services among SCP clients and comparison group subjects at 3-month and 6-month follow-up.

Type of Review: New approval.

Agency: Corporation for National and Community Service.

Title: SCP Client Follow-up Survey.

*OMB Number:* None. *Agency Number:* None.

Affected Public: SCP clients and comparison group members (at 3- and 6-month follow-up).

Total Respondents: Approximately 1,350 at 3-month follow-up and approximately 1,013 at 6-month follow-up.

Frequency: Two times.

Average Time Per Response: 30 minutes.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 675 hours at 3-month follow-up, and 507 hours at 6-month follow-up.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): None.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): None.

## Part III. SCP Family Member/Caregiver and Comparison Group Baseline Survey

This survey is designed to assess the baseline characteristics of family members/caregivers associated with SCP clients, and comparison group members, and to determine their attitude toward caregiving, perceptions of the unmet needs of their older relatives/family members, and their expectations of future care for SCP clients/comparison group subjects. Family members/caregivers also will be asked to answer health and functional status questions on behalf of SCP clients and comparison group members when clients/comparison group subjects are unable to speak on their own behalf.

*Type of Review:* New approval.

*Agency:* Corporation for National and Community Service.

*Title:* SCP Family Member/Caregiver Baseline Survey.

OMB Number: None.

Agency Number: None.

Affected Public: Family members/caregivers and comparison group members affiliated with the SCP (at baseline).

*Total Respondents:* Approximately 800.

Frequency: One time.

Average Time Per Response: 30 minutes.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 400 hours.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): None.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): None.

## Part IV. SCP Family Member/Caregiver and Comparison Group Follow-up Survey

This survey is designed to assess the changes in the characteristics of family member/caregivers associated with SCP clients, and comparison group members at 3-month and 6-month follow-up, and to document changes in attitudes toward caregiving, perceived unmet neets of relatives/family members, change in family member/caregiver well-being, and satisfaction with SCP and SCP-like services received. Changes in health and functional status of SCP clients and comparison group members also will be assessed from family members/caregivers on behalf of SCP clients and comparison group members who respond on behalf of SCP clients/ comparison group subjects.

Type of Review: New approval.

Agency: Corporation for National and
Community Service.

*Title:* SCP Family Member/Caregiver Follow-up Survey.

OMB Number: None.

Agency Number: None.

Affected Public: Family members/caregivers and comparison group members affiliated with the SCP (at 3-and 6-month follow-up).

Total Respondents: Approximately 544 at 3-month follow-up and approximately 462 at 6-month follow-up.

Frequency: Two times.

Average Time Per Response: 30 minutes.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 272 hours at 3-month follow-up, and 231 hours at 6-month follow-up.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): None.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): None.

### **Part V. Agency Cross-Sectional Survey**

This survey is designed to document the types of agencies that are affiliated with the SCP, examine the types of roles and activities performed by senior companions and received by agency clients, assess the costs and benefits of having senior companions associated with participating agencies, and to determine agency satisfaction with SCP services. Agency representatives also will be asked to assess the impact of the SCP on the communities that they serve, and to suggest ways in which the SCP could be improved over time.

Type of Review: New approval.

Agency: Corporation for National and
Community Service.

Title: SCP Agency Survey.

OMB Number: None.

Agency Number: None.

Affected Public: Agency supervisors who oversee Senior Companions at their agencies.

*Total Respondents:* Approximately 160.

Frequency: One time.

Average Time Per Response: 30 minutes.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 80 hours.

*Total Burden Cost (capital/startup):* None.

Total Burden Cost (operation/maintenance): None.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection request; they will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: March 29, 1999.

#### Thomas L. Bryant,

 $Acting \ General \ Counsel.$ 

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

#### Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 99-10]

## 36(b)(1) Arms Sales Notification

**AGENCY:** Defense Security Cooperation Agency, Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense is publishing the unclassified text of a section 36(b)(1) arms sales notification. This is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of P.L. 104–164 dated 21 July 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. J. Hurd, DSCA/COMPT/RM, (703) 604–6575.

The following is a copy of a letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Transmittal 99–10, with attached transmittal, policy justification and Sensitivity of Technology.

Dated: March 29, 1999.

#### Patricia L. Toppings,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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### **DEFENSE SECURITY COOPERATION AGENCY**

WASHINGTON, DC 20301-2800

23 MAR 1999 In reply refer to: I-99/02509

Honorable J. Dennis Hastert Speaker of the House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515-6501

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, we are forwarding herewith Transmittal No. 99-10, concerning the Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to the Netherlands for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$360 million. Soon after this letter is delivered to your office, we plan to notify the news media.

Sincerely,

A.R. KELTZ
ACTING DIRECTOR

### Attachments

Same ltr to: House Committee on International Relations

Senate Committee on Appropriations Senate Committee on Foreign Relations House Committee on National Security Senate Committee on Armed Services House Committee on Appropriations

### Transmittal No. 99-10

# Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act

- (i) **Prospective Purchaser:** Netherlands
- (ii) Total Estimated Value:

Major Defense Equipment\* \$325 million
Other \$35 million
TOTAL \$360 million

- (iii) Description of Articles or Services Offered: Two hundred forty-two JAVELIN anti-tank missile systems (consisting of 242 JAVELIN command launch units, 3,190 JAVELIN missile rounds, and 60 lot acceptance missiles), simulators, support equipment, spare and repair parts, publications and technical data, personnel training and equipment, U.S. Government and contractor engineering and logistics personnel services, a Quality Assurance Team, and other related elements of logistics support.
- (iv) Military Department: Army (VZX)
- (v) Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed to be Paid: None
- (vi) <u>Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense Article or Defense</u> Services Proposed to be Sold: See Annex attached.
- (vii) <u>Date Report Delivered to Congress</u>: 23 MAR 1999

<sup>\*</sup> as defined in Section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act.

## **POLICY JUSTIFICATION**

## Netherlands - JAVELIN Anti-tank Missile Systems

The Government of the Netherlands has requested a possible sale of 242 JAVELIN antitank missile systems (consisting of 242 JAVELIN command launch units, 3,190 JAVELIN missile rounds, and 60 lot acceptance missiles), simulators, support equipment, spare and repair parts, publications and technical data, personnel training and equipment, U.S. Government and contractor engineering and logistics personnel services, a Quality Assurance Team, and other related elements of logistics support. The estimated cost is \$360 million.

This proposed sale will contribute to the foreign policy and national security of the United States by improving the military capabilities of Netherlands and enhancing weapon system standardization and interoperability of this important NATO ally.

The Netherlands will use these JAVELIN anti-tank missile systems to enhance their antitank ground forces and to increase interoperability with U.S. forces. The Netherlands will have no difficulty absorbing these systems into its armed forces.

The proposed sale of this equipment and support will not affect the basic military balance in the region.

The prime contractor will be JAVELIN Joint Venture (Raytheon and Lockheed Martin), Orlando, Florida One or more proposed offset agreements may be related to this proposed sale.

Implementation of this proposed sale will require the assignment of a U.S. Government Quality Assurance Team to the Netherlands for two weeks to assist in the delivery and deployment of the missiles. Two contractor representatives will be required in-country for two years to perform maintenance services.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

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## Annex Item No. vi

# (vi) Sensitivity of Technology:

- 1. The JAVELIN anti-tank missile system provides a man-portable, medium anti-tank capability to infantry, scouts, and combat engineers. JAVELIN is comprised of two major tactical components; a reusable Command Launch Unit (CLU) and a missile sealed in a disposable launch tube assembly. The CLU incorporates an integrated day/night sight and provides target engagement capability in adverse weather and countermeasure environments. The CLU may also be used in the stand-alone mode for battlefield surveillance and target detection. JAVELIN's key technical feature is the use of fire-and-forget technology which allows the gunner to fire and immediately take cover. Additional special features are the top attack and/or direct fire modes (for targets under cover), integrated day/night sight, advanced tandem warhead, imaging infrared seeker, target lock-on before launch, and soft launch from enclosures or covered fighting positions. The JAVELIN weapon system is intended to replace the DRAGON. At this time, there are no hardware differences in the missile rounds for the U.S. Army and export customers. The difference between U.S. Forces and export customers is in the missile software that is loaded into the Command Launch Unit and is downloaded to the missile prior to launch. If the software was compromised it could result in the sensitive technology being lost and reveal the performance capabilities of the JAVELIN Missile System. Reverse engineering of the software would require a substantial effort.
- 2. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures or equivalent systems which might reduce weapon system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.
- 3. A determination has been made that the Netherlands can provide substantially the same degree of protection for the sensitive technology being released as the U.S. Government. This sale is necessary in furtherance of the U.S. foreign policy and national security objectives outlined in the Policy Justification.

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