SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Calling the NCUA Clearance Officer, requests, with applicable supporting information:

Copies of these information collection requests are published to obtain comments from the public.

DATES:

Comments will be accepted until May 14, 1999.

ADDRESSES:

Interested parties are invited to submit written comments to the National Credit Union Administration, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314-2200.

Supplementary Information:

Proposal for the following collections of information:

OMB Number: 3133-0057.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Title: Monthly Board Meeting Minutes.

Description: The Federal Credit Union (FCU) Act and the standard FCU bylaws require FCUs to maintain minutes of its board and member meetings.

Respondents: Federal Credit Unions.

Estimated No. of Respondents/Recordkeepers: 6,888.

Estimated Burden Hours Per Response: 3.25 hours.

Frequency of Response: 13 meetings per year @ 15 minutes per meeting.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 22,386.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: N/A.

OMB Number: 3133-0081.

By the National Credit Union Administration Board on March 9, 1999.

Becky Baker,
Secretary of the Board.

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PENSION BENEFIT GUARANTY CORPORATION

Interest Assumption for Determining Variable-Rate Premium; Interest Assumptions for Multiemployer Plan Valuations Following Mass Withdrawal

AGENCY: Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation.

ACTION: Notice of interest rates and assumptions.

SUMMARY: This notice informs the public of the interest rates and assumptions to be used under certain Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation regulations. These rates and assumptions are published elsewhere (or are derivable from rates published elsewhere), but are collected and published in this notice for the convenience of the public.

DATES: The interest rate for determining the variable-rate premium under part 4006 applies to premium payment years beginning in March 1999. The interest assumptions for performing multiemployer plan valuations following mass withdrawal under part 4281 apply to valuation dates occurring in April 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Harold J. Ashner, Assistant General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, 1200 K Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005, 202-326-4024. (For TTY/TDD users, call the Federal relay service toll-free at 1-800-877-8339 and ask to be connected to 202-326-4024.)

Supplementary Information:

Variable-Rate Premiums

Section 4006(a)(3)(E)(iii)(I) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and § 4006.4(b)(1) of the PBGC's regulation on Premium Rates (29 CFR part 4006) prescribe use of an assumed interest rate in determining a single-employer plan's variable-rate premium. The rate is the “applicable percentage” (currently 85 percent) of the annual yield on 30-year Treasury securities for the month preceding the beginning of the plan year for which premiums are being paid (the “premium payment year”). The yield figure is reported in Federal Reserve Statistical Releases G.13 and H.15.
The assumed interest rate to be used in determining variable-rate premiums for premium payment years beginning in March 1999 is 4.56 percent (i.e., 85 percent of the 5.37 percent yield figure for February 1999).

The following table lists the assumed interest rates to be used in determining variable-rate premiums for premium payment years beginning between April 1998 and March 1999.

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Multiemployer Plan Valuations Following Mass Withdrawal

The PBGC’s regulation on Duties of Plan Sponsor Following Mass Withdrawal (29 CFR part 4281) prescribes the use of interest assumptions under the PBGC’s regulation on Allocation of Assets in Single-employer Plans (29 CFR part 4044). The interest assumptions applicable to valuation dates in April 1999 under part 4044 are contained in an amendment to part 4044 published elsewhere in today’s Federal Register. Tables showing the assumptions applicable to prior periods are codified in appendix B to 29 CFR part 4044.

Issued in Washington, DC, on this 8th day of March, 1999.

David M. Strauss,
Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation.
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
[File No. 1–11900]

Issuer Delisting; Notice of Application To Withdraw From Listing and Registration (Integrated Security Systems, Inc., Common Stock, $.01 Par Value)

March 8, 1999.

Integrated Security Systems, Inc. ("Company") has filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to Section 12(d) of the Security Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") and Rule 12d2–2(d) promulgated thereunder, to withdraw the above specified security ("Security") from listing and registration on the Boston Stock Exchange, Inc. ("BSE" or "Exchange").

The reasons cited in the application for withdrawing the Security from listing and registration include the following:

The Security of the Company has been listed for trading on the BSE and the Nasdaq Stock Market ("Nasdaq"). The Company has complied with the rules of the BSE by filing with the Exchange a certified copy of the resolution adopted by the Company’s Board of Directors authorizing the withdrawal of its Security from listing on the BSE and by setting forth the reasons for the proposed withdrawal. In making the decision to withdraw its Security from listing on the BSE, the Company considered the direct and indirect costs and expenses attendant upon continuing dual listing of the Company’s Security on the BSE and the Nasdaq Stock Market. The Company does not see any particular advantage in the dual trading of its Security.

The Exchange has informed the Company that it has no objection to the withdrawal of the Company’s Security from listing on the BSE.

The Company’s application relates solely to the withdrawal from listing of the Security from the BSE and shall have no effect upon the continued listing of the Security on the Nasdaq.

Any interested person may, on or before March 29, 1999, submit by letter to the Secretary of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549, facts bearing upon whether the application has been made in accordance with the rules of the Exchange and what terms, if any, should be imposed by the Commission for the protection of investors. The Commission, based on the information submitted to it, will issue an order granting the application after the date mentioned above, unless the Commission determines to order a hearing on the matter.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.

Margaret H. McFarland,
Deputy Secretary
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION


Self-Regulatory Organizations; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change by the Pacific Exchange, Inc. to Define OptiMark Profile and Order Types

March 5, 1999.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") 1 and Rule 19b–4 thereunder, notice is hereby given that on January 22, 1999, the Pacific Exchange, Inc. ("PCX" or "Exchange") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I, II, and III below, which Items have been prepared by the Exchange. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rule change from interested persons.

I. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rule Change

The Exchange is proposing to adopt new rules to distinguish between two types of principal profiles (i.e., "principal exempt" and "principal non-exempt") that may be entered into the OptiMark System ("OptiMark") and to distinguish between four categories of order types for purposes of time priority under the PCX rules on OptiMark.

The text of the proposed rule change is available at the Office of the Secretary, PCX and at the Commission.

II. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

In its filing with the Commission, the Exchange included statements concerning the purpose of and basis for the proposed rule change and discussed any comments it received on the proposed rule change. The text of these statements may be examined at the places specified in Item IV below. The Exchange has prepared summaries, set forth in Sections A, B, and C below, of the most significant aspects of such statements.