

debris flows beginning on January 3, 1995, and continuing.

All counties contiguous to Kings County have previously been declared.

All other information remains the same, i.e., the termination date for filing applications for physical damage is March 13, 1995, and for economic injury the deadline is October 10, 1995.

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

Dated: March 8, 1995.

**Bernard Kulik,**

*Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.*

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**[License No. 01/71-0363**

**Notice of Issuance of a Small Business Investment Company License**

On November 7, 1994, a notice was published in the **Federal Register** (59 FR 55522) stating that an application had been filed by Pioneer Ventures Limited Partnership II, Boston, Massachusetts with the Small Business Administration (SBA) pursuant to Section 107.102 of the Regulations governing small business investment companies (13 CFR 107.102 (1994)) for a license to operate as a small business investment company.

Interested parties were given until close of business on November 22, 1994 to submit their comments to SBA. No comments were received. Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to Section 301(c) of the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, as amended, after having considered the application and all other pertinent information, SBA issued License No. 01/71-0363 on February 6, 1995, to Pioneer Ventures Limited Partnership II to operate as a small business investment company.

The Licensee will have initial private capital of \$2.6 million and has commitments for additional capital which are expected to reflect total capital of \$15.0 million when fully invested. The Licensee will be owned by institutional investors. Limited partners with a larger than 10% partnership interest include the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority Retirement Fund, Middlesex County Contributory Retirement System, The Pioneer Group, Inc., Worcester County Contributory Retirement System, and Cambridge Retirement System.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 59.011, Small Business Investment Companies)

Dated: March 7, 1995.

**Robert D. Stillman,**

*Associate Administrator for Investment.*

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**OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES  
TRADE REPRESENTATIVE**

**Negotiation of Chilean Accession to  
the North American Free Trade  
Agreement**

**AGENCY:** Office of the United States Trade Representative.

**ACTION:** Notice of negotiations regarding Chile's entry into the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), notice of goods and services that may be covered by such negotiations, and of public hearings and request for public comment concerning such negotiations.

**SUMMARY:** This publication gives notice that the United States, along with the Governments of Canada and Mexico, expects to undertake negotiations with the Republic of Chile regarding its accession to (i.e., inclusion in) the NAFTA. This publication also (1) identifies the range of Chilean articles (products) for which U.S. tariffs and non-tariff measures may be reduced or eliminated as a result of the negotiations; (2) provides notice of a request by the United States Trade Representative (the USTR) to the International Trade Commission (Commission) for advice concerning the economic effects of Chilean accession; and (3) gives notice that the Trade Policy Staff Committee (TPSC) invites public comments on, and will conduct public hearings concerning, the negotiations.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For procedural questions concerning public comments or public hearings, contact Carolyn Frank, Executive Secretary, Trade Policy Staff Committee, Office of the USTR, (202) 395-9557. All other questions should be directed to Jane Earley, Director for Chilean Affairs, (202) 395-5190, or James Southwick, Assistant General Counsel, (202) 395-7203.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**1. Background**

The NAFTA entered into force between the United States, Canada, and Mexico on January 1, 1994. On December 11, 1994, President Clinton, and the heads of state of Canada, Chile, and Mexico agreed to begin the process by which Chile will accede to the NAFTA. The four governments plan to

hold a ministerial meeting in May, 1995, concerning Chile's accession, and substantive negotiations may begin shortly thereafter.

**2. Articles That May Be Considered in Trade Negotiations**

All articles provided for in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) that are products of Chile will be considered for duty reduction or elimination and for the elimination or reduction of non-tariff barriers.

**3. Advice From the U.S. International Trade Commission**

On March 7, 1995, under authority delegated by the President, the USTR requested the Commission, pursuant to section 332(g) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (codified at 19 U.S.C. 1332(g)), to provide advice to the President, with respect to each article listed in the HTSUS, as to the probable economic effect of (1) providing duty-free treatment for imports of products of Chile on industries in the United States producing like or directly competitive articles and on consumers; and (2) eliminating U.S. non-tariff measures that are inconsistent with the NAFTA. In addition, the USTR requested advice on the probable economic effect on U.S. exports to Chile of (3) the removal of Chilean import duties; and (4) the removal of Chilean nontariff measures that are inconsistent with the NAFTA. Finally, the USTR requested the Commission to provide a report on (5) the nature and extent of services transactions between the United States and Chile, the key U.S. services industries that export services to Chile, the principal barriers impeding the participation of U.S. service providers in the Chilean market, and the effect of such barriers on U.S. services providers.

The USTR requested the Commission to provide its advice as soon as possible, but no later than six months after the date of the letter.

**4. Public Comments and Testimony**

In conformity with TPSC regulations (15 CFR part 2003), the Chairman of the TPSC invites written comments and/or oral testimony of interested persons in a public hearing on the desirability and economic effects of Chilean accession to the NAFTA.

Comments are particularly invited on:

(a) Economic costs and benefits to U.S. producers and consumers of removal of all tariff barriers to trade between Chile and the United States and between and among Chile and the current NAFTA parties and, in the case of articles for which immediate

elimination of tariffs is not appropriate, the appropriate staging schedule for such elimination.

(b) Existing nontariff barriers to trade in goods between Chile and the United States and between and among Chile and the current NAFTA parties and the economic costs and benefits to U.S. producers and consumers of removing those barriers.

(c) Existing barriers to trade in services between Chile and the United States and between and among Chile and the current NAFTA parties, and economic costs and benefits to U.S. services firms and consumers of removing such barriers.

(d) Existing restrictions on investment flows between Chile and the United States and between and among Chile and the current NAFTA parties, and the costs and benefits to U.S. investors and consumers of eliminating such restrictions.

(e) Any other measures, policies, or practices of the Government of Chile falling within the scope of the NAFTA that should be addressed in the negotiations.

In addition, comments are invited on the possible environmental effects of Chile's accession to the NAFTA, as well as the possible effects on basic workers' rights, working conditions, and living standards.

### 5. Requests to Participate in Public Hearings

A hearing will be held on Tuesday, April 25, 1995 in the Truman Room, White House Conference Center, 726 Jackson Place, Washington, DC. Hearings will continue on succeeding days if necessary.

Parties wishing to testify orally at the hearings must provide written notification of their intention by noon, Friday, April 14, 1995 to Carolyn Frank, Executive Secretary, Trade Policy Staff Committee, Office of the United States Trade Representative, 600 Seventeenth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20506. The notification should include (1) the name, address, and telephone number of the person presenting the testimony; and (2) a brief summary of the presentation, including the product(s) (with HTSUS numbers), service sector(s), or other subjects to be discussed.

Parties presenting oral testimony must also submit to the above address by noon, Friday, April 14, 1995 a written brief, in 20 copies. Remarks at the hearing should be limited to no more than five minutes to allow for possible questions from the Chairman and the interagency panel. Participants should

provide 30 typed copies of their oral statement at the time of the hearings.

Any business confidential material must be clearly marked as such on the cover page (or letter) and succeeding pages. Such submissions must be accompanied by a nonconfidential summary of the confidential information.

### 6. Written Comments

Those persons not wishing to participate in the hearing may submit written comments, in 20 typed copies, no later than noon, Friday, April 28, 1995 to Carolyn Frank, Executive Secretary, Trade Policy Staff Committee, Office of the United States Trade Representative, 600 Seventeenth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20506. Comments should state clearly the position taken and should describe with particularity the evidence supporting that position. Any business confidential material must be clearly marked as such on the cover page (or letter) and succeeding pages. Such submissions must be accompanied by a nonconfidential summary of the confidential information.

Nonconfidential submissions will be available for public inspection at the USTR Reading Room, Room 101, Office of the United States Trade Representative, 600 Seventeenth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. An appointment to review the file may be made by calling Brenda Webb (202) 395-6186. The Reading Room is open to the public from 10 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

**Frederick L. Montgomery,**

*Chairman, Trade Policy Staff Committee.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

#### Notice of Passenger Facility Charge (PFC) Approvals and Disapprovals

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Monthly Notice of PFC Approvals and Disapprovals. In February 1995, there were six applications and one amendment approved.

**SUMMARY:** The FAA publishes a monthly notice, as appropriate, of PFC approvals and disapprovals under the provisions of 49 U.S.C. 40117 (Pub. L. 103-272) and Part 158 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Part 158). This

notice is published pursuant to paragraph d of § 158.29.

### PFC Applications Approved

*Public Agency:* City of Austin, Austin, Texas.

*Application Number:* 95-03-C-00-AUS.

*Application Type:* Impose and use PFC revenue.

*PFC Level:* \$3.00.

*Total Approved Net PFC Revenue:* \$1,199,000.

*Charge Effective Date:* July 1, 1995.

*Estimated Charge Expiration Date:* September 1, 1995.

*Class of Air Carriers Not Required to Collect PFC's:* On-demand air taxi/commercial operators that (1) do not enplane or deplane at Robert Mueller Municipal Airport's (AUS) main terminal building or (2) enplane fewer than 500 passengers per year at AUS.

*Determination:* Approved. Based on information submitted in the City of Austin's application, the FAA has determined that the proposed class accounts for less than 1 percent of the total annual enplanements at AUS.

*Brief Description of Project Approved for Collection and Use:*

East perimeter road pavement rehabilitation,  
Terminal apron lighting upgrade,  
Airfield pavement rehabilitation,  
Airfield security fence replacement/rehabilitation,  
Runway 13R/31L surface roughness remediation.

*Decision Date:* February 8, 1995.

*For Further Information Contact:* Ben Guttery, Southwest Region Airports Division, (817) 222-5614.

*Public Agency:* Indian Wells Valley Airport District, Inyokern, California.

*Application Number:* 95-02-C-00-IYK.

*Application Type:* Impose and use PFC revenue.

*PFC Level:* \$3.00.

*Total Approved Net Use PFC Revenue:* \$248,500.

*Estimated Charge Effective Date:* September 1, 1995.

*Estimated Charge Expiration Date:* September 1, 1999.

*Class of Air Carriers Not Required to Collect PFC's:* Unscheduled air taxi/commercial operators not providing scheduled service to Inyokern Airport (IYK).

*Determination:* Approved. Based on information submitted in the Indian Wells Valley Airport District's application, the FAA has determined the proposed class accounts for less than 1 percent of IYK's total annual enplanements.