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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Research Service

Notice of Intent To Grant Exclusive License

AGENCY: Agricultural Research Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of intent.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Research Service, intends to grant to Oser Technologies LLC of Fairfield, New Jersey, an exclusive license to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/471,327, "Method and Apparatus for Treatment of Food Products", filed on June 20, 2006.

DATES: Comments must be received within thirty (30) days of the date of publication of this Notice in the **Federal Register**.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to: USDA, ARS, Office of Technology Transfer, 5601 Sunnyside Avenue, Rm. 4–1174, Beltsville, Maryland 20705–5131.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: June Blalock of the Office of Technology Transfer at the Beltsville address given above; telephone: 301–504–5989.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Government's patent rights in this invention are assigned to the United States of America, as represented by the Secretary of Agriculture. It is in the public interest to so license this invention as Oser Technologies LLC of Fairfield, New Jersey has submitted a complete and sufficient application for a license. The prospective exclusive license will be royalty-bearing and will comply with the terms and conditions of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7. The prospective exclusive license may be granted unless, within thirty (30) days from the date of this published Notice, the Agricultural Research Service receives written evidence and argument which establishes that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the

requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7.

Richard J. Brenner,

Assistant Administrator. [FR Doc. E8–13081 Filed 6–10–08; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3410–03–P

[Docket No.: 080603727-8737-01]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Privacy Act System of Records

AGENCY: Department of Commerce.
ACTION: Notice of a new Privacy Act
System of Records: COMMERCE/
NOAA-19, Permits and Registrations for
United States Federally Regulated
Fisheries.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (Commerce) publishes this notice to announce the effective date of a Privacy Act System of Records notice entitled COMMERCE/NOAA–19, Permits and Registrations for United States Federally Regulated Fisheries.

DATES: The system of records becomes effective on June 11, 2008.

ADDRESSES: For a copy of the system of records please mail requests to Ted Hawes, NOAA's National Marine Fisheries Service, Northeast Regional Office, One Blackburn Drive, Gloucester, MA 01930.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ted Hawes, NOAA's National Marine Fisheries Service, Northeast Regional Office, One Blackburn Drive, Gloucester, MA 01930, 978–281–9296.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On April 17, 2008, the Department of Commerce published and requested comments on a proposed Privacy Act System of Records notice entitled COMMERCE/NOAA–19, Permits and Registrations for United States Federally Regulated Fisheries. No comments were received in response to the request for comments. By this notice, the Department is adopting the proposed system as final without changes effective June 11, 2008.

Dated: June 5, 2008.

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Brenda Dolan,

U.S. Department of Commerce, Freedom of Information/Privacy Act Officer. [FR Doc. E8–13051 Filed 6–10–08; 8:45 am]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) will submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). AGENCY: United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO).

Title: Applications for Trademark Registration.

Form Number(s): PTO Forms 4.8, 4.9, 1478, and 1478(a).

Agency Approval Number: 0651–0009.

Type of Request: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Burden: 84,821 hours annually.

Number of Respondents: 291,859 responses per year with an estimated 279,692 responses filed electronically.

Avg. Hours Per Response: The USPTO estimates that it will take the public between 15 to 23 minutes (0.25 to 0.38 hours) to complete the applications in this collection, depending on the form and the nature of the information. This includes the time to gather the necessary information, create the documents, and submit the completed application. The USPTO estimates that it takes slightly less time to complete the electronic counterparts of these forms. The time estimates for the electronic forms in this collection are based on the average amount of time needed to complete and electronically file the associated form.

Needs and Uses: This collection of information is required by the Trademark Act, 15 U.S.C. 1051 et seq. and is implemented through the Trademark rules set forth in 37 CFR Part 2. It provides for the registration of trademarks, service marks, collective trademarks and service marks, collective membership marks, and certification marks. Individuals and businesses who use their marks or intend to use their marks in commerce may file an application with the USPTO to register their marks. The USPTO uses the information in this collection to determine whether the marks may be registered. This collection contains

three paper forms and six electronic forms that are available through the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS). The information in this collection is available to the public.

Affected Public: Primarily businesses or other for-profit organizations.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: David Rostker, (202) 395–3897.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by any of the following:

- E-mail: Susan.Fawcett@uspto.gov. Include "0651–0009 copy request" in the subject line of the message.
- Fax: 571–273–0112, marked to the attention of Susan K. Fawcett.
- Mail: Susan K. Fawcett, Records Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, Customer Information Services Group, Public Information Services Division, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313–1450.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent on or before July 11, 2008 to David Rostker, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: June 4, 2008.

