

**[Public Notice No. 2515]****Notice of Briefing**

The Department of State announces this year's first briefing on U.S. foreign policy economic sanctions programs to be held on Friday, April 25, 1997, from 2:00 p.m. until 3:30 p.m., in the State Department Dean Acheson auditorium, 2201 C Street NW, Washington, DC.

This briefing is a follow-on session to the series of briefings held last year in March, July and December. As in the earlier briefings, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Energy Sanctions and Commodities Bill Ramsay will present an overview of the foreign policy economic sanctions regimes overseen by the State Department's Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs. State Department desk officers will be on hand to discuss country-specific sanctions issues following Ambassador Ramsay's briefing.

Please Note: Persons intending to attend the April 25 briefing must announce this not later than 48 hours before the briefing, and preferably further in advance, to the Department of State by sending a fax to 202-647-3953 (Office of the Coordinator for Business Affairs). The announcement must include name, affiliation, Social Security or passport number and date of birth. The above includes government and non-government attendees. One of the following valid photo ID's will be required for admittance: U.S. driver's license with picture, passport, U.S. government ID (company ID's are no longer accepted by Diplomatic Security). Enter from the 23rd Street entrance.

Dated: March 5, 1997.

Christopher Szymanski,

*Deputy Coordinator for Business Affairs.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION****Aviation Proceedings; Agreements Filed During the Week Ending 2/28/97**

The following Agreements were filed with the Department of Transportation under the provisions of 49 U.S.C. 412 and 414. Answers may be filed within 21 days of date of filing.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2151.

*Date filed:* February 24, 1997.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

PTC3 Telex Mail Vote 858  
Special Passenger Amending Reso  
from Japan

Intended effective date: April 1, 1997.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2157.

*Date filed:* February 26, 1997.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

COMP Mail Vote 857 (as amended)

Zimbabwe-Middle East/TC3 Reso 010i

Intended effective date: April 1, 1997.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2158.

*Date filed:* February 26, 1997.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

PTC2 AFR 0007 dated February 14,  
1997.

Within Africa Resos r1-24

Minutes—PTC2 AFR 0008 dated

February 21, 1997

Tables—PTC2 AFR Fares 0004 dated  
February 25, 1997

Intended effective date: April 1, 1997.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2163.

*Date filed:* February 28, 1997.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

PTC1 Telex Mail Vote 860

Argentina-Bolivia Fares

r-1-041d r-3-061d

r-2-051d r-4-070j

Intended effective date: March 16,  
1997.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2164.

*Date filed:* February 28, 1997.

*Parties:* Members of the International Air Transport Association.

*Subject:*

COMP Cargo Telex Reso 033f

Local Currency Rate Changes-Hungary

Intended effective date: April 1, 1997.

Paulette V. Twine,

*Chief, Documentary Services.*

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**Notice of Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits Filed Under Subpart Q During the Week Ending February 28, 1997**

The following Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits were filed under Subpart Q of the Department of Transportation's Procedural Regulations (See 14 CFR 302.1701 et. seq.). The due date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motions to modify Scope are set forth below for each application. Following the Answer period DOT may process the application by expedited procedures. Such procedures may consist of the adoption of a show-cause order, a tentative order, or in appropriate cases a final order without further proceedings.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2147.

*Date filed:* February 24, 1997.

*Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope:* March 24, 1997.

*Description:* Application of Alaska Seaplane Service, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 41101 and Subpart Q of the Regulations, applies for a certificate of public convenience and necessity for an indefinite term to perform scheduled, interstate air transportation of persons, property and mail.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2148.

*Date filed:* February 24, 1997.

*Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope:* March 24, 1997.

*Description:* Application of American International Airways, Inc., pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 41102 and Subpart Q of the Department's Procedural Rules, applies for certificate authority authorizing it to provide scheduled foreign air transportation of property and mail between a point or points in the United States and a point or points in Belize, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua and Panama.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2149.

*Date filed:* February 24, 1997.

*Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope:* March 24, 1997.

*Description:* Application of Alaska Airlines, Inc., pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 41101 and Subpart Q of the Regulations, requests a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing Alaska to engage in the scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property and mail between any point in the territory of the United States, on the one hand, and any point in the territory of Canada, on the other hand.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2156.

*Date filed:* February 25, 1997.

*Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope:* March 25, 1997.

*Description:* Supplement No. 1 to the Application of Federal Express Corporation (as successor in interest to The Flying Tiger Line, Inc.), pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 41102 and Subpart Q, furnishing updated information and requesting an extension of the existing U.S.-Venezuela certificate authority for a period of five years, through March 15, 2002.

*Docket Number:* OST-97-2166.

*Date filed:* February 28, 1997.

*Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion to Modify Scope:* March 28, 1997.

*Description:* Application of Premier A/S, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 41302, and Subpart Q of the