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#### General Information

The attention of interested persons is directed to the following:

(1) The fact that a transaction is the subject of an exemption under section 408(a) of the Act and/or section 4975(c)(2) of the Code does not relieve a fiduciary or other party in interest of disqualified person from certain other provisions of the Act and/or the Code, including any prohibited transaction provisions to which the exemption does not apply and the general fiduciary responsibility provisions of section 404 of the Act, which among other things require a fiduciary to discharge his duties respecting the plan solely in the interest of the participants and beneficiaries of the plan and in a prudent fashion in accordance with section 404(a)(1)(b) of the act; nor does it affect the requirement of section 401(a) of the Code that the plan must operate for the exclusive benefit of the employees of the employer maintaining the plan and their beneficiaries;

(2) Before an exemption may be granted under section 408(a) of the Act and/or section 4975(c)(2) of the Code, the Department must find that the exemption is administratively feasible, in the interests of the plan and of its participants and beneficiaries and protective of the rights of participants and beneficiaries of the plan;

(3) The proposed exemptions, if granted, will be supplemental to, and not in derogation of, any other provisions of the Act and/or the Code, including statutory or administrative exemptions and transitional rules. Furthermore, the fact that a transaction is subject to an administrative or statutory exemption is not dispositive of whether the transaction is in fact a prohibited transaction; and

(4) The proposed exemptions, if granted, will be subject to the express condition that the material facts and representations contained in each application are true and complete, and that each application accurately describes all material terms of the transaction which is the subject of the exemption.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 1st day of November, 1996.

Ivan Strasfeld,

*Director of Exemption Determinations,  
Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration,  
U.S. Department of Labor.*

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#### NATIONAL EDUCATION GOALS PANEL

##### Meeting

**AGENCY:** National Education Goals Panel.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice sets forth the date and location of a forthcoming meeting of the National Education Goals Panel. This notice also describes the functions of the Panel.

**DATE AND TIME:** Tuesday, November 19, 1996 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

**ADDRESS:** Hyatt Regency Washington on Capitol Hill, 400 New Jersey Avenue, NW, Columbia Ballroom B, Washington, DC 20001.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ken Nelson, Executive Director, 1255 22nd Street, NW, Suite 502, Washington, DC 20037. Telephone: (202) 632-0952.

**SUMMARY:** The National Education Goals Panel was established to monitor, measure and report state and national progress toward achieving the eight National Education Goals, and report to the states and the Nation on that progress.

**AGENDA ITEMS:** The meeting of the Panel is open to the public. Agenda items include: 1) The release of the sixth annual report on state and national progress toward achievement of the National Education Goals; 2) Representatives from California and Ohio will discuss the controversies they have encountered as they developed high academic standards and assessments systems; 3) An overview of the different findings that will be released during the next few months by the Third Mathematical and Science Study (TIMSS); 4) A presentation of the TIMSS' findings on curriculum frameworks and textbooks; and 5) passing the gavel to the next chair of the Panel.

Dated: October 31, 1996.

Ken Nelson,

*Executive Director, National Education Goals Panel.*

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#### NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

##### Special Emphasis Panel in Astronomical Sciences (1186); Notice of Meetings

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science

Foundation announces that the Special Emphasis Panel in Astronomical Sciences (1186) will be holding panel meetings for the purpose of reviewing proposals submitted to the Advanced Technologies and Instrumentation Program in the area of Astronomical Sciences. In order to review the large volume of proposals, panel meetings will be held on November 26 (2). All meetings will be closed to the public and will be held at the National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia, from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM each day.

**Contact Person:** Dr. Benjamin B. Snavely, Program Director, Advanced Technologies and Instrumentation, Division of Astronomical Sciences, National Science Foundation, Room 1045, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, (703) 306-1828.

**Reason for Closing:** The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information, financial data such as salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: November 1, 1996.

