

Section of 14 CFR Affected: §§ 26.11, 26.43, 26.45, and 26.49.

Description of Relief Sought: BAE Systems (Operations) Ltd. requests an exemption from the design approval holder requirements of §§ 26.11, 26.43, 26.45, and 26.49 for the HS748 Series 2A and 2B airplane type. Section 26.11 requires development of instructions for continued airworthiness applicable to an airplane's electrical wiring interconnection system. Sections 26.43, 26.45, and 26.49 are requirements related to development of damage tolerance data for repairs and alterations.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Railroad Administration

Petition for Waiver of Compliance

In accordance with Part 211 of Title 49 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), notice is hereby given that the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) received a request for a waiver of compliance with certain requirements of its safety standards. The individual petition is described below, including the party seeking relief, the regulatory provisions involved, the nature of the relief being requested, and the petitioner's arguments in favor of relief.

Port Authority Trans-Hudson Corporation

[Docket Number FRA-2008-0085]

The Port Authority Trans-Hudson Corporation (PATH), seeks a waiver of compliance from certain provisions of Safety Appliance Standards, 49 CFR Part 231, that requires a sill step, side, and end handhold on each side and each end of a passenger car. Specifically, the PATH request is to use an alternate location of the sill step and side handhold and not install end handholds for the production of PATH's new fleet of passenger cars in passenger train service.

PATH operates on 13.8 miles of an interstate rail transit system between five major terminals and eight intermediate stations linking New Jersey and New York. The PATH system is a closed system, does not interchange and has other railroads with no highway rail crossings. Currently, PATH operates 326 vehicles of similar comparable design with relatively short headways and high platforms over a system that one-half of which is located in tunnels below ground level carrying 250,000 passengers in a 24-hour period. There is

no interchange of car equipment between PATH and any rapid transit system or railroad. Because of the unique characteristics of PATH that is more representative of an inter-urban rapid transit system, PATH requests a waiver of certain provisions of FRA requirements, which they believe are not totally applicable. PATH also believes that in the past, FRA, while asserting jurisdiction over PATH, has acknowledged that PATH's operations are analogous to that of an inter-urban rapid transit system.

Interested parties are invited to participate in these proceedings by submitting written views, data, or comments. FRA does not anticipate scheduling a public hearing in connection with these proceedings since the facts do not appear to warrant a hearing. If any interested party desires an opportunity for oral comment, they should notify FRA, in writing, before the end of the comment period and specify the basis for their request.

All communications concerning these proceedings should identify the appropriate docket number (e.g., Waiver Petition Docket Number 2008-0085) and may be submitted by any of the following methods:

- *Web site:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.
- *Fax:* 202-493-2251.
- *Mail:* Docket Operations Facility, U.S. Department of Transportation, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., W12-140, Washington, DC 20590.
- *Hand Delivery:* 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Room W12-140, Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Communications received within 45 days of the date of this notice will be considered by FRA before final action is taken. Comments received after that date will be considered as far as practicable. All written communications concerning these proceedings are available for examination during regular business hours (9 a.m.-5 p.m.) at the above facility. All documents in the public docket are also available for inspection and copying on the Internet at the docket facility's Web site at <http://www.regulations.gov>.

Anyone is able to search the electronic form of any written communications and comments received into any of our dockets by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the comment, if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). You may review DOT's complete Privacy Act Statement in the **Federal Register**

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Grady C. Cothen, Jr.,

Deputy Associate Administrator for Safety Standards and Program Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Departmental Offices, Office of Financial Education; Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on a proposed information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). The Office of Financial Education within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments on a proposed new collection of information concerning the *Workplace Financial Education Honor Roll Program (Honor Roll)* application. To keep America competitive in the future, it is important to continue to increase the levels of financial literacy in the U.S. The purpose of the *Honor Roll* is to recognize employers that provide successful financial education programs to their employees. The *Honor Roll* is intended to spur interest in financial education by highlighting successful initiatives that show the benefits of financial education through both private sector and public sector efforts. The *Honor Roll* is one of the initiatives that the newly created President's Advisory Council on Financial Literacy has recommended to the Department of the Treasury.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before October 27, 2008 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Dubis Correal, Director, Office of Financial Education, Department of the Treasury, Room 1328, 1500 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20220 or Dubis.Correal@do.treas.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the *Honor Roll* application should be directed to Dubis Correal, Director, Office of Financial Education, Department of the Treasury, Room 1328,

1500 Pennsylvania Ave., NW.,
Washington, DC 20220 or
Dubis.Correal@do.treas.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Workplace Financial Education Honor Roll Program Application.

