

Compensation, DD Form 2767, 0704-0357.

Type of Request: Reinstatement, with change.

Number of Respondents: 4,800.

Responses per Respondent: 1

Annual Responses: 4,800.

Average Burden per Response: 10 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 800.

Needs and Uses: Public Law 102-484, Section 4464, required the Department of Defense to develop policy and procedures to validate and credit increased compensation for qualifying public and community service employment performed by retired personnel of the Armed Forces under the "Temporary Early Retirement Authority Program." Public Law 103-337, Section 542, extended this program to the Coast Guard. This information collection, which uses the DD Form 2676, "Validation of Public or Community Service Employment," will allow DoD and Coast Guard to collect necessary information to recompute retired pay when the participating member qualifies under this program. Respondents to this program will be public or community service employers. The data are submitted by the Defense Manpower Data Center to either the Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) or the Coast Guard Finance Center for update of final pay

information files. When a member reaches age 62, the Finance Centers will recompute retirement pay, adding whatever public or community service employment was validated during the enhanced retirement qualification period.

Affected Public: Not-for-profit institutions; Federal Government; State, local, or tribal government.

Frequency: On occasion and annually.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: Mr. Edward C. Springer.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Mr. Springer at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

DOD Clearance Officer: Mr. William Pearce.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Mr. Pearce, WHS/DIOR, 1215 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1204, Arlington, VA 22202-4302.

Dated: September 17, 1996.

Patricia L. Toppings,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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[Transmittal No. 96-76]

36(b) Notification

AGENCY: Department of Defense, Defense Security Assistance Agency.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense is publishing the unclassified text of a section 36(b) arms sales notification. This is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of Pub. L. 104-164 dated 21 July 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mr. A. Urban, DSAA/COMPT/FPD, (703) 604-6575.

The following is a copy of the letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Transmittal 96-76, with attached transmittal and policy justification pages.

Dated: September 18, 1996.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEFENSE SECURITY ASSISTANCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON, DC 20301-2800

12 SEP 1996

In reply refer to:
I-04272/96ct

Honorable Newt Gingrich
Speaker of the House of
Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515-6501

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, we are forwarding herewith Transmittal No. 96-76, concerning the Department of the Air Force's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Korea for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$139 million. Soon after this letter is delivered to your office, we plan to notify the news media.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "H. Diehl McKalip", is positioned above the typed name.

H. Diehl McKalip
Acting Director

Attachments

Same ltr to: House Committee on International Relations
Senate Committee on Appropriations
Senate Committee on Foreign Relations
House Committee on National Security
Senate Committee on Armed Services
House Committee on Appropriations

Transmittal No. 96-76

Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer
Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1)
of the Arms Export Control Act

- (i) Prospective Purchaser: Korea
- (ii) Total Estimated Value:
- | | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Major Defense Equipment* | \$ 0 million |
| Other | <u>\$139 million</u> |
| TOTAL | \$139 million |
- (iii) Description of Articles or Services Offered:
This sale will provide funds for the purchase of spare parts under a Cooperative Logistics Supply Support Arrangement (CLSSA) requisition case (FMSO II) for the support of F/RF-4, F/RF-5, A/T-37, C-130 and F-16 aircraft; AN/FPS-117 and AN/FRN-45 radar systems; and AIM-7 and AIM-9 missile systems. These items are of U.S. origin and are being operated by the Republic of Korea.
- (iv) Military Department: Air Force (KCG)
- (v) Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed to be Paid: None
- (vi) Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense Article or Defense Services Proposed to be Sold:
None
- (vii) Date Report Delivered to Congress: 12 SEP 1996

* as defined in Section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act.

POLICY JUSTIFICATIONKorea - Cooperative Logistics Supply Support Arrangement

The Government of Korea has requested the purchase of spare parts under a Cooperative Logistics Supply Support Arrangement (CLSSA) requisition case (FMSO II) for the support of F/RF-4, F/RF-5, A/T-37, C-130 and F-16 aircraft; AN/FPS-117 and AN/FRN-45 radar systems; and AIM-7 and AIM-9 missile systems. These items are of U.S. origin and are being operated by the Republic of Korea. The estimated cost is \$139 million.

This sale will contribute to the foreign policy and national security of the United States by helping to improve the security of a friendly country which has been and continues to be an important force for political stability and economic progress in Northeast Asia.

The Republic of Korea needs these spare parts to maintain the aircraft, radar, and missile systems previously procured from the United States in a mission capable status.

The sale of this equipment and support will not affect the basic military balance in the region.

Procurement of these items of support will be from the many contractors providing similar items to the U.S. armed forces. There are no offset agreements proposed to be entered into in connection with this potential sale.

Implementation of this sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government personnel or contractor representatives to Korea.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this sale.