [FR Doc. 00–31063 Filed 12–5–00; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 8025–01–P

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Small Business Investment Companies; Increase in Maximum Leverage Ceiling

13 CFR 107.1150(a) sets forth the maximum amount of Leverage (as defined in 13 CFR 107.50) that a Small Business Investment Company may have outstanding at any time. The maximum Leverage amounts are adjusted annually based on the increase in the Consumer Price Index published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The cited regulation states that SBA will publish the indexed maximum Leverage amounts each year in a Notice in the **Federal Register**.

Accordingly, effective the date of publication of this Notice, and until further notice, the maximum Leverage amounts under 13 CFR 107.1150(a) are as stated in the following table:

If your Leverageable Capital is:	Then your maximum Leverage is:
(1) Not over \$18,100,000	300 percent of Leverageable Capital
(2) Over \$18,100,000 but not over \$36,300,000	54,300,000 + [2 × (Leverageable Capital—\$18,100,000)]
(3) Over \$36,300,000 but not over \$54,400,000	\$90,700,000 + (Leverageable Capital—\$36,300,000)
(4) Over \$54,400,000	\$108,800,000

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 59.011, small business investment companies)

Dated: November 30, 2000.

Don A. Christensen,

Associate Administrator for Investment. [FR Doc. 00–31064 Filed 12–5–00; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 8025–01–P

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 3489]

Office of Defense Trade Controls; Notifications to the Congress of Proposed Commercial Export Licenses

AGENCY: Department of State. **ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Department of State has forwarded the attached Notifications of Proposed Export Licenses to the Congress on the

dates shown on the attachments pursuant to sections 36(c) and 36(d) and in compliance with section 36(e) of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2776).

EFFECTIVE DATE: As shown on each of the forty-four letters.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. William J. Lowell, Director, Office of

Defense Trade Controls, Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, Department of State (202–663–2700).

²⁵ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 38(e) of the Arms Export Control Act mandates that notifications to the Congress pursuant to sections 36(c) and 36(d) must be published in the Federal Register when they are transmitted to Congress or as soon thereafter as practicable.

Dated: November 28, 2000.

William J. Lowell,

Director, Office of Defense Trade Controls. October 23, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment sold under a contract in the amount of \$14,000,000 or more.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the sale of two(2) S-70B-6 helicopters to the Government of Greece.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 081-00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 29, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the manufacture in South Korea of twenty-five (25) F100-STW-229 Engine Partial Knockdown Kits (PKDs). forty-three (43) Engine Module Sets and related support equipment.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 130-00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

September 28, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of proposed Technical Assistance Agreements with Germany and Italy.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the design and manufacture of a prototype Medium Extended Air Defense System to provide the militaries of the United States, Germany, and Italy with protection from short and medium range ballistic missiles, cruise missiles, and aircraft.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 070-00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 27, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the manufacture in Belgium of F-16 vertical stabilizer assemblies, dorsal fairing panels, dorsal fairing structure assemblies, and aft fuselage assemblies for return to the United States.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 140-00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

September 28, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to the United

Kingdom of technical data, defense articles, and defense services for the demonstration, manufacturing, and in-service support phases of the Airborne Electronic Reconnaissance System known as Project EXTRACT for end use by the United Kingdom Ministry of Defense.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 122-00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

September 28, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data, defense articles and services to the Commonwealth of Australia for the development of an Air Combat Training System for the Royal Australian Air Force.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 123-00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

September 28, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services and technical data for the manufacture of F-15 parts and components and assemblies, to include the horizontal tail assembly, in Israel.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military,

economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 136–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 27, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data and defense articles to Greece related to the AN/TPQ-37(V)3 Artillery Weapon Locating Radar system for end use by the Greek Army.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 116–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 27, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with the United Kingdom.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer of technical data and assistance for the production, test and repair of inertial measurement units, to include gyros, accelerometers and other subassemblies that will be returned to the United States.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.

Enclosure: Transmittal No. 133–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 27, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of one shipset of the MK 41 Vertical Launch System for use by the Japanese Maritime Self-Defense Forces.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 137–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 27, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the manufacture in The Netherlands of F–16 center fuselages, wing leading edge flaps, wing trailing edge panels, wing flaperons, and main landing gear doors for return to the United States.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 138–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
September 27, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the manufacture in Belgium of F–16 flaperon seals, leading edge flap seals, wing assemblies, and vertical fin skins for return to the United States.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely.

