

crosscuts No. 11–12 to measure the quantity of air; to have a certified person evaluate the air course at each evaluation point once each day where coal production occurs and place their initial, date, and time at each evaluation point and record the results of the examination in a record book kept on the surface and made available for inspection by interested persons. The petitioner states that application of the standard would result in a diminution of safety to the miners. In addition, the petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as would the mandatory standard.

7. Consolidation Coal Company

[Docket No. M–96–07–C]

Consolidation Coal Company, Consol Plaza, 1800 Washington Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15241–1421 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.364(b)(4) (weekly examination) to its Shoemaker Mine (I.D. No. 46–01436) located in Marshall County, West Virginia. Due to deteriorating roof conditions in the No. 3 Seal in 1 North of the air course, the area would be unsafe to travel in its entirety. The petitioner proposes to establish a checkpoint and make a weekly examination where an extended probe would be used to examine the No. 3 Seal for methane and a smoke tube would be used to verify the direction of air flow; to have the person making the examination and tests record their initials, date and time in a record book which would be kept on the surface and made available for inspection by interested parties; and to maintain the checkpoint and all approaches to the checkpoint in safe condition at all times. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as would the mandatory standard.

8. Pehem Industries, Inc.

[Docket No. M–96–08–C]

Pehem Industries, Inc., Route 2, Box 294–C, Delbarton, West Virginia 25670 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.388(a)(3) (boreholes in advance of mining) to its Pehem No. 1 Mine (I.D. No. 46–08530) located in Nicholas County, West Virginia. The petitioner proposes to mine within 50 feet of the highwall mining holes without drilling boreholes. The petitioner states that this mine would be driven into the Winifrede Seam from a location adjacent to the High Power Energy highwall miner workings; and that the purpose for this

request for modification is to avoid the dangers presented by abandoned mine openings and adjacent mines known or suspected of dangerous quantities of water or noxious or explosive gases. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as would the mandatory standard.

9. Peabody Coal Company

[Docket No. M–96–09–C]

Peabody Coal Company, 1951 Barrett Court, P.O. Box 1990, Henderson, Kentucky 42420–1990 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.1100–2(b) (quantity and location of firefighting equipment) to its Camp No. 11 Mine (I.D. No. 15–08357) located in Union County, Kentucky. The petitioner proposes to install firehouse outlets with valves in the longwall gate entries every fourth cross-cut at intervals of approximately 440 feet instead of at intervals of 300 feet. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as would the mandatory standard.

10. Monterey Coal Company

[Docket No. M–96–10–C]

Monterey Coal Company, R. Rt. 4, Box 235, Carlinville, Illinois 62626 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.1100–2(i)(1) (quantity and location of firefighting equipment) to its No. 1 Mine (I.D. No. 11–00726) located in Macoupin County, Illinois. The petitioner proposes to use the following emergency materials instead of emergency materials required by the mandatory safety standard: 112 Kennedy Metal Shopping Panels with associated head sills and twist clamps; 24 Kennedy Stopping Rib Angles; 3 rolls of tape; 3 twist tools; 2 rolls of brattice cloth; 3 stopping jacks; 3 picks; 3 shovels; 9 buckets of Celtite 10–12 (or equivalent material for stopping; and 5 tons of rock dust. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as would the mandatory standard.

11. Peabody Coal Company

[Docket No. M–96–11–C]

Peabody Coal Company, R.R. 2, Box 56B2, Carlisle, Indiana 47838 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 77.1304(a) (blasting agents; special provisions) to its Hawthorn Mine (I.D. No. 12–00326) located in Greene County, Indiana. The petitioner proposes to use waste petroleum-based lubrication oil recycled from equipment at its mine, blended with diesel fuel oil

to create an ANFO blasting agent. The petitioner has outlined in this petition for modification specific procedures for implementing its alternative method of creating the ANFO blasting agent. The petitioner states that Material Safety Data Sheets for the used oil and diesel fuel oil would be maintained on its mine property and made available to the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) upon request; that records would be maintained for a period of three years and made available to MSHA and the miners' representative when requested; that within 60 days after this petition becomes final, proposed revisions to its training plan would be submitted to the District Manager which would include initial and refresher training and emergency procedures for compliance with the conditions stated in this petition; and that this modification follows MSHA's guidelines for combining used oil and ANFO with a few variations.

12. Torie Mining, Inc.

[Docket No. M–96–12–C]

Torie Mining, Inc., P.O. Box 490, Virgie, Kentucky 41572 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.342 to its Torie No. 1 Mine (I.D. No. 15–17163) located in Pike County, Kentucky. The petitioner proposes to use a hand-held continuous-duty methane detector on its permissible DC-powered S&S Model 482 scoop machines. The petitioner states that each operator working underground would be certified in the proper use of the hand-held detector. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would not diminish the level of safety provided by the mandatory standard.

