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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Export Trade Certificate of Review; Notice of Application

SUMMARY: The Office of Export Trading Company Affairs ("OETCA"), International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce, has received an application for an Export Trade Certificate of Review. This notice summarizes the conduct for which certification is sought and requests comments relevant to whether the Certificate should be issued.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: W. Dawn Busby, Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, International Trade Administration, (202) 482-5131. This is not a toll-free number.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 (15 U.S.C. 4001-21) authorizes the Secretary of Commerce to issue Export Trade Certificates of Review. A Certificate of Review protects the holder and the members identified in the Certificate from state and federal government antitrust actions and from private, treble damage antitrust actions for the export conduct specified in the Certificate and carried out in compliance with its terms and conditions. Section 302(b)(1) of the Act and 15 CFR 325.6(a) require the Secretary to publish a notice in the Federal Register identifying the applicant and summarizing its proposed export conduct.

Request for Public Comments

Interested parties may submit written comments relevant to the determination whether a Certificate should be issued. An original and five (5) copies should be submitted no later than 20 days after the date of this notice to: Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce, Room 1800H,

Washington, D.C. 20230. Information submitted by any person is exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552). Comments should refer to this application as "Export Trade Certificate of Review, application number 96-00001." A summary of the application follows.

Summary of the Application

Applicant: Trustech, Inc., 611 West 6th Street, AT&T Center #2151, Los Angeles, California 90017-3101.

Contact: Don K. Pyon, Chief Executive Officer.

Telephone: (213) 896-0099.

Application No.: 96-00001.

Date Deemed Submitted: February 15, 1996.

Members (in addition to applicant): Don K. Pyon, Chief Executive Officer and Ik Hwan Son, President.

Trustech, Inc. seeks a Certificate to cover the following specific Export Trade, Export Markets, and Export Trade Activities and Methods of Operations.

Export Trade

1. Products

(A) U.S. MADE WEAPON SYSTEMS AND THEIR SPARE PARTS (including but not limited to: All Types of Small Arms and Equipment for Army Special Operations Forces (ARSOF), Thermal Imaging Airborne Laser Designation (TIALD) System, Special Operations Communication Assemblages (SOCA), Tactical Missile and Precision Strike Munitions, Brilliant Anti-Armor Submission (BAT), Improved TOW Weapon System (TOW-2B), Multiple Launch Rocket System (MLRS)-M270, Improved Fire Control System (IFCS), Sense and Destroy Armor (SADARM), Hellfire II Missile, and HYDRA 70 Rocket System for Cobra Helicopters);

(B) MILITARY AIRCRAFT COMPONENTS AND SPARE PARTS;

(C) MILITARY COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS INCLUDING FIELD TRANSMITTERS AND RADARS (including but not limited to: Battlefield Surveillance Systems, Upgraded E-3 AWACS Sentry with situation display consoles (SDC), a better Radar Jamming System, Upgraded Joint Tactical Information Distribution System (JTIDS), Tactical Digital Information Link (TADIL), AN/TPQ-36(37) Mortar Locating Radar, Hunter Short-Range

Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV), NAVSTAR Global Positioning Systems (GPS), Artillery Target Survey Systems, Moving Target Firing Systems, Fire Range Distance Surveyor Systems, Battlefield Communications (Tactical Transmitters), Digital Transmission Assemblages (AN/TRC Series), Advanced Field Artillery Tactical Data System (AFATDS), Army Data Distribution System (ADDS), Satellite Tactical Communications (SATCOM), Single Channel Ground and Airborne Radio Systems (SINCGARS), and Army Tactical Command and Control System (ATCCS));

(D) NIGHT VISIONS FOR COMBAT PERSONNELS AND THERMO WEAPON SIGHT (including but not limited to: Second Generation Forward-Looking Infrared Radar (FLIR), Night Visions for Aviators, Mini Eyesafe Laser Infrared Observation Set, Thermo Weapon Sight, and Night Vision Goggle and Infra Red Aiming Light);

(E) MILITARY TRAINING AND SIMULATION SYSTEMS (including but not limited to: Tank/APC Driving Training System, War Game Simulation-Short Range, Tracking Training Set, Artillery L/O Set, Electronic Warfare Training Systems, and TOW Firing Training Systems);

(F) C4I SYSTEMS AND ITS COMPONENTS; and

(G) ALL KINDS OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE SURPLUS ITEMS-SALES BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE'S DEFENSE REUTILIZATION MARKETING SERVICE (including but not limited to: metal scrap, waste paper-recyclable, used and unused aircraft parts and components).

2. Services

All services.

3. Export Trade Facilitation Services (as They Relate to the Export of Products and Services)

All trade-facilitating services in connection with the export of Products, including but not limited to consulting, financing, insurance, advertising, foreign exhibiting and demonstration, trade documentation, countertrade and offsetting services, packing and crating, assembly, customs brokerage, market research and coordination.

Export Markets

The Export Markets include all parts of the world except the United States

(the fifty states of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, American Samoa, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands).

Export Trade Activities and Methods of Operation

Trustech, Inc. may:

1. Coordinate the participation of various domestic Suppliers in foreign trade exhibitions through the sharing of trade information that is generally available to the public.

2. Provide Export Trade Facilitation Services to domestic Suppliers.

3. Enter into exclusive agreements with domestic Suppliers to arrange for the export of Products to foreign customers in response to foreign invitations to bid. "Exclusive" means that Trustech, Inc. may agree not to represent any competitors of the Supplier without the Supplier's authorization, and the Supplier may agree not to otherwise sell, directly or indirectly, into Export Markets in which Trustech, Inc. serves the Supplier.

4. Enter into exclusive agreements with foreign customers to select domestic Suppliers of Products in order to match foreign buyer specifications. "Exclusive" means that Trustech, Inc. may agree to sell Products only to that foreign customer, and that foreign customer may agree not to buy those Products from anyone other than Trustech, Inc.

5. Establish export prices for domestic Suppliers seeking to respond to a foreign bid opportunity.

6. Contract with other Export Intermediaries and consultants for the arrangement of the export of the Products of domestic Suppliers to the Export Markets.

7. Meet and negotiate with domestic Suppliers concerning the terms of their participation in each bid, invitation or request to bid, or other sales opportunity in the Export Markets.

Definitions

1. "Export Intermediary" means a person who acts as a distributor, sales representative, sales or marketing agent, or broker, or who performs similar functions, including providing or arranging for the provision of Export Trade Facilitation Services.

2. "Supplier" means a person who produces, provides, or sells a Product and/or Service.

Dated: February 20, 1996.

W. Dawn Busby,

Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs.

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Minority Business Development Agency

Business Development Center Applications: West Palm Beach, Oklahoma City, and San Diego

AGENCY: Minority Business Development Agency, Commerce.

ACTION: Cancellations.

SUMMARY: The Minority Business Development Agency is cancelling the announcements to solicit competitive applications under its Minority Business Development Center (MBDC) Program to operate the West Palm Beach, Oklahoma City, and San Diego MBDCs. These solicitations were originally published in the Federal Register, Monday, December 4, 1995, Vol. 60, No. 232, 62073 and Thursday, December 7, 1995, Vol. 60, No. 235, 62826.

11.800 Minority Business Development Center

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance)

Dated: February 15, 1996.

Donald L. Powers,

Federal Register Liaison Officer, Minority Business Development Agency.

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National Institute of Standards and Technology

Visiting Committee on Advanced Technology; Meeting

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. app. 2, notice is hereby given that the National Institute of Standards and Technology Visiting Committee on Advanced Technology will meet on Tuesday, March 12, 1996, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The Visiting Committee on Advanced Technology is composed of nine members appointed by the Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology who are eminent in such fields as business, research, new product development, engineering, labor, education, management consulting, environment,

and international relations. The purpose of this meeting is to review and make recommendations regarding general policy for the Institute, its organization, its budget, and its programs within the framework of applicable national policies as set forth by the President and the Congress. The agenda will include presentations on the impact of the recent Federal Government shutdown on industry, the public, and NIST; the NIST mission; the impact of advancing technology on metrology needs; the search for productivity improvements at United Technologies; and a laboratory tour.

DATES: The meeting will convene March 12, 1996, at 8:30 a.m. and will adjourn at 5:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held in Lecture Room A, Administration Building, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, Maryland.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Chris E. Kuyatt, Visiting Committee Executive Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, Maryland 20899, (301) 975-6090.

Dated: February 20, 1996.

Samuel Kramer,

Associate Director.

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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; Meetings

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council will hold meetings.

DATES: The meetings will be held on March 12, 1996. See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** for specific meetings and times.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at the Norfolk Airport Hilton, 1500 N. Military Highway, Norfolk, VA 23502.

Council Address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 300 S. New Street, Dover, DE 19901; telephone: 302-674-2331.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David R. Keifer, Executive Director; telephone: 302-674-2331.