Susan K. Fawcett,

Records Officer, USPTO, Office of the Chief Information Officer, Customer Information Services Group, Public Information Services Division.

[FR Doc. E8–13048 Filed 6–10–08; 8:45 am]

COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Determination under the Textile and Apparel Commercial Availability Provision of the Dominican Republic-Central America-United States Free Trade Agreement (CAFTA-DR Agreement)

June 6, 2008.

AGENCY: The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements ACTION: Determination to add a product in unrestricted quantities to Annex 3.25 of the CAFTA-DR Agreement

SUMMARY: The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements (CITA) has determined that certain 100% cotton woven indigo-dyed fabric, as specified below, is not available in

commercial quantities in a timely manner in the CAFTA-DR region. The product will be added to the list in Annex 3.25 of the CAFTA-DR in unrestricted quantities.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Maria Dybczak, Office of Textiles and Apparel, U.S. Department of Commerce, (202) 482 3651.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON-LINE: http://web.ita.doc.gov/tacgi/ CaftaReqTrack.nsf. Reference number: 64.2008.05.06.Fabric.ST&RforBWA

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority: Section 203(o)(4) of the Dominican Republic-Central America-United States Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (CAFTA-DR Act); the Statement of Administrative Action (SAA), accompanying the CAFTA-DR Act; Presidential Proclamations 7987 (February 28, 2006) and 7996 (March 31, 2006).

BACKGROUND:

The CAFTA-DR Agreement provides a list in Annex 3.25 for fabrics, yarns, and fibers that the Parties to the CAFTA-DR Agreement have determined are not available in commercial quantities in a timely manner in the territory of any Party. The CAFTA-DR Agreement provides that this list may be modified pursuant to Article 3.25(4)-(5), when the President of the United States determines that a fabric, yarn, or fiber is not available in commercial quantities in a timely manner in the territory of any Party. See Annex 3.25, Note; see also section 203(o)(4)(C) of the Act.

The CAFTA-DR Act requires the President to establish procedures governing the submission of a request and providing opportunity for interested entities to submit comments and supporting evidence before a commercial availability determination is made. In Presidential Proclamations 7987 and 7996, the President delegated to CITA the authority under section 203(o)(4) of CAFTA-DR Act for modifying the Annex 3.25 list. On March 21, 2007, CITA published final procedures it would follow in considering requests to modify the Annex 3.25 list (72 FR 13256).

On May 6, 2008, the Chairman of CITA received a request from Sandler, Travis, & Rosenberg, P.A. on behalf of B*W*A for certain 100% cotton woven indigo-dyed fabrics, of the specifications detailed below. On May 7, 2008, CITA notified interested parties of, and posted on its website, the accepted petition and requested that interested entities provide, by May 20, 2008, a response advising of its objection to the request or its ability to supply the subject product, and rebuttals to responses by May 27, 2008. No interested entity filed

a response advising of its objection to the request or its ability to supply the subject product.

In accordance with Section 203(o)(4) of the CAFTA-DR Act, and its procedures, as no interested entity submitted a response objecting to the request or expressing an ability to supply the subject product, CITA has determined to add the specified fabrics to the list in Annex 3.25 CAFTA-DR Agreement.

The subject fabrics are added to the list in Annex 3.25 CAFTA-DR Agreement in unrestricted quantities. A revised list has been published on-line.

Specifications:

HTS: 5208.39.6090; 5208.39.8090 Fiber Content: 100% combed cotton

Average Yarn Number:

Metric: $64/2 + 64/2 \times 64/2 + 64/2$ to $71/2 + 71/2 \times 71/2 + 71/2$

English: $38/2 + 38/2 \times 38/2 + 38/2$ to $42/2 + 42/2 \times 42/2 + 42/2$

Construction: Woven with a dobby attachment Weight:

Metric: 150-166 gms/sq. mtr. English: 4.4 - 4.9 oz./sq. yd.

Width:

Metric: 130-144 cm English: 51-57 in.

Finish: Piece dyed with synthetic indigo, color index no: 73000

R. Matthew Priest,

Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Determination under the Textile and Apparel Commercial Availability Provision of the Dominican Republic-Central America-United States Free Trade Agreement (CAFTA-DR Agreement)

June 6, 2008.

AGENCY: The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

ACTION: Determination to add a product in unrestricted quantities to Annex 3.25 of the CAFTA-DR Agreement

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 11, 2008.

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