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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Eleventh Meeting: RTCA Special Committee 214: Working Group 78: Standards for Air Traffic Data Communication Services

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of RTCA Special Committee 214: Working Group 78: Standards for Air Traffic Data Communication Services.

SUMMARY: The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of a meeting of the RTCA Special Committee 214: Working Group 78: Standards for Air Traffic Data Communication Services.

DATES: The meeting will be held November 15-19, 2010 from 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at Lockheed Martin Information Systems and Global Solutions, 9231 Corporate Blvd., Rockville, Maryland 20850. Host: Paul Mettus.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 5 U.S.C., Appendix 2), notice is hereby given for a RTCA Special Committee 214: Working Group 78: Standards for Air Traffic Data Communication Services meeting. The agenda will include:

Additional Information

Additional information and all the documents to be considered can be found in the Web site <http://www.faa.gov/go/SC214>.

Meeting Objectives

- Review planning and content of SPR and INT drafts version 0.H and 0.I.
- Complete draft Validation Plan.
- Review progress Oceanic/Continental Integration.
- Agree on approach for Oceanic/Continental Integration.
- Review of Position Papers.
 - Duration of the committee (currently until end of 2011).
 - Publication approach (one or two publications).
 - Possible Impact of the ATMAC recs (meeting October 28th).
- Benefits Oceanic/Continental Integration Approach.
- Now TORS(OCL/DSC, update ED 154/Doxxx, * * *).
- Outcome FRAC/consultation DO306/ED 122 and Publication.
- Seamless ATS Data Link and Patent Status.
- A/G Trajectory Information Exchange.
- Backward Compatibility of Data link Implementations (e.g. 214/78 A/C with ATNB1 ground systems (and vice versa); integrate and non-integrated avionics solutions).
- Position Papers shall be provided to the Co-Chairman by October 31st, 2010.
- Review and Update the work plan; and Plenary/Subgroup meetings plan for 2011.

Agenda

Day 1, Monday 15 November, 2010

09:00-12:30 Plenary Session

- Welcome/Introductions/Administrative Remarks.
- Approval of the Agenda.
- Approval of the Summary of Plenary 10.
 - Review Action Item Status.
 - Coordination Activities.
 - Briefing from other SCs and WGs.
 - Briefing from recent ICAO NAT and OPLINK meetings.
 - Outcome FRAC/Consultation DO306/ED122 Change 1.
 - Review of Work so far.
 - SPR & INT documents version H and I.
 - SC-214/WG-78 TORs and Work Plan.
 - Review of Position Papers and Contributions.

13:30-17:00: Plenary Session

- Continuation Review of Position Papers and Contributions.
- Approval of Sub-Group Meeting Objectives.

Day 2, Tuesday November 15, 2010

9:00-17:00 Sub-Group Sessions

Day 3, Wednesday November 16, 2010
9:00-17:00 Sub-Group Sessions

Day 4, Thursday November 18, 2010
9:00-17:00 Plenary Session

- Briefing from SC 186/WG51 on Flight Interval Management (FIM) Status.
- Configuration Sub-Group Report & Assignment of Action Items.
- Validation Sub-group Report & Assignment of Action Items.
- VDL Sub-group Report & Assignment of Action Items.
- Review Dates and Locations 2011 Plenary and SG Meetings.
- Any Other Business.
- Adjourn.

Day 5, Friday November 19, 2010
Sub-Group Sessions

9:00-16:00: Sub-Group Sessions

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space availability. With the approval of the chairmen, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section. Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

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Robert L. Bostiga,
RTCA Advisory Committee.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

October 25, 2010.

The Department of the Treasury will submit the following public information collection requirements to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 on or after the date of publication of this notice. A copy of the submissions may be obtained by calling the Treasury Bureau Clearance Officer listed. Comments regarding these information collections should be addressed to the OMB reviewer listed and to the Treasury PRA Clearance Officer, Department of the Treasury, 1750 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 11010, Washington, DC 20220.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before November 29, 2010 to be assured of consideration.

Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

OMB Number: 1545–2169.

Type of Review: Extension without change to a currently approved collection.

Title: NOTICE–2010–30 (NOTICE 107632–10) Transitional Guidance for Taxpayers Claiming Relief Under the Military Spouses Residency Relief Act for Taxable Year 2009.

Abstract: This notice provides relief for tax year 2009 to civilian spouses of servicemembers who claim the benefits of the taxation provisions under the Military Spouses Residency Relief Act (“MSRRA”). This notice provides certain civilian spouses working in a U.S. territory during 2009 but claiming a residence or domicile in one of the 50 States or the District of Columbia for paying the tax due for their 2009 Federal income tax returns.

Additionally, this notice provides certain civilian spouses working in one of the 50 States or the District of Columbia during 2009 but claiming a residence or domicile in a U.S. territory under MSRRA with guidance on filing claims for refund of Federal income taxes that their employers withheld and remitted to the IRS or estimated tax payments the taxpayers paid to the IRS during 2009.

Respondents: Individuals and Households.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 6,200 hours.

OMB Number: 1545–1610.

Type of Review: Revision to a currently approved collection.

Title: Application for Reward for Original Information.

Form: 5500 and schedules.

Abstract: Form 5500 is an annual information return filed by employee benefit plans. The IRS uses this information to determine if the plan appears to be operating properly as required under the law or whether the plan should be audited.

Respondents: Private Sector: Businesses or other for-profit.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 320,000 hours.

Bureau Clearance Officer: R. Joseph Durbala, Internal Revenue Service, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Room 6129, Washington, DC 20224; (202) 622–3634.

OMB Reviewer: Shagufta Ahmed, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503; (202) 395–7873.

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Treasury PRA Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Determination of Foreign Exchange Swaps and Forwards**

AGENCY: Department of the Treasury, Departmental Offices.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Commodity Exchange Act (“CEA”), as amended by Title VII of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (“Dodd-Frank Act”),¹ permits the Secretary of the Treasury to issue a written determination exempting foreign exchange swaps, foreign exchange forwards, or both, from the definition of a “swap” under the CEA. The Secretary has made no determination whether an exemption is warranted. Although not required under the Dodd-Frank Act, the Department of the Treasury invites comment on whether such an exemption for foreign exchange swaps, foreign exchange forwards, or both, is warranted and on the application of the factors that the Secretary must consider in making a determination regarding these instruments.

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before November 29, 2010, to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: *Submission of Comments:* Please submit comments electronically through the Federal eRulemaking Portal—“Regulations.gov.” Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> to submit or view public comments. The “How to Use this Site” and “User Tips” link on the Regulations.gov home page provides information on using Regulations.gov, including instructions for submitting or viewing public comments, viewing other supporting and related materials, and viewing the docket after the close of the comment period.

Please include your name, affiliation, address, e-mail address and telephone number(s) in your comment. All statements received, including attachments and other supporting materials, are part of the public record and subject to public disclosure. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Office of Financial Institutions Policy, 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20220, (202) 622–2730, ofip@do.treas.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 721 of the Dodd-Frank Act² amends section 1a of the CEA which, in relevant part, defines the term “swap” under the

CEA. Section 1a(47)(E) of the CEA authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to make a written determination that “foreign exchange swaps”³ or “foreign exchange forwards,”⁴ or both, should not be regulated as swaps under the CEA,⁵ as amended by the Dodd-Frank Act, and are not structured to evade the Dodd-Frank Act in violation of any rule promulgated by the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“CFTC”).⁶

In making the determination whether to exempt foreign exchange swaps and/or foreign exchange forwards,⁷ the Secretary of the Treasury must consider the following factors:

(1) Whether the required trading and clearing of foreign exchange swaps and foreign exchange forwards would create systemic risk, lower transparency, or threaten the financial stability of the United States;

(2) Whether foreign exchange swaps and foreign exchange forwards are already subject to a regulatory scheme that is materially comparable to that established by the CEA for other classes of swaps;

(3) The extent to which bank regulators of participants in the foreign exchange market provide adequate supervision, including capital and margin requirements;

(4) The extent of adequate payment and settlement systems; and

(5) The use of a potential exemption of foreign exchange swaps and foreign exchange forwards to evade otherwise applicable regulatory requirements.⁸

The Treasury Department is soliciting comments on the above factors, and any relevant information that may bear on the regulation of foreign exchange swaps and foreign exchange forwards as “swaps” under the CEA, to assist in the Secretary’s consideration of whether to issue a determination under section 1a(47) of the CEA.

³ 7 U.S.C. 1a(25) (“a transaction that solely involves—(A) an exchange of 2 different currencies on a specific date at a fixed rate that is agreed upon on the inception of the contract covering the exchange; and (B) a reverse exchange of the 2 currencies described in subparagraph (A) at a later date and at a fixed rate that is agreed upon on the inception of the contract covering the exchange.”).

⁴ 7 U.S.C. 1a(24) (“a transaction that solely involves the exchange of 2 different currencies on a specific future date at a fixed rate agreed upon on the inception of the contract covering the exchange.”).

⁵ 7 U.S.C. 1(a)(47)(E)(i)(I).

⁶ 7 U.S.C. 1(a)(47)(E)(i)(II).

⁷ Notwithstanding any such determination by the Secretary of the Treasury, all foreign exchange swaps and forwards must be reported to a swap data repository, and swap dealers and major swap participants that are parties to foreign exchange swaps and forwards transactions must conform to business conduct standards pursuant to the requirements of the Dodd-Frank Act and implementing regulations thereunder.

⁸ 7 U.S.C. 1b(a).

¹ Public Law 111–203, 124 Stat. 1376 (2010).

² Public Law 111–203, 124 Stat. 1376 (2010).