

Patent application 08/885,700: UNDERWATER SEARCH ANGLE SELECTION SYSTEM AND METHOD OF SPECIAL UTILITY WITH SURFACE CONTACTS; filed 30 June 1997.//Patent application 08/885,702: UNDERWATER ACOUSTIC SEARCH ANGLE SELECTION SYSTEM AND METHOD OF SPECIAL UTILITY WITH SUBMERGED CONTACTS; filed 30 June 1997.//Patent application 08/888,382: ELASTOMERIC CARTRIDGES FOR ATTENUATION OF BEARING-GENERATED VIBRATION IN ELECTRIC MOTORS; filed 19 February 1997.//Patent application 08/890,479: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING ACOUSTIC SIGNALS; filed 9 July 1997.//Patent application 08/891,365: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SIMULATING A LOFARGRAM IN A MULTIPATH SONAR SYSTEM; filed 10 July 1997.//Patent application 08/891,366: FLUID PRESSURE MEASURING DEVICE INTERFACE; filed 10 July 1997.//Patent application 08/891,368: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SIMULATING REVERBERATION IN A MULTIPATH SONAR SYSTEM; filed 10 July 1997.//Patent application 08/891,369: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SIMULATING A MULTIPATH SONAR SYSTEM; filed 10 July 1997.//Patent application 08/891,370: SUBMERSIBLE DEVICE LAUNCHER; filed 10 July 1997.//Patent application 08/891,371: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SIMULATING AUTOCORRELATION COEFFICIENTS IN A MULTIPATH SONAR SYSTEM; filed 10 July 1997.//Patent application 08/891,372: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SIMULATING CROSS-CORRELATION COEFFICIENTS IN A MULTIPATH SONAR SYSTEM; filed 10 July 1997.//Patent application 08/896,527: FUSING CONTACT DATA FOR BEST-ESTIMATE SOLUTION; filed 7 July 1997.//Patent application 08/896,528: CONTACT DATA CORRELATION WITH REASSESSMENT; filed 7 July 1997.//Patent application 08/904,275: INLINE COAXIAL BALUN FED ULTRAWIDEBAND CORNU FLARED HORN ANTENNA; filed 31 July 1997.//Patent application 08/904,937: NUCLEAR QUADRUPOLE RESONANCE (NQR) METHOD AND PROBE FOR GENERATING RF MAGNETIC FIELDS IN DIFFERENT DIRECTIONS TO DISTINGUISH NQR FROM ACOUSTIC RINGING INDUCED IN A SAMPLE; filed 1 August 1997.//Patent application 08/910,844: POWER CYLINDER NON-METALLIC LINER SEAL ASSEMBLY; filed 13 August 1997.//Patent application 08/912,971:

UNDERWATER MEASUREMENT DEVICE; filed 4 August 1997.//Patent application 08/914,019: UNDERSEA VEHICLE PROPULSION AND ATTITUDE CONTROL SYSTEM; filed 12 August 1997.//Patent application 08/914,024: STOP CYLINDER AND PISTON ASSEMBLY; filed 12 August 1997.//Patent application 08/917,963: LARGE AREA PLASMA PROCESSING SYSTEM (LAPPS); filed 27 August 1997.//Patent application 08/919,185: BELT REPAIR SYSTEM AND METHOD; filed 15 August 1997.//Patent application 08/919,346: HIGH TEMPERATURE SUPERCONDUCTOR/INSULATOR COMPOSITE THIN FILMS WITH JOSEPHSON COUPLED GRAINS; filed 28 August 1997.//Patent application 08/920,877: AMPLIFICATION BY MEANS OF DYSPROSIUM DOPED LOW PHONON ENERGY GLASS WAVEGUIDES; filed 29 August 1997.//Patent application 08/920,878: LOW PHONON ENERGY GLASS AND FIBER DOPED WITH A RARE EARTH; filed 29 August 1997.//Patent application 08/921,054: SILICONE-CONTAINING FLUOROPOLYMERS FOR CONTROLLED RELEASE OF ORGANIC LEACHANTS; filed 29 August 1997.//Patent application 08/940,043: FIBER-REINFORCED PHTHALONITRILE COMPOSITE CURED WITH LOW-REACTIVITY AROMATIC AMINE CURING AGENT; filed 2 October 1997.//Patent application 08/940,178: DIRECT MOLECULAR PATTERNING USING A MICRO-STAMP GEL; filed 30 September 1997.//Patent application 08/940,737: RED LIGHT SOURCE; filed 30 September 1997.//Patent application 08/941,932: MECHANICAL CRUSH GAUGE AND METHOD OF USING SAME TO MEASURE FREE-FIELD ENERGY FLUX DENSITY; filed 30 September 1997.//Patent application 08/942,191: MID SHIPS TOW POINT FOR SINGLE LINE AND MULTI LINE TOWED ARRAYS; filed 1 October 1997.//Patent application 08/942,192: ISOLATED SENSING DEVICE HAVING AN ISOLATION HOUSING; filed 1 October 1997.//Patent application 08/944,105: FIBER OPTIC CABLE FURCATION UNIT; filed 30 September 1997.//Patent application 08/948,013: COMBINED WEDGE-FLAP FOR IMPROVED SHIP POWERING; filed 10 October 1997.//Patent application 08/954,885: ADJUSTABLE LIFTING AND PRECISION POSITIONING DEVICE; filed 9 October 1997.//Patent application 08/954,888: TORPEDO TUBE TEST PLUG; filed 9 October 1997.//Patent application 08/962,454: FRINGE FIELD SUPERCONDUCTING

