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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The Associate Commissioner for Program Support as shown above.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. General

The Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988 (Pub. L. 100-503), amended the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a) by establishing conditions under which computer matching involving the Federal government could be performed and adding certain protections for individuals applying for and receiving Federal benefits. Section 7201 of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990 (Pub. L. 101-508), further amended the Privacy Act regarding protections for such individuals. The Privacy Act, as amended, regulates the use of computer matching by Federal agencies when records in a system of records are matched with other Federal, State, or local government records. Among other things, it requires Federal agencies involved in computer matching programs to:

- (1) Negotiate written agreements with the other agency or agencies participating in the matching programs;
- (2) Obtain Data Integrity Board approval of the match agreements;
- (3) Furnish detailed reports about matching programs to Congress and OMB;
- (4) Notify applicants and beneficiaries that their records are subject to matching; and
- (5) Verify match findings before reducing, suspending, terminating, or denying an individual's benefits or payments.

B. SSA Computer Matches Subject to the Privacy Act

We have taken action to ensure that all of SSA's computer matching programs comply with the requirements of the Privacy Act, as amended.

Dated: April 16, 1997.

John J. Callahan,

Acting Commissioner of Social Security.

Notice of Computer Matching Program, Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) With Social Security Administration (SSA)

A. Participating Agencies

SSA and RRB.

B. Purpose of the Matching Program

To identify supplemental security income recipients and applicants who

receive annuities payable by the RRB. For such individuals, the income received due to benefits payable by the RRB may affect eligibility for or the amount of SSI benefits.

C. Authority for Conducting the Matching Program

Sections 1631(e)(1)(B) and 1631(f) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1383(e)(1)(B) and 1383(f)).

D. Categories of Records and Individuals Covered by the Match

The RRB will provide SSA with an electronic data file containing annuity payment information from its system of records entitled Checkwriting Integrated Computer Operation Benefits Payment Master. SSA will then match the RRB data with information maintained in its Supplemental Security Income Record.

E. Inclusive Dates of the Match

The matching program shall become effective no sooner than 40 days after notice of the matching program is sent to Congress and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), or 30 days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, whichever date is later. The matching program will continue for 18 months from the effective date and may be extended for an additional 12 months thereafter, if certain conditions are met.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 2532]

Bureau of Political-Military Affairs; Determination Under the Arms Export Control Act

Pursuant to Section 654(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Under Secretary of State for Arms Control and International Security Affairs has made a determination pursuant to Section 81 of the Arms Export Control Act and has concluded that publication of the determination would be harmful to the national security of the United States.

Dated: April 10, 1997.

Thomas E. McNamara,

Assistant Secretary of State for Political-Military Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Highway Administration

Environmental Impact Statement: Clark County, NV

AGENCY: Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of intent.

SUMMARY: The FHWA is issuing this Notice to advise the public that an environmental impact statement will be prepared for a proposed highway project in Clark County, Nevada.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), the Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT), in cooperation with the City of Las Vegas, the City of North Las Vegas, Regional Transportation Commission, and Clark County, is considering improvements to the transportation system serving the Northwest Region of Las Vegas. These improvements include: widening US 95, a freeway management system for US 95, high occupancy vehicle lanes on US 95 and Summerlin Parkway, new arterial street connections, arterial street improvements, enhanced bus service, and transportation demand management measures. The proposed improvements have been adopted as the "locally preferred alternative" as a result of a Major Investment Study for the Northwest Region.

Rapid growth has occurred in the Las Vegas Valley over the past several years. The growth has added to the existing heavy demand on the regional transportation system. Substantial growth is expected to continue, with a major portion of the new development occurring in the western and northern portions of the area. The proposed improvements are considered necessary to provide for existing and projected travel demand in the Northwest Region of Las Vegas and enhance safety and operational efficiency.

Alternatives to be considered will include the "locally preferred alternative" as developed through the Major Investment Study process and the no-build option.