

Control Procedures

Section 1910.7(b)(2) requires that the NRTL provide certain controls and services, to the extent necessary, for the particular equipment or material to be listed, labeled, or accepted. These consist of implementation of control procedures for identifying the listed or labeled equipment or materials, inspecting the production runs at factories to assure conformance with test standards, and conducting field inspections to monitor and assure the proper use of identifying marks or labels. The application and on-site review report indicate that DTL meets these criteria.

The application contains the description of the listing and labeling procedure, and indicates "inspections" will be done four times per year and periodic compliance testing is done every four years. A sample listing and follow-up agreement was also provided. In addition, "Instructions for * * * Inspections * * *," and a sample inspection form were submitted.

Independence

Section 1910.7(b)(3) requires that the NRTL be completely independent of employers subject to the tested equipment requirements, and for any manufacturers or vendors of equipment or materials being tested for these purposes. The application and on-site review report indicate that DTL meets these criteria.

A statement of independence was supplied attesting that DTL is independent of any producer, supplier, or vendor. The applicant claims in the statement that, for products being tested and certified: It has no managerial affiliations with any producer, supplier, or vendor; it has no securities, investments, or stock options in the product lines; the employment security of its personnel is free from influence by any producer, supplier, or vendor; that it is not owned, operated, or controlled by any producers, suppliers, or vendors; and that it is not engaged in promotion or design.

Credible Reports/Complaint Handling

Section 1910.7(b)(4) provides that the NRTL must maintain effective procedures for producing credible findings and reports that are objective and without bias, as well as for handling complaints and disputes under a fair and reasonable system. The application and on-site review report indicate that DTL meets these criteria.

The QA Manual contains details on development of test data and reports, and both the application and the QA Manual describe a complaint procedure.

Standards

After publication of the notice of the application and preliminary finding, DTL informed OSHA that one of the standards it had requested for recognition, ANSI/UL 1025 Electric Air Heaters, had been withdrawn by Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL), the organization that developed this test standard. DTL subsequently requested recognition for the two standards which replaced ANSI/UL 1025, in a letter dated January 6, 1998.

Inasmuch as the original standard was withdrawn by UL prior to the publication of the application, the notice was in error and OSHA is granting the request to correct the error. Also, OSHA believes that the two new standards are substantially equivalent to the standard withdrawn, and that DTL has the necessary capability to test and certify to those standards.

Final Decision and Order

Based upon a preponderance of the evidence resulting from an examination of the complete application, the supporting documentation, and the OSHA staff finding including On-Site Review Report, dated June 25, 1997 (see Exhibit 3), OSHA finds that Detroit Testing Laboratory, Inc. has met the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.7 to be recognized by OSHA as a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory to test and certify certain equipment or materials. Pursuant to the authority in 29 CFR 1910.7, Detroit Testing Laboratory, Inc. is hereby recognized as a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory, subject to the limitations and conditions listed below.

Limitations

This recognition is limited to equipment or materials which, under Title 29, require or permit testing, listing, labeling, approval, acceptance, or certification, by a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory. This recognition is further limited to the use of the following test standards for the testing and certification of equipment or materials included within the scope of these standards.

DTL asserts by its application that the following standards pertain to equipment or materials that will be used in environments under OSHA's jurisdiction, and OSHA has determined they are appropriate within the meaning of 29 CFR 1910.7(c):

ANSI/UL 234 Low Voltage Lighting Fixtures for Use in Recreational Vehicles

ANSI/UL 1278 Standard for Safety for Movable and Wall- or Ceiling-Hung Electric Room Heaters
UL 2021 Fixed and Location-Dedicated Electric Room Heaters

Conditions

Detroit Testing Laboratory, Inc. must also abide by the following conditions of the recognition, in addition to those already required by 29 CFR 1910.7:

OSHA shall be allowed access to DTL's facility and records for purposes of ascertaining continuing compliance with the terms of its recognition and to investigate as OSHA deems necessary;

If DTL has reason to doubt the efficacy of any test standard it is using under this program, it shall promptly inform the test standard developing organization of this fact and provide that organization with appropriate relevant information upon which its concerns are based;

DTL shall not engage in or permit others to engage in any misrepresentation of the scope or conditions of its recognition. As part of this condition, DTL agrees that it will allow no representation that it is either a recognized or an accredited Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory (NRTL) without clearly indicating the specific equipment or material to which this recognition is tied, or that its recognition is limited to certain products;

DTL shall inform OSHA as soon as possible, in writing, of any change of ownership or key personnel, including details;

DTL will continue to meet the requirements for recognition in all areas where it has been recognized; and

DTL will always cooperate with OSHA to assure compliance with the spirit as well as the letter of its recognition and 29 CFR 1910.7.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 22nd day of April, 1998.

