

DEPARTMENT OF STATE**[Public Notice: 4423]****United States-Egypt Science and Technology Joint Board; Public Announcement of a Science and Technology Program for Competitive Grants To Support International, Collaborative Projects in Science and Technology Between U.S. and Egyptian Cooperators**

August 4, 2003.

AGENCY: U.S. Department of State.**ACTION:** Notice.**EFFECTIVE DATE:** August 4, 2003.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:**

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The 2003 Program Announcement, including proposal guidelines, will be available starting August 4, 2003 on the Joint Board Web site:

www.usembassy.egnet.net/usegypt/joint-st.htm.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Authority:

This program is established under 22 U.S.C. 2656d and the Agreement for Scientific and Technological Cooperation between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt. A solicitation for this program will begin August 4, 2003. This program will provide modest grants for successfully competitive proposals for binational collaborative projects and other activities submitted by U.S. and Egyptian experts. Projects must help the United States and Egypt utilize science and apply technology by providing opportunities to exchange ideas, information, skills, and techniques, and to collaborate on scientific and technological endeavors of mutual interest and benefit. Proposals which fully meet the submission requirements as outlined in the Program Announcement will receive peer reviews. Proposals considered for funding in Fiscal Year 2004 must be postmarked by November 4, 2003. All proposals will be considered; however, special consideration will be given to proposals that address priority areas defined/approved by the Joint Board. These include priorities in the areas of information technology, environmental technologies, biotechnology, energy, standards and metrology, and manufacturing technologies. More information on these priorities and

copies of the Program Announcement/Application may be obtained by request.

Dated: July 25, 2003.

Kay Anske,

Director, Office of Science and Technology Cooperation, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs and, Chair, U.S.—Egypt S&T Joint Board, Department of State.

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BILLING CODE 4710-09-P**DEPARTMENT OF STATE****[Public Notice: 4424]****United States-Egypt Science and Technology Joint Board; Public Announcement of a Science and Technology Program for Competitive Grants to Support Junior Scientist Development Visits by U.S. and Egyptian Scientists**

August 11, 2003.

AGENCY: Department of State.**ACTION:** Notice.**EFFECTIVE DATE:** August 11, 2003.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:**

Joan Mahoney, Program Administrator, U.S.—Egypt Science and Technology Grants Program, U.S. Embassy, Cairo/ECPO, Unit 64900, Box 6, APO AE 09839-4900; phone: 011-(20-2) 797-2925; fax: 011-(20-2) 797-3150; E-mail: mahoneyjm@state.gov

The 2003 Program guidelines for Junior Scientist Development visits will be available starting August 11, 2003 on the Joint Board web site: <http://www.usembassy.egnet.net/usegypt/joint-st.htm>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority: This program is established under 22 U.S.C. 2656d and the Agreement for Scientific and Technological Cooperation between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt.

A solicitation for this program will begin August 11, 2003. This program will provide modest grants for successfully competitive proposals for development visits by Junior American Scientists to Egypt; and Junior Egyptian Scientists to the United States.

Applicants must be scientists who have received their PhD within the past ten years or for U.S. applicants only may be currently enrolled in a PhD program. Proposals considered for funding must be postmarked by October 28, 2003. All proposals, which fully meet the submission requirements, will be considered; however, special consideration will be given to proposals in the areas of Biotechnology, Standards

and Metrology, Environmental Technologies, Energy, Manufacturing Technologies and Information Technology. More information on these priorities and copies of the Program Announcement/Application may be obtained upon request.

Dated: July 25, 2003.

Kay Anske,

Director, Office of Science and Technology Cooperation, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, and Chair, U.S.—Egypt S&T Joint Board, Department of State.

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BILLING CODE 4710-09-P**DEPARTMENT OF STATE****[Public Notice 4428]****Bureau of Nonproliferation; Imposition of Nonproliferation Measures on an Entity in China, Including a Ban on U.S. Government Procurement**

AGENCY: Bureau of Nonproliferation, Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Government has determined that a foreign entity has engaged in missile technology proliferation activities that require the imposition of measures pursuant to Executive Order 12938 of November 14, 1994, as amended by Executive Order 13094 of July 28, 1998.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 30, 2003.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

On general issues: Vann H. Van Diepen, Office of Chemical, Biological, and Missile Nonproliferation, Bureau of Nonproliferation, Department of State, (202-647-1142). On import ban issues: Rochelle Stern, Chief, Policy Planning and Program Management, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury, (202-622-2500). On U.S. Government procurement ban issues: Gladys Gines, Office of the Procurement Executive, Department of State, (703-516-1691).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to the authorities vested in the President by the Constitution and the laws of the United States of America, including the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 U.S.C. 1701 *et seq.*) (IEEPA), the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1601 *et seq.*), the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2751 *et seq.*), and section 301 of title 3, United States Code, and Executive Order 12938 of November 14, 1994, as amended, the U.S. Government determined on July 21, 2003, that the following Chinese person has engaged in proliferation activities