Abstract: Information will be collected on a voluntary basis from both private sector and public sector employers interested in being selected for the *Honor Roll*. This information is necessary to evaluate and assess the effectiveness of employer financial education programs and to determine which employers will be placed on the Treasury *Honor Roll*.

Current Actions: New collection. The Department of the Treasury will collect information on an annual basis from eligible employers who want to be recognized for providing successful financial education programs to their employees. The information to be collected will include brief narrative descriptions on the types of financial education programs offered to employees and the impact of such programs on employees. The Department of the Treasury will not collect any personally identifiable financial information.

Type of Review: New.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations, Not-for-profit institutions, and State, Local or Tribal Governments.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 60, 1 response per year.

Estimated Average Time per Respondent: Six hours per respondent per filling.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 360.

Request for Comments: Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record and subject to public disclosure in their entirety. You should only submit comments that you wish to make available publicly. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, usefulness and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation,

maintenance and purchase of services to provide information.

Dated: August 19, 2008.

Lindsay Valdeon,

Deputy Executive Secretary, Treasury Department.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

August 19, 2008.

The Department of Treasury will submit the following public information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 on or after the date of publication of this notice. Copies of the submission(s) may be obtained by calling the Treasury Bureau Clearance Officer listed. Comments regarding this information collection should be addressed to the OMB reviewer listed and to the Treasury Department Clearance Officer, Department of the Treasury, Room 11000, 1750 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20220.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before September 25, 2008 to be assured of consideration.

Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB)

OMB Number: 1513-0101.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Marks and Notices on Packages of Tobacco Products, TTB REC 5210/13.

Description: TTB requires that tobacco products be identified by statements of information on packages, cases, and containers of tobacco products. TTB uses this information to validate the receipt of excise tax revenue, the determination of tax liability, and the verification of claims.

Respondents: Businesses or other for-profit institutions.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 1 hour.

OMB Number: 1513-0022.

Type of Review: Revision.

Title: TTB REC 5520/1 Annual Report of Concentrate Manufacturers and Usual and Customary Business Records-Volatile Fruit-Flavor Concentrate.

Form: TTB 5520.2.

Description: Manufacturers of volatile fruit-flavor concentrate must provide reports as necessary to ensure the protection of the revenue. The report and records accounts for all concentrates manufactured, removed, or

treated so as to be unfit for beverage use. The information is required to verify that alcohol is not being diverted for beverage use which would jeopardize tax revenues.

Respondents: Business and other for profits.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 27 hours.

OMB Number: 1513-0094.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Federal Firearms and Ammunition Excise Tax Return.

Form: 5300.26.

Description: This information is needed to determine how much tax is owed for firearms and ammunition. TTB uses this information to verify that a taxpayer has correctly determined and paid tax liability on the sale or use of firearms and ammunition. Businesses, including small to large, and individuals may be required to use this form.

Respondents: Business and other for profits.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 27,020 hours.

OMB Number: 1513-0065.

Type of Review: Revision.

Title: Wholesale Dealers Records of Receipt of Alcoholic Beverages, Disposition of Distilled Spirits, and Monthly Summary Report, TTB REC 5170/2.

Description: An accounting tool, this record is used to show the person from whom a wholesale dealer purchased alcoholic beverages, and the person to whom the dealer sold alcoholic beverages. When required, the monthly report will provide a report of sales activities and on-hand inventory quantities.

Respondents: Business and other for profits.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 1,200 hours.

OMB Number: 1513-0006.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Applications Volatile Fruit-Flavor Concentrate Plants, TTB REC 5520 2.

Forms: TTB 5520.3.

Description: Persons who wish to establish premises to manufacture volatile fruit-flavor concentrates are required to file an application and keep records to support the manufacture of these concentrates. TTB uses the application information to identify persons responsible for such manufacture, since these products contain ethyl alcohol and have potential for use as alcoholic beverages with consequent loss of revenue. The application constitutes registry of a still, a statutory requirement. TTB uses the