Charles N. Jeffress,

Assistant Secretary.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (98-058)]

Government-Owned Inventions, Available for Licensing

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of availability of inventions for licensing.

SUMMARY: The inventions listed below are assigned to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, have been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and are available for licensing.

DATE: April 27, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Office of the Patent Counsel, Langley Research Center, Mail Code 212, Hampton, VA 23681-0001; telephone (757) 864-9260.

NASA Case No. LAR 15652-1-CU:

Catalyst for Oxidation of Hydrocarbons and Volatile Organic Compounds;

NASA Case No. LAR 15538-1: Method and System for Producing Images of an Object;

NASA Case No. LAR 15611-1: Method and System for Monitoring Sea State Using GPS;

NASA Case No. LAR 15361-1-CU: Simultaneous Measurement of Two or More Gases Using Optical Path Switching;

NASA Case No. LAR 15437-2: A Fire Resistant, Moisture Barrier Membrane (Div of-1);

NASA Case No. LAR 15638-1-CU: Reflective Silvered Polyimide Films Via In-Situ Thermal Reduction of Silver (I) Complexes;

NASA Case No. LAR 15700-1: Blends of Polymers with Reactive and Non-Reactive Additives Having Lower Melt Viscosity;

NASA Case No. LAR 15815-1-CU: Acetylene and Phenylacetylene Terminated Poly(Arylene Ether Benzimidazoles) CIP of 14965-2-CU.

Dated: April 22, 1998.

Edward A. Frankle,
General Counsel.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Humanities Panel Meetings

AGENCY: The National Endowment for the Humanities.

ACTION: Notice of meetings.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), notice is hereby given that the following meetings of the Humanities Panel will be held at the Old Post Office, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20506

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nancy E. Weiss, Advisory Committee Management Officer, National

Endowment for the Humanities, Washington, D.C. 20506; telephone (202) 606-8322. Hearing-impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Endowment's TDD terminal on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Endowment's TDD terminal on (202) 606-8282.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed meetings are for the purpose of panel review, discussion, evaluation and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the agency by the grant applicants. Because the proposed meetings will consider information that is likely to disclose trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential and/or information of a personal nature the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, pursuant to authority granted me by the Chairman's Delegation of Authority to Close Advisory Committee meetings, dated July 19, 1993, I have determined that these meetings will be closed to the public pursuant to subsections (c) (4), and (6) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

1. **Date:** May 5, 1998

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315

Program: This meeting will review applications for Summer Seminars and Institutes for College and University Teachers in Religion, Philosophy, and Modern European History and Culture, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the March 1, 1998 deadline.

2. **Date:** May 6, 1998

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315

Program: This meeting will review applications for Summer Seminars and Institutes for College and University Teachers in World Civilizations, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the March 1, 1998 deadline.

3. **Date:** May 7, 1998

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315

Program: This meeting will review applications for Summer Seminars and Institutes for College and University Teachers in American Studies, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the March 1, 1998

deadline.

4. **Date:** May 8, 1998

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315

Program: This meeting will review applications for Summer Seminars and Institutes for College and University Teachers in Classical, Medieval, and Early Modern Studies, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the March 1, 1998 deadline.

5. **Date:** May 11-12, 1998

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Room: 415

Program: This meeting will review applications for Education Development and Demonstration in Humanities Focus Grants, submitted to the Division of Research and Education, for projects at the April 1, 1998 deadline.

6. **Date:** May 14-15, 1998

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Room: 415

Program: This meeting will review applications for Education Development and Demonstration in Humanities Focus Grants, submitted to the Division of Research and Education, for projects at the April 1, 1998 deadline.

7. **Date:** May 20, 1998

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Room: 430

Program: This meeting will review applications for Humanities Project in Media, submitted to the Division of Public Programs, for projects at the May 4, 1998 deadline.

Nancy E. Weiss,

Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50317 and 50-318]

Baltimore Gas & Electric Company; Calvert Cliffs Nuclear Power Plant Units 1 & 2; Notice of Receipt of Application for Renewal of Facility Operating Licenses Nos. DPR-53 and DPR-69 for an Additional 20 Year Period

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has received an application from Baltimore Gas and Electric Company dated April 8, 1998, filed pursuant to Section 104b of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and 10 CFR Part 54 for renewal of operating licenses