

12d2-2(d) promulgated thereunder, to withdraw the above specified security ("Security") from listing and registration on the American Stock Exchange, Inc. ("Amex").

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

According to the Company, in addition to being listed on the Amex, the Security is listed on the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. ("NYSE"). The Security commenced trading on the NYSE at the opening of business on December 29, 1994 and concurrently therewith the Security was suspended from trading on the Amex.

According to the Company, the Board of Directors has determined that it does not find any particular advantage in the dual trading of the Security and believes that dual listing would fragment the market for the Security and result in a potentially negative effect upon investors. In making the decision to withdraw the Security from listing on the Amex, the Company also considered the direct and indirect costs and expenses attendant in maintaining the dual listing of its Security on the NYSE and the Amex. These costs include: (1) Listing and maintenance fees charged by each exchange for shares of the Security currently listed and shares that may be issued by the Company in the future, (ii) legal and other expenses that would arise as a result of duplication of filing documents with both the NYSE and the Amex whenever the Company makes any filing with the Commission, and (iii) other expenses relating to duplication of recordkeeping and reporting requirements that would arise from dual listing. The Board of Directors has determined that, in light of its finding that there is no particular advantage in dual trading of the Security, the expenses associated with dual listing would be excessive.

Any interested person may, on or before February 23, 1995, 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 Amex 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.

**Jonathan G. Katz,**

*Secretary.*

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## SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

### Minneapolis/St. Paul Advisory Council Meeting

The U.S. Small Business Administration Minneapolis/St. Paul District Advisory Council will hold a public meeting on Friday, March 31, 1995 at 12:00 noon, at the Decathlon Athletic Club, 1700 East 79th Street, Bloomington, Minnesota, to discuss such matters as may be presented by members, staff of the U.S. Small Business Administration, or others present.

For further information, write or call Mr. Edward A. Daum, Director, U.S. Small Business Administration, 610-Butler Square, 100 North Sixth Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403, (612) 370-2306.

Dated: January 31, 1995.

**Dorothy A. Overal,**

*Director, Office of Advisory Council.*

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### Stratford Capital Partners, L.P.; Notice of Application for Transfer of Ownership

Notice is hereby given that an amendment application has been filed with the Small Business Administration pursuant to § 107.601 of Regulations governing small business investment companies (13 CFR 107.601 (1994)) for a transfer of ownership of Stratford Capital Group, Inc., 200 Crescent Court, Suite 1650, Dallas, Texas 75201 under the provisions of the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, as amended (the Act), (15 U.S.C. 661 et. seq.) and the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder.

The present 100% shareholder, Life Partners Group, plans to retain a \$5 million limited partnership interest in the Licensee, renamed Stratford Capital Partners, L.P. Additional commitments to invest up to \$40 million have been made by several new investors. The proposed new holders of more than 10% of the limited partnership interests are as follows: Hicks, Muse, Tate & Furst Equity Fund II, L.P., DLJ Fund

Investment Partners, L.P., and Life Partners Group.

Matters involved in SBA's consideration of the application include the business reputation and character of the proposed owners and management, and the probability of successful operations of the new company under their management, including profitability and financial soundness in accordance with the Act and Regulations.

Notice is further given that any person may, not later than 15 days from the date of publication of this notice, submit written comments on the proposed transfer of ownership to the Associate Administrator for Investment, Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, SW., Washington, DC 20416.

A copy of the Notice will be published in a newspaper of general circulation in Dallas, Texas.

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Dated: January 31, 1995.

**Robert D. Stillman,**

*Associate Administrator for Investment.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Coast Guard

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### Houston/Galveston Navigation Safety Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DOT.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Houston/Galveston Navigation Safety Advisory Committee (HOGANSAC) will meet to discuss various navigation safety matters affecting the Houston/Galveston area. The meeting will be open to the public.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held from 9 a.m. to approximately 1 p.m. on Thursday, March 23, 1995.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held in the conference room of the Houston Pilots Office, 8150 South Loop East, Houston, Texas.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** LTJG D. E. Rowlett, Recording Secretary, Commander, Eighth Coast Guard District (oan), Room 1211, Hale Boogs Federal Building, 501 Magazine Street, New Orleans, LA 70130-3396, telephone (504) 589-6235.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice of this meeting is given pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5