Ocean Freight Forwarder—Ocean Transportation Intermediary Applicant

Argosy Shipping (USA), LP, 6575 West Loop South, Suite 110, Bellaire, TX 77401, Officers: C. Rider Griswold, President (Qualifying Individual), Madelaine Griswold, Vice President.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting Notice

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission. **TIME AND DATE:** 2 p.m., Wednesday, November 12, 2003.

PLACE: Federal Trade Commission Building, Room 532, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20580.

STATUS: Part of this meeting will be open to the public. The rest of the meeting will be closed to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Portion Open to Public: (1) Oral Argument in Chicago Bridge & Iron Company, N.V., et al. Docket 9300.

PORTION CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC: (2) Executive Session to follow Oral Argument in Chicago Bridge & Iron Company, N.V., et al. Docket 9300.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Mitch Katz. Office of Public Affairs: (202) 326–2180. Recorded Message: (202) 326–2711.

Donald S. Clark.

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Findings of Scientific Misconduct

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, HHS. **ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Office of Research Integrity (ORI) and the Assistant Secretary for Health have taken final action in the following case:

Ilya Koltover, Ph.D., California Institute of Technology: Based on the report of an investigation conducted by the California Institute of Technology (CIT) (CIT Report), an admission by the respondent, and additional analysis conducted by ORI in its oversight review, the U.S. Public Health Service (PHS) found that Ilya Koltover, Ph.D., former postdoctoral fellow at CIT, engaged in scientific misconduct in research supported by PHS Postdoctoral Fellowship F32 GM20588 entitled "Design of targeted synthetic gene delivery vehicles."

Specifically, PHS found that Dr. Koltover plagiarized a scanning micrograph (STM) from a graduate student, falsified it as an atomic force micrograph (AFM) of a separate molecule, and falsely represented it (1) to his research group at Caltech; (2) in his grant application to the Petroleum Research Fund (PRF); and (3) to his mentor, who then included it as an AFM figure in a proposal to the National Science Foundation (NSF).

Dr. Koltover has entered into a Voluntary Exclusion Agreement in which he has voluntarily agreed for a period of three (3) years, beginning on October 3, 2003:

(1) To exclude himself from serving in any advisory capacity to PHS including but not limited to service on any PHS advisory committee, board, and/or peer review committee, or as a consultant;

(2) That any institution which submits an application for PHS support for a research project on which Dr. Koltover's participation is proposed or which uses him in any capacity on PHS supported research, or that submits a report of PHS-funded research in which he is involved, must concurrently submit a plan for supervision of his duties to the funding agency for approval. The supervisory plan must be designed to ensure the scientific integrity of his research contribution. Dr. Koltover agreed to ensure that a copy of the supervisory plan is also submitted to ORI by the institution and that he will not participate in any PHSsupported research until such a supervision plan is submitted to ORI;

(3) That any institution employing Dr. Koltover submit, in conjunction with each application for PHS funds or report, manuscript, or abstract of PHS funded research in which he is involved, a certification that the data provided by Dr. Koltover are based on actual experiments or are otherwise legitimately derived, and that the data, procedures, and methodology are accurately reported in the application or report. Dr. Koltover must ensure that the institution sends a copy of the certification to ORI.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Director, Division of Investigative

Oversight, Office of Research Integrity, 1101 Wootton Parkway, Suite 750, Rockville, MD 20852, (301) 443–5330.

Chris B. Pascal,

Director, Office of Research Integrity.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Privacy Act of 1974, as Amended; Computer Matching Program

AGENCY: ACF, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of a computer matching program.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended by Pub. L. 100–503, the Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988, we are publishing a notice of a computer matching program. The purpose of this computer match is to identify specific individuals who are receiving payments pursuant to various benefit programs administered by both HHS and Department of Agriculture. ACF will facilitate this program on behalf of the State Public Assistance Agencies (SPAAs) that participate in the Public Assistance Reporting Information System (PARIS) for verification of continued eligibility for public assistance. The match will utilize Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) records and SPAA records.

DATES: ACF will file a report of the subject matching program with the Committee on Governmental Affairs of the Senate, the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight of the House of Representatives, and the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs with the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). The dates for the matching program will be effective as indicated below.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties may comment on this notice by writing to the Director, Office of Financial Services, Office of Administration, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW., Washington, DC 20447. All comments received will be available for public inspection at this address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Director, Office of Financial Services, Office of Administration, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW., Washington, DC 20447. Telephone Number (202) 401– 7237. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pub. L. 100–503, the Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988, amended the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a) by adding certain protections for individuals applying for and receiving federal benefits. The law regulates the use of computer matching by federal agencies when records in a system of records are matched with other federal, state and local government records. Federal agencies which provide or receive records in computer matching programs must:

1. Negotiate written agreements with

source agencies;

2. Provide notification to applicants and beneficiaries that their records are subject to matching;

3. Verify match findings before reducing, suspending, or terminating an individual's benefits or payments;

4. Furnish detailed reports to Congress and OMB; and

5. Establish a Data Integrity Board that must approve matching agreements.

This computer matching program meets the requirements of Pub. L. 100–503.

Dated: October 17, 2003.

Curtis L. Coy,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Administration, ACF.

Notice of Computer Matching Program

A. Participating Agencies

VA and the SPAAs.

B. Purpose of the Match

To identify specific individuals who are receiving benefits from VA and also receiving payments pursuant to HHS and Department of Agriculture benefit programs, and to verify their continued eligibility for such benefits. SPAAs will contact affected individuals and seek to verify the information resulting from the match before initiating any adverse actions based on the match results.

C. Authority for Conducting the Match

The authority for conducting the matching program is contained in section 402 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 602).

D. Records to be Matched

VA will disclose records from its Privacy Act system of records entitled "Compensation, Pension, Education and Rehabilitation Records" (58 VA 21/22 first published at 41 FR 9294 (March 3, 1976), and last amended at 66 FR 47727 (September 13, 2001)). VA's disclosure of information for use in this computer match is listed as a routine use in this system of records.

VA, as the source agency, will prepare electronic files containing the names

and other personal identifying data of eligible veterans receiving benefits. These records are matched electronically against SPAA files consisting of data regarding monthly Medicaid, Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF), general assistance, and Food Stamp beneficiaries.

- 1. The electronic files provided by the SPAAs will contain client names and Social Security numbers (SSNs).
- 2. The resulting output returned to the SPAAs will contain personal identifiers, including names, SSNs, employers, current work or home addresses, etc.

E. Inclusive Dates of the Matching Program

The effective date of the matching agreement and date when matching may actually begin shall be at the expiration of the 40-day review period for OMB and Congress, or 30 days after publication of the matching notice in the Federal Register, whichever date is later. The matching program will be in effect for 18 months from the effective date, with an option to renew for 12 additional months, unless one of the parties to the agreement advises the others by written request to terminate or modify the agreement.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 2002N-0276]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Announcement of Office of Management and Budget Approval; Registration of Food Facilities Under the Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness and Response Act of 2002

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that a collection of information entitled "Registration of Food Facilities Under the Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness and Response Act of 2002" has been approved by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Peggy Robbins, Office of Management Programs (HFA-250), Food and Drug

Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-827-1223. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the Federal Register of October 10, 2003 (68 FR 58955), the agency announced that the proposed information collection had been submitted to OMB for review and clearance under 44 U.S.C. 3507. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. OMB has now approved the information collection and has assigned OMB control number 0910-0502. The approval expires on October 31, 2006. A copy of the supporting statement for this information collection is available on

Dated: October 22, 2003.

Jeffrey Shuren,

ohrms/dockets.

Assistant Commissioner for Policy.
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the Internet at http://www.fda.gov/

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

Circulatory System Devices Panel of the Medical Devices Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

This notice announces a forthcoming meeting of a public advisory committee of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The meeting will be open to the public.

Name of Committee: Circulatory System Devices Panel of the Medical Devices Advisory Committee.

General Function of the Committee: To provide advice and recommendations to the agency on FDA's regulatory issues.

Date and Time: The meeting will be held on November 20, 2003, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Location: Hilton Washington DC North, Grand Ballroom, 620 Perry Pkwy., Gaithersburg, MD.

Contact Person: Geretta Wood, Center for Devices and Radiological Health (HFZ–450), Food and Drug Administration, 9200 Corporate Blvd., Rockville, MD 20850, 301–443–8320, ext. 143, or FDA Advisory Committee Information Line, 1–800–741–8138 (301–443–0572 in the Washington, DC area), code 12625. Please call the Information Line for up-to-date information on this meeting.