SWITCH; filed 31 October 1997.//Patent application 08/965,023: AMMONOTHERMAL GROWTH OF CHALCOGENIDE SINGLE CRYSTAL MATERIALS; filed 5 November 1997.//Patent application 08/977,569: PROCESSOR FOR INTERFACING A NTDS DEVICE TO A DEVICE HAVING A BUS TOPOLOGY; filed 25 November 1997.//Patent application 08/989,271: CHEMICAL WARFARE AGENT DECONTAMINANT SOLUTION USING QUATERNARY AMMONIUM COMPLEXES; filed 11 December 1997.//Patent application 09/007,826: PHTHALONITRILE MONOMER/CURING ADDITIVE COMPOSITIONS; filed 15 January 1998.//Patent application 09/045,853: FIELD EMITTER CELL AND ARRAY WITH VERTICAL THIN-FILM-EDGE EMITTER; filed 23 March 1998.//**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. R.J. Erickson, Staff Patent Attorney, Office of Naval Research (Code OCCC), Arlington, VA 22217-5660, telephone (703) 696-4001.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Navy

Open Meeting of the Board of Advisors to the Superintendent; Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, DOD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Board of Advisors to the Superintendent, Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California will meet pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 5 USC App. 2). All sessions will be open to the public.

DATES: The meetings will be held on Monday, July 27, 1998 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and on Tuesday, July 28, 1998 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held in Hermann Hall (Building 220) at the Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Jaye Panza, Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California, 93943-5000, telephone (408) 656-2514.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the meeting is to elicit the advice of the board on the Navy's Postgraduate Education Program. The board examines the effectiveness with which the Naval Postgraduate School is accomplishing its mission. To this end, the board will inquire into the curricula; instruction; physical equipment; administration; state of morale of the student body, faculty, and staff; fiscal affairs; and any other matters relating to the operation of the Naval Postgraduate School as the board considers pertinent.

Dated: July 2, 1998.

Lou Rae Langevin,

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Submission for OMB review; comment request

SUMMARY: The Acting Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, invites comments on the submission for OMB review as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before August 13, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Danny Werfel, Desk Officer, Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503. Requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, D.C. 20202-4651.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Patrick J. Sherrill (202) 708-8196.

Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested

Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Acting Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, publishes this notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

Dated: July 9, 1998.

Hazel Fiers,

*Acting Deputy Chief Information Officer,
Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

Office of Postsecondary Education

Type of Review: Revision.

Title: Loan Servicing Appeals of William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program Cohort Rates.

Frequency: On Occasion.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; State, local or Tribal Gov't, SEAs or LEAs.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 97,063

Burden Hours: 965,106

Abstract: The proposed rules would provide for a school's appeal of the inclusion of a Direct Loan in its cohort rate on the basis of improper loan servicing or collection. The proposed rules would also clarify requirements concerning when a rate is final.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP98-637-000]

Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation; Notice of Application

July 8, 1998.

Take notice that on June 26, 1998, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation (Columbia), 12801 Fair Lakes Parkway, Fairfax, Virginia 22030-0146 filed an application pursuant to Sections 7(b) and 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act and Part 157 of the Commission's Regulations for authorization permitting and approving the abandonment of pipeline facilities and a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct and operate replacement pipeline facilities, an increase in deliverability from an existing storage field, and reacquisition of certain pipeline capacity storage wells, as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Specifically, Columbia requests authorization for the following:

- Abandonment of 6.9 miles of 12-inch pipeline and appurtenant facilities on Line VM-108, in Sussex County, Virginia.
- Construction and operation of 6.9 miles of 20-inch pipeline and appurtenant facilities in Sussex County, Virginia (replacing the 12-inch pipeline to be abandoned).
- Increase the deliverability of the Gladly Storage Field in Randolph and Pocahontas Counties, West Virginia by enhancing two existing wells.
- Reacquire existing pipeline capacity on Columbia's Solo Pipeline between the Emoria and Petersburg Compressor Stations from Transco Energy Marketing Company.

Columbia states that the proposed replacement is primarily due to age and condition. In addition, replacement of 12-inch with 20-inch pipeline will permit Columbia to fulfill a request by Virginia Natural Gas Company (VNG) for an additional 14,625 Dth per day in Firm Storage Service (FSS) and associated Firm Storage Transportation (SST) to its Norfolk, Virginia delivery point. The estimated cost of the proposed project is \$7,193,200. The incremental costs associated with additional service to VNG are estimated to be \$2,706,200.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before July 29, 1998, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First