

Summary of Proposal(s)

- (1) *Collection title*: Request for Internet Services.
- (2) *Form(s) submitted*: (N/A).
- (3) *OMB Number*: 3220-0198.
- (4) *Expiration date of current OMB clearance*: 05/31/2004.
- (5) *Type of request*: Revision.
- (6) *Respondents*: Individuals or households.
- (7) *Estimated annual number of respondents*: 11,760.
- (8) *Total annual responses*: 23,520.
- (9) *Total annual reporting hours*: 1,274.
- (10) *Collection description*: The Railroad Retirement Board collects information needed to provide customers with the ability to request a Password Request Code and subsequently, to establish an individual PIN/Password, the initial steps in providing the option of conducting transactions with the RRB on a routine basis through the Internet.
- Additional Information or Comments*: Copies of the forms and supporting documents can be obtained by contacting Charles Mierzwa, the agency clearance officer, at (312) 751-3363 or Charles.Mierzwa@RRB.GOV.
- Comments regarding the information collection should be addressed to Ronald J. Hodapp, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611-2092 or Ronald.Hodapp@RRB.GOV and to the OMB Desk Officer for the RRB, at the Office of Management and Budget, Room 10230, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Charles Mierzwa,
Clearance Officer.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**Issuer Delisting; Notice of Application of GE Global Insurance Holding Corporation to Withdraw Its 7% Notes (due 2026) From Listing and Registration on the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. File No. 1-14178**

March 19, 2004.

GE Global Insurance Holding Corporation, a Delaware corporation (“Issuer”), has filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”), pursuant to section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (“Act”)¹ and Rule 12d2-2(d) thereunder,² to withdraw its

7% Notes (due 2026) (“Security”), from listing and registration on the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. (“NYSE” or “Exchange”).

The Issuer stated in its application that it has met the requirements of the NYSE rules governing an issuer’s voluntary withdrawal of a security from listing and registration.

The Board of Directors (“Board”) of the Issuer approved a resolution on March 10, 2004 to withdraw the Issuer’s Security from listing on the NYSE. The Board stated that following reasons factored into its decision to withdraw the Issuer’s Security from the Exchange: (i) The limited number of holders of the Security (as of March 2, 2004, there were approximately 88 beneficial holders of the Security); (ii) the Issuer’s Security trades infrequently on the NYSE and based on information provided in pricing history reports, there has been minimal trading of the Security during the three-month period prior to the date of this application; (iii) the Issuer believes that delisting the Security should not have a material impact on the holders of the Security; and (iv) the Issuer is not obligated under the indenture under which the Security was issued or any other documents to maintain a listing of the Security on the NYSE or any other exchange.

The Issuer’s application relates solely to the Security’s withdrawal from listing on the NYSE and from registration under section 12(b) of the Act³ and shall not affect its obligation to be registered under section 12(g) of the Act.⁴

Any interested person may, on or before April 12, 2004, submit by letter to the Secretary of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549-0609, facts bearing upon whether the application has been made in accordance with the rules of the NYSE and what terms, if any, should be imposed by the Commission for the protection of investors. All comment letters should refer to File No. 1-14178. The Commission, based on the information submitted to it, will issue an order granting the application after the date mentioned above, unless the Commission determines to order a hearing on the matter.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.⁵

Jonathan G. Katz,
Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Public Company Accounting Oversight Board; Notice of Filing of Proposed Rules Relating to Investigations and Adjudications

March 19, 2004.

Pursuant to section 107(b) of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (the “Act”), notice is hereby given that on October 10, 2003, the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (the “Board” or the “PCAOB”) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “Commission”) the proposed rules described in Items I, II, and III below, which items have been prepared by the Board. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rules from interested persons.

I. Board’s Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rules

On September 29, 2003, the Board adopted rules related to investigations and adjudications. The proposal includes 64 rules on investigations and adjudications (PCAOB Rules 5000 through 5501), a general rule on time computation (PCAOB Rule 1002) and 14 definitions that would appear in PCAOB Rule 1001. The text of the proposed rules is available for inspection at the Commission’s Public Reference Room and on the PCOAB’s Internet Web site, at <http://www.pcaobus.org>.

II. Board’s Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rules; Board’s Statements on Burden on Competition and on Comments on the Proposed Rules

In its filing with the Commission, the Board included statements concerning the purpose of, and basis for, the proposed rules and discussed the burden on competition and any comments it received on the proposed rules. The text of these statements may be examined at the places specified in Item IV below. The Board has prepared summaries, set forth in subsections A, B and C below, of the most significant aspects of such statements.

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78l(d).

² 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(d).

³ 15 U.S.C. 78l(b).

⁴ 15 U.S.C. 78l(g).

⁵ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(1).