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COMMISSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMISSION MEETINGS

CLOSED MEETING - MONDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2001 – 2:00 P.M.

The subject matter of the closed meeting scheduled for Monday, December 3, 2001, will be: Institution and settlement of injunctive actions; Institution and settlement of administrative proceedings of an enforcement nature; Formal orders; and An adjudicatory matter.

At times, changes in Commission priorities require alterations in the scheduling of meeting items. For further information and to ascertain what, if any, matters have been added, deleted or postponed, please contact: The Office of the Secretary at (202) 942-7070.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT RELEASES

RUSSIAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

An order has been issued under Sections 3(b)(2) and 45(a) of the Investment Company Act on an application filed by Russian Telecommunications Development Corporation declaring that it is primarily engaged in a business other than that of investing, reinvesting, owning, holding or trading in securities and granting confidential treatment with respect to certain asset valuation information. (Rel. IC-25298 – November 26)

SELF-REGULATORY ORGANIZATIONS

IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVENESS OF PROPOSED RULE CHANGES

A proposed rule change filed by the <u>Philadelphia Stock Exchange</u> and Amendment No. 1 thereto relating to the Exchange's options maintenance standards (SR-Phlx-2001-96) has become effective under Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Publication of the proposal is expected in the <u>Federal Register</u> during the week of November 26. (Rel. 34-45086)

A proposed rule change filed by the <u>International Securities Exchange</u> relating to fees for providing "Bisync Controllers" to members (SR-ISE-2001-30) has become immediately effective under Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Publication of the proposal is expected in the <u>Federal Register</u> during the week of November 26. (Rel. 34-45089)

A proposed rule change filed by the <u>Philadelphia Stock Exchange</u> (SR-Phlx-2001-99) to conform Phlx Rule 2001(b)(2)(viii) to the Seventeenth Amendment of the Intermarket Trading System Plan relating to 30-second commitment expiration has become immediately effective under Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Publication of the proposal is expected in the <u>Federal Register</u> during the week of November 26. (Rel. 34-45093)

ACCELERATED APPROVAL OF PROPOSED RULE CHANGE

The Commission noticed and granted accelerated approval to a proposed rule change (SR-Phlx-2001-100) and Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 thereto submitted by the <u>Philadelphia</u> <u>Stock Exchange</u>, under Rule 19b-4 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, to extend a pilot program to disengage its automatic execution system (AUTO-X) for a period of thirty seconds after the number of contracts automatically executed in a given option meets the AUTO-X minimum guarantee for that option. Publication of the proposal is expected in the Federal Register during the week of November 26. (Rel. 34-45090)

APPROVAL OF PROPOSED RULE CHANGES

The Commission approved a proposed rule change (SR-PHLX-2001-68) submitted under Rule 19b-4 by the <u>Philadelphia Stock Exchange</u> regarding notification of changes in business operations and the Minor Rule Violation Enforcement and Reporting Plan. Publication of the order in the <u>Federal Register</u> is expected during the week of November 26. (Rel. 34-45095)

The Commission approved a proposed rule change (SR-NASD-2001-59) submitted under Rule 19b-4 by the <u>National Association of Securities Dealers</u> relating to fees for historical research reports and licensing the redistribution of information from such reports. Publication of the order in the <u>Federal Register</u> is expected during the week of November 26. (Rel. 34-45102)

PROPOSED RULE CHANGE

A proposed rule change and Amendment No. 1 thereto have been filed by the <u>National</u> <u>Association of Securities Dealers</u> amending NASD Rules 4510, 4520 and 4530 which relates to Issuer Entry and Annual Fee schedules (SR-NASD-2001-76). Publication of the proposal is expected in the <u>Federal Register</u> during the week of November 26. (Rel. 34-45101)

WITHDRAWAL SOUGHT

A notice has been issued giving interested persons until December 18, 2001, to comment on the application of Spinnaker Industries, Inc. to withdraw its Common Stock, no par value, and Class A Common Stock, no par value, from listing and registration on the American Stock Exchange. (Rel. 34-45099)

DELISTINGS GRANTED

An order has been issued granting the application of the <u>New York Stock Exchange</u> to strike from listing and registration the Common Stock, no par value, of Pentacon, Inc., effective at the opening of business on November 26, 2001. (Rel. 34-45100)

An order has been issued granting the application of the <u>American Stock Exchange</u> to strike from listing and registration the Common Stock, \$.01 par value, of Thermo Fibergen, Inc., effective at the opening of business on November 27, 2001. (Rel. 34-45104)

SECURITIES ACT REGISTRATIONS

The following registration statements have been filed with the SEC under the Securities Act of 1933. The reported information appears as follows: Form, Name, Address and Phone Number (if available) of the issuer of the security; Title and the number and/or face amount of the securities being offered; Name of the managing underwriter or depositor (if applicable); File number and date filed; Assigned Branch; and a designation if the statement is a New Issue.

Registration statements may be obtained in person or by writing to the Commission's Public Reference Branch at 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549 or at the following e-mail box address: cpublicinfo@sec.gov>. In most cases, this information is also available on the Commission's website: <www.sec.gov>.

