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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mr. Ken Beck, Planning Team Leader,
 Bureau of Reclamation, P.O. Box 640,
 Durango, Colorado 81301, telephone
 (970) 385-6558.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The
 Project would divert flows of the
 Animas and LaPlata Rivers for
 irrigation, municipal, and industrial
 uses in Colorado and New Mexico. The
 Project would satisfy a portion of the
 Colorado Ute Indian reserve water right
 claims as specified by the 1988
 Colorado Ute Indian Water Rights
 Settlement Act. Additionally, the
 project would provide for fish and
 wildlife preservation, recreation
 facilities, and a cultural resources
 program. Two reservoirs are included in
 the plan—Ridges Basin and Southern
 Ute Reservoirs.

The FSFES provides additional
 information concerning environmental
 effects initially described in the 1980
 Final Environmental Statement and
 incorporates revisions as a result of new
 studies, Project refinements and public
 input received on the 1992 Draft
 Supplement to the Final Environmental
 Statement. The new or updated
 information relates geology, soils, water
 quality, aquatic resources, Wild and
 Scenic River issues, wildlife habitat,
 endangered species, wetlands, cultural
 resources, recreation and tourism,
 socioeconomic issues, environmental
 justice, Indian Trust Assets, and the
 operation of Navajo Dam.

Dated: April 26, 1996.

Charles A. Calhoun,
 Regional Director.

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INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION AGENCY

Agency for International Development

Housing Guaranty Program; Notice of Investment Opportunity

The U.S. Agency for International
 Development (USAID) has authorized
 the guaranty of loans to the Government
 of Zimbabwe ("Borrower") as part of
 USAID's development assistance
 program. The proceeds of these loans
 will be used for mortgage finance and to
 finance shelter-related infrastructure for
 low-income families in Zimbabwe. At
 this time, the Government of Zimbabwe
 has authorized USAID to request
 proposals from eligible lenders for a
 loan under this program of Fifteen
 Million U.S. Dollars (US \$15,000,000).
 The name and address of the Borrower's
 representative to be contacted by
 interested U.S. lenders or investment
 bankers, the amount of the loan and
 project number are indicated below:

Government of Zimbabwe

Project No.: 613-HG-004—Amount: US
 \$15,000,000

Housing Guaranty Loan No.: 613-HG-
 005 A01

Attention: Mr. C.T. Kuwaza, Senior
 Secretary for Finance Ministry of
 Finance (Street address:
 Munhumutapa Building, Samora
 Machel Avenue, Private Bag 7705
 Causeway, Harare, Zimbabwe). Telex
 No.: 22141 ZIMGOV

Telefax: 011-263-4-792-750 (preferred
 communication)

Telephone Nos.: 011-263-4-794-571
 through 9

Interested lenders should contact the
 Borrower as soon as possible and
 indicate their interest in providing
 financing for the Housing Guaranty
 Program. Interested lenders should
 submit their bids to the Borrower's
 representative by *Tuesday, May 14,
 1996, 12:00 noon Eastern Daylight Time.*
 Bids should be open for a period of 48
 hours from the bid closing date. Copies
 of all bids should be simultaneously
 sent to the following:

Mr. Michael Enders, Mission Housing
 Officer, Regional Housing and Urban
 Development Office, USAID/Harare, 1
 Pascoe Avenue, Harare, Zimbabwe.
 Telefax No.: 011-263-4-720-722
 (preferred communication) Telephone
 No.: 011-263-4-720-757
 and

Mr. Peter Pirnie, Financial Advisor, U.S.
 Agency for International
 Development, Office of Environment
 and Urban Programs, G/ENV/UP,
 Room 409, SA-18, Washington, DC

20523-1822, Telex No.: 892703 AID
 WSA, Telefax Nos.: 703/875-4639 or
 875-4384 (preferred communication)
 Telephone Nos.: 703/875-4300 or
 875-4510.

For your information the Borrower is
 currently considering the following
 terms:

(1) *Amount:* U.S. \$15 million.

(2) *Term:* 30 years.

(3) *Grace Period:* Ten years grace on
 repayment of principal. (During grace
 period, semi-annual payments of
 interest only). If *variable* interest rate,
 repayment of principal to amortize in
 equal, semi-annual installments over the
 remaining 20-year life of the loan. If
fixed interest rate, semi-annual level
 payments of principal and interest over
 the remaining 20-year life of the loan.

(4) *Interest Rate:* Alternatives of both
fixed and *variable* rate loans are
 requested.

(a) *Fixed Interest Rate:* If rates are to
 be quoted based on a spread over an
 index, the lender should use as its index
 a long bond yield, specifically the 6%
 U.S. Treasury Bond due February 15,
 2026. Such rate is to be set at the time
 of acceptance.

(b) *Variable Interest Rate:* To be based
 on the six-month British Bankers
 Association LIBOR, preferably with
 terms relating to Borrower's right to
 convert to fixed. The rate should be
 adjusted weekly.

(5) *Prepayment:*

(a) Offers should include any options
 for prepayment and mention
 prepayment premiums, if any.

