

responsibility concerning the disposition of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 355.34(d). Timely written notification of return/destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective order is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and the terms of an APO is sanctionable violation.

This amendment to the final results of the countervailing duty administrative review notice is in accordance with section 751(a)(1) of the Tariff Act, as amended, (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(1)), 19 CFR 351.213, and 19 CFR 351.221(b)(5)).

Dated: September 13, 1999.

**Richard W. Moreland,**  
*Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Institute of Standards and Technology

[Docket Number 990809210-9210-01]

#### Voluntary Product Standard; DOC PS 20-99 "American Softwood Lumber Standard"

**AGENCY:** National Institute of Standards and Technology, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) announces voluntary product standard DOC PS 20-99 "American Softwood Lumber Standard" is to supersede DOC PS 20-94. The Standard establishes standard sizes and requirements for developing and coordinating the lumber grades of the various species of softwood lumber, the assignment of design values, and the preparation of grading rules applicable to each species. Its provisions include implementation of the Standard through an accreditation and certification program; establishment of principal trade classifications and lumber sizes for yard, structural, factory/shop use; classification, measurement, grading and grade-marking of lumber; definitions of terms and procedures to provide a basis for the use of uniform methods in the grading, inspection, measurement and description of softwood lumber; commercial names of the principal softwood species; definitions of terms used in describing standard grades of lumber; and commonly used industry abbreviations. The Standard also includes the organization and functions of the American Lumber Standard

Committee, the Board of Review, and the National Grading Rule Committee.

**DATES:** DOC PS 20-99 "American Softwood Lumber Standard," a voluntary product standard developed under Department of Commerce procedures, becomes effective September 1, 1999, for products produced thereunder on and after that date. The standard being superseded, DOC PS 20-94 "American Softwood Lumber Standard," is effective for products produced thereunder through August 1, 1999.

**ADDRESSES:** Requests for a copy of DOC PS 20-99 should be submitted to the Technical Standards Activities program, NIST, 100 Bureau Drive Stop 2150, Gaithersburg, MD 20899-2150.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Barbara M. Meigs, Technical Standards Activities Program, telephone: 301-975-4025, fax: 301-926-1559, e-mail: barbara.meigs@nist.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** DOC PS 20-99 "American Softwood Lumber Standard" was developed by the American Lumber Standard Committee, the Standing Committee responsible for maintaining DOC PS 20-94. The revision was processed in accordance with provisions of Department "Procedures for the Development of Voluntary Product Standards" (15 CFR Part 10, as amended; 51 FR 119 dated June 20, 1986). A notice, which appeared in the **Federal Register** on February 1, 1999 (54 FR 4844-4845), announced NIST's circulation of the revision for public review and comment and provided the history of the revision.

An analysis of the results of the comments and responses received by NIST indicated that the revision was supported by a consensus (general concurrence and, in addition, no substantive objection deemed valid by the Department); therefore, in accordance with DOC procedures, DOC PS 20-99 supersedes DOC PS 20-94, effective September 1, 1999. The new edition reflects efforts toward updating and improving the presentation of DOC PS 20 with clarification and simplification of text and terms while maintaining the technical requirements and administrative structure for implementing and enforcing the Standard.

Authority: 15 USC 272.

Dated: September 16, 1999.

**Karen H. Brown,**  
*Deputy Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Navy

#### Correction to Notice of Public Hearing for the Draft Overseas Environmental Impact Statement/Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DOEIS/DEIS) for the Operational Employment of the Surveillance Towed Array Sensor System Low Frequency Active (SURTASS LFA) Sonar

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DOD.  
**ACTION:** Announcement of correction.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Navy published in the **Federal Register**, September 14, 1999 (Volume 64, Number 177) Notice of Public Hearing concerning the operational employment of the SURTASS LFA sonar. This announcement corrects the submission date for written comments.

**DATES:** The date for submission of written comments is not later than October 28, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Clayton H. Spikes, telephone (703) 465-8404.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The public hearing will be conducted in English. Requests for language interpreters or assistance with other special needs should be made to Mr. Clayton Spikes (703) 465-8404 at least one week prior to the meeting. The Navy will make every reasonable effort to accommodate these needs.

Dated: September 17, 1999.

**J.L. Roth,**  
*Lieutenant Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Navy

#### Notice of Availability of Government-Owned Invention for Licensing

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DOD.  
**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The invention U.S. Patent Number 5,752,713 entitled *Discriminate Reduction Data Processing* is assigned to the United States Government as represented by the Secretary of the Navy and is available for licensing by the Department of the Navy.

**ADDRESSES:** Requests for copies of the patent cited should be directed to Naval Surface Warfare Center, Carderock Division, Code 0117, 9500 MacArthur Blvd, West Bethesda, MD 20817-5700.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Dick Bloomquist, Director Technology Transfer, Naval Surface Warfare Center, Carderock Division, Code 0117, 9500 MacArthur Blvd., West Bethesda, MD 20817-5700, telephone (301) 227-4299.

Dated: September 13, 1999.

**J.L. Roth,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE DEFENSE

### Department of the Navy

#### Notice of Intent To Grant Exclusive License: Applied Analysis Research Company

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DOD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Navy hereby gives notice of its intent to grant to Applied Analysis Research Company a revocable, nonassignable, exclusive license to practice the government-owned inventions described in the following: U.S. Patent Number 5,619,432 entitled *Discriminate Reduction Data Processor* and U.S. Patent Number 5,652,713 entitled *Discriminate Reduction Data Processing*.

**DATES:** Anyone wishing to object to the grant of this license must file written objections along with supporting evidence, if any, not later than November 22, 1999.

**ADDRESSES:** Written objections are to be filed with the Carderock Division, Naval Surface Warfare Center, Code 004, 9500 MacArthur Blvd., West Bethesda MD 20817-5700.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Dick Bloomquist, Director Technology Transfer, Carderock Division, Naval Surface Warfare Center, Code 0117, 9500 MacArthur Blvd., West Bethesda MD 20817-5700, telephone (301) 227-4299.

Dated: September 13, 1999.

**J.L. Roth,**

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## DELAWARE RIVER BASIN COMMISSION

### Notice of Commission Meeting and Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given that the Delaware River Basin Commission will hold an informal conference and public hearing on Thursday, September 30, 1999. The hearing will be part of the Commission's regular business meeting. Both the conference and business meeting are open to the public and will be held in the Goddard Conference Room of the Commission's offices at 25 State Police Drive, West Trenton, New Jersey.

The conference among the Commissioners and staff will begin at 9:30 a.m. and will include a presentation on New York City's Water Conservation Program; status reports on drought conditions and the codification of the existing Comprehensive Plan; discussions of fiscal year 2001 budget and health insurance issues; summaries of the Governors' Summit and the flood preparedness meeting; and a report on the Pittsburgh Joint ICWP and River Basin Commission meeting.

In addition to the subjects summarized below which are scheduled for public hearing at the 1:00 p.m. business meeting, the Commission will also address the following: Minutes of the August 18, 1999 business meeting; announcements; report on Basin hydrologic conditions; reports by the Executive Director and General Counsel; and public dialogue. The Commission will consider resolutions to: confirm the appointment of the Secretary to the Commission; make FY '99 budget adjustments; amend the cost of the barrier-free unisex bathroom facility at the headquarters building; establish a Watershed Council; and approve a cooperative agreement for the Schuylkill River Monitoring Program. The Commission will also review and possibly act on drought related emergency resolutions.

The subjects of the hearing will be as follows:

1. *Northeast Land Company D-89-10 CP RENEWAL.* An application for the renewal of a ground water withdrawal project to supply up to 4.96 million gallons (mg)/30 days of water to the applicant's distribution system from Well Midlake #1. Commission approval on April 26, 1989 was extended to 10 years. The applicant requests that the total withdrawal from the well remain limited to 4.96 mg/30 days. The project is located in Kidder Township, Carbon County, Pennsylvania.

2. *Seabrook Brothers & Sons, Inc. D-98-44.* A ground water withdrawal project to supply up to 133.6 mg/30 days of water to the applicant's vegetable processing and packaging facility from existing Well Nos. 1, 2R and 4, and new Well No. 5. The project entails an increase of the existing total combined withdrawal limit from 117.5 mg/30 days to 133.6 mg/30 days. The project is located in Upper Deerfield Township, Cumberland County, New Jersey.

3. *Utilities, Inc. D-98-47 CP.* A project to replace the withdrawal of water from Well No. 1 which has become an unreliable source of supply, and to increase the total withdrawal from all wells from 8.25 mg/30 days to 10.65 mg/30 days. The applicant requests that the withdrawal from replacement Well No. 6 be limited to 2.4 mg/30 days. The project wells are located in Stroud Township and will continue to serve the applicant's Penn Estates residential community located in Stroud and Pocono Townships, all in Monroe County, Pennsylvania.

4. *Lower Providence Township Municipal Authority D-99-21 CP.* A ground water withdrawal project to supply a combined total of up to 2.27 mg/30 days of water to the applicant's golf course irrigation system from Well Nos. 1 and 2. The project is located in Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County in the Southeastern Pennsylvania Ground Water Protected Area.

5. *Pennsylvania-American Water Company D-99-29 CP.* A project to upgrade and expand the applicant's existing 0.567 million gallons per day (mgd) secondary treatment plant to 1.256 mgd to provide advanced secondary treatment. The project will continue to serve the Pocono Country Place development in Coolbaugh Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania. Treated effluent will continue to discharge to East Branch Dresser Run, a tributary of Tobyhanna Creek in the Lehigh River watershed.

6. *Central Carbon Municipal Authority D-99-48 CP.* A project to construct a new 1.6 mgd oxidation ditch process sewage treatment plant to replace an existing failing overloaded 0.72 mgd plant. The new advanced secondary treatment plant is located approximately one-half mile downstream of the existing plant along the Lehigh River in Mahoning Township, Carbon County, Pennsylvania. The new facilities will serve portions of Franklin and Mahoning Townships, and Weissport and Lehighton Boroughs, all in Carbon