

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Research and Special Programs Administration**

**Office of Hazardous Materials Safety; Notice of Delays in Processing of Exemption Applications**

**AGENCY:** Research and Special Programs Administration, DOT.

**ACTION:** List of application delayed more than 180 days.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the requirements of 49 U.S.C. 5117(c), RSPA is publishing the following list of exemption applications that have been in process for 180 days or more. The reason(s) for delay and the expected

completion date for action on each application is provided in association with each identified application.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Delmar Billings, Office of Hazardous Materials Exemptions and Approvals, Research and Special Programs Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590-0001, (202) 366-4535.

**Key to "Reason for Delay"**

1. Awaiting additional information from applicant
2. Extensive public comment under review
3. Application is technically complex and is of significant impact or

precedent-setting and requires extensive analysis

4. Staff review delayed by other priority issues or volume of exemption applications

**Meaning of Application Number Suffixes**

- N—New application
- M—Modification request
- PM—Party to application with modification request

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*Exemptions Program Officer, Office of Hazardous Materials Safety, Exemptions & Approvals.*

Application No.	Applicant	Reason for delay	Estimated date of completion
<b>New Exemption Applications</b>			
12381-N	Ideal Chemical & Supply Co., Memphis, TN	2	03-31-2005
12412-N	Great Western Chemical Company, Portland, OR	3	03-31-2005
12950-N	Walnut Industries, Inc., Bensalem, PA	4	03-31-2005
12797-N	Environmental Quality Co., Belleville, MI	4	04-30-2005
13054-N	CHS Transportation, Mason City, IA	4	02-28-2005
13176-N	Union Pacific Railroad Company, Omaha, NE	4	03-31-2005
13422-N	Puritan Bennett, Plainfield, IN	3	02-28-2005
13228-N	AirSep Creekside Corp., Buffalo, NY	4	03-31-2005
13266-N	Luxfer Gas Cylinders, Riverside, CA	1	02-28-2005
13482-N	U.S. Vanadium Corporation (Subsidiary of Straeigic Minerals Corporation), Niagara Falls, NY	4	03-31-2005
13461-N	FIBA Technologies, Inc., Westboro, MA	4	03-31-2005
13346-N	Stand-By-Systems, Inc., Dallas, TX	1	02-28-2005
13347-N	ShipMate, Inc., Torrance, CA	4	02-28-2005
13341-N	National Propane Gas Association, Washington, DC	1	02-28-2005
13302-N	FIB Technologies, Inc., Westboro, MA	4	02-28-2005
13314-N	Sunoco Inc., Philadelphia, PA	4	03-31-2005
13309-N	OPW Engineered Systems, Lebanon, OH	4	03-31-2005
13295-N	Taylor-Wharton, Harrisburg, PA	1	02-28-2005
13599-N	Air Products and Chemicals, Inc., Allentown, PA	4	02-28-2005
13597-N	Piexon USA Inc., North Canton, OH	4	02-28-2005
13636-N	Timberline Environmental Services, Cold Springs, CA	4	02-28-2005
13585-N	Texas Ovonic Hydrogen Systems, L.L.C., Rochester Hills, MI	4	02-28-2005
13582-N	Linde Gas LLC (Linde), Independence, OH	4	03-31-2005
13563-N	Applied Companies, Valencia, CA	4	03-31-2005
13560-N	Texas Ovonic Hydrogen Systems L.L.C. (TOHS), Rochester Hills, MI	4	02-28-2005
13547-N	CP Industries, McKeesport, PA	4	03-31-2005
13484-N	Air Liquids America L.P., Houston, TX	4	03-31-2005
13859-N	Degussa Corporation, Parsippany, NJ	4	02-28-2005
13860-N	United States Enrichment Corporation (USEC), Paducah, KY	4	02-28-2005
13776-N	MHF Logistical Solutions, Cranberry Twp., PA	4	02-28-2005
13265-N	Aeropres Corporation, Shreveport, LA	4	02-28-2005
13281-N	The Dow Chemical Company, Midland, MI	4	03-31-2005
13188-N	General Dynamics, Lincoln, NE	3	04-30-2005
13183-N	Becton Dickinson, Sandy, UT	4	02-28-2005
13077-N	MacIntyre, Middlebury, VT	4	03-31-2005
<b>Modification to Exemptions</b>			
1769-M	Great Western Chemical Company, Portland, OR	2	03-31-2005
11769-M	Great Western Chemical Company, Portland, OR	2	03-31-2005
7277-M	Structural Composites Industries, Pomona, CA	3	02-28-2005
13027-M	Hernco Fabrication & Services, Midland, TX	4	03-31-2005
11579-M	Dyno Nobel, Inc., Salt Lake City, UT	4	03-31-2005
11537-M	American Development Corporation, Vanceboro, NC	2	03-31-2005
11241-M	Rohm and Haas Co., Philadelphia, PA	1	03-31-2005
11537-M	Hawkins, Inc., Minneapolis, MN	2	03-31-2005
7280-M	Department of Defense, Ft. Eustis, VA	4	03-031-2005
10915-M	Luxfer Gas Cylinders (Composite Cylinder Division), Riverside, CA	1	03-31-2005

