

principal place of business in Elyria, Ohio. The fields of use may be limited to mining; farming; undersea exploration; seismic and environmental monitoring; heating, ventilating, and air-conditioning; chemical and petrochemical process control and process automation; water and wastewater processing; power transmission and power distribution; calibration and test equipment; semiconductor manufacturing; material manufacturing such as metallurgy, refractory processes, and steel, aluminum, copper, polymers, composites, and glass and ceramic production and processing; pharmaceutical production; and food and beverage production. The patent rights in these inventions as applicable have been assigned to the United States of America as represented by the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. The prospective exclusive license will comply with the terms and conditions of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7.

**DATES:** The prospective exclusive license may be granted unless, within fifteen (15) days from the date of this published notice, NASA receives written objections including evidence and argument that establish that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7. Competing applications completed and received by NASA within fifteen (15) days of the date of this published notice will also be treated as objections to the grant of the contemplated exclusive license.

Objections submitted in response to this notice will not be made available to the public for inspection and, to the extent permitted by law, will not be released under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552.

**ADDRESSES:** Objections relating to the prospective license may be submitted to Intellectual Property Counsel, Office of Chief Counsel, MS 21-14, NASA Glenn Research Center, 21000 Brookpark Rd, Cleveland, OH 44135. Phone (216) 433-5754. Facsimile (216) 433-6790.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Kaprice Harris, Intellectual Property Counsel, Office of Chief Counsel, MS 21-14, NASA Glenn Research Center, 21000 Brookpark Rd, Cleveland, OH 44135. Phone (216) 433-5754. Facsimile (216) 433-6790. Information about other NASA inventions available for licensing

can be found online at <http://techtracs.nasa.gov/>.

**Richard W. Sherman,**  
Deputy General Counsel.  
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## NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

### Sunshine Act Meeting

**TIME AND DATE:** 10 a.m., Thursday, March 15, 2012.

**PLACE:** Board Room, 7th Floor, Room 7047, 1775 Duke Street (All visitors must use Diagonal Road Entrance), Alexandria, VA 22314-3428.

**STATUS:** Open.

#### MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Final Rule—Parts 701, 760 and 790 of NCUA's Rules and Regulations, Technical Amendments.
2. NCUA's Diversity and Inclusion Strategic Plan.
3. Quarterly Insurance Fund Report.

**RECESS:** 10:45 a.m.

**TIME AND DATE:** 11 a.m., Thursday, March 15, 2012.

**PLACE:** Board Room, 7th Floor, Room 7047, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-3428.

**STATUS:** Closed.

#### MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Creditor Claim Appeal. Closed pursuant to exemptions (6) and (8).
2. Consideration of Supervisory Activities. Closed pursuant to exemptions (8), (9)(i)(B) and 9(ii).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mary Rupp, Secretary of the Board, Telephone: 703-518-6304.

**Mary Rupp,**  
Board Secretary.

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## NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

### Public Availability of the National Endowment for the Humanities FY 2011 Service Contract Inventory

**AGENCY:** National Endowment for the Humanities.

**ACTION:** Notice of public availability of FY 2011 service contract inventory.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with Section 743 of Division C of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2010 (Pub. L. 111-117), the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) is publishing this

notice to advise the public of the availability of the FY 2011 Service Contract Inventory. This inventory provides information on service contract actions over \$25,000 that were made in FY 2011. The information is organized by function to show how contracted resources are distributed throughout the agency. The inventory has been developed in accordance with guidance issued on November 5, 2010 and December 19, 2011 by the Office of Management and Budget's Office of Federal Procurement Policy (OFPP). OFPP's guidance is available at <http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/procurement-service-contract-inventories>. NEH has posted its inventory and a summary of the inventory on the NEH homepage at the following link: <http://www.neh.gov/howweare/administrative.html>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Barry Maynes, Director, Administrative Services Office at 202-606-8233 or [bmaynes@neh.gov](mailto:bmaynes@neh.gov).

Dated: March 6, 2012.

**Michael P. McDonald,**  
General Counsel and Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Advisory Panel for Integrative Activities, #1373; 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:** Ad Hoc Advisory Committee on the Merit Review Process (MRPAC).

**Date/Time:** March 28, 2012; 12 p.m.-4 p.m., EDT.

**Place:** National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room I-360 Arlington, VA.

**Type of Meeting:** Open.

**Contact Person:** Ms. Victoria Fung, National Science Foundation 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA, 22230. Email: [vfung@nsf.gov](mailto:vfung@nsf.gov).

If you plan to attend the meeting, please send an email with your name and affiliation to the individual listed above, by the day before the meeting, so that a visitor badge can be prepared.

**Purpose of Meeting:** To provide advice concerning issues related to NSF's merit review process.

#### Agenda

- Welcome.
  - Update on outreach activities.
  - Discussion of potential pilots of enhancements to the merit review process.
- For latest details information, please check with this following link: <http://www.nsf.gov/>

[od/oa/additional\\_resources/AC-MeritReview/index.jsp](http://od/oa/additional_resources/AC-MeritReview/index.jsp).

Dated: March 7, 2012.

**Susanne Bolton,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Waste Regulation

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation.

**ACTION:** Correction to notice of permit modification request received under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978, Public Law 95-541.

**SUMMARY:** On March 5, 2012, the **Federal Register** published a notice from the National Science Foundation (NSF) regarding a permit modification request to transfer the permit from the incumbent support contractor, Raytheon Polar Services Company to Lockheed Martin Corporation.

**DATES:** The public notice period ends March 22, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments should be addressed to the Permit Office, Room 755, Office of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Polly A. Penhale, Environmental Officer, at the above address or (703) 292-8030.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** A notice of a permit modification request was published in the **Federal Register** on March 5, 2012. The Public Comment period was incorrectly identified as 30 days and this Notice corrects the period to 10 days. The permit holder's address for the Notice was incorrectly identified as: Lockheed Martin Corporation, Information Systems & Global Solutions (I&GS) Engineering Services Segment, 700 N. Frederick Avenue, Gaithersburg, MD 20879-3328. This Notice corrects the permit holder's address to: Lockheed Corporation, Information Systems & Global Solutions (I&GS) Engineering Services Segment, Ms. Celia Lang, Program Director, 7400 South Tucson Way, Centennial, CO 80112.

**Nadene G. Kennedy,**

*Permit Officer.*

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## OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

### Sunshine Act; Board of Directors Meeting, March 29, 2012

**TIME AND DATE:** Thursday, March 29, 2012, 10 a.m. (Open Portion) 10:15 a.m. (Closed Portion).

**PLACE:** Offices of the Corporation, Twelfth Floor Board Room, 1100 New York Avenue, NW., Washington, DC.

**STATUS:** Meeting open to the Public from 10 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Closed portion will commence at 10:15 a.m. (approx.).

#### MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. President's Report.
2. Confirmations:
  - Roberto R. Herencia as a member of the Board Audit Committee.
  - Allen Villabroza as Vice President & Chief Financial Officer.
3. Minutes of the Open Session of the December 8, 2011 Board of Directors Meeting.
- FURTHER MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** (Closed to the Public 10:15 a.m.):
  1. Finance Project—India.
  2. Finance Project—Global.
  3. Finance Project—Turkey.
  4. Insurance Project—Ghana.
  5. Minutes of the Closed Session of the December 8, 2011 Board of Directors Meeting.
  6. Reports.
  7. Pending Major Projects.

Written summaries of the projects to be presented will be posted on OPIC's Web site on or about March 9, 2012.

#### CONTACT PERSON FOR INFORMATION:

Information on the meeting may be obtained from Connie M. Downs at (202) 336-8438.

Dated: March 9, 2012.

**Connie M. Downs,**

*Corporate Secretary, Overseas Private Investment Corporation.*

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

*Upon Written Request, Copies Available From:* Securities and Exchange Commission, Office of Investor Education and Advocacy, Washington, DC 20549-0213.

#### Extension:

Rule 6c-7, SEC File No. 270-269, OMB Control No. 3235-0276.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995

(44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") is soliciting comments on the collection of information summarized below. The Commission plans to submit this existing collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget for extension and approval.

Rule 6c-7 (17 CFR 270.6c-7) under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-1 *et seq.*) ("1940 Act") provides exemption from certain provisions of Sections 22(e) and 27 of the 1940 Act for registered separate accounts offering variable annuity contracts to certain employees of Texas institutions of higher education participating in the Texas Optional Retirement Program. There are approximately 50 registrants governed by Rule 6c-7. The burden of compliance with Rule 6c-7, in connection with the registrants obtaining from a purchaser, prior to or at the time of purchase, a signed document acknowledging the restrictions on redeemability imposed by Texas law, is estimated to be approximately 3 minutes of professional time per response for each of approximately 2400 purchasers annually (at an estimated \$67 per hour),<sup>1</sup> for a total annual burden of 120 hours (at a total annual cost of \$8,040).

The estimate of average burden hours is made solely for the purposes of the Paperwork Reduction Act, and is not derived from a comprehensive or even a representative survey or study of the costs of Commission rules or forms. The Commission does not include in the estimate of average burden hours the time preparing registration statements and sales literature disclosure regarding the restrictions on redeemability imposed by Texas law. The estimate of burden hours for completing the relevant registration statements are reported on the separate PRA submissions for those statements. (See the separate PRA submissions for Form N-3 (17 CFR 274.11b) and Form N-4 (17 CFR 274.11c).)

The Commission requests written comments on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity

<sup>1</sup> \$67/hour figure for a Compliance Clerk is from SIFMA's Office Salaries in the Securities Industry 2010, modified by Commission staff to account for an 1800-hour work year and multiplied by 2.93 to account for bonuses, firm size, employee benefits and overhead.