

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Department of the Army****[Docket ID: USA-2009-0022]****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).

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by December 7, 2009.

*Title, Form, and OMB Number:* Candidate Procedures, USMA Forms 21-16, 21-23, 21-25, 21-26, 5-520, 5-518, 5-497, 481, 546, 5-2, 5-26, 5-515, 480-1, 520, 261, 21-14, 21-8; OMB Control Number 0702-0061.

*Type of Request:* Extension.  
*Number of Respondents:* 85,825.  
*Responses per Respondent:* 1.  
*Annual Responses:* 85,825.  
*Average Burden per Response:* 0.21 hour.  
*Annual Burden Hours:* 18,699 hours.  
*Needs and Uses:* West Point candidates provide personal background information that allows the West Point Admissions Committee to make subjective judgments on non-academic experiences. Data are also used by West Point's Office of Institutional Research for correlation with success in graduation and military careers.  
*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Frequency:* On occasion.  
*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.  
*OMB Desk Officer:* Ms. Jasmeet Seehra.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Seehra at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

You may also submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by the following method:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

*DOD Clearance Officer:* Ms. Patricia Toppings.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Toppings at WHS/ESD/Information Management Division, 1777 North Kent Street, RPN, Suite 11000, Arlington, VA 22209-2133.

Dated: October 26, 2009.

**Patricia L. Toppings,**  
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*Department of Defense.*  
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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Department of the Army****[Docket ID: USA-2009-0021]****Submission for OMB Review;  
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*Title, Form, and OMB Number:* Pre-Candidate Procedures, USMA-375, USMA-723, USMA-450, USMA-21-12, USMA-21-27, USMA-381; OMB Control Number 0702-0060.

*Type of Request:* Extension.  
*Number of Respondents:* 31,100.  
*Responses per Respondent:* 1.  
*Annual Responses:* 31,100.  
*Average Burden per Response:* 0.89 hour.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 27,717 hours.  
*Needs and Uses:* West Point candidates provide personal background information which allows the West Point Admissions Committee to make subjective judgments on non-academic experiences. Data are also used by West Point's Office of Institutional Research for correlation with success in graduation and military careers.  
*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Frequency:* On occasion.  
*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.  
*OMB Desk Officer:* Ms. Jasmeet Seehra.

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Department of the Air Force****[Docket ID USAF-2009-0051]****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).

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by December 7, 2009.

*Title, Form, and OMB Number:* United States Air Force Academy Writing Sample; United States Air Force Academy Form 0-878; OMB Control Number 0701-0147.

*Type of Request:* Extension.  
*Number of Respondents:* 4,100.  
*Responses per Respondent:* 1.  
*Annual Responses:* 4,100.  
*Average Burden per Response:* 1 hour.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 4,100.

*Needs and Uses:* The information collection requirement is necessary to obtain data on candidate's background and aptitude in determining eligibility and selection to the Air Force Academy.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*OMB Desk Officer:* Ms. Jasmeet Seehra.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Seehra at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

You may also submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by the following method:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

*DOD Clearance Officer:* Ms. Patricia Toppings.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Toppings at WHS/ESD/Information Management Division, 1777 North Kent Street, RPN, Suite 11000, Arlington, VA 22209-2133.

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**Patricia L. Toppings,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army

#### **Availability for Non-Exclusive, Exclusive, or Partially Exclusive Licensing of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Concerning Enhanced Substrates for the Protease Activity of Serotype a Botulinum Neurotoxin**

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Announcement is made of the availability for licensing of the

invention set forth in U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 61/252,675 entitled "Enhanced Substrates for the Protease Activity of Serotype a Botulinum Neurotoxin," filed October 18, 2009. The United States Government, as represented by the Secretary of the Army, has rights to this invention.

**ADDRESSES:** Commander, U.S. Army Medical Research and Materiel Command, ATTN: Command Judge Advocate, MCMR-JA, 504 Scott Street, Fort Detrick, Frederick, MD 21702-5012.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For patent issues, Ms. Elizabeth Arwine, Patent Attorney, (301) 619-7808. For licensing issues, Dr. Paul Mele, Office of Research and Technology Assessment, (301) 619-6664, both at telefax (301) 619-5034.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The invention relates to the use of enhanced substrates for the protease activity of serotype A botulinum neurotoxin.

**Brenda S. Bowen,**

*Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army

#### **Availability for Non-Exclusive, Exclusive, or Partially Exclusive Licensing of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Concerning Methods and Composition for Live Bubonic Plague Vaccine Based on Yersinia Pestis \* \* \* Gene Deletion**

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Announcement is made of the availability for licensing of the invention set forth in U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 61/242,113 entitled "Methods and Composition for Live Bubonic Plague Vaccine Based On Yersinia Pestis \* \* \* Gene Deletion," filed September 14, 2009. The United States Government, as represented by the Secretary of the Army, has rights to this invention.

**ADDRESSES:** Commander, U.S. Army Medical Research and Materiel Command, ATTN: Command Judge Advocate, MCMR-JA, 504 Scott Street, Fort Detrick, Frederick, MD 21702-5012.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For patent issues, Ms. Elizabeth Arwine, Patent Attorney, (301) 619-7808. For licensing issues, Dr. Paul Mele, Office of

Research and Technology Assessment, (301) 619-6664, both at telefax (301) 619-5034.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The invention relates to the creation of live vaccines by removing a specific gene, which is essential for virulence (the ability of a pathogen to make sick or kill a human or an animal) from a pathogen.

**Brenda S. Bowen,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army; Corps of Engineers

#### **Inland Waterways Users Board**

**AGENCY:** Department of the Army, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), announcement is made of the forthcoming meeting.

*Name of Committee:* Inland Waterways Users Board (Board).

*Dates:* December 15, 2009.

*Location:* The Westin New Orleans Canal Place, 100 Rue Iberville, New Orleans, Louisiana 70130 (504-566-7006 or 1-888-627-8180).

*Time:* Registration will begin at 8 a.m. and the meeting is scheduled to adjourn at approximately 1 p.m.

*Agenda:* The Board will hear the results of the Inland Marine Transportation System (IMTS) Investment Strategy Team activities, as well as the status of the funding for inland navigation projects and studies and the status of the Inland Waterways Trust Fund.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Mark R. Pinton, Headquarters, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, CECW-ID, 441 G Street, NW., Washington, DC 20314-1000; Ph: 202-761-4691.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The meeting is open to the public. Any interested person may attend, appear before, or file statements with the committee at the time and in the manner permitted by the committee.

**Brenda S. Bowen,**

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