F-3 SK TELECOM CO LTD, 267 5-KA NAMDAEMUN-RO, JUNG KU, SEOUL KOREA, M5 -2,400,000 (\$495,840,000) FOREIGN COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-14102 - NOV. 19)

S-B ISRAEL STATE OF, 800 SECOND AVENUE 17TH FLOOR, NEW YORK, NY 10017 (212) 560-0600 - \$150,000,000 STRAIGHT BONDS. (FILE 333-14104 - NOV.

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- S-8 CORE LABORATORIES N V, 1017 BZ AMSTERDAM, HERENGRACHT 424, THE NETHERLANDS, P7 (312) 420-3191 - 500,000 (\$7,450,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73772 - NOV. 20) (BR. 4)
- S-8 ELASTIC NETWORKS INC, 6120 WINWARD PARKWAY, STE 100, ALPHARETTA, GA 30005 (678) 297-3100 - 2,100,000 (\$1,155,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73776 - NOV. 20) (BR. 7)

S-3 HARRIS INTERACTIVE INC, 135 CORPORATE WOODS, ROCHESTER, NY 14623 (716) 272-8400 - 1,021,560 (\$2,104,413.60) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73778 -

NOV. 20) (BR. 8)

S-8 PARAGON TRADE BRANDS INC, 180 TECHNOLOGY PARLWAY, NORCROSS, GA 30092 (678) 969-5000 - 1,421,222 (\$16,288,883) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73780

NOV. 20) (BR. 4)

S-8 SHARECOM INC /IL/, 2780 S JONES, STE E, LAS VEGAS, NV 89146
(702) 933-3713 - 130,000,000 (\$45,500,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33373784 -

NOV. 20) (BR. 9)

S-4 HEWLETT PACKARD CO, 3000 HANOVER ST, PALO ALTO, CA 94304 (415) 857-1501

- \$785,919,973 COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73786 - NOV. 20) (BR. 3)

S-8 US AIRWAYS GROUP INC, 2345 CRYSTAL DR, ARLINGTON, VA 22227
(703) 872-5306 - 1,590,000 (\$7,652,874.50) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33373788 -

NOV. 20) (BR. 5)

S-8 SIMTEK CORP, 4250 BUCKINGHAM DR 100, COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80907 (719) 531-9444 - 5,099,532 (\$2,795,947) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73794

NOV. 20) (BR. 5)

S-3 LIFECORE BIOMEDICAL INC, 3515 LYMAN BLVD, CHASKA, MN 55318 (612) 368-4300 - 21,097 (\$208,861) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73796 -NOV. 20) (BR. 1)

S-3 GENAERA CORP, 5110 CAMPUS DR, PLYMOUTH MEETING, PA 19462 (610) 941-5231

- \$50,000,000 COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73798 - NOV. 20) (BR. 1)

S-4 TOYS R US INC, 225 SUMMIT AVENUE, C/O TOYS R US NATIONAL OFFICES, MONTVALE, NJ 07645 (201) 262-7800 - 750,000,000 (\$750,000,000) STRAIGHT BONDS. (FILE 333-73800 - NOV. 20) (BR. 2)

SB-2 SUPER VISION INTERNATIONAL INC, 8210 PRESIDENTS DRIVE, ORLANDO, FL 32809

(407) 857-9900 - 428,086 (\$2,740,038.74) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73804

NOV. 20) (BR. 6)

- S-8 SOVRAN SELF STORAGE INC, 5166 MAIN ST, WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221
 (716) 633-1850 600,000 (\$16,671,683) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73806 NOV. 20) (BR. 8)
- S-4 ALARIS MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC, 10221 WATERIDGE CIRCLE, SAN DIEGR, CA 92121 (619) 458-7000 - 170,000,000 (\$170,000,000) STRAIGHT BONDS. (FILE
 - 333-73810 NOV. 20) (BR. 5)
 - S-8 ALARIS MEDICAL INC, 10221 WATERIDGE CIRCLE, SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 (858) 458-7000 - 4,250,000 (\$11,135,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73812

NOV. 20) (BR. 5)

S-8 ANCHOR BANCORP WISCONSIN INC, 25 WEST MAIN ST, MADISON, WI 53703 (608) 252-8700 - 318,622 (\$2,038,264) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73814 -NOV. 20) (BR. 7)

S-4 DIMON INC, 512 BRIDGE ST, P O BOX 681, DANVILLE, VA 24541 (804) 792-7511

- 200,000,000 (\$200,000,000) STRAIGHT BONDS. (FILE 333-73816 - NOV.

(BR. 4)

S-8 PHON NET COM INC, 750 WEST PENDER ST STE 600,

VANCOUVER BRITISH COLUMBIA, V6C 2T7, (250) 658-0627 - 1,400,000 (\$182,000)

COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73818 - NOV. 20) (BR. 3)

SB-2 GTC TELECOM CORP, 3151 AIRWAY AVE, STE P-3, COSTA MESA, CA 92626 (714) 549-7700 - 15,680,715 (\$4,356,175) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-73820

NOV. 20) (BR. 7)