DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Office of the Secretary

Notice of Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits Filed Under Subpart B (Formerly Subpart Q) During the Week Ending September 2, 2005

The following Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits were filed under Subpart B (formerly Subpart Q) of the Department of Transportation's Procedural Regulations (See 14 CFR 301.201 et seq.). The due date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motions to Modify Scope are set forth below for each application. Following the Answer period DOT may process the application by expedited procedures. Such procedures may consist of the adoption of a show-cause order, a tentative order, or in appropriate cases a final order without further proceedings.

Docket Number: OST-1999-5846. Date Filed: September 1, 2005. Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope: September 22, 2005.

Description: Application of United Air Lines, Inc. to its pending application for renewal and amendment of its experimental certificate of public convenience and necessity for Route 566 (U.S.-Mexico) to include authority to carry persons, property and mail in foreign air transportation between Los Angeles and Cancun as well as authority to integrate this service with other services it is authorized to provide by exemptions and certificates of public convenience and necessity, pursuant to the Department's Notice dated August 23, 2005, In the Matter of Streamlining Regulatory Procedures for Licensing U.S. and Foreign Air Carriers.

Docket Number: OST-2005-22331. Date Filed: August 31, 2005. Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope: September 20, 2005.

Description: Application of American Airlines, Inc., requesting an exemption and a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property, and mail between New York (JFK) and San Jose del Cabo, Mexico.

Docket Number: OST-2005-22390.
Date Filed: September 2, 2005.
Due Date for Answers, Conforming
Applications, or Motion to Modify
Scope: September 23, 2005.

Description: Application of TUI Airlines Nederland, B.V. requesting a foreign air carrier permit to engage in charter air transportation of persons, property and mail between a point or points in the Netherlands, on the one hand, and a point or points in the United States, on the other hand, either directly or via intermediate points in other countries, and beyond, as authorized by the October 14, 1992 U.S.-Netherlands "Open Skies" Agreement.

Renee V. Wright,

Program Manager, Docket Operations, Federal Register Liaison.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Commercial Space Transportation Advisory Committee—Open Meeting

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of Commercial Space Transportation Advisory Committee open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, 5 U.S.C. App. 2), notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Commercial Space Transportation Advisory Committee (COMSTAC). The meeting will take place on Wednesday, October 26, 2005, starting at 8 a.m. at the Federal Aviation Administration Headquarters Building, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC, in the Bessie Coleman Conference Center, located on the 2nd floor. This will be the forty-second meeting of the COMSTAC.

The proposed agenda for the meeting will feature a briefing on the role of Government launch sites for future space operations, an activities report from FAA's Office of Commercial Space Transportation, and reports from the Committee's working groups. An agenda will be posted on the FAA Web site at http://ast.faa.gov/COMSTAC. Meetings of the COMSTAC Working Groups (Technology and Innovation, Reusable Launch Vehicle, Risk Management, and Launch Operations and Support) will be held on Tuesday, October 25, 2005. For specific information concerning the times and locations of the working group meetings, contact the contact person listed below.

Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should inform the contact person listed below in advance of the meeting.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Maritine Administration

[Docket No: MARAD 2005-22519]

Availability of a Draft Environmental Assessment

AGENCY: Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation.

ACTION: Notice of the availability of a Draft Environmental Assessment.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this Notice is to make available for public review and comment the Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA) for the Port of Anchorage, Cherry Hill Gravel Extraction Project (Project). The DEA analyzes the potential impacts on the natural and manmade environment associated with gravel extraction from Elmendorf Air Force Base to be used as fill for the Port of Anchorage Intermodal Expansion.

DATES: Comments on this DEA must be received by October 28, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Daniel E. Yuska, Jr., Environmental Protection Specialist, Office of Environmental Activities, U.S. Maritime Administration, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590; telephone (202) 366–0714, fax (202) 366–6988.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Comments may be submitted by mail to the Docket Clerk, U.S. DOT Dockets, Room PL-401, Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh St., SW., Washington, DC 20590-0001. Written comments should refer to docket number MARAD 2005-22519. All comments will become part of this docket and will be available for inspection and copying at the above address between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., e.t., Monday through Friday, except federal holidays. An electronic version of this document and all documents entered into this docket are available at http:// dms.dot.gov. No comments will be accepted after October 28, 2005. In addition, copies of the DEA are