

Third, the Commission believes that the Nasdaq-100 would be difficult to manipulate based on the wide range of instruments that provide economic exposure to the Index. Finally, Nasdaq's surveillance procedures will serve to deter as well as detect any potential manipulation. The Commission also notes that the value of the Nasdaq-100 Index is disseminated every 15 seconds over the Nasdaq Trade Dissemination System.

The Commission finds good cause for approving the proposed rule change prior to the thirtieth day after the date of publication of notice thereof in the **Federal Register**. Nasdaq has requested accelerated approval in order to begin listing and trading the PLUS immediately. In determining to grant the accelerated approval for good cause, the Commission notes that the Nasdaq-100 Index is an index of large, actively traded securities listed on the Nasdaq. Additionally, the PLUS will be listed pursuant to existing hybrid security listing standards as described above. Moreover, the Nasdaq-100 Index's weighting methodology is a commonly applied index calculation method. The Commission believes that the Notes will provide investors with an additional investment choice and that accelerated approval of the proposal will allow investors to begin trading the Notes promptly. Based on the above, the Commission finds, consistent with sections 15A(b)(6)²² and 19(b)²³ of the Act, that there is good cause for accelerated approval of the product.

The Commission is approving Nasdaq's proposed listing and trading standards for the PLUS. The Commission specifically notes that, notwithstanding approval of the listing standards for the PLUS, other similarly structured products will require review by the Commission prior to being trading on Nasdaq.

V. Conclusion

It is therefore ordered, pursuant to section 19(b)(2) of the Act,²⁴ that the proposed rule change (SR-NASD-2003-100) is hereby approved on an accelerated basis.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.²⁵

Margaret H. McFarland,
Deputy Secretary.

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²² 15 U.S.C. 78o-3(b)(6).

²³ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b).

²⁴ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

²⁵ 17 CFR 200.30-2(a)(12).

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 4387]

Office of Visa Services; 60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Form DSP-122, Supplemental Registration for the Diversity Immigrant Visa Program; OMB Control Number 1405-0098

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of State is seeking Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the information collection described below. The purpose of this notice is to allow 60 days for public comment in the **Federal Register** preceding submission to OMB. This process is conducted in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

The following summarizes the information collection proposal to be submitted to OMB:

Type of Request: Extension of currently approved collection.

Originating Office: Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State (CA/VO).

Title of Information Collection: Supplemental Registration For The Diversity Immigrant Visa Program.

Frequency: Once per respondent.

Form Number: DSP-122.

Respondents: Aliens applying for a Diversity Visa.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 50,000 per year.

Average Hours Per Response: .5 hours.

Total Estimated Burden: 25,000 hours per year.

Public comments are being solicited to permit the agency to:

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency.

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.

- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of technology.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Public comments, or requests for additional information regarding the collection listed in this notice should be directed to Brendan Mullarkey of the Office of Visa Services, U.S. Department of State, 2401 E St. NW., RM L-703,

Washington, DC 20520, who may be reached at 202-663-1163.

Dated: June 4, 2003.

Janice L. Jacobs,

Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Visa Services, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

[U.S. DOT Docket Number NHTSA-02-14038]

Reports, Forms, and Recordkeeping Requirements

AGENCY: National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), Department of Transportation.

ACTION: Request for public comment on proposed collection of information.

SUMMARY: Before a Federal agency can collect certain information from the public, it must receive approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). Under procedures established by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, before seeking OMB approval, Federal agencies must solicit public comment on proposed collections of information, including extensions and reinstatement of previously approved collections.

This document describes one collection of information for which NHTSA intends to seek OMB approval.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before August 26, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Comments must refer to the docket notice number cited at the beginning of this notice and be submitted to Docket Management, Room PL-401, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590. It is requested, but not required, that 2 copies of the comment be provided. The Docket Section is open on weekdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Complete copies of each request for collection of information may be obtained at no charge from Dr. George Mouchahoir, NHTSA 400 Seventh Street, SW., Room 5313-E, NVS-113, Washington, DC 20590. Dr. Mouchahoir's telephone number is (202) 366-4919. Please identify the relevant collection of information by referring to this Docket Number (Docket Number NHTSA-02-14038).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995,