

## Bureau of Political-Military Affairs

[Public Notice 1795]

Suspension of Munitions Export  
Licenses to Zaire

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Public notice.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that all licenses and other approvals to export or otherwise transfer defense articles or defense services to Zaire are suspended until further notice pursuant to Sections 2, 38 and 42 of the Arms Export Control Act.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** April 29, 1993.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** David Shapiro, Office of Defense Trade Policy, Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, U.S. Department of State (202-647-4231).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Effective immediately, it is the policy of the U.S. Government to deny all applications for licenses and other approvals to export or otherwise transfer defense articles and defense services to Zaire. In addition, U.S. manufacturers and exporters and any other affected parties are hereby notified that the Department of State has suspended all previously issued licenses and approvals authorizing the export or other transfer of defense articles or defense services to Zaire. This action has been taken in view of the violence and death fueled by the actions of the regime of President Mobutu.

The licenses and approvals that have been suspended include any manufacturing licenses, technical assistance agreements, technical data, and commercial military exports of any kind subject to the Arms Export Control Act involving Zaire. This action also precludes the use in connection with Zaire of any exemptions from licensing or other approval requirements included in the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR) (22 CFR parts 120-130).

This action has been taken pursuant to Sections 2, 38 and 42 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2752, 2778, and 2791) and § 126.7 of the ITAR in furtherance of the foreign policy of the United States.

In accordance with §§ 126.3 and 126.7 of the ITAR, affected persons desiring review of this decision with regard to a particular export may petition the Director, Office of Defense Trade Controls. Exceptions to this policy will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Dated: April 19, 1993.

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Military Affairs, Department of State.

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