Islamiya, a.k.a. Revival of Islamic Society Heritage on the African Continent, a.k.a. Jamia Ihya ui Turath) Address: Pakistan; Alt. Address: Afghanistan; Other information: Only the Pakistan and Afghanistan offices of this entity will be designated;

88. Riyadus-Salikhin Reconnaissance and Sabotage Battalion of Chechen Martyrs (RSRSBCM); (a.k.a. Riyadus-Salikhin Reconnaissance and Sabotage Battalion, a.k.a. Riyadh-as-Saliheen, a.k.a. The Sabotage and Military Surveillance Group of the Riyadh al-Salihin Martyrs, a.k.a. Firqat al-Takhrib wa al-Istitla al-Askariyah li Shuhada Riyadh al-Salihin;

89. Salafist Group for Call and Combat/GSPC (a.k.a. Le Groupe Salafiste Pour La Prediction et le Combat):

90. Somali International Relief Organization; Address: 1806 Riverside Avenue, 2nd Floor, Minneapolis, Minnesota;

91. Somali Internet Company; Address: Mogadishu, Somalia;

92. Somali Network Ab; Address: Hallybybacken 15, 70 Spanga, Sweden;

93. Special Purpose Islamic Regiment (SPIR) (a.k.a. The Islamic Special Purpose Regiment, a.k.a. The al-Jihad-Fisi-Sabililah Special Islamic Regiment);

94. Tunisian Combatant Group (a.k.a. Groupe Combattant Tunisien);

95. Ummah Tameer E-Nau (UTN); Address: Street 13, Wazir Akbar Khan, Kabul, Afghanistan; Alt. Address: Pakistan:

96. Wafa Humanitarian Organization (a.k.a. Al Wafa, a.k.a. Al Wafa Organization; a.k.a. Wafa Al-Igatha Al-Islamia); Address: Jordan House No. 125, Street 54, Phase II Hayatabad, Peshawar, Pakistan; Alt. Address: Saudi Arabia; Alt. Address: Kuwait; Alt. Address: UAE:

97. Youssef M. Nada; Address: Via Riasc 4, Ch–6911 Campionie D'Italia I, Switzerland;

98. Youssef M. Nada & Co. Gescellschaft M.B.H.; Address: Kaertner Ring 2/2/5/22, 1010 Vienna, Austria.

Dated: August 13, 2003.

## John R. Bolton,

Under Secretary, Arms Control and International Security, Department of State. [FR Doc. 03–21790 Filed 8–22–03; 8:45 am]

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

[Public Notice 4456]

Bureau of Political-Military Affairs: Directorate 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(f) of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2776).

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** As shown on each of the twenty-three letters.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Peter J. Berry, Director, Office of Defense Trade Controls Licensing, Directorate of Defense Trade Controls, Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, Department of State (202–663–2700).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 36(f) 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: August 18, 2003.

#### Terry L. Davis,

Acting Director, Office of Defense Trade Controls Licensing, Directorate of Defense Trade Controls, Bureau of Political-Military Affairs.

## U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, May 28, 2003.

The Honorable Henry J. Hyde, Chairman, Committee on International Relations, House of Representatives.

Dear Mr. Chairman: Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer of technical data, assistance and manufacturing knowhow to Japan for the production of AN/ARA—50 Automatic Direction Finder for end-use by the Japanese Defense Agency (JDA) for use on various aircraft in the Japanese inventory.

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, Paul V. Kelly.

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 040–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 24, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the development of 155mm artillery ammunition resulting from the merging of the U.S. Army XM982 Excalibur Guided Projectile and the Swedish Trajectory Correctible Munition 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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 060–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the manufacture of Rate Gyros in Sweden for the export to, and enduse by, the Indian Army in the fire control system of the ARJUN Main Battle Tank.

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,

Paul V. Kelly.

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 021–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520,

July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 assistance to support the sale of the Sensor Fused Weapon to the United Arab Emirates Air Force and Air 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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 048–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520,

July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 overseas launch of two commercial communications satellites, either from Pacific/International waters or from French Guiana.

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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 050–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 \$100,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data, defense articles, and assistance necessary to provide support and maintenance of the T–6A–1 Aircraft for the NATO Flying Training in Canada 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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 057–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 concerns exports of technical data and defense services for delivery of the Estrela do Sul commercial communications satellite to Brazil.

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, Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 058–03.

