The Certificate has been amended seven times. The last amendment was issued on March 3, 2004 (69 FR 12831, March 18, 2004). A summary of the current application for an amendment follows.

Summary of the Application

Applicant: Association for the Administration of Rice Quotas, Inc. (AARQ), c/o Dickie Hollier of The Connell Company, One Connell Drive, Berkeley Heights, New Jersey 07922.

Contact: M. Jean Anderson, Esq., Counsel to Applicant, Telephone: (202) 682–7217.

Application No.: 97-8A003.

Date Deemed Submitted: November 17, 2004.

Proposed Amendment: AARQ seeks to amend its Certificate to reflect the following name, address, corporate changes and deletions of Members:

- 1. "American Rice, Inc., Houston, Texas" should be amended to read "American Rice, Inc., Houston Texas (a subsidiary of SOS Cuetara USA, Inc.) due to a corporate acquisition. "Kitoku America, Inc., Davis, California (a subsidiary of Kitoku Shinryo Co., Ltd.)" should be amended to read "Kitoku America, Inc., Burlingame, California (a subsidiary of Kitoku Shinryo Co., Ltd. (Japan))" due to an address change. "Mermentau Rice, Inc., Mermentau, Louisiana" should be amended to read "Louisiana Rice Mill, LLC, Mermentau, Louisiana" due to a corporate name change. "Newfieldrice, Inc., Miami, Florida" should be amended to read "Newfieldrice, Inc., Miramar, Florida" due to an address change. "Nishimoto Trading Company, Ltd., Los Angeles, California (a subsidiary of Nishimoto Trading Company, Ltd. (Japan))" should be amended to read "Nishimoto Trading Co., Ltd., Santa Fe Springs, California (a subsidiary of Nishimoto Trading Company, Ltd. (Japan))" due to an address change. "Riviana Foods, Inc. Houston, Texas" should be amended to read "Riviana Foods Inc., Houston, Texas (a subsidiary of Ebro Puleva, S.A. (Spain))" due to a corporate acquisition.
- 2. Delete the following companies as Members of the Certificate: "ACH Food Companies, Inc., Cordova, Tennessee," and "KD International Trading, Inc., Stockton, California (a subsidiary of Sunshine Business Enterprises, Inc.)."

Dated: November 22, 2004.

Jeffrey Anspacher,

Director, Export Trading Company Affairs.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 112304A]

Caribbean Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of a public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Caribbean Fishery Management Council's Habitat Advisory Panel (HAP), and the Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) will hold meetings.

DATES: The HAP/SSC meeting will be held on December 17, 2004, from 10 a.m until 4 p.m. approximately.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at the Best Western San Juan Airport Hotel, at the Luis Muñoz Marin International Airport, Carolina, Puerto Rico.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Caribbean Fishery Management Council, 268 Muñoz Rivera Avenue, Suite 1108, San Juan, Puerto Rico 00918–1920, telephone: (787) 766–5926.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The HAP, and the SSC will meet to discuss the items contained in the following agenda:

- 1. Call to order
- 2. Ecopath Presentation—Ronald L.
- 3. Sustainable Fisheries Act (SFA)
 Document
 - 4. Other Business

Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this group for discussion, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during this meeting. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically identified in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, provided the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency.

The meeting is open to the public, and will be conducted in English. Fishers and other interested persons are invited to attend and participate with oral or written statements regarding agenda issues.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. For more information or request for sign language interpretation and/other auxiliary aids, please contact Mr. Miguel A. Rolón, Executive Director, Caribbean Fishery Management Council, 268 Muñoz Rivera Avenue, Suite 1108, San Juan, Puerto Rico 00918–1920; telephone: (787) 766–5926, at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: November 23, 2004.

Alan D. Risenhoover,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service. [FR Doc. E4–3358 Filed 11–26–04; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–22–S

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 112304B]

New England Fishery Management Council; Public Meetings

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of a public meeting.

SUMMARY: The New England Fishery Management Council (NEFMC) is scheduling a public meeting of its Research Steering Committee in November, 2004. Recommendations from the committee will be brought to the full Council for formal consideration and action, if appropriate.

