

the United Nations Committee on Fisheries (COFI) Meeting in February 1999. The United States has committed itself to completing the NPOA-Seabirds and reporting to COFI no later than 2001.

A previous **Federal Register** notice dated December 29, 1999 (64 FR 73017) provided notice of the availability of a draft NPOA-Seabirds and stated that public comment on this draft would be accepted until January 18, 2000. This notice extends the period of public comment to February 7, 2000.

Dated: January 27, 2000.

Bruce C. Morehead,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Technology Administration

National Medal of Technology Nomination Evaluation Committee (NMTNEC)

AGENCY: Technology Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Recruitment for Additional Members for NMTNEC.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, Technology Administration (TA), requests nominations of individuals for appointment to the National Medal of Technology Nomination Evaluation Committee (NMTNEC). The Committee provides advice to the Secretary on the implementation of Public Law 96-480 (15 U.S.C. 3711) under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. app. 2. Public Law 105-309; 15 U.S.C. 3711, Section 10, approved by the 105th Congress in 1998, added the National Technology Medal for Environmental Technology. The terms of several current members have expired and the period of nominations will identify their replacement.

DATES: Please submit nominations on or before February 17, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Submit nominations to the National Medal of Technology Program Office, Technology Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW, Room 4226, Washington, DC 20230. Materials may be faxed to 202-501-8153.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Stanley Dapkunas, Acting Director, 202-482-5572.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Medal of Technology was

rechartered on December 8, 1999 for a period of two years to provide advice to the Secretary on the implementation of Public Law 96-480 (15 U.S.C. 3711) under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. app. 2. The National Medal of Technology Nomination Evaluation Committee (NMTNEC) serves as an advisory body to the Under Secretary of Technology in his capacity as Chair of the Steering committee, which reports directory to the Secretary of Commerce. Members are responsible for reviewing nominations and making recommendations for the nation's highest honor for technological innovation, awarded annually by the President of the United States. Members of the NMTNEC have an understanding of, and experience in, developing and utilizing technological innovation and/or they are familiar with the education, training, employment and management of technological human resources.

Under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, membership in a committee constituted under the Act must be balanced. To achieve balance, the Department is seeking additional nominations of candidates from small, medium-sized, and large businesses or with special expertise in the following subsectors of the technology enterprise;

- (1) Infrastructure & Transportation/Telecommunications;
- (2) Biomedical/Pharmaceutical/Health;
- (3) Human Resources/Education; and
- (4) Other (including manufacturing, process, environmental technology, transportation).

Typically, committee members are present or former Chief Executive Officers or other senior leaders of corporations; presidents or distinguished faculty of universities; or senior executives of non-profit organizations. They offer stature by virtue of their positions and also possess first-hand knowledge of the forces driving future directions for their industries or fields of expertise. The Committee as a whole is balanced in representing geographical, professional, and diversity interests. Nominees must be U.S. citizens, must be able to fully participate in meetings pertaining to the review and selection of finalists for the National Medal of Technology, and must uphold the confidential nature of an independent peer review and competitive selection process.

The Department of Commerce is committed to equal opportunity in the workplace and seeks a broad-based and diverse NMTNEC membership.

Dated: January 27, 2000.

Gary Bachula,

Acting Under Secretary of Commerce for Technology.

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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY: U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission.

"FEDERAL REGISTER" CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT: Vol. 65, No. 13, Thursday, January 20, 2000, page 3208.

PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TIME AND DATE OF MEETING: 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 26, 2000.

CHANGES IN MEETING: The closed Commission briefing on the Compliance Status Report was not held due to the agency closing because of a weather emergency. The meeting has been rescheduled for Thursday, February 3, 2000 at 10:00 a.m.

For a recorded message containing the latest agenda information, call (301) 504-0709.

CONTACT PERSON FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Sadye E. Dunn, Office of the Secretary, 4330 East West Highway, Bethesda, MD 20207, (301) 504-0800.

Dated: January 31, 2000.

Sadye E. Dunn,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Conference Meeting of the Overseas Dependents' Schools National Advisory Panel (NAP) on the Education of Dependents with Disabilities

AGENCY: Department of Defense Education Activity.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Public Law 92-463, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the NAP is scheduled to be held April 18-20, 2000, from 8 am to 4 pm. The meeting will be open to the public and will be held at the Department of Defense Education Activity, 4040 North Fairfax Drive, Room 904, Arlington, Virginia 22203-1635. The purposes of the meeting are to: (1) Review the proposed revision of Department of Defense Instruction

1342.12, "Provision of Early Intervention and Special Education Services to Eligible DoD Dependents in Overseas Areas, dated March 13, 1996; (2) review activities and plans for the Comprehensive System of Personnel Development that encompasses activities that build the skills of personnel who work with children with special needs and their families; and (3) review the summer 1999, Austim Summit Report. Persons desiring to attend the meeting, to make oral presentations, or to submit written statements for consideration by the panel must contact Ms. Diana Patton by April 1 at (703) 696-4492, extension 1947, or at her email address, dpatton@hq.ododedodea.edu.

January 25, 2000.

L.M. Bynum,

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, DoD.

ACTION: Notice to add a system of records.

SUMMARY: The Office of the Secretary proposes to add a system of records notice to its existing inventory of record systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended. The addition consolidates two existing systems of records (DHA 01, Medical Malpractice Claims Data File and DHA 02, Adverse Clinical Privilege Actions Data File) in to DHA 09, Medical Credentials/Risk Management Analysis System (CCQAS).

DATES: This proposed action will be effective without further notice on March 3, 2000, unless comments are received which result in a contrary determination.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to OSD Privacy Act Coordinator, Records Section, Directives and Records Division, Washington Headquarter Services, Correspondence and Directives, 1155 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1155.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. David Bosworth at (703) 588-0159.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Office of the Secretary systems of records notices subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, have

been published in the **Federal Register** and are available from the address above.

The proposed system report, as required by 5 U.S.C. 552a(r) of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, was submitted on January 5, 2000, to the House Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs, and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) pursuant to paragraph 4c of Appendix I to OMB Circular No. A-130, 'Federal Agency Responsibilities for Maintaining Records About Individuals,' dated February 8, 1996 (February 20, 1996, 61 FR 6427).

Dated: January 27, 2000.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

DELETIONS DHA 01

SYSTEM NAME:

Medical Malpractice Claims Data File (February 22, 1993, 58 FR 10227).

Reason: The records contained in this notice have moved to DHA 09, Medical Credentials/Risk Management Analysis System (CCQAS).

DHA 02

SYSTEM NAME:

Adverse Clinical Privilege Actions Data File (February 22, 1993, 58 FR 10227).

Reason: The records contained in this notice have moved to DHA 09, Medical Credentials/Risk Management Analysis System (CCQAS).

ADDITION DHA 09

SYSTEM NAME:

Medical Credentials/Risk Management Analysis System (CCQAS).

SYSTEM LOCATION:

Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, Department of Legal Medicine, 8403 Colesville Road, Suite 860, Silver Spring, MD 20910-9813.

CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

The credentials and privileges component of the Centralized Credentials Quality Assurance System (CCQAS) includes all DoD Medical Treatment Facility (MTF) health care providers. The medical malpractice risk management component includes those health care providers who have been involved with medical malpractice cases. The adverse privilege actions component includes DoD health care providers who have been the subject of

adverse privilege actions with the military health system. Health care beneficiaries whose medical treatment is the basis for medical malpractice or adverse privileging action.

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

The credentials and privileges component of CCQAS consists of personal identifier information of all DoD health care providers. Additional provider information includes demographic data, licensure data, education and graduate medical education information, specialty information, certification information and medical readiness data. The malpractice component relates to medical malpractice claims recorded against the Department of Defense. Record fields consist of provider information, allegation-related information, diagnosis and procedure information, dates of incident, filing and closure, injury information, Social Security Numbers of military sponsors of malpractice claimants, and professional review assessments. Adverse privilege action fields include provider information, the type of reasons for actions, and relevant dates. Subject records are 'medical quality assurance records' if produced or compiled by the Department of Defense incident to an activity to assess the quality of medical care, including activities conducted by individuals, military medical or dental treatment facility committees, or other review bodies responsible for greatly assurance, credentials, infection control, patient care assessment (including treatment procedures, blood, drugs, and therapeutics), medical records, health resources management review and identification and prevention of medical or dental incidents and risks.

AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:

42 U.S.C. 11131-11152 (Pub.L. 99-660, Health Care Quality Improvement Act of 1986); 10 U.S.C. 1102; DoD Directive 6025.14, DoD Participation in the National Practitioner Data Bank; and E.O. 9397 (SSN).

PURPOSE(S):

The system collects and manages malpractice and adverse privilege actions claims data provided by the military services.

Data are also used to manage credentials and privileges of health care providers in the Military Health System, and to conduct trend analysis on provider and malpractice data in keeping with DoD Medical Quality Assurance programs. Data from this system is use to report DoD adverse