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secrétary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 139–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 28, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50.000.000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of four (4) photographic reconnaissance pods and an image processing ground system to Taiwan.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 104–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 22, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the manufacture in South Korea of an additional 350, X1100–5A3 transmissions for the K95 Mobile Howitzer for Turkey.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTCk 109–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of

the House of Representatives. September 22, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the manufacture in Israel of F–16 structural components and kits for the air forces of the United States, Belgium, Denmark, Greece, Israel, Korea, The Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, and Turkey.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 075–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 22, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of a Galaxy III commercial communications satellite to French Guiana for launch of an Ariane or Sea Launch for launch on a Zenit. Upon orbit, the satellite will be operated by PamAmSat of Greenwich, Connecticut.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin, Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 103–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Japan.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services and technical data for the production and overhaul of Crew Escape System Propellant Actuated and Mechanical Devices (PAD) and components in Japan.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin, Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 93–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to Canada of technical data and assistance to ensure the proper integration of the Advanced Imaging Multi-Spectral Sensor (AIMS) in U. S. Navy and U. S. Customs P–3 aircraft.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 102–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services and technical data for engineering, intermediate-level maintenance, and logistical training, to support the integration

and operation of equipment being installed on remanufactured AH–64A aircraft, in Israel.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 129–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Italy.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer of technical data, hardware and assistance in the production of PAVEWAY II Laser Guided Bomb Kits for end use by the Italian Air Force.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 052–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to the United Kingdom of technical data, defense articles, and defense services to support the development of the long range Airborne Stand-Off Radar (ASTOR) surveillance and target acquisition system.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 087–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$14,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the sale and support of fourteen (14) LANTIRN targeting pods and related pylons, support equipment and spares to the Royal Danish Air force for use in F–16 aircraft.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 99–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of

the House of Representatives. September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the design, manufacture, and support of the NSS–6 commercial communications satellite for The Netherlands. To be launched from French Guiana, the satellite will provide commercial communication services to Australia, South East Asia, China, North East Asia, India, the Middle East and parts of Africa.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 112–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to the United Kingdom of technical data, defense articles, and defense services to support the integration of the AGM–65 Maverick Weapon system with United Kingdom MoD aircraft.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 119–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of

the House of Representatives. September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36 (c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to the United Kingdom of technical data, defense articles, and defense services to services to support the production of STANDARD missile control actuation systems for end use in the United Kingdom and the United States.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 121–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36 (c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the export to Japan of technical data and assistance in the manufacture of AN/UYQ-21 Computer Display Systems and devices using AN/UYQ-21 electronic cooling equipment technology, Tactical Air Weapons Control Systems (TAWCS), Tank Laser Rangefinders, AN/UYA-4 Data Display System, AN/SPS-52B and 52C Planar Array Radars, and AN/TSQ-51-51-JX Air Defense Fire Distribution Systems for end use by Japan.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 125–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with the United Kingdom.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the transfer of technical data and assistance in the development of the Joint Biological Point Detection System (JBPDS) for end use by the Government of the United Kingdom.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 120–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services and technical data to support the Upgrade of thirty-four (34) F/A–18 C/D in Switzerland.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having

taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 131–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.

September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36 (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Japan.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer of technical data and assistance for the manufacture, test and repair of the AN/ASQ-81 Magnetic Anomaly Detection (MAD) equipment for end use by the Government of Japan.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. 134–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
September 20, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data and assistance to assemble, test, integrate and sell the AN/SQQ–32 Minehunting Sonar System in Spain.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arm control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 042–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representative. September 20, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c)(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services and technical data to improve the overall manufacture and production process of the L–159 Trainer/Light Combat Fighter Aircraft, and the manufacture of small parts and components for the AV–8B, C–17, F–15, F/A–18 and T–45 aircraft, in the Czech Republic.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin.

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 67–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.
September 20, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles sold under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the sale to the United Kingdom of upgraded avionics equipment for eight CH–47 Mk3 helicopters.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 097–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
September 20, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the sale of five (5) shipsets of an AEGIS-derived integrated weapon system to Spain for installation on anti-submarine warfare frigates for end use by the Norwegian Navy.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 100–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 20, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$14,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the sale and support of ten (10) LANTIRN targeting pods and related pylons, support equipment and spares to the Royal Netherlands Air Force for use on F–16 aircraft.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 101–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 20, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed Technical Assistance Agreement with Mexico.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer of proprietary information, technical expertise and defense services to Mexico to develop the design for, and manufacture of facilities materials, specification items and outfitting materials for U.S. Navy Strategic Sealift T–AKR 310, LMSR, MPF (E) and T–ADC(X) class vessels.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 107–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 20, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data, assistance and defense articles for the manufacture, assemble and overhaul in South Korea of XTG411–2A transmissions for the Government of South Korea.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 110–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
September 20, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) & (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with the United Kingdom.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the manufacture of the Model 2093 minehunting sonar towed body for the navies of Australia, Belgium, Canada, France, Italy, Germany, Japan, Netherlands, Portugal, Saudi Arabia, Spain, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, and the United States.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin, Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 128–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 19, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data and services for the operation and sale of a GE–6 commercial communications satellite to Argentina.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 108–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
September 18, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed Manufacturing and Technical Assistance Agreement for the export of defense services under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer of defense services for Co-Production of the Mk 45 Model 4, Five Inch, 62 Caliber Naval Gun System, in the Republic of Korea.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,
Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. 016–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
September 14, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the sale of the Anik F2