DATES: The meeting will held on Tuesday, December 14, 2004 at 9:30 a.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Boston Marriott Burlington, Route 128, Burlington, MA 01803; telephone: (781) 229–6565.

Council address: New England Fishery Management Council, 50 Water Street, Newburyport, MA 01950.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paul J. Howard, Executive Director, New England Fishery Management Council; telephone: (978) 465–0492.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: At this meeting the committee will receive a presentation on the NMFS process to consider experimental fishery permit requests and develop related comments for consideration by the NEFMC and Regional Administrator. They will continue discussions on 2005 research priorities, particularly in relation to the long-term programs currently underway in the Northeast such as the cod tagging, study fleet and industry-based survey initiatives. They will also coordinate comments on final reports that have been funded through NMFS'

cooperative research program and begin to develop a consistent process for the various research set-aside programs provided for in the NEFMC fishery management plans.

Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this group for discussion, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during this meeting. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically listed in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, provided the public has been notified of the NEFMC's intent to take final action to address the emergency.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Paul J. Howard (see ADDRESSES) at least 5 days prior to the meeting dates.

Dated: November 23, 2004.

Alan D. Risenhoover,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service. [FR Doc. E4–3357 Filed 11–26–04; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–22–S

CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Information Collection; Submission for OMB Review, Comment Request

AGENCY: Corporation for National and Community Service.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Corporation for National and Community Service (hereinafter the "Corporation"), has submitted a public information collection request (ICR) entitled the Financial Management Survey (FMS) form to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13, (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). Copies of this ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Corporation for National and Community Service, Mrs. Peg Rosenberry at (202) 606-5000, ext. 124. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TTY-TDD) may call (202) 565-2799 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. eastern time, Monday through Friday. ADDRESSES: Comments may be

submitted, identified by the title of the information collection activity, to the Office of Information and Regulatory

Affairs, Attn: Ms. Katherine Astrich, OMB Desk Officer for the Corporation for National and Community Service, by any of the following two methods within 30 days from the date of publication in this **Federal Register:**

(1) By fax to: (202) 395–6974, Attention: Ms. Katherine Astrich, OMB Desk Officer for the Corporation for National and Community Service; and

(2) Electronically by e-mail to: *Katherine T. Astrich@omb.eop.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Corporation, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Propose ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Propose ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submissions of responses.

Comments

A 60-day public comment Notice was published in the **Federal Register** on February 10, 2004. This comment period ended April 12, 2004. No public comments were received from this notice.

Description: The Corporation is seeking approval of the Financial Management Survey form which will be used by the Grants Management Specialist in the Office of Grants Management in order to assess the capacity of potential grantees to manage federal funds.

The Financial Management Survey form must be completed as pre-award assessment tool for potential grantees to address questions about its organization type, financial systems, how it manages funds, and internal controls to proper administer federal funds. This form is used to determine the specific areas of its financial management to manage federal funds and become the basis for determining the areas of the organization's financial systems that may warrant technical assistance.

Type of Review: New Information collection.

Agency: Corporation for National and Community Service.

Title: Financial Management Survey Form.

OMB Number: None. *Agency Number:* None.

Affected Public: First-time grantees or current grantees re-competing for funding.

Total Respondents: 35 annually. Frequency: One (1) time. Average Time Per Response: 30

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 17.5 hours.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): None.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): None.

Dated: November 19, 2004.

Douglas Gerry,

Acting Director of the Office of Grants Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[OMB Control No. 9000-0027]

Federal Acquisition Regulation; Submission for OMB Review; Value Engineering Requirements

AGENCIES: Department of Defense (DOD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice of request for comments regarding an extension to an existing OMB clearance (9000–0027).

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Secretariat has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve an extension of a currently approved information collection requirement concerning value engineering requirements. A request for public comments was published in the Federal Register at 69 FR 53686 on September 2, 2004. No comments were received.

Public comments are particularly invited on: Whether this collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of functions of the FAR, and whether it will have practical utility; whether our estimate of the