EXHIBIT NO 1A

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD WASHINGTON, D.C.

ORDER OF HEARING

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD WASHINGTON D.C.

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In the Matter of the Investigation of * TWA Flight 800, N931 19, B-747-131 * near East Moriches, New York * Tuly 17, 1996 * ***** ****************************	Docket No.: SA-516

ORDER OF HEARING

A public hearing is hereby ordered by the National Transportation Safety Board in connection with the above matter at a time and place to be determined by the Hearing Officer who will be hereafter designated. .

Dated this _____ day of TVLy____1997.

FOR THE BOARD

Chairman