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10878-M	Tankcon FRP Inc., Boisbriand, Qc	1, 3	03-31-2005
9421-M	Taylor-Wharton (Gas & Fluid Control Group), Harrisburg, PA	4	03-31-2005
12022-M	Taylor-Wharton (Gas & Fluid Control Group), Harrisburg, PA3	4	03-31-2005
11537-M	Interstate Chemical Company, Inc., Hermitage, PA	2	03-31-2005
10882-M	Espar Products, Inc., Mississauga, Ontario, Canada	4	03-31-2005
8162-M	Structural Composites Industries, Pomona, CA	3	02-28-2005
8718-M	Structural Composites Industries, Pomona, CA	3	02-28-2005
10019-M	Structural Composites Industries, Pomona, CA	3	02-28-2005
12065-M	Petrolab Company, Latham, NY	4	02-28-2005
11537-M	JCI Jones Chemicals, Inc., Milford, VA	2	03-31-2005
11769-M	Hydrite Chemical Company, Brookfield, WI	2	03-31-2005

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**

**Bureau of the Public Debt**

**Proposed Collection: Comment Request**

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). Currently the Bureau of the Public Debt within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning the Stop Payment/Replacement Check Request.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before April 9, 2005, to be assured of consideration.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Bureau of the Public Debt, Vicki S. Thorpe, 200 Third Street, Parkersburg, WV 26106-1328, or e-mail to [Vicki.Thorpe@pbd.treas.gov](mailto:Vicki.Thorpe@pbd.treas.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the form and instructions should be directed to Vicki S. Thorpe, Bureau of the Public Debt, 200 Third Street, Parkersburg, WV 26106-1328, (304) 480-8150.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**  
*Title:* Stop Payment/Replacement Check Request.

*OMB Number:* 1535-0070.

*Form Number:* PD F 5192.

*Abstract:* The information is requested to place a stop payment on a Treasury Direct check and request a replacement check.

*Current Actions:* None.

*Type of Review:* Extension.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 500.

*Estimated Time Per Respondent:* 15 minutes.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 125.

*Request for Comments:* Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

Dated: February 2, 2005.

**Vicki S. Thorpe,**

*Manager, Graphics, Printing and Records Branch.*

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**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

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**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before April 9, 2005, to be assured of consideration.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* Disclaimer and Consent With Respect to United States Savings Bonds/Notes.

*OMB Number:* 1535-0113.

*Form Number:* PD F 1849.

*Abstract:* The information is requested when the requested savings bonds/notes transaction would appear to affect the right, title or interest of some other person.

*Current Actions:* None.

*Type of Review:* Extension.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 7,000.

*Estimated Time per Respondent:* 6 minutes.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 700.