

accurate clearance and settlement of securities transactions because it will bring more stock loan transactions currently conducted by industry participants outside registered clearing agencies into OCC. This should add efficiencies and safety to such transactions.

OCC has requested that the Commission find good cause for approving the proposed rule change prior to the thirtieth day after the date of publication of the notice of filing. The Commission finds good cause for approving the proposed rule change prior to the thirtieth day after the date of publication of the notice of filing in the **Federal Register** because by so approving it will be possible for more stock loan transactions to be immediately processed through OCC.

IV. Solicitation of Comments

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, and arguments concerning the foregoing, including whether the proposed rule change is consistent with the Act. Persons making written submissions should file six copies thereof with the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549-0609. Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Section, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549. Copies of such filing will also be available for inspection and copying at OCC's principal office. All submissions should refer to File No. SR-OCC-2001-06 and should be submitted by July 30, 2001.

It Is Therefore Ordered, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act, that the proposed rule change (File No. SR-OCC-2001-06) be, and hereby is, approved on an accelerated basis.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.⁷

Jonathan G. Katz,
Secretary.

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⁷ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3339]

State of Wisconsin; (Amendment #5)

In accordance with notices received from the Federal Emergency Management Agency, dated June 28, 2001, the above-numbered Declaration is hereby amended to include Calumet and Rusk Counties as disaster areas caused by flooding, severe storms and tornadoes occurring between April 10, 2001 and continuing. In addition, the Declaration is also amended to extend the deadline for filing applications for physical damages as a result of this disaster to August 10, 2001.

In addition, applications for economic injury loans from small businesses located in Chippewa, Manitowoc, Price, Sheboygan and Taylor Counties in the State of Wisconsin may be filed until the specified date at the previously designated location. Any counties contiguous to the above named primary counties and not listed here have been previously declared.

All other information remains the same, i.e., the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is August 10, 2001 and for economic injury the deadline is February 11, 2002.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59002 and 59008.)

Dated: July 2, 2001.

Herbert L. Mitchell,
Associate Administrator For Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Interest Rates

The Small Business Administration publishes an interest rate called the optional "peg" rate (13 CFR 120.214) on a quarterly basis. This rate is a weighted average cost of money to the government for maturities similar to the average SBA direct loan. This rate may be used as a base rate for guaranteed fluctuating interest rate SBA loans. This rate will be 5.250 (5 1/4) percent for the July-September quarter of FY 2001.

LeAnn M. Oliver,
Deputy Associate Administrator for Financial Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 3717]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition Determinations: "Caspar David Friedrich: Moonwatchers"

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 [79 Stat. 985, 22 U.S.C. 2459], the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 [112 Stat. 2681 *et seq.*], Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999 [64 FR 56014], and Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999 [64 FR 57920], as amended, I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibit "Caspar David Friedrich: Moonwatchers," imported from abroad for the temporary exhibition without profit within the United States, are of cultural significance. These objects will be imported pursuant to loan agreements with foreign lenders. I also determine that the temporary exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at The Metropolitan Museum of Art, in New York, NY, from on or about September 11, 2001, to on or about November 11, 2001 and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public Notice of these determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, including a list of exhibit objects, contact Julianne Simpson, Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State (telephone: 202/619-6529). The address is U.S. Department of State, SA-44, 301 4th Street, SW., Room 700, Washington, DC 20547-0001.

Dated: June 29, 2001.

Helena Kane Finn,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 3718]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition Determinations: "Virtue and Beauty: Leonardo's 'Genevra de' Benci' and Renaissance Portraits of Women"

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.