Request for Comments

Persons interested in these petitions may furnish written comments. These comments must be filed with the Office of Standards, Regulations and Variances, Mine Safety and Health Administration, Room 627, 4015 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22203. All comments must be postmarked or received in that office on or before April 29, 1996. Copies of these petitions are available for inspection at that address.

Dated: March 21, 1996.

Patricia W. Silvey,

Director, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (96-034)]

Notice of Prospective Patent License

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of Prospective Patent License.

NASA hereby gives notice that the SR Technology, Inc., of Houston, Texas 77064, has applied for an exclusive license to practice the invention protected by U.S. Patent No. 5,449,211 entitled "Grapple Fixture for Use With Electromagnetic Attachment Mechanism," which was issued on September 12, 1995, and is assigned to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Written objections to the prospective grant of a license should be sent to Mr. Hardie R. Barr, Patent Attorney, Johnson Space Center.

DATE: Responses to this notice must be received by May 28, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Hardie R. Barr, Patent Attorney, Johnson Space Center, Mail Code HA, Houston, TX 77058-3696; telephone (713) 483-1003.

Dated: March 21, 1996.

Edward A. Frankle,

General Counsel.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

National Endowment for the Arts; Music Teleconference

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a teleconference of the Music Advisory Panel (Jazz Masters Section) to the National Council on the Arts will be held on April 11, 1996. The teleconference will occur at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506. It will convene at 11 a.m. and end when business is completed.

This meeting is for the purpose of application evaluation, under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the Agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman on June 22, 1995, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsections (c)

(4), (6) and 9 (B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Kathy Plowitz-Worden, Panel Coordinator, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC 20506, or call (202) 682-5691.

Dated: March 22, 1996.

Kathy Plowitz-Worden,

Panel Coordinator, Office of Guidelines and Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts.

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NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

AGENCY: National Labor Relations Board (NLRB).

ACTION: Notice of amended system name and routine uses for NLRB system of records NLRB-20, Agency Disciplinary Case Files.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the system name and the language of four routine uses in the NLRB Privacy Act system of records NLRB-20, Agency Disciplinary Case Files.

EFFECTIVE DATE: These amendments shall become effective without further notice 30 days from the date of this publication, April 29, 1996, unless comments are received on or before that date which results in a contrary determination.

ADDRESSES: Written comments on the amendments may be submitted to the Executive Secretary, National Labor Relations Board, 1099 Fourteenth Street NW., Washington, DC 20570-0001. Copies of comments received will be available for inspection between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. in Room 11600.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John J. Toner, Executive Secretary, National Labor Relations Board, 1099 Fourteenth Street NW., Washington, DC 20570-0001.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to subsection (e)(11) of the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a, the NLRB is publishing a notice amending the name of its system of records NLRB-20, Agency Disciplinary Case Files and revising existing routine uses Nos. 2, 5, 6, and 9. The system notice of NLRB-20 was last published in its entirety in 58 FR 57633, along with a proposed rule exempting the system from certain provisions of the Privacy Act, on October 26, 1993.

The name of the system is changed by placing the word "Nonemployees" at the end in parenthesis after the existing system name: NLRB-20, Agency Disciplinary Case Files (Nonemployees). This is being done in order to make clear that the system is only applicable to attorneys and other individuals who are not current NLRB employees. The four amended routine uses Nos. 2, 5, 6, and 9 respectively narrow the existing routine uses to specify more exactly the information that may be disclosed to a bar association or similar Federal, state, or local licensing authority; an inquiring Federal, state, or local government authority for hiring or retention of an employee; a court or other adjudicatory body in the course of presenting evidence or argument, including disclosure to opposing counsel or witnesses in the course of civil discovery; and an inquiring congressional office about the subject individual who must be the constituent about whom the records are maintained.

A report of this notice to amend the name of the system and the four routine uses in NLRB-20, Agency Disciplinary Case Files was filed pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(r) with the Office of Management and Budget and with Congress. The specific changes to the notice being amended (58 FR 57633, October 26, 1993) are set forth below.

Dated: Washington, DC., March 14, 1996.

By direction of the Board.

John J. Toner,

Executive Secretary.

NLRB-20

SYSTEM NAME:

Agency Disciplinary Case Files (Nonemployees).

ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:

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2. A bar association or similar Federal, State, or local licensing authority, where the record or information, by itself or in connection with other records or information, indicates a violation or potential violation of the standards of professional conduct established or adopted by the licensing authority.

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5. A Federal, State, or local government authority, in response to its request, that this system of records contains information relevant to the hiring or retention of an employee, the issuance or retention of a security clearance, the letting of a contract, or the issuance or retention of a license, grant, or other benefit. The other agency