M. Rebecca Winkler,

*Committee Management Officer.*

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##### Special Emphasis Panel in Design, Manufacture, and Industrial Innovation; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

**Name:** Special Emphasis Panel in Design, Manufacture, and Industrial Innovation —(1194).

**Date and Time:** November 25, 1996, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

**Place:** Rooms 310, 320, 330, 340, 360, 365, 370, 380, 390, and 530, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

**Type of Meeting:** Closed.

**Contact Persons:** Dr. George A. Hazelrigg, Program Director, Design and Integration Program (703) 306-1330, Dr. Georgia-Ann Klutke, Program Director, (703) 306-1330, Operations Research and Production Systems Program, (703) 306-1330, Dr. Jay Lee, Program Director, Materials Processing and Manufacturing Program, (703) 306-1330, Dr. Ming Leu, Program Director, Manufacturing Machines and Equipment Program, (703) 306-1330, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to the NSF for financial support.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate unsolicited proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

*Reason for Closing:* The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information, financial data such as salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 USC 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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M. Rebecca Winkler,

*Committee Management Officer.*

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### Special Emphasis Panel in Information, Robotics and Intelligent Systems; Notice Of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting.

*Name:* Special Emphasis Panel in Information Robotics & Intelligent Systems (1200).

*Date and Time:* November 21-22, 1996, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

*Place:* Holiday Inn, 4610 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Maria Zemankova, Deputy Division Director, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1929.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate Knowledge Models and Cognitive Systems Program proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

*Reason for Closing:* The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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*Committee Management Officer.*

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### Special Emphasis Panel in Polar Programs; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science

Foundation announces the following meeting:

*Name and Committee Code:* Special Emphasis Panel in Polar Programs (#1209).

*Date and Time:* November 25 & 26, 1996: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm.

*Place:* Room 730 & 770, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Odile de la Beaujardiere, Program Director, Arctic Natural Sciences, Office of Polar Programs, Room 740, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1029.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate Arctic Natural Sciences Submarine proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

*Reason for Closing:* The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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M. Rebecca Winkler,

*Committee Management Officer.*

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### NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

#### Documents Containing Reporting or Recordkeeping Requirements; Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Review

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

**ACTION:** Notice of the OMB review of information collection.

**SUMMARY:** The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has recently submitted to OMB for review the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

1. Type of submission, new, revised, or extension: Revision.

2. The title of the information collection: Final amendments to 10 CFR 35.75, "Criteria for the Release of Individuals Administered Radioactive Material."

3. The form number if applicable: Not applicable.

4. How often is the collection required: On occasion; when the release of a patient is based on other than standard assumptions or requires interruption or discontinuation of

breast-feeding to meet the 5-millisievert (0.5-rem) dose limit.

5. Who will be required or asked to report: Medical licensees administering radiopharmaceuticals and permanent implants and releasing patients under the provisions of 10 CFR 35.75.

6. An estimate of the number of responses: Approximately 90,350 responses per year (includes 89,000 reports, i.e., written instructions, and 1,350 recordkeepers).

7. The estimated number of annual respondents: Approximately 1,350 NRC and Agreement State licensees.

8. An estimate of the number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request: 17,126 hours (includes NRC and Agreement State licensees).

9. The average annual burden per respondent: 13 hours.

10. An indication of whether Section 3504(h), Public Law 96-511 applies: Applicable.

11. Abstract: The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is amending the criteria for release of individuals administered radioactive material under 10 CFR Part 35. The amendment requires the licensee to provide the patient with written instructions on how to maintain doses to other individuals as low as is reasonably achievable if the dose to an individual exposed to the patient is likely to exceed 0.1 rem. In those cases where the released individual may be a breast-feeding woman, the instructions must also include guidance on the interruption or discontinuation of breast-feeding and information on the consequences of failure to follow the guidance. The amendment also requires the licensee to maintain a record of the basis for the release if the release is authorized using other than standard assumptions or that instructions were provided to a breast-feeding woman if the dose to the child from continued breast feeding could result in a total effective dose equivalent exceeding 0.5 rem. These requirements are necessary to ensure adequate protection of the public health and safety and that doses to other individuals are maintained as low as reasonably achievable.

Submit, by December 6, 1996, comments that address the following questions:

1. Is the proposed collection of information necessary for the NRC to properly perform its functions? Does the information have practical utility?

2. Is the burden estimate accurate?

3. Is there a way to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected?