

establishment and maintenance of reserve stocks. While aggregate production quotas are of primary importance to large manufacturers, their impact upon small entities is neither negative nor beneficial. Accordingly, the Deputy Administrator has determined that this action does not require a regulatory flexibility analysis.

This action meets the applicable standards set forth in Sections 3(a) and 3(b)(2) of Executive Order 12988 Civil Justice Reform.

This action will not result in the expenditure by State, local, and tribal governments, in the aggregate, or by the private sector, of \$120,000,000 or more in any one year, and will not significantly or uniquely affect small governments. Therefore, no actions were deemed necessary under the provisions of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995.

This action is not a major rule as defined by Section 804 of the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996. This action will not result in an annual effect on the economy of \$100,000,000 or more; a major increase in costs or prices; or significant adverse effects on competition, employment, investment, productivity, innovation, or on the ability of United States-based companies to compete with foreign-based companies in domestic and export markets.

Dated: October 14, 2009.

Michele M. Leonhart,
Deputy Administrator.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (09-091)]

NASA Advisory Council; Meeting

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration announces a meeting of the National Space-Based Positioning, Navigation and Timing (PNT) Advisory Board.

DATES: Thursday, November 5, 2009, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Friday, November 6, 2009, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Hilton Old Town Alexandria, 1767 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314. *Metro Station:* King Street.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. James J. Miller, Space Operations Mission Directorate, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546. Phone 202-358-4417.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The agenda for the meeting includes updates from each of the three PNT Panels (Leadership; Strategic Engagement; and Communication, Future Challenges), including discussion and deliberation of potential recommendations. The PNT Advisory Board will address U.S. Government interests in the following areas:

- Implementation of the President's 2004 U.S. Space-Based Positioning, Navigation and Timing Policy.
- National Space-Based PNT Executive Committee, and National Space-Based PNT Coordination Office.
- Global Positioning System (GPS) Constellation and Modernization Plans.
- U.S. GPS Technological Leadership and Competitiveness.
- Promoting and Branding Current and Future PNT Capabilities to the U.S. and International Communities.
- Global Technical and Market Trends for PNT Services.
- Future Areas of Study.

The meeting will be open to the public up to the seating capacity of the room. It is imperative that the meeting be held on this date to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants.

P. Diane Rausch,

Advisory Committee Management Officer,
National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

Advisory Committee on the Electronic Records Archives

AGENCY: National Archives and Records Administration.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) announces a meeting of the Advisory Committee on the Electronic Records Archives (ACERA). The committee serves as a deliberative body to advise the Archivist of the United States, on technical, mission, and service issues related to the Electronic Records Archives (ERA).

This includes, but is not limited to, advising and making recommendations to the Archivist on issues related to the development, implementation and use of the ERA system.

DATES: November 4-5, 2009, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: 700 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. Washington, DC 20408-0001.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Agenda

- Opening Remarks;
- Approval of Minutes;
- Committee Updates;
- Activities Reports;
- Adjournment.

