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Dated: August 8, 2003.

**LaVerne Y. Stringfield,**  
Director, Office of Federal Advisory  
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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Federal Emergency Management Agency

#### Open Meeting of the Federal Interagency Committee on Emergency Medical Services (FICEMS)

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency  
Management Agency (FEMA).

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** FEMA announces the following open meeting.

*Name:* Federal Interagency Committee on Emergency Medical Services (FICEMS).

*Date of Meeting:* September 4, 2003.

*Place:* Building S, Room 113, National Emergency Training Center (NETC), 16825 South Seton Avenue, Emmitsburg, Maryland 21727.

*Times:* 9 a.m.—FICEMS Ambulance Safety Subcommittee; 10:30 a.m.—Main FICEMS Meeting; 1 p.m.—FICEMS Counter-Terrorism Subcommittee.

*Proposed Agenda:* Review and submission for approval of previous FICEMS Committee Meeting Minutes; Ambulance Safety Subcommittee and Counter-terrorism Subcommittee report; Action Items review; presentation of member agency reports; and reports of other interested parties. There will be an optional briefing following the afternoon meeting.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This meeting will be open to the public with limited seating available on a first-come, first-served basis. See the Response and Security Procedures below.

*Response Procedures:* Committee Members and members of the general public who plan to attend the meeting should contact Ms. Patti Roman, on or before Tuesday, September 2, 2003, via mail at NATEK Incorporated, 21355 Ridgetop Circle, Suite 200, Dulles, Virginia 20166–8503, or by telephone at

(703) 674–0190, or via facsimile at (703) 674–0195, or via e-mail at [proman@natekinc.com](mailto:proman@natekinc.com). This is necessary to be able to create and provide a current roster of visitors to NETC Security per directives.

*Security Procedures:* Increased security controls and surveillance are in effect at the National Emergency Training Center. All visitors must have a valid picture identification card and their vehicles will be subject to search by Security personnel. All visitors will be issued a visitor pass, which must be worn at all times while on campus. Please allow adequate time before the meeting to complete the security process.

*Conference Call Capabilities:* If you are not able to attend in person, a toll free number has been set up for teleconferencing. The toll free number will be available from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Members should call in around 9 a.m. The number is 1–800–320–4330. The FICEMS conference code is “10.” If you plan to call in, you should just enter the number “10”—no need to hit any other buttons, such as the star or pound keys.

*FICEMS Meeting Minutes:* Minutes of the meeting will be prepared and will be available upon request 30 days after they have been approved at the next FICEMS Committee Meeting on December 4, 2003. The minutes will also be posted on the United States Fire Administration Web site at <http://www.usfa.fema.gov/ems/ficems.htm> within 30 days after their approval at the December 4, 2003 FICEMS Committee Meeting.

Dated: August 12, 2003.

**R. David Paulison,**  
U.S. Fire Administrator.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Bureau of Customs and Border Protection

#### Notice of Issuance of Final Determination Concerning Fiber Optic Cable Products

**AGENCY:** Customs and Border Protection,  
Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Notice of final determination.

**SUMMARY:** This document provides notice that the Bureau of Customs and Border Protection (CBP) has issued a final determination concerning the country of origin of certain fiber optic cable products to be offered to the

United States Government under an undesignated government procurement contract. The final determination found that based upon the facts presented, the countries of origin of products referred to as Glass, Glass Polymer patch cords, Fiber Interconnect Product cable assemblies and Multimode (ST MM) epoxy connectors are the United States, the United States, and Japan, respectively.

**DATES:** The final determination was issued on August 11, 2003. A copy of the final determination is attached. Any party-at-interest, as defined in 19 CFR 177.22(d), may seek judicial review of this final determination within 30 days of August 19, 2003.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Craig Walker, Special Classification and Marking Branch, Office of Regulations and Rulings (202–572–8836).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given that on August 11, 2003, pursuant to Subpart B of Part 177, Customs Regulations (19 CFR part 177, subpart B), CBP issued a final determination concerning the country of origin of certain fiber optic cable products to be offered to the United States Government under an undesignated government procurement contract. The CBP ruling number is HQ 562754. This final determination was issued at the request of 3M Company under procedures set forth at 19 CFR part 177, subpart B, which implements Title III of the Trade Agreements Act of 1979, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2511–18).

The final determination concluded that, based upon the facts presented, the assembly in China of U.S.-origin fiber optic cable and Chinese-origin connectors to create Glass, Glass Polymer (“GGP”) patch cords does not result in a substantial transformation of the components into a product of China. Therefore, the country of origin of the product is the United States. The final determination also concluded that neither the assembly in China of a Japanese-origin ceramic ferrule with U.S.-origin components to create connectors nor the subsequent assembly in China of the connectors with U.S.-origin fiber optic cable to produce Fiber Interconnect Product (“FIP”) cable assemblies results in a substantial transformation of the components into products of China. Accordingly, the origin of the FIB cable assemblies is the United States. Finally, the final determination concluded that the assembly in China of a Japanese-origin ceramic ferrule with U.S., Canadian and Chinese components to produce Multimode (ST MM) epoxy connectors does not result in a substantial