(b) Federal statutes governing the
 activities of USAID require that the
 proceeds of USAID-guaranteed loans be
 used to provide affordable shelter and
 related infrastructure and services to
 below median-income families. In the
 extraordinary event that the Borrower
 materially breaches its obligation to
 comply with this requirement, USAID
 reserves the right, among its other rights
 and remedies, to accelerate the loan.

(6) *Fees:* Offers should specify the
 placement fees and other expenses,
 including USAID fees, Paying and
 Transfer Agent fees. Lenders are
 requested to include all legal fees and
 out-of-pocket expenses in their
 placement fee. Such fees and expenses
 shall be payable at closing from the
 proceeds of the loan.

(7) *Closing Date:* As early as
 practicable, but not to exceed 60 days
 from date of selection lender.

Selection of investment bankers and/
 or lenders and the terms of the loan are
 initially subject to the individual
 discretion of the Borrower, and
 thereafter, subject to approval by

USAID. Disbursements under the loan will be subject to certain conditions required of the Borrower by USAID as set forth in agreements between USAID and the Borrower.

The full repayment of the loans will be guaranteed by USAID. The USAID guaranty will be backed by the full faith and credit of the United States of America and will be issued pursuant to authority in Section 222 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (the "Act").

Lenders eligible to receive the USAID guaranty are those specified in Section 238(c) of the Act. They are: (1) U.S. citizens; (2) domestic U.S. corporations, partnerships, or associations substantially beneficially owned by U.S. citizens; (3) foreign corporations whose share capital is at least 95 percent owned by U.S. citizens; and, (4) foreign partnerships or associations wholly owned by U.S. citizens.

To be eligible for the USAID guaranty, the loans must be repayable in full no later than the thirtieth anniversary of the disbursement of the principal amount thereof and the interest rates may be no higher than the maximum rate established from time to time by USAID.

Information as to the eligibility of investors and other aspects of the USAID housing guaranty program can be obtained from: Ms. Vivianne Gary, Director, Office of Environment and Urban Programs, U.S. Agency for International Development, Room 409, SA-18, Washington, D.C. 20523-1822, Fax Nos: 703/875-4384 or 875-4639, Telephone: 703/875-4300.

Dated: April 26, 1996.

Michael G. Kitay,

Assistant General Counsel, Bureau for Global Programs, Field Support and Research, U.S. Agency for International Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, Joint Research and Development Program for the Production of Resistor Packs, Dow Chemical Company/VisPro Corporation

Notice is hereby given that, on March 29, 1996, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), The Dow Chemical Company filed notification

simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objective of a Joint Research and Development Program in the area of computer hard drive, disk drive, substrates. The notification was filed for the purpose of invoking the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties are The Dow Chemical Company, Midland, MI and VisPro Corporation, Beavertown, OR. The nature and objectives of the venture are to engage in research and development on a process for the efficient manufacture of deslagged substrates of an aluminum-boron-carbon composite for deposit of magnetic recording medium; with the substrates being used for computer, hard disk drives having greater memory capacities and improved performance.

Constance K. Robinson,

Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—National Information Infrastructure Testbed

Notice is hereby given that, on January 30, 1996, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), the National Information Infrastructure Testbed ("NIIT") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, the identity of the additional members of NIIT are: Bay Area Multimedia Technology Association (BAMTA), Santa Clara, CA; Information Systems Branch, British Columbia, CANADA; Information Technology Service, U.S. General Services Administration, Washington, DC; Medical Records Institute, Newton, MA; National Biological Survey, U.S. Department of the Interior, Washington, DC; Texas Instruments, Dallas, TX; University of California at Berkeley, Berkeley, CA; United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Washington, DC; West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

Organizations that are no longer NIIT members are: C&M Science Innovations; Cabletron Systems, Inc.; Consortium for International Earth Science Information Network; Cornell University/Cornell Theory Center; Covia Technologies, Inc.; Earth Observation Satellite Company; Entergy Services, Inc.; Intel Corporation; Lancet Online; Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory; Lotus Development Corporation; Methodist Health Network of Iowa; NASA Commercial Remote Sensing Program; National Institute for Standards and Technology; Novell, Inc.; StrataCom, Inc.; Syracuse University/Northeast Parallel Architecture Center; WilTel, Inc.; University of Illinois/National Center for Supercomputing Applications.

No other changes have been made in the membership, nature or objectives of the consortium. Membership in NIIT remains open. The consortium intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On December 7, 1993, NIIT filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the Federal Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on May 18, 1994 (59 FR 25960).

The last notification was filed with the Department of Justice on April 11, 1995. A notice has not yet been published in the Federal Register.

Constance K. Robinson,

Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—National Storage Industry Consortium—Ultrahigh Capacity Optical Disk ("UCOD") Project

Notice is hereby given that, on December 12, 1995, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), the National Storage Industry Consortium ("NISC") has filed written notifications on behalf of Carnegie Mellon University; Eastman Kodak Company; and SDL Inc., simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objectives of the project. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties to the project are NSIC, San Diego, CA; Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh,