

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Sellers of qualified anti-terrorism technology. Abstract: The Application Form for Transfer of Designation will be used by Sellers to notify the Under Secretary for Science and Technology of the Department of Homeland Security of a transfer of Designation.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 250 to 500 applicants annually, 15 to 30 minutes per application.

(6) *An estimate of the annual total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 250 hours.

(d) Collection of Information Form No. DHS-S&T-I-SAFETY-004.

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* New Collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Notice of License of Qualified Anti-Terrorism Technology.

(3) *Agency form numbers and applicable component sponsoring the collection:* Form Number: DHS-S&T-I-SAFETY-004, Directorate of Science and Technology, Department of Homeland Security.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Sellers of qualified anti-terrorism technology. Abstract: The Notice of License of Qualified Anti-Terrorism Technology.

Application Form for Transfer of Designation will be used by Sellers to notify the Under Secretary for Science and Technology of the Department of Homeland Security of its license of the right to manufacture, use or sell Designated technology.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 250 to 500 applicants annually; fifteen to thirty minutes per application.

(6) *An estimate of the annual total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 250 hours.

(e) Collection of Information Form No. DHS-S&T-I-SAFETY-005.

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* New Collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Notice of License of Approved Technology.

(3) *Agency form numbers and applicable component sponsoring the collection:* Form Number: DHS-S&T-I-SAFETY-005, Directorate of Science and Technology, Department of Homeland Security.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief*

abstract: Primary: Sellers of approved anti-terrorism technology. Abstract: The Form for Notice of License of Approved Anti-Terrorism Technology will be used by Sellers to notify the Under Secretary for Science and Technology of the Department of Homeland Security of the right to manufacture and sell approved technology.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 250 to 500 applicants annually; fifteen to thirty minutes per application.

(6) *An estimate of the annual total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 250 hours.

(f) Collection of Information Form No. DHS-S&T-I-SAFETY-006.

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* New Collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Application for Modification of Designation.

(3) *Agency form numbers and applicable component sponsoring the collection:* Form Number: DHS-S&T-I-SAFETY-006, Directorate of Science and Technology, Department of Homeland Security.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Sellers of qualified anti-terrorism technology. Abstract: The Application Form for Modification of Designation will be used by Sellers to apply to the Under Secretary for Science and Technology of the Department of Homeland Security for approval of modification of a designation of Qualified Anti-Terrorism Technology.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 250 applicants annually; 10 to 20 hours per application.

(6) *An estimate of the annual total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 5,000 hours.

(g) Collection of Information Form No. DHS-S&T-I-SAFETY-007.

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* New Collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Application for Renewal of Certification of an Approved Product for Homeland Security.

(3) *Agency form numbers and applicable component sponsoring the collection:* Form Number: DHS-S&T-I-SAFETY-007, Directorate of Science and Technology, Department of Homeland Security.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Sellers of qualified anti-terrorism technology. Abstract: The Application Form for Renewal of

Certification of an Approved Product for Homeland Security will be used by Sellers to request renewal of Certification of an approved product for Homeland Security to the Under Secretary for Science and Technology of the Department of Homeland Security.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 250 to 500 applicants annually; fifteen to thirty minutes per application.

(6) *An estimate of the annual total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 250 hours.

(h) *Additional Information:* If additional information is required on any of these forms, contact: Directorate of Science and Technology, SAFETY Act/room 4320, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20528.

(i) *Submission of Comments on the Collection of Information:* If you submit comments on the collection of information, submit them both to OMB and to the Docket Management Facility where indicated under addresses, by the date under Dates.

(j) *Valid OMB Control Document:* You need not respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control document from OMB.

Regulatory Flexibility Act

The Regulatory Flexibility Act requires the Department to determine whether this interim rulemaking will have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. Although we expect that many of the applicants for SAFETY Act protection are likely to meet the Small Business Administration's criteria for being a small entity, we do not believe this interim rulemaking will impose a significant financial impact on them. In fact, we believe this interim rule will be a benefit to technology development businesses, especially small businesses, by presenting them with an attractive, voluntary option of pursuing a potentially profitable investment by reducing the amount of risk and uncertainty of lawsuits associated with developing anti-terrorist technology. The requirements of this interim rulemaking will only be imposed on such businesses that *voluntarily* seek the liability protection of the SAFETY Act. If a company does not request that protection, the company will bear no cost.

To the extent that demand for insurance falls, however, insurers may be adversely impacted by this interim rule. The Department believes that