

whether Respondent failed to comply with the Flammable Fabrics Act as aforesaid, (d) to a statement of findings and fact and conclusions of law, and (e) to any claims under the Equal Access to Justice Act.

12. Violation of the provisions of the Order may subject Respondent to a civil and/or criminal penalty for such violation, as prescribed by law.

13. For purposes of section 6(b) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2055(b), this matter shall be treated as if a complaint had been issued; and the Commission may publicize the terms of the Consent Agreement.

14. Agreements, understandings, representations, or interpretations made outside the Consent Order Agreement may not be used to vary or to contradict its terms.

15. Upon acceptance of this Agreement, the Commission shall issue the following Order incorporated herein by reference.

Respondent Monarch Towel Company, Inc.

Dated: February 19, 1998.

Berenice Chadowitz,

Chief Executive Officer, Monarch Towel Company, Inc., 737 Cortlandt Street, Perth Amboy, NJ 08861.

Dated: February 18, 1998.

Ashley Chadowitz,

President and General Counsel, Monarch Towel Company, Inc., 737 Cortlandt Street, Perth Amboy, NJ 08861.

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Alan H. Schoem,

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Eric L. Stone,

Director, Legal Division, Office of Compliance.

Dated: February 24, 1998.

Dennis C. Kacoyanis,

Trial Attorney, Legal Division, Office of Compliance.

## Order

Upon consideration of the Agreement of the parties.

## I

*It is hereby ordered that* Respondent, its successors and assigns, agents, representatives, and employees, directly or through any corporation, subsidiary, division, or other business entity, or through any agency, device or instrumentality, do forthwith cease and desist from the manufacture for sale, the sale, or the offering for sale, in commerce, or the importation into the United States, or the introduction, delivery for introduction, transportation or causing to be transported, in

commerce, or the sale or delivery after a sale or shipment in commerce, children's sleepwear that fails to comply with the flammability requirements of the Standards for the Flammability of Children's Sleepwear, 16 CFR Parts 1615 and 1616.

## II

*It is further ordered that* Respondent pay to the United States Treasury a civil penalty of *ten thousand dollars* (\$10,000.000) within twenty (20) days after service upon Respondent of the Final Order.

## III

*It is further ordered that* Respondent notify the Commission within 30 days following the consummation of the sale of a majority of its stock or following a change in any of its corporate officers responsible for compliance with the terms of this Consent Agreement and Order.

By direction of the Commission, this Consent Order Agreement is provisionally accepted pursuant to 16 CFR 1605.13, and shall be placed on the public record, and the Secretary is directed to publish the provisional acceptance of the Consent Order Agreement in the Commission's Public Calendar and in the **Federal Register**.

*So ordered by the Commission, this 26th day of March, 1998.*

**Sadye E. Dunn,**

Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense, Acquisition and Technology (Industrial Affairs and Installations).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense, Acquisition and Technology (Industrial Affairs and Installations) announces the proposed reinstatement of a public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including

whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by June 1, 1998.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense, Acquisition and Technology (Industrial Affairs and Installations), ATTN: Ms. Katie Smith, 400 Army Navy Drive, Suite 205, Arlington, VA 22202-2884.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request further information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to the above address, or call Ms. Katie Smith (703) 604-2400.

*Title, Associated Form, and OMB Number:* Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) Military Base Reuse Status, DD Form 2740, OMB Number 0790-0003.

*Needs and Uses:* See Supplementary Information below.

*Affected Public:* All base closure communities and the general public.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 150.

*Number of Respondents:* 75.

*Responses per Respondent:* 2.

*Average Burden per Response:* 1 hour.

*Frequency:* Semi-annual.

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### Summary of Information Collection

Through the Office of Economic Adjustment (OEA), DoD funds are provided to communities for economic adjustment planning in response to closures of military installations. A measure of program evaluation is the monitoring of civilian job creation and type of redevelopment at the former military installations. The respondents to the semi-annual survey will generally include a single point of contact at the local level who is responsible for overseeing redevelopment efforts. If this data is not collected, OEA would have no accurate, timely information regarding the civilian reuse of former military bases. A key function of the economic adjustment program is to encourage private sector use of lands and buildings to generate jobs as military activity diminishes and to serve as a clearinghouse for reuse data.

Dated: March 26, 1998.

**Patricia L. Toppings,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register, Liaison  
Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

### NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[OMB Control No. 9000-0095]

#### Proposed Collection; Comment Request Entitled Commerce Patent Regulations

**AGENCIES:** Department of Defense (DOD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of request for comments regarding an extension to an existing OMB clearance (9000-0095).

