

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments relating to the amended consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to United States versus Ohio Power Company, DOJ Ref. 90-5-2-1-1958.

The proposed amended consent decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, Northern District of West Virginia, 1125-1141 Chapline Street, Room 238, Wheeling, WV 26003; the Region III Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 941 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107; and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005, 202-624-0892. A copy of the proposed amended consent decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. In requesting a copy, please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$16.75 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library.

Joel M. Gross,

*Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section,  
Environment and Natural Resources Division.*  
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#### **Notice of Lodging of Consent Decrees Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.**

Notice is hereby given that two proposed consent decrees in *United States v. Philips Electronics North America Corporation, et al.*, Civil Action No. 3:96CV0228RM, were lodged on March 29, 1996, with the United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana, South Bend Division. The proposed consent decrees provide for payments totaling \$341,000 to the United States which resolve the United States' claims against the settling parties regarding certain response costs incurred or to be incurred in connection with the Elkhart River Solvent Release Site, located in Elkhart, Indiana, pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA), 42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.

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comments relating to the proposed consent decrees. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Philips Electronics North America Corporation, et al.*, DOJ Ref. #90-11-2-969.

The proposed consent decrees may be examined at the office of the United States Attorney, Northern District of Indiana, South Bend Division, M-1 Federal Bldg., 204 S. Main Street, South Bend, Indiana, 46601; the Region 5 Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604; and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005, (202) 624-0892. A copy of the two proposed consent decrees may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. In requesting a copy please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$10.75 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library.

Joel M. Gross,

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Environment and Natural Resources Division.*  
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#### **Antitrust Division**

##### **Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, Auto Body Consortium 2**

Notice is hereby given that, on September 22, 1995, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 et seq. ("the Act"), Auto Body Consortium 2 filed written notification simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notification was filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Auto Body Consortium 2 advised that Ansys, Inc., Houston, PA and InTech R&D, Columbus, OH are now members of the Consortium. The Consortium further advised that Square D, Troy, MI is no longer a member.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the Consortium. Membership in this Consortium remains open, and the Consortium intends to file

additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On September 18, 1995, the Consortium filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act of December 6, 1995, (60 FR 62476).

Constance K. Robinson,

*Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.*

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##### **Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, Universal Instruments Corporation**

Notice is hereby given that, on February 27, 1996, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 et seq. ("the Act"), Universal Instruments Corporation has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. The following are new members: Northern Telecom Limited, Ontario, CANADA; Sandia National Labs, Albuquerque, NM; and SGS—Thomson Microelectronics, Ltd., Carrollton, TX.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or the planned activity of the group research project. Membership in the venture remains open, and the parties intend to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in the membership or planned activities.

On January 16, 1995, Universal Instruments Corporation filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the Federal Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on July 20, 1995 (61 FR 7020).

Constance K. Robinson,

*Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.*

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**Office of Justice Programs****National Institute of Justice**

[OJP (NIJ) No. 1076]

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**National Institute of Justice  
Solicitation for an Evaluation of the  
Jackson County, Missouri Community-  
Backed Anti-Drug Tax (COMBAT)  
Initiative****AGENCY:** U.S. Department of Justice,  
Office of Justice Programs, National  
Institute of Justice.**ACTION:** Announcement of the  
availability of the National Institute of  
Justice Solicitation "COMBAT Program  
Evaluation".**ADDRESSES:** National Institute of Justice,  
633 Indiana Avenue, NW., Washington,  
DC 20531.**DATES:** The deadline for receipt of  
proposals is close of business on June  
28, 1996.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr.  
Pamela K. Lattimore at (202) 307-2961,  
National Institute of Justice, 633 Indiana  
Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20531.**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The  
following supplementary information is  
provided:**Authority.**

This action is authorized under the  
Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets  
Act of 1968, Sections 201-203, as  
amended, 42 U.S.C. 3721-3723 (1988).

**Background**

The National Institute of Justice (NIJ)  
is soliciting proposals to conduct an  
evaluation of the Jackson County,  
Missouri Community-Backed Anti-drug  
Tax (COMBAT) initiative, a locally  
funded effort designed to fight drugs in  
the county through law enforcement,  
prosecution, and prevention efforts. It  
is funded through a voter-approved  
supplement to the County sales tax, to  
be used exclusively to support intensive  
anti-drug efforts.

The National Institute of Justice  
anticipates a single award of up to  
\$500,000.

Interested organizations should call  
the National Criminal Justice Reference  
Service (NCJRS) at 1-800-851-3420 to  
obtain a copy of NIJ's "COMBAT  
Program Evaluation." (refer to document  
no. SL000140). The solicitation is  
available electronically via the NCJRS  
Bulletin Board, which can be accessed  
via Internet. Telnet to ncjrsbbs.ncjrs.org,  
or gopher to ncjrs.org:71. For World  
Wide Web access, connect to the NCJRS  
Justice Information Center at <http://>

[www.ncjrs.org](http://www.ncjrs.org). Those without Internet  
access can dial the NCJRS Bulletin  
Board via modem: dial 301-738-8895.  
Set modem at 9600 baud, 8-N-1.

Jeremy Travis, Director,

*National Institute of Justice.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****Employment Standards Administration****Wage and Hour Division****Minimum Wages for Federal and  
Federally Assisted Construction;  
General Wage Determination Decisions**

General wage determination decisions  
of the Secretary of Labor are issued in  
accordance with applicable law and are  
based on the information obtained by  
the Department of Labor from its study  
of local wage conditions and data made  
available from other sources. They  
specify the basic hourly wage rates and  
fringe benefits which are determined to  
be prevailing for the described classes of  
laborers and mechanics employed on  
construction projects of a similar  
character and in the localities specified  
therein.

The determinations in these decisions  
of prevailing rates and fringe benefits  
have been made in accordance with 29  
CFR Part 1, by authority of the Secretary  
of Labor pursuant to the provisions of  
the Davis-Bacon Act of March 3, 1931,  
as amended (46 Stat. 1494, as amended,  
40 U.S.C. 276a) and of other Federal  
statutes referred to in 29 CFR Part 1,  
Appendix, as well as such additional  
statutes as may from time to time be  
enacted containing provisions for the  
payment of wages determined to be  
prevailing by the Secretary of Labor in  
accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act.  
The prevailing rates and fringe benefits  
determined in these decisions shall, in  
accordance with the provisions of the  
foregoing statutes, constitute the  
minimum wages payable on Federal and  
federally assisted construction projects  
to laborers and mechanics of the  
specified classes engaged on contract  
work of the character and in the  
localities described therein.

Good cause is hereby found for not  
utilizing notice and public comment  
procedure thereon prior to the issuance  
of these determinations as prescribed in  
5 U.S.C. 553 and not providing for delay  
in the effective date as prescribed in that  
section, because the necessity to issue  
current construction industry wage  
determinations frequently and in large  
volume causes procedures to be

impractical and contrary to the public  
interest.

General wage determination  
decisions, and modifications and  
supersedes decisions thereto, contain no  
expiration dates and are effective from  
their date of notice in the Federal  
Register, or on the date written notice  
is received by the agency, whichever is  
earlier. These decisions are to be used  
in accordance with the provisions of 29  
CFR Parts 1 and 5. Accordingly, the  
applicable decision, together with any  
modifications issued, must be made a  
part of every contract for performance of  
the described work within the  
geographic area indicated as required by  
an applicable Federal prevailing wage  
law and 29 CFR Part 5. The wage rates  
and fringe benefits, notice of which is  
published herein, and which are  
contained in the Government Printing  
Office (GPO) document entitled  
"General Wage Determinations Issued  
Under The Davis-Bacon And Related  
Acts," shall be the minimum paid by  
contractors and subcontractors to  
laborers and mechanics.

Any person, organization, or  
governmental agency having an interest  
in the rates determined as prevailing is  
encouraged to submit wage rate and  
fringe benefit information for  
consideration by the Department.  
Further information and self-  
explanatory forms for the purpose of  
submitting this data may be obtained by  
writing to the U.S. Department of Labor,  
Employment Standards Administration,  
Wage and Hour Division, Division of  
Wage Determinations, 200 Constitution  
Avenue NW., Room S-3014,  
Washington, D.C. 20210.

**New General Wage Determination  
Decisions**

The number of the decisions added to  
the Government Printing Office  
document entitled "General Wage  
Determination Issued Under the Davis-  
Bacon and related Acts" are listed by  
Volume and State:

*Volume II*

## Virginia

VA960107 (Apr. 12, 1996)

VA960108 (Apr. 12, 1996)

*Volume V*

## Oklahoma

OK960031 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960032 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960033 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960034 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960035 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960036 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960037 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960038 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960039 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960040 (Apr. 12, 1996)

OK960041 (Apr. 12, 1996)