ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Pesticide Program Dialogue Committee; Notice of Charter Renewal

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Environmental Protection Agency has determined that, in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), 5 U.S.C. App.2., the Pesticide Program Dialogue Committee (PPDC) is a necessary committee which is in the public interest. Accordingly, PPDC will be renewed for an additional two-year period. The purpose of PPDC is to provide advice and recommendations to the EPA Administrator on issues associated with regulatory development and reform initiatives, evolving public policy and program implementation issues, and science issues associated with evaluating and reducing risks from use of pesticides.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dea Zimmerman, Designated Federal Officer, Pesticide Program Dialogue Committee (PPDC), U.S. EPA, (mail code LC–8J), 77 W. Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, IL 60604, telephone number: (312) 353–6344; email address: zimmerman.dea@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Does this action apply to me?

You may be potentially affected by this action if you work in in agricultural settings or if you are concerned about implementation of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA); the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA); and the amendments to both of these major pesticide laws by the Food Quality Protection Act (FQPA) of 1996; the Pesticide Registration Improvement Act, and the Endangered Species Act. Potentially affected entities may include, but are not limited to: Agricultural workers and farmers; pesticide industry and trade associations; environmental, consumer, and farm worker groups; pesticide users and growers; animal rights groups; pest consultants; State, local, and tribal governments; academia; public health organizations; and the public. If you have questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the person listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

B. How can I get copies of this document and other related information?

The docket for this action, identified by docket identification (ID) number EPA–HQ–OPP–2015–0651, is available at http://www.regulations.gov or at the Office of Pesticide Programs Regulatory Public Docket (OPP Docket) in the Environmental Protection Agency Docket Center (EPA/DC), West William Jefferson Clinton Bldg., Rm. 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460–0001. The Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Public Reading Room is (202) 566–1744, and the telephone number for the OPP Docket is (703) 305–8005. Please review the visitor instructions and additional information about the docket available at http://www.epa.gov/dockets.

Authority: 5 U.S.C. App.2.

Dated: October 13, 2015.

Jack Housenger,
Director, Office of Pesticide Programs.

FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

[Petition No. P5–15]

Petition of Pacific International Lines and Mariana Express Lines for an Exemption From Commission Regulations; Notice of Filing and Request for Comments

This is to provide notice of filing and to invite comments on or before November 13, 2015, with regard to the Petition described below.

Pacific International Lines (Private) Limited (PIL) and Mariana Express Lines Pte. Ltd. (MELL) (Petitioners), have petitioned the Commission pursuant to 46 CFR 502.74, for an exemption “equivalent to that contained in 46 CFR 535.307.” The Commission’s regulations at 46 CFR 535.307 exempt agreements between or among wholly owned subsidiaries from the filing requirements of the Act. Specifically, Petitioners state that on March 11, 2015, PIL acquired sixty-five (65%) percent of the shares of MELL. Petitioners assert that FMC law and regulations would likely require PIL and MELL to file a number of agreements between themselves with the FMC, delay and what should be routine day-to-day decisions between a parent and its subsidiary.

The Petition in its entirety will be posted on the Commission’s Web site at http://www.fmc.gov/p5-15. Comments filed in response to this Petition also will be posted on the Commission’s Web site at this location.

In order for the Commission to make a thorough evaluation of the Petition, interested persons are requested to submit views or arguments in reply to the Petition no later than November 13, 2015. Commenters must send an original and 5 copies to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, 800 North Capitol Street NW., Washington, DC 20573–0001, and be served on Petitioner’s counsel, Neal M. Mayer, Hoppel, Mayer & Coleman, 1050 Connecticut Avenue NW., 10th Floor, Washington, DC 20036. A text-searchable PDF copy of the reply must also be sent as an attachment to secretary@fmc.gov and include in the subject line: “P5–15, PIL and MELL Petition.” Replies containing confidential information should not be submitted by email.

Karen V. Gregory,
Secretary.

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisitions of Shares of a Bank or Bank Holding Company

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board’s Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire shares of a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notices also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments must be received not later than November 9, 2015.