**SUMMARY:** Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Secretariat will be submitting to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve an extension of a currently approved information collection requirement concerning Commerce Patent Regulations, Public Law 98-620. The clearance currently expires on July 31, 1998.

**DATES:** Comments may be submitted on or before June 1, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jack O'Neill, Federal Acquisition Policy Division, GSA (202) 501-3856.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, should be submitted to: FAR Desk Officer, OMB, Room 10102, NEOB, Washington, DC 20503, and a copy to the General Services Administration, FAR Secretariat, 1800 F Street, NW, Room 4037, Washington, DC 20405. Please cite OMB Control No. 9000-0095, Commerce Patent Regulations, in all correspondence.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### A. Purpose

As a result of the Department of Commerce (Commerce) publishing a final rule in the **Federal Register** implementing Public Law 98-620 (52 FR 8552, March 18, 1987), a revision to FAR Subpart 27.3 to implement the

Commerce regulation was published in the **Federal Register** as an interim rule on June 12, 1989 (54 FR 25060).

A Government contractor must report all subject inventions to the contracting officer, submit a disclosure of the invention, and identify any publication, or sale, or public use of the invention (52.227-11(c), 52.228-12(c), and 52.227-13(e)(2)). Contractors are required to submit periodic or interim and final reports listing subject inventions (27.303(a); 27.304-1(e)(1)(i) and (ii); 27.304-1(e)(2)(i) and (ii); 52.227-12(f)(7); 52.227-14(e)(3)). In order to ensure that subject inventions are reported, the contractor is required to establish and maintain effective procedures for identifying and disclosing subject inventions (52.227-11, Alternate IV; 52.227-12(f)(5); 52.227-13(e)(1)).

In addition, the contractor must require his employees, by written agreements, to disclose subject inventions (52.227-11(f)(2); 52.227-12(f)(2); 52.227-13(e)(4)). The contractor also has an obligation to utilize the subject invention, and agree to report, upon request, the utilization or efforts to utilize the subject invention (27.302(e); 52.227-11(h); 52.227-12(h)).

##### B. Annual Reporting Burden

Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 3.9 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to General Services Administration, FAR Secretariat, 1800 F Street, NW, Room 4037, Washington, DC 20405.

The annual reporting burden is estimated as follows:

Respondents, 1,200; responses per respondent, 9.75; total annual responses, 11,700; preparation hours per response, 3.9; and total response burden hours, 45,630.

##### OBTAINING COPIES OR PROPOSALS:

Requester may obtain a copy of the justification from the General Services Administration, FAR Secretariat (MVRs), Room 4037, 1800 F Street, NW, Washington, DC 20405, telephone (202) 501-4755. Please cite OMB Control No. 9000-0095, Commerce Patent Regulations, in all correspondence.

Dated: March 27, 1998.

**Sharon A. Kiser,**

*FAR Secretariat.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army

#### Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) on the Disposal and Reuse of the Seneca Army Depot Activity, NY

**AGENCY:** Department of the Army, DOD.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed action evaluated by this FEIS is the disposal of the Seneca Army Depot Activity (SEDA), New York, in accordance with the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Act of 1990, Public Law 101-510, as amended.

The FEIS addresses the environmental impacts of the disposal and subsequent reuse of the entire installation except for the property required to create and maintain an enclave for storage of hazardous materials and ores as directed by the BRAC Commission. Alternatives examined in the FEIS include encumbered disposal of the property, unencumbered disposal of the property and retention of the property in a caretaker status (*i.e.*, the no action alternative). The Army's preferred alternative for disposal of SEDA property is encumbered disposal, with encumbrances pertaining to historical resources, remedial activities, easements, wetlands, groundwater use, and unexploded ordnance.

Disposal of the Depot property is the Army's primary action. Reuse of the property is a secondary action that will be taken by others. The FEIS also analyzes the potential environmental effects of reuse by means of evaluating intensity-based probable reuse scenarios. Appropriate to the Depot are low, medium-low, and medium intensity reuse scenarios reflecting the range of activities that could occur after disposal of the property.

The Army proposes to make the majority of the 10,594 acres available to the Seneca County Industrial Development Authority (IDA). The U.S. Coast Guard would obtain 292 acres for continued use of a LORAN-C antenna station. The Army would retain 30 acres for the establishment of a BRAC Commission directed enclave for storage of hazardous materials and ores. This would leave approximately 10,272 acres available for transfer or conveyance.