

Materials License, #2803, Rockingham County, Virginia” Letter from K. Mayne, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to NRC dated January 16, 2003. (ML030220358)

III. Finding of No Significant Impact

Based upon the environmental assessment, the staff concludes that the proposed action will not have a significant effect on the quality of the human environment. Accordingly, the staff has determined that preparation of an environmental impact statement is not warranted.

IV. Further Information

The references listed above are available for public inspection and may also be copied for a fee at the NRC’s Public Document Room, located at One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852. These documents are also available for public review through ADAMS, the NRC’s electronic reading room, at: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. Any questions with respect to this action should be referred to Orysia Masnyk Bailey, Materials Licensing/Inspection Branch 1, Division of Nuclear Materials Safety, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region II, Suite 23T85, 61 Forsyth Street, SW., Atlanta, Georgia 30303. Telephone 404-562-4739.

Dated at Atlanta, Georgia, the 17th day of June, 2003.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Douglas M. Collins,

Director, Division of Nuclear Materials Safety, Region II.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Sunshine Act; Meeting

DATE: Weeks of June 30, July 7, 14, 28, August 4, 2003.

PLACE: Commissioners’ Conference Room, 1155 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

STATUS: Public and closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Week of June 30, 2003

Tuesday, July 1, 2003

10 a.m. Briefing on Status of Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response (NSIR) Programs, Performance, and Plans (closed—Ex.1).

Week of July 7, 2003—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 7, 2003.

Week of July 14, 2003—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 14, 2003.

Week of July 21, 2003—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 21.

Week of July 28, 2003—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 28, 2003., 2003.

Week of August 4, 2003—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of August 4, 2003.

*The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. To verify the status of meetings call (recording)—(301) 415-1292. Contact person for more information: David Louis Gamberoni (301) 415-1651.

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The NRC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the Internet at: www.nrc.gov/what-we-do/policy-making/schedule.html.

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Dated: June 26, 2003.

D.L. Gamberoni,

Technical Coordinator, Office of the Secretary.

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POSTAL SERVICE

NCOALink (National Change of Address Linkage System) Product

AGENCY: Postal Service.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The United States Postal Service has developed the NCOALink secure dataset product that will enable mailers to update name and address mailing lists with customers’ new mailing addresses prior to mailing in a manner which will increase the security of postal customer data and further protect the privacy of this information.

This does not represent a change in address policy. Rather, this increases the security of address information. The Postal Service intends, after an appropriate transition period, to replace the current National Change of Address (NCOA) and FASTforward® Mailing List Correction (MLC) licensed products with NCOALink licensed products. At this time the NCOALink technology is not supported on Multiline Optical Character Reader (MLOCR) platforms, therefore there is no impact to the FASTforward® MLOCR licensed service. Beginning July 1, 2003, interested parties may apply for NCOALink product licenses. Effective October 1, 2003, the usage of the NCOALink product will be recognized as an additional method for mailers to meet the USPS Move Update requirements in order to obtain First-Class Mail automation and Presorted discounts.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2003.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Contact the Move Update Department—NCOALink Group at the Postal Service National Customer Support Center at (800)-589-5766; or John Boyce at (901) 681-4666; or Charles Hunt at (901) 681-4651; or Wayne Orbke at (901) 681-4658.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Mailers will be able to process a mailing list using NCOALink and update the mailing addresses on the list with permanent change-of-address (COA) information using secure data store technology. This technology process results in no human-readable address information being represented within the NCOALink product. Therefore it provides a very high level of security for customer-filed COA information and significantly strengthens the ability of the Postal Service to exercise appropriate oversight of the information. The introduction of NCOALink does not change, in any way, Postal Service policies or usage restrictions regarding change-of-address information. This new product will be available under license from the Postal Service and will be available both to individual mailers and to service bureaus.

This product enables the Postal Service to make available a pre-mailing address correction service in a format that is not a clear text address list, but is instead a mathematical formulation. As a result, mailers can potentially integrate the NCOALink product into their own in-house computer technology and have the ability to update address-specific information for mailings during their business operations.

As with the Postal Service's current NCOA and FASTforward® products, in order for a mailer to obtain updated address information from the NCOALink product, it must already possess names and old addresses that will be matched against it. The NCOALink product, due to the inherently secure data store technology employed, cannot be used to create mailing lists.

Improving the security and quality of mailer address information benefits all parties, including the customer, the mailer and the Postal Service. Customers benefit from the added security of their address information, and the increased accuracy of delivery, so that mail is not delivered to the wrong address. A mailer benefits by managing correct address information for its customers, reducing mailing costs and other significant business costs associated with handling inaccurate address information. The Postal Service benefits from reduced volumes of undeliverable-as-addressed mail and decreased processing and handling costs for such mail. By creating and licensing the NCOALink product for updating mailing lists, the Postal Service is expanding the scope of its ongoing efforts to reduce the volume of undeliverable-as-addressed mail and add security to address information.

Commencing on July 1, 2003, the Postal Service will begin accepting applications for new NCOALink Licensees. To ensure that no service disruption will occur, existing NCOA and FASTforward® MLC licensees will be provided transition periods to migrate to the new NCOALink system. The Postal Service intends to discontinue support for NCOA on September 30, 2004, and FASTforward® MLC on September 30, 2005. The Postal Service may elect to extend these dates. The Postal Service proposes to enter into non-exclusive, annually renewable NCOALink license agreements with approved mailers and service bureaus no earlier than October 1, 2003, or such later date as the Postal Service may designate. Additionally, on July 1, 2003, software developers may apply to be an authorized NCOALink software interface developer. All NCOALink applications may be obtained by writing to: Move Update Department—NCOALink Group, National Customer Support Center, United States Postal Service, 6060 Primacy Parkway Suite 201, Memphis TN 38188-0001.

Categories of NCOALink Product Licensees

The Postal Service will license the NCOALink product in three categories: Full Service Providers, Limited Service

Providers, and End-User Mailers. The license fees have been established with the goal of enabling the Postal Service to recover actual and anticipated costs for developing, supporting, and administering the NCOALink product in the marketplace. The categories are described as follows:

1. Full Service Provider

A Full Service Provider is a licensee that uses the NCOALink product to update mailing lists, most of which are owned by unrelated third parties. The Postal Service will require Full Service Providers to also implement service using other Address Quality tools designated by the Postal Service (e.g. Delivery Point Validation, Locatable Address Correction System (LACS)). The Postal Service will provide the Full Service Provider with a forty-eight month NCOALink product COA dataset which will be updated on a weekly basis. A Full Service Provider will pay a \$175,000.00 base annual license fee to the Postal Service.

2. Limited Service Provider

A Limited Service Provider is a licensee that uses the NCOALink product for updating either its own mailing lists or mailing lists owned by third parties. The Postal Service will provide the Limited Service Provider with an eighteen month NCOALink product COA dataset which will be updated on a weekly basis. The Limited Service Provider will pay a \$15,000.00 base annual license fee to the Postal Service.

3. End-User Mailer

The End-User Mailer is a licensee that uses the NCOALink product to update mailing lists for its own mailings. The End-User Mailer may not update mailing lists for third parties. The Postal Service will provide the End-User Mailer with an eighteen month NCOALink product COA dataset which will be updated on a monthly basis. The End-User Mailer will pay a \$7,500.00 base annual license fee to the Postal Service.

The Postal Service may adjust all license fees in all categories after the first year of the license agreement.

NCOALink Product Usage at Multiple Locations (Sites)

In order for any category of licensee to use the NCOALink product at more than one of its sites, the licensee must pay the Postal Service an additional annual site license fee of one-half the base annual license fee for each additional site that they wish to use the NCOALink product.

Existing NCOA and FASTforward® MLC Licensees Transition

The initial licensing term for all categories of the NCOALink product will begin on October 1, 2003 and expire on September 30, 2004.

During the initial licensing term and until the discontinuation of NCOA, which is also on September 30, 2004, NCOA licensees who apply and are authorized, in addition to their NCOA license fees, will pay a transition base annual license fee of \$25,000.00 to obtain the NCOALink product for use as a Full Service Provider at one site, plus a transition site license fee of \$12,500 for each additional site at which they will use the NCOALink product. After the expiration of the initial NCOALink license term, full license fees set by the Postal Service will be due for the NCOALink product.

Different from NCOA, FASTforward® MLC will be supported an additional year until September 30, 2005. However, the transition licensing fees noted below shall only apply to the initial licensing term of the NCOALink product.

During the initial licensing term, FASTforward® MLC licensees who apply and are authorized to be Limited Service Providers shall, in addition to their FASTforward® MLC fees, pay a transition base annual license fee of \$5,000.00 to use the NCOALink product at one site, plus a transition site license fee of \$2,500 for each additional site at which they will use the NCOALink product.

During the initial licensing term, FASTforward® MLC licensees who apply and are authorized to be End-User Mailers shall, in addition to their FASTforward® MLC fees, pay a transition base annual license fee of \$2,500.00 to use the NCOALink product at one site, plus a transition site license fee of \$1,250.00 for each additional site at which they will use the NCOALink product prior to October 1, 2004.

After the expiration of the initial NCOALink license term, full license fees set by the Postal Service will be due for both the NCOALink product and for FASTforward® MLC until its discontinuation the following year.

The Postal Service will treat existing NCOA and FASTforward® MLC licensees that do not apply for NCOALink product licenses prior to September 30, 2004, as new applicants for the NCOALink product. The Postal Service will require these applicants to pay the same license fees and satisfy the same application requirements as other new applicants. Accordingly, the license fees described above that are

effective during the transition period will not be available to these existing NCOA and FASTforward® MLC licensees.

The above transition examples illustrate how license fees would be handled when a current licensee applies for an NCOALink category that is the equivalent to its current licensee status. However, current NCOA and FASTforward® MLC licensees may apply for any license category which they may be qualified for and if approved, by paying the applicable new license fee. Detailed qualification criteria for each category of NCOALink licensee is available from the Move Update Department—NCOALink Group, National Customer Support Center at (800) 589-5766.

Authorized NCOALink Software Interface Developer

Software developers may apply to provide NCOALink interface software products to the mailing industry. If approved and after the execution of an NCOALink developer's license agreement along with the receipt of an initial year \$5,000.00 license fee, the Postal Service will provide the interface developer with a Software Developer's Kit (SDK) to be used in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the license agreement. The license fee includes testing and certification of a single platform. Additional platform certifications or any subsequent testing due to performance failures noted during the testing will be assessed at an additional \$1,000.00 fee. After the NCOALink interface software has been tested and approved by the Postal Service it will be officially certified for the specific software platform tested. In subsequent years the developer's license may be renewed for a \$1,000.00 fee which includes testing and certification of a single platform. Additional platform certifications or any subsequent testing due to performance failures noted during the testing will continue to be assessed at an additional \$1,000.00 fee. The Postal Service must certify the interface developer's NCOALink software before the interface developer may use, sell, or permit third parties to use the program.

Commercial Sale of NCOALink Interface Software

Software developers must execute a separate commercial sale license agreement with the Postal Service in order to market its NCOALink software to any third parties. This license authorizes sales and/or distribution activity of the developer's NCOALink software interface for a period of one

year for an annual license fee of \$25,000.00. This fee provides unlimited distribution to Postal Service authorized NCOALink applicants and/or licensees within the terms and conditions of the license agreement. An interface developer that has performed in accordance with the license agreement may re-apply to sell its NCOALink software for additional one-year terms at the applicable license fee and terms set by the Postal Service. An interface developer must advise its potential customers that its NCOALink software cannot be used by a party who is not or cannot be licensed by the Postal Service to use the NCOALink product.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 35-27689]

Filings Under the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, as Amended ("Act")

June 24, 2003.

Notice is hereby given that the following filings have been made with the Commission pursuant to provisions of the Act and rules promulgated under the Act. All interested persons are referred to the application(s) and/or declaration(s) for complete statements of the proposed transaction(s) summarized below. The application(s) and/or declaration(s) and any amendment(s) is/are available for public inspection through the Commission's Branch of Public Reference.

Interested persons wishing to comment or request a hearing on the application(s) and/or declaration(s) should submit their views in writing by July 18, 2003 to the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, Washington, DC 20549-0609, and serve a copy on the relevant applicant(s) and/or declarant(s) at the address(es) specified below. Proof of service (by affidavit or, in the case of an attorney at law, by certificate) should be filed with the request. Any request for hearing should identify specifically the issues of facts or law that are disputed. A person who so requests will be notified of any hearing, if ordered, and will receive a copy of any notice or order issued in the matter. After July 18, 2003, the application(s) and/or declaration(s), as filed or as amended, may be granted and/or permitted to become effective.

Energy East Corp. (70-10119)

Energy East Corp. ("Energy East"), located at P.O. Box 12904 Albany, New York 12212-2904, a registered holding company under the Act, has filed an application under section 13(b) and rules 88, 90, and 91 under the Act. Energy East proposes to organize a second wholly owned subsidiary service company called Energy East Shared Services Corporation ("Shared Services") that will be a Delaware corporation.

Currently, Energy East has a Commission authorized service company for the Energy East holding company system, Energy East Management Corporation ("EEMC"). EEMC has a national and regional focus for its activities and will be principally engaged in general management and providing strategic services to the Energy East System after Shared Services is approved. EEMC's services will then include: overall corporate supervision of the Energy East system, strategic advice, investor relations, corporate finance, corporate governance and related activities associated with maintaining a public holding company that is a regional energy services provider, such as corporate financial consolidation and reporting.

In contrast, the second service company, Shared Services, proposes to provide the Energy East system with a variety of administrative and operations services. The services provided by Shared Services would be provided to the public utility subsidiary companies, listed below ("Utility Subsidiaries"), but a limited number of services in the human resources area such as payroll processing will be provided to EEMC and Energy East, where appropriate and consistent with the economical and efficient performance of services at cost. Shared Service's services may include: supply chain; information technology; accounting; human resources; customer service; payroll; engineering; regulatory services; and numerous other day today operating and administrative services that all Utility Subsidiaries require to operate. Energy East states that it is possible, that as functions are transitioned to Shared Services some services may be performed, for a limited period of time, by Utility Subsidiary personnel until the positions are formally transferred to Shared Services. To the extent that rule 87(a)(3) does not apply, Energy East requests, on behalf of the Utility Subsidiaries, authority for the Utility Subsidiaries to provide services to Shared Services.

Energy East holds direct or indirect interests in the following Utility