

Dynegy Northeast Generation, Inc. (1254).

DATES: Comments or requests for a public hearing on the modification request must be received at the appropriate address or fax number no later than 5 p.m. eastern standard time on June 1, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Written comments on any of the new applications or modification requests should be sent to the appropriate office as indicated below. Comments may also be sent via fax to the number indicated for the application or modification request. Comments will not be accepted if submitted via e-mail or the Internet. The applications and related documents are available for review in the indicated office, by appointment:

Endangered Species Division, F/PR3, 1315 East West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910 (phone:301-713-1401, fax: 301-713-0376).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Terri Jordan, Silver Spring, MD (phone: 301-713-1401, fax: 301-713-0376, e-mail: Terri.Jordan@noaa.gov)

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority

Issuance of permits and permit modifications, as required by the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531-1543) (ESA), is based on a finding that such permits/modifications: (1) are applied for in good faith; (2) would not operate to the disadvantage of the listed species which are the subject of the permits; and (3) are consistent with the purposes and policies set forth in section 2 of the ESA. Scientific research and/or enhancement permits are issued under Section 10(a)(1)(A) of the ESA. Authority to take listed species is subject to conditions set forth in the permits. Permits and modifications are issued in accordance with and are subject to the ESA and NMFS regulations governing listed fish and wildlife permits (50 CFR parts 222-226).

Those individuals requesting a hearing on an application listed in this notice should set out the specific reasons why a hearing on that application would be appropriate (see **ADDRESSES**). The holding of such hearing is at the discretion of the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NOAA. All statements and opinions contained in the permit action summaries are those of the applicant and do not necessarily reflect the views of NMFS.

Species Covered in This Notice

The following species are covered in this notice:

Sea turtles

Threatened and endangered Green turtle (*Chelonia mydas*)

Endangered Hawksbill turtle (*Eretmochelys imbricata*)

Endangered Kemp's ridley turtle (*Lepidochelys kempi*)

Endangered Leatherback turtle (*Dermochelys coriacea*)

Threatened Loggerhead turtle (*Caretta caretta*)

Threatened and endangered Olive ridley turtle (*Lepidochelys olivacea*)

Fish

Endangered Shortnose Sturgeon (*Acipenser brevirostrum*)

Modification Requests Received

Permit #1227

The applicant requests a modification to permit 1227. Permit 1227 authorizes the capture of up to five leatherback turtles in breakaway hoop nets for the purpose of collecting genetic samples and attaching satellite transmitters to the animals. Modification #1 would increase the authorized annual take from five animals to 100 animals. All of the animals would be measured, flipper tagged, PIT tagged, have a tissue sample collected and then be released. Up to 20 of these animals would have satellite transmitters attached to them via a harness.

Permits and Modified Permits Issued

Permit #1236

Notice was published on April 14, 2000 (65 FR 20138), that Dr. John A. Musick, PhD., of the College of William and Mary applied for a scientific research. Permit 1236 was issued on October 10, 2000. During the review of permit #1236 part of the proposed permit was separated from the package for additional comment and review. This portion is now being issued as modification #1 to permit 1236. Modification #1 authorizes the take of listed sea turtles in the coastal waters of the Chesapeake Bay. Research conducted in the Chesapeake Bay will study inter-nesting movements of sea turtles in Virginia via satellite telemetry. The study will capture, handle, tag (PIT, flipper, satellite, radio and acoustic), collect biological samples (via humeral bone biopsy, blood samples and laparoscopy) and release loggerhead, green, Kemp's ridley, and leatherback turtles. Modification #1 to permit 1236 was issued on April 10, 2001,

authorizing take of listed species. Permit 1236 expires June 30, 2005.

Permit #1254

Notice was published on February 8, 2001 (66 FR 8560), that Mr. Martin Daley, of Dynegy Northeast Generation (DNG) applied for a modification to 1254. For modification #1, DNG requested the removal of Central Hudson Gas and Electric (CHGE) from the permit as a result of the completed sale of the Roseton and Danskammer Point power plants from CHGE to DNG. Modification #1 to Permit 1254 was issued on April 13, 2001, authorizing take of listed species. Permit 1254 expires August 31, 2005.

Dated: April 26, 2001.

Phil Williams,

Acting Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Adjustment of Import Limits for Certain Cotton, Wool and Man-Made Fiber Textile Products Produced or Manufactured in the Dominican Republic

April 26, 2001.

AGENCY: Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements (CITA).

ACTION: Issuing a directive to the Commissioner of Customs adjusting limits.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 4, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Naomi Freeman, International Trade Specialist, Office of Textiles and Apparel, U.S. Department of Commerce, (202) 482-4212. For information on the quota status of these limits, refer to the Quota Status Reports posted on the bulletin boards of each Customs port, call (202) 927-5850, or refer to the U.S. Customs website at <http://www.customs.gov>. For information on embargoes and quota re-openings, refer to the Office of Textiles and Apparel website at <http://otexa.ita.doc.gov>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority: Section 204 of the Agricultural Act of 1956, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1854); Executive Order 11651 of March 3, 1972, as amended.

The current limits for certain categories are being adjusted for swing.

A description of the textile and apparel categories in terms of HTS numbers is available in the CORRELATION: Textile and Apparel Categories with the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (see **Federal Register** notice 65 FR 82328, published on December 28, 2000). Also see 65 FR 75671, published on December 4, 2000.

D. Michael Hutchinson,

Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

April 26, 2001.

Commissioner of Customs,
Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC 20229.

Dear Commissioner: This directive amends, but does not cancel, the directive issued to you on November 28, 2000, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain cotton, wool and man-made fiber textile products, produced or manufactured in the Dominican Republic and exported during the twelve-month period which began on January 1, 2001 and extends through December 31, 2001.

Effective on May 4, 2001, you are directed to adjust the current limits for the following categories, as provided for under the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing:

Category	Adjusted twelve-month limit ¹
339/639	1,452,969 dozen.
342/642	660,793 dozen.
433	24,540 dozen.
442	82,693 dozen.

¹ The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 2000.

The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements has determined that these actions fall within the foreign affairs exception of the rulemaking provisions of 5 U.S.C. 553(a)(1).

Sincerely,

D. Michael Hutchinson,

Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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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 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics, Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of

Defense for Installations, Office of Economic Adjustment.

ACTION: Notice.

In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of Economic Adjustment announces the proposed extension of a currently approved 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 July 2, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties should submit written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection to the Office of Economic Adjustment, ATTN: Ms. Katie Smith, 400 Army Navy Drive, Suite 200, Arlington, VA 22202-2884; E-mail comments submitted via the Internet should be addressed to: Katie.Smith@osd.mil.

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

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

Needs and Uses: 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.

Affected Public: Business or Other For-Profit; Federal Government; State, Local, or Tribal Government.

Annual Burden Hours: 150.

Number of Annual Respondents: 75.

Annual Responses to Respondent: 2.

Average Burden per Response: 1 hour.

Frequency: Semi-annual.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Summary of Information Collection

This information collection is authorized by the Defense Economic Adjustment, Diversification, Conversion, and Stabilization Act of 1990, Public Law 101-510, 10 U.S.C. 2391, and Executive Order 12788.

Dated: April 26, 2001.

Patricia L. Toppings,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice. The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Title, Form Number, and OMB Number: Intercontinental Ballistic Missile Hardened Intersite Cable System Right-of-Way Landowner/Tenant Questionnaire; AF Form 3951; OMB Number 0701-0141.

Type of Request: Extension.

Number of Respondents: 4,000.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 4,000.

Average Burden Per Response: 15 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 1,000.

Needs and Uses: The information collection requirement is used to report changes in ownership/lease information, conditions of missile cable route and associated appurtenances, and projected building/exacavation projects. The information collected is used to ensure system integrity and to maintain a close contact public relations program with involved personnel and agencies. Respondents are landowners and tenants. This form collects updated