## U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed technical assistance agreement 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 installation of "Group A" modifications for the Israeli Ministry of Defense's Compact Early Warning System (CAEW) Program, with involvement by the Government of Singapore.

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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 059–03.

## U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad and the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under contract in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to Turkey of technical data and assistance for the manufacture, testing and repair of Generation II and Generation III Night Vision Systems for sale to the Turkish Ministry of Defense and 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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 061–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 contract in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to United Kingdom of technical data and defense services for the design, development, manufacture, testing and delivery of Specified WR–21 Intercooled Recuperated Gas Turbine engine components for possible

use in Surface Ship propulsion systems of the United States, United Kingdom, France

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, Paul V. Kelly.

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs.

Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 062-03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the manufacture of a Drogue Rocket Motor and Propellant for end use in an aircraft ejection seat for the Japanese Defense Agency.

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, Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 066-03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Haste, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 and defense services in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to Brazil of technical data and defense services to support the launching of a satellite into orbit.

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 Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 068-03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Haste, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 and defense articles in the amount of \$25,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to Turkey of two Model S-70A helicopters and one lot of spare parts and ground support equipment to fulfill the helicopter mission requirement of the Special Aviation Regiment Command of the Government of 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, Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 070-03.

## U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 \$100,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data, defense articles, and assistance necessary to provide support and manufacture of hydraulic pumps, motors, and control systems for military aircraft and defense applications for end-use by the Japan Defense Agency.

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, Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 071-03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad and the export of defense articles or defense services in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services, technical data and defense articles to Japan to support the sale of Longbow Apache helicopter to 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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 072-03.

## U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the production of applique (reactive) armor for the U.S. Army's Bradley Fighting Vehicle using Israeli design and production technology.

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,

Paul V. Kelly.

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 073-03.

#### **U.S. Department of State**

Washington, DC 20520,

July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 \$25,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export to Greece of five Phalanx Close-In Weapon System Block 0 to 1A upgrades to support the Hellenic

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, Paul V. Kelly.

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 074–03.

# U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 and defense articles in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the temporary export of one AMC 10 and one AMC 11 Commercial Communications Satellite with high purity hydrazine fuel, nitrogen tetroxide oxidizer, ground support and test equipment to Russia. The AMC 10 and AMC 11 are geo-stationary direct broadcast satellites, and will be launched from Baikonur Cosmodrome aboard a Proton M/Breeze M launch vehicle. After launch and separation from the launch vehicle, the satellites are considered returned to the U.S.

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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 076–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer of technical data, assistance and manufacturing knowhow to Japan for the manufacture of Propellant Actuated Devices utilized in Crew Escape Systems for the T-4 Aircraft for enduse by the Japan Defense Agency.

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, Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 077–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad and the export of defense articles or defense services in the amount of \$100.000.000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services, technical data and defense articles to Japan to continue supporting the manufacture and assembly of S–70B (SH–60J/K) helicopters (minus avionics and engines) with related support equipment and parts for sale to the Japanese Government.

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, Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 079–03.

## U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad and the export of defense articles or defense services in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services, technical data and defense articles to Japan to continue supporting the manufacture and assembly of S–70A (UH–60J) helicopters (minus avionics and engines) with related support equipment and parts for sale to the Japanese Government.

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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DTC 080–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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 that are firearms controlled under category I of the United States Munitions List sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$1,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of 5,984 boltaction and lever-action centerfire sporting rifles for commercial resale in Canada.

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,

Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 082–03.

#### U.S. Department of State

Washington, DC 20520, July 25, 2003.

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad and the export of defense

articles or defense services in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense services, technical data and defense articles to Taiwan to support the manufacture and maintenance of GRC–171, RT–1272F and/or RT 1272H Ultra High Frequency Receiver Transmitters for Taiwan's Ministry of National 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, Paul V. Kelly,

Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs. Enclosure: Transmittal No. DDTC 083–03.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

#### [Public Notice 4457]

Determination: Imposing Conditions and Restrictions on the Cuban Interests Section and Its Personnel with Respect to Acquisition and Disposition of Motor Vehicles in the United States

#### Summary

The United States Interests Section of the Embassy of Switzerland in Havana, Cuba ("the U.S. Interests Section") is the mission through which the U.S. communicates with the Government and people of Cuba. The Cuban Government's counterpart mission in the United States is the Cuban Interests Section of the Embassy of Switzerland in Washington. For some time, the Cuban Government has imposed a series of impediments, obstructions, denials of service, and unjustifiable costs upon the functioning of the U.S. Interests Section and living conditions of the Interests Section's employees and dependents. The Foreign Missions Act of 1982 as amended (22 U.S. Code 4301, et. seq.) provides the domestic legal authority for responding to these restrictions by imposing reciprocal measures such as those set out in this Determination.

