

WEEEEKLY HOLDS UPDATE
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HIGHLIGHTS:

- **OIP Workshop on implementation of SCR 1409(2002) attended by some 250 participants**
- **New information on revised procedures made available at OIP web site**
- **New holds top releases ten to one**

1. IMPLEMENTATION OF SCR 1409(2002): OIP Workshop on Implementation of Resolution 1409 (2002), organized by the Contracts Processing and monitoring Division (CPMD), took place in New York on 24 June 20002. The Workshop was attended by some 250 participants to include representatives of permanent and observer missions, governmental officials, businesses communities, UN agencies and programmes, UNOHCI, Cotecna, and the UN Secretariat staff, to include OIP, UN Treasury, UNMOVIC and IAEA. At the same time, additional information, to include **Compendium of Procedures, Reconsideration Procedures, Processing Chart/Diagram and Glossary**, have been made available at OIP web site (www.un.org/Depts/oip) in addition to previously posted information (new Application Form, Guidelines for Completion of Application, Reasons for Non-Registration, Minimizing Delays in Approval, the latter including technical information requirements). A full set of information relating to implementation of resolution 1409 is now available on the web site.

2. The level of holds stands at **\$5,245.3 million** this week. The grand total is higher by some \$78 million in comparison to the previous week's total of \$5,167.4 million.

3. The total number of 59% account applications on hold is 2,147 (**to include 1,469 humanitarian and 678 oil spare parts applications**) or 28 more than 2,119 last week. The relative value of holds is slightly higher than the last week's with **17.9 per cent** of the total value circulated to the Committee and **13.3 per cent** of the value circulated to the Committee AND approved by OIP based on pre-approved lists was (17.7 and 13.2 respectively during the previous week).

4. GENERAL TRENDS: A spike in the level of holds recorder this week is probably one of the last ones before the holds start being re-processed under paragraph 18 of the new revised procedures adopted under resolution 1409(2002). The increase was due to a number of new holds with very few releases (10:1 ratio in both number of applications and the value. However, the focus will soon switch from holds (expected to decrease) to GRL items and denial/rejection or approval by the 661 Committee.

5. Only **3 applications worth \$8.07 million** were released last week. The releases included:

802422(E)	\$3.25M	FM Radio Transmitters	
802423(E)	\$2.3M	TV Transmitters	
902031(A)	\$2.53M	Water Tankers	as per A1

6. Total of **37 applications worth \$83.1 million** was placed on hold during the last week. The new holds, *inter alia*, included:

1001204(WS)	\$10.01M	Water Tr. Plant	1051, various specs
1001986(H)	\$ 9.9M	Cement Plant	Various specs
930568(O)	\$ 6.9M	Eq. for LPG plant	Various specs
1101192(A)	\$ 6.1M	Pipes/pumps	Specs on valves, pumps
1101203(A)	\$ 3.6M	Drag Line Excavators	Specs
1101200(A)	\$ 3.36M	Tractor parts	Specs on 1 valve
1101125(A)	\$ 3.22M	Nissan Patrol	Detailed EU/EU, why 4WD
1101157(A)	\$ 2.64M	Pesticides	WMD DU, specs
1101247(WS)	\$ 2.54M	Pipes/pumps	Specs on pumps
902038(WS)	\$ 2.17M	Waste Water Tr.Eq.	Specs on pumps, valves
902038(WS)	\$ 2.15M	Waste Water Tr.Eq.	Specs on pumps, valves
930678(O)	\$ 2.06M	Dehydration Unit	Specs
1101188(L)	\$ 1.9M	Circuit Breakers	Specs
1101238(Q)	\$ 1.9M	Machines	Pending Further Evaluation
1002115(E)	\$ 1.62M	Spectroscopes	1051, WMD "dual use"
1101196(A)	\$ 1.53M	Tractor Parts	Specs on pumps, valves