commercial telecommunications satellite to Canada for launch either from French Guiana or from international waters using the Sea Launch program.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 094–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of

the House of Representatives.

September 12, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data and assistance to Germany for the Cooperative Rolling Airframe Missile (RAM) MK 31 Guided Missile Weapon System Program for end use by the Governments of Germany and United States.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 055–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

September 12, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to Germany of technical data, defense services and classified hardware kits in support of the radar upgrade for the PATRIOT Air Defense System.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 083–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

September 8, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services for the production of various products, systems, and subsystems for commercial and military aircraft, in Singapore and Germany.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 89–00 The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert,

Speaker of the House of Representatives. September 25, 2000.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting herewith certification of a proposed License for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer of ship engineering and design services to Spain for the construction of a new class of Corvette for the Turkish Navy.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these

items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Barbara Larkin,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.
Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 105–00
The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert,
Speaker of the House of

Representatives. [FR Doc. 00–31074 Filed 12–5–00; 8:45 am]

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OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

[Docket No. WTO/D-212]

WTO Consultations Regarding Countervailing Duty Measures Concerning Certain Products From the European Communities

AGENCY: Office of the United States Trade Representative.

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) is providing notice that on November 13, 2000, the United States received from the European Communities (EC) a request for consultations under the Marrakesh Agreement Establishing the World Trade Organization (WTO Agreement). The request relates to the continued application by the United States of countervailing duties based upon the "change in ownership" methodology used by the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce). The measures identified by the EC (including the relevant Commerce case number) are as follows:

- Original Imposition of Countervailing Duties
- Stainless Steel Sheet and Strip in Coils from France (C-427-815)
- Certain Cut-to-Length Carbon Quality Steel from France (C-427– 817)
- Certain Pasta from Italy (C–475– 819)
- Stainless Steel Sheet and Strip in Coils from Italy (C-475-825)*
- Certain Stainless Steel Wire Rod form Italy (C–475–821)*
- Stainless Steel Plate in Coils from Italy (C-475-823)*
- Certain Cut-to-Length Carbon-

Quality Steel Plate from Italy (C-475–827)

(With respect to those cases marked with an asterisk, the correct case numbers are provided, as opposed to the incorrect case numbers included in the EC's request for consultations.)

- Administrative Reviews
- Cold-Rolled Carbon Steel Flat Products from Sweden (C–401–401)
- Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate from Sweden (C-401-804)
- Grain-Oriented Electrical Steel from Italy (C-475-812)

(With respect to case C-475-812, the EC consultation request identifies the "Preliminary determination, plus final sunset results".)

- Sunset Reviews
- Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate from the United Kingdom (C–412– 815)
- Certain Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products from France (C– 427–810)
- Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate from Germany (C-428-817)
- Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate from Spain (C-469-804)

The EC alleges that the continued application of Commerce's change in ownership methodology in these countervailing duty proceedings violate Articles 10, 19 and 21 of the WTO Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures (SCM Agreement), because, according to the EC, there is no proper determination of a benefit to the producer of the goods under investigation, as required by Article 1.1(b) of the SCM Agreement. Under Article 4.3 of the WTO Dispute Settlement Understanding (DSU), consultations are to take place within a period of 30 days from the date of receipt of the request, or within a period otherwise mutually agreed between the United States and the EC. USTR invites written comments from the public concerning the issues raised in this dispute.

DATES: Although USTR will accept any comments received during the course of the dispute settlement proceedings, comments should be submitted on or before January 15, 2001, to be assured of timely consideration by USTR.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments to Sandy McKinzy, Monitoring and Enforcement Unit, Office of the General Counsel, Room 122, Office of the United States Trade Representative, 600 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC, 20508, Attn: Change in Ownership Methodology Dispute. Telephone: (202) 395–3582.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William D. Hunter, Associate General