Among the many areas in which Cuban authorities impose undue restrictions on the U.S. Interests Section and its personnel is that of motor vehicles. Specifically, Cuban authorities impose a variety of restrictions and impediments which have the net effect of making it inordinately difficult, if not altogether impossible to either purchase a new vehicle or resell a used one in Cuba.

To enable the U.S. Government to respond effectively to the situation described above, as well as to create for the Government of Cuba an incentive to improve the conditions it imposes upon the U.S. Interests Section, the Department of State is hereby invoking its authorities under the Foreign Missions Act to impose a series of reciprocal terms and conditions on the Cuban Interests Section in Washington, DC with respect to motor vehicles. The primary effect of these terms and conditions, which are spelled out in the text below, is to restrict the ability of the Cuban Interests Section and its personnel to purchase, lease, or sell any vehicle in the United States.

It should be noted that, upon publication of this Determination in the **Federal Register**, or upon actual notice to any party, whichever is the earlier, it will be unlawful for any person or business subject to the jurisdiction of the United States to act in a manner contrary to the terms and conditions specified below.

#### **Persons Affected by This Action**

This Determination applies primarily to the Cuban Interests Section of the Embassy of Switzerland in Washington, DC, its personnel, and the family members thereof. However, it also applies to any person subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, whether natural person, business, or other entity of any sort, that intends to sell or lease a motor vehicle to, or purchase a motor vehicle from the Cuban Interests Section or its personnel.

#### Legal Authority

The terms and conditions promulgated by this Determination are done so pursuant to the Foreign Missions Act of 1982, as amended, 22 U.S.C. 4301 et seq. ("the Act"). The Act at section 4304 authorizes the Secretary to provide "benefits" to foreign missions in the United States and to impose certain terms and conditions upon the provision of such benefits, if such action is reasonably necessary to achieve a statutory purpose identified in the act, including the interests of diplomatic reciprocity. The term "benefits" is defined in the Act at section 4302 to include any of a number of specifically enumerated goods and services, as well as "any other benefits as the Secretary may designate." 22 U.S.C. 4302(a)(1).

Pursuant to Department of State Delegation of Authority No. 214, section 14 (September 20, 1994), the authorities that the Act vests in the Secretary of State were delegated by the Secretary to the Assistant Secretary of State for Diplomatic Security, who also functions as Director of the Office of Foreign Missions.

# Designation of Benefits, Findings, and Specific Determinations

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by and through the above-cited provisions of law and Designation of Authority, I hereby find and determine as follows:

(1) *Definitions:* Pursuant to the authorities contained in the Act, including the discretion contained at 22 U.S.C. 4302(b) to determine the meaning and applicability of the terms used in section 4301(a), I hereby determine that, for the purposes of this Determination, the following definitions shall apply:

(a) "Cuban Interests Section" shall mean the Cuban Interests Section of the Embassy of Switzerland in Washington, DC, including its personnel, and any dependent of such personnel, forming part of the household thereof;

(b) "motor vehicle" shall mean any motorized device intended for the purpose of transporting individuals on public streets and highways;

(c) U.S. person shall mean any natural or corporate person or entity physically present within the United States, regardless of nationality or immigration status, except for accredited members of foreign diplomatic or consular missions in the United States, and their accredited dependents forming parts of their households, provided that the foregoing exclusion shall not apply to any employee of such a foreign mission, or any dependent thereof, who is a U.S. citizen, permanent resident alien, or a person regarded as permanently resident" in the U.S., pursuant to the policies of the Department of State in implementing the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations or the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations;

(d) "acquisition" shall mean the transfer by any U.S. person whatsoever to the Cuban Interests Section of any interest in a motor vehicle, by any method or means including, but not limited, to purchase, lease, loan, gift, hypothecation, or devise; and

(e) "disposition" shall mean the transfer by the Cuban Interests Section to any U.S. person whatsoever of any interest in a motor vehicle by any method or means including, but not limited to, sale, lease, loan, gift, hypothecation, or devise, including sale for scrap or salvage.

(2) Designation of Benefits: Pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 4302(a)(1), which authorizes the Secretary, or his