

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Availability of U.S. Patents for Non-Exclusive, Exclusive, or Partially-Exclusive Licensing

AGENCY: U.S. Army Research Laboratory, Adelphi, Maryland.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with 37 CFR 404.6, announcement is made of the availability of the following U.S. patents for non-exclusive, partially exclusive or exclusive licensing. All of the listed patents have been assigned to the United States of America as represented by the Secretary of the Army, Washington, D.C.

These patents cover a wide variety of technical arts including: A long-range nonlethal bullet, a device to detect muzzle flash from a gun.

Under the authority of Section 11(a)(2) of the Federal Technology Transfer Act of 1986 (Pub. L. 99-502) and Section 207 of Title 35, United States Code, the Department of the Army as represented by the U.S. Army Research Laboratory wish to license the U.S. patents listed below in a non-exclusive, exclusive or partially exclusive manner to any party interested in manufacturing, using, and/or selling devices or processes covered by these patents.

Title: Long-Range Nonlethal Bullet.

Inventor: Raine M. Gilbert.

Patent Number: 5,691,501.

Issued Date: November 25, 1997.

Title: Infrared Sniper Detection Enhancement.

Inventor: David B. Hillis.

Patent Number: 5,686,889.

Issue Date: November 11, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: None.

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Title: Detecting Target Imaged on a Large Screen Via Non-Visible Light.

Inventor: Gordon L. Herald.

Patent Number: 5,690,492.

Issue Date: November 25, 1997.

Title: Eyetracker Control of Heads-Up Displays.

Inventor: Christopher C. Smyth.

Patent Number: 5,689,619.

Issue Date: November 18, 1997.

Title: Method and Apparatus for Estimating a Cognitive Decision Made in Response to a Known Stimulus from the Corresponding Single-Event Evoked Cerebral Potential.

Inventor: Christopher C. Smyth.

Patent Number: 5,687,291.

Issue Date: November 11, 1997.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Recognition of Accrediting Agencies, State Agencies for Approval of Public Postsecondary Vocational Education, and State Agencies for Approval of Nurse Education

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Request for comments on agencies applying to the Secretary for Initial or Renewed Recognition.

DATES: Commenters should submit their written comments by February 12, 1998 to the address below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Karen W. Kershenstein, Director, Accreditation and Eligibility Determination Division, U.S. Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 3915 ROB-3, Washington, DC 20202-5244, telephone: (202) 708-7417. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

Submission of Third-Party Comments

The Secretary of Education recognizes, as reliable authorities as to the quality of education offered by institutions or programs within their scope, accrediting agencies and State approval agencies for public postsecondary vocational education and nurse education that meet certain criteria for recognition. The purpose of this notice is to invite interested third parties to present written comments on the agencies listed in this notice that have applied for initial or continued recognition. A subsequent **Federal Register** notice will announce the meeting and invite individuals and/or groups to submit requests for oral presentation before the National Advisory Committee on Institutional Quality and Integrity (the "Advisory Committee") on the agencies being reviewed. That notice, however, does not constitute another call for written comment. This notice is the only call for written comment.

All comments received in response to this notice will be reviewed by Department staff as part of its evaluation of the agencies' compliance with the