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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Export Administration

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce (DOC) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Agency: Bureau of Export Administration (BXA).

Title: Five Year Records Retention Period.

Agency Form Number: None.

OMB Approval Number: 0694-0096.

Type of Request: Extension of a currently approved collection of information.

Burden: 229 hours.

Average Time Per Response: 0.01 second per response

Number of Respondents: 200,000 respondents.

Needs and Uses: The five year records retention requirement enables BXA to detect violations from records up to five years old to correspond with the five year statute of limitations and prove that a violation did or did not take place. The documents can also provide exculpatory evidence for firms who have been accused of export control violations and are innocent.

Affected Public: Individuals, businesses or other for-profit institutions.

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

OMB Desk Officer: Victoria Baecher-Wassmer (202) 395-5871.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20230.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Victoria Baecher-Wassmer, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20230.

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Agency: Bureau of Export Administration (BXA).

Title: Report on Unscheduled Unloading And Unloading And/Or Return of Cargo.

Agency Form Number: None.

OMB Approval Number: 0694-0040.

Type of Request: Extension of a currently approved collection of information.

Burden: 2 hours.

Average Time Per Response: 1 hour per response.

Number of Respondents: 2 respondents.

Needs and Uses: This collection of information is the reports to BXA required by carriers exporting controlled goods or technology when it is necessary to unload the cargo at a destination other than that shown on the Shipper's Export Declaration or when directed to unload and/or return cargo.

Affected Public: Individuals, businesses or other for-profit organizations.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13.

Bureau: International Trade Administration.

Title: Application of License to Enter Watches and Watch Movements into the Customs Territory of the U.S.—Public Law 97-446.

Agency Form Number: ITA-334P.

OMB Number: 0625-0040.

Type of Request: Revision-Regular Submission.

Burden: 5 hours.

Number of Respondents: 5.

Avg. Hours Per Response: 1 hour.

Needs and Uses: Pub. L. 97-446, as amended by Pub. L. 103-465, requires the Department of Commerce and the Interior to administer the distribution of duty exemptions and duty refunds to watch producers in the U.S. insular possessions and the Northern Mariana Islands. The primary consideration in collecting information is the enforcement of the law and the information gathered is limited to that necessary to prevent abuse of the program and to permit a fair and equitable distribution of its benefits. Form ITA-334P is the principal program form used for recording the annual operational data on the basis of which program entitlements are distributed among the producers (and the provision of which to the Departments constitutes their annual application for these entitlements).

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain a benefit.

OMB Desk Officer: Victoria Baecher-Wassmer, (202) 395-7340.

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Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent to Victoria Baecher-Wassmer, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: August 4, 1998.

Linda Engelmeier,

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13.

Bureau: International Trade Administration.

Title: Watch Duty-Exemption Program Forms.

Agency Form Number: ITA-340P, 360P, 361P.

OMB Number: 0625-0134.

Type of Request: Revision-Regular Submission.

Burden: 83 hours.

Number of Respondents: 5.

Avg. Hours Per Response: 10 minutes.

Needs and Uses: Pub. L. 97-446, as amended by Pub. L. 103-465, requires the Department of Commerce and the Interior to administer the distribution of duty exemptions and duty refunds to watch producers in the U.S. insular possessions and the Northern Mariana Islands. The primary consideration in collecting information is the enforcement of the law and the information gathered is limited to that necessary to prevent abuse of the program and to permit a fair and equitable distribution of its benefits. Form ITA-340P provides the data to assist in verification of duty-free shipments and make certain the allocations are not exceed. Form ITA-360P and ITA-361P are necessary to implement the duty refund program.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit.

Frequency: On Occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain a benefit.

OMB Desk Officer: Victoria Baecher-Wassmer, (202) 395-7340.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13.

Agency: International Trade Administration.

Title: Information on Articles for Physically or Mentally Handicapped Persons Imported Free of Duty.

Agency Form Number: ITA-362P.

OMB Number: 0625-0118.

Type of Request: Regular Submission.

Burden: 304 hours.

Number of Respondents: 380.

Avg. Hours Per Response: 4 minutes.

Needs and Uses: Congress, when it enacted legislation to implement the Nairobi Protocol to the Florence Agreement, included a provision for the Departments of Commerce and Treasury to collect information on the import of articles for the handicapped. Form ITA-362P, Information on Articles for Physically or Mentally Handicapped Persons Imported Free of Duty, is the vehicle by which statistical information is obtained to assess whether the duty-free treatment of articles for the handicapped has had a significant adverse impact on a domestic industry (or portion thereof) manufacturing or producing a like or directly competitive article. Without the collection of data, it would be almost impossible for a sound determination to be made and for the President to appropriately redress the situation.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit, not-for-profit institutions, state, local or tribal governments, federal government, individuals or households.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain a benefit.

OMB Desk Officer: Victoria Baecher-Wassmer, (202) 395-7340.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Export Trade Certificate of Review

AGENCY: International Trade Administration, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of initiation of process to revoke Export Trade Certificate of Review No. 95-00001.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of Commerce issued an export trade certificate of review to VINEX International, Inc. Because this certificate holder has failed to file an annual report as required by law, the Department is initiating proceedings to revoke the certificate. This notice summarizes the notification letter sent to VINEX International, Inc.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Morton Schnabel, Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, International Trade Administration, (202) 482-5131. This is not a toll-free number.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 ("the Act") [15 U.S.C. 4011-21] authorizes the Secretary of Commerce to issue export trade certificates of review. The regulations implementing Title III ["the Regulations"] are found at 15 CFR part 325. Pursuant to this authority, a certificate of review was issued on July 25, 1995 to VINEX International, Inc.

A certificate holder is required by law (Section 308 of the Act, 15 U.S.C. 4018) to submit to the Department of Commerce annual reports that update