NEW EXEMPTIONS—Continued

Application No.	Applicant	Regulation(s) affected	Nature of exemption thereof
11547–N	RTS Technology, Inc., North Andover, MA.	49 CFR 173.431	To authorize the transportation of up to 27 curies of radioactive material in special form in Type A package. (modes 4, 5)
11548–N	Akzo Nobel, Chicago, IL	49 CFR 173.211, 173.212, 173.213	To authorize the transportation in commerce of various solid hazardous materials in compressed gas type cylinders except for specification 8 and 3HT type. (mode 1)

This notice of receipt of applications for new exemptions is published in accordance with Part 107 of the Hazardous Materials Transportations Act (49 U.S.C. 1806; 49 CFR 1.53(e)).

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

National Service Life Insurance Policy Loan Interest Rate

AGENCY: Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is hereby giving notice of the variable loan interest rate for loans granted on National Service Life Insurance (NSLI).

DATES: The effective date for the new variable loan interest rate is October 1, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. George Poole, Chief, Insurance Program Administration Staff (290B), Department of Veterans Affairs Regional Office and Insurance Center, P.O. Box 8079, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19101 (215) 951–5718.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: VA's National Service Life Insurance Regulations at 38 CFR 8.28 (amended at 59 FR 65717) provide that NSLI policy loans will bear a variable interest rate, which could be adjusted annually, and that such rate shall equal the yield on the Ten-Year Constant Maturities Index for U.S. Treasury Securities for the month of June of the year of calculation rounded down to the next whole percentage point. These regulations further provide that the adjusted loan rate would be effective, subject to computer readiness, on or after the first day of October. The Council of Economic Advisers established the above-mentioned index for June 1995 at 6.17 percent. Rounding down, the NSLI variable policy loan rate, effective October 1, 1995, will be 6 percent.

Dated: September 7, 1995.

Jesse Brown,

Secretary of Veterans Affairs.

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