

person seeking to become an ETP Holder or any individual employed by an ETP Holder to electronically file a Form U4 with Web CRD. The Exchange believes that automating the review of registration applications and termination notices by transmitting all Forms U4 and U5 filings to Web CRD will enable the Exchange to perform more efficiently its regulatory responsibilities with respect to ETP Holders and, thereby, will ultimately enhance investor protection.

2. Statutory Basis

The Exchange believes that the proposed rule change, as amended, is consistent with Section 6(b) of the Act⁴ in general, and furthers the objectives of Section 6(b)(5) of the Act⁵ in particular, in that it is designed to prevent fraudulent and manipulative acts and practices, to promote just and equitable principles of trade, to foster cooperation and coordination with persons engaged in facilitating transactions in securities, and to remove impediments to, and perfect the mechanism of, a free and open market and a national market system.

B. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Burden on Competition

The Exchange does not believe that the proposed rule change, as amended, will impose any burden on competition that is not necessary or appropriate in furtherance of the purposes of the Act.

C. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received From Members, Participants, or Others

Written comments on the proposed rule change were neither solicited nor received.

III. Solicitation of Comments

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, and arguments concerning the foregoing, including whether the proposed rule change is consistent with the Act. Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

Electronic Comments

- Use the Commission's Internet comment form (<http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>); or
- Send an e-mail to rule-comments@sec.gov. Please include File Number SR-PCX-2005-11 on the subject line.

Paper Comments

- Send paper comments in triplicate to Jonathan G. Katz, Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549-0609.

All submissions should refer to File Number SR-PCX-2005-11. This file number should be included on the subject line if e-mail is used. To help the Commission process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's Internet Web site (<http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>). Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room. Copies of such filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the PCX. All comments received will be posted without change; the Commission does not edit personal identifying information from submissions. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. All submissions should refer to File Number SR-PCX-2005-11 and should be submitted on or before April 18, 2005.

IV. Commission's Findings and Order Granting Accelerated Approval of Proposed Rule Change

The Commission finds that the proposed rule change, as amended, is consistent with the requirements of the Act and the rules and regulations thereunder applicable to a national securities exchange.⁶ In particular, the Commission finds that the proposed rule change is consistent with Section 6(b)(5) of the Act,⁷ which requires, among other things, that the Exchange's rules promote just and equitable principles of trade and facilitate transactions in securities, and, in general, protect investors and the public interest.

The Exchange has requested that the Commission approve the proposed rule change, as amended, on an accelerated

basis. The Commission finds good cause, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act,⁸ for approving the proposed rule change, as amended, prior to the thirtieth day after the date of publication of notice in the **Federal Register**. The Commission has previously approved a substantially similar proposed rule change submitted by the American Stock Exchange LLC to provide for the processing of the Forms U4 and U5 through Web CRD⁹ and does not believe that the proposed rule change raises novel regulatory issues. The proposed rule change, as amended, promotes uniformity of registration in the industry. Accordingly, the Commission finds that there is good cause, consistent with Section 6(b)(5) of the Act,¹⁰ to approve the proposed rule change, as amended, on an accelerated basis.

V. Conclusion

It is therefore ordered, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act, that the proposed rule change, as amended, (SR-PCX-2005-11) is hereby approved on an accelerated basis.¹¹

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.¹²

Margaret H. McFarland,
Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 5019]

Defense Trade Advisory Group; Notice of Open Meeting

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

The Defense Trade Advisory Group (DTAG) will meet in open session from 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Tuesday, May 3, 2005, in Room 1912 at the U.S. Department of State, Harry S. Truman Building, 2201 C Street NW., Washington, DC. Entry and registration will begin at 8:15. Please use the building entrance located at 23rd Street, NW., Washington, DC between C & D Streets. The membership of this advisory committee consists of private sector defense trade specialists, appointed by the Assistant Secretary of

⁴ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

⁹ See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 48067 (June 19, 2003), 68 FR 39601 (July 2, 2003) (SR-Amex-2003-48).

¹⁰ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(5).

¹¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

¹² 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

⁴ 15 U.S.C. 78f(B).

⁵ 15 U.S.C. 78f(B)(5).

⁶ In approving this proposal, the Commission has considered its impact on efficiency, competition, and capital formation. See 15 U.S.C. 78c(f).

⁷ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).

State for Political-Military Affairs, who advise the Department on policies, regulations, and technical issues affecting defense trade. The purpose of the meeting will be to review progress of the working groups and to discuss current defense trade issues and topics for further study.

Although public seating will be limited due to the size of the conference room, members of the public may attend this open session as seating capacity allows, and will be permitted to participate in the discussion in accordance with the Chairman's instructions. Members of the public may, if they wish, submit a brief statement to the committee in writing.

As access to the Department of State facilities is controlled, persons wishing to attend the meeting must notify the DTAG Executive Secretariat by COB Monday, April 25, 2005. If notified after this date, the DTAG Secretariat cannot guarantee that State's Bureau of Diplomatic Security can complete the necessary processing required to attend the May 3rd plenary.

Each non-member observer or DTAG member needing building access that wishes to attend this plenary session should provide his/her name, company or organizational affiliation, phone number, date of birth, social security number, and citizenship to the DTAG Secretariat, contact person Mary Sweeney via e-mail at SweeneyMF@state.gov. DTAG members planning to attend the plenary session should notify the DTAG Secretariat, contact person Mary Sweeney via e-mail at SweeneyMF@state.gov. A list will be made up for Diplomatic Security and the Reception Desk at the C Street Entrance. Attendees must present a driver's license with photo, a passport, a U.S. Government ID, or other valid photo ID for entry.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mary F. Sweeney, DTAG Secretariat, U.S. Department of State, Office of Defense Trade Controls Management (PM/DTCM), Room 1200, SA-1, Washington, DC 20522-0112, (202) 663-2865, FAX (202) 663-261-8199.

Dated: March 22, 2005.

Michael T. Dixon,

Executive Secretary, Defense Trade Advisory Group, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Notice of Intent To Rule on Application (05-07-C-00-EUG) To Impose and Use the Revenue From a Passenger Facility Charge (PFC) at Eugene Airport, Mahlon Sweet Field, Submitted by the City of Eugene, Eugene Airport, Mahlon Sweet Field, Eugene, OR

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of intent to rule on application.

SUMMARY: The FAA proposes to rule and invites public comment on the application to impose and use PFC revenue at Eugene Airport, Mahlon Sweet Field under the provisions of 49 U.S.C. 40117 and part 158 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 part CFR 158).

DATES: Comments must be received on or before April 27, 2005.

ADDRESSES: Comments on this application may be mailed or delivered in triplicate to the FAA at the following address: J. Wade Bryant, Manager; Seattle Airports District Office, SEA-ADO; Federal Aviation Administration; 1601 Lind Avenue, SW., Suite 250; Renton, WA 98055-4056.

In addition, one copy of any comments submitted to the FAA must be mailed or delivered to Robert P. Noble, Airport Manager, at the following address: 28855 Lockheed Drive, Eugene, OR 97402.

Air Carriers and foreign air carriers may submit copies of written comments previously provided to Eugene Airport, Mahlon Sweet Field, under § 158.23 of part 158.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Suzanne Lee-Pang, 425-227-2654, 1601 Lind Avenue SW., Suite 250, Renton, Washington 98055-4056. The application may be reviewed in person at this same location.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FAA proposes to rule and invites public comment on the application 05-07-C-00-EUG to impose and use PFC revenue at Eugene Airport, Mahlon Sweet Field, under the provisions of 49 U.S.C. 40117 and part 158 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR part 158).

On March 21, 2005, the FAA determined that the application to impose and use the revenue from a PFC submitted by City of Eugene, Eugene Airport—Mahlon Sweet Field, Eugene, Oregon, was substantially complete within the requirements of section 158.25 of part 158. The FAA will approve or disapprove the application,

in whole or in part, no later than June 28, 2005.

The following is a brief overview of the application.

Level of the proposed PFC: \$4.50.

Proposed charge effective date: September 1, 2007.

Proposed charge expiration date: August 1, 2011.

Total requested for use approval: \$4,337,364.

Brief description of proposed project: Terminal Bond Retirement—Revenue Bond Backed; Terminal Bond Retirement—Airport Reserve Backed.

Class or classes of air carrier which the public agency has requested not be required to collect PFC's: Operations by Air Taxi/Commercial Operators utilizing aircraft having a maximum seating capacity of less than twenty passengers when enplaning revenue passengers in a limited, irregular/non-scheduled, or special service manner. Also exempted are operations by Air Taxi/Commercial Operators, without regard to seating capacity, for revenue passengers transported for student instruction, non-stop sightseeing flights that begin and end at Eugene Airport and are conducted within a 25 mile radius of the same airport, fire fighting charters, ferry or training flights, air ambulance/medivac flights, and aerial photography or survey flights.

Any person may inspect the application in person at the FAA office listed above under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** and at the FAA Regional Airports Office located at: Federal Aviation Administration, Northwest Mountain Region, Airports Division, ANM-600, 1601 Lind Avenue SW., Suite 315, Renton, WA 98055-4056.

In addition, any person may, upon request, inspect the application, notice and other documents germane to the application in person at the Eugene Airport—Mahlon Sweet Field Airport.

Issued in Renton, Washington on March 21, 2005.

David A. Field,

Manager, Planning, Programming and Capacity Branch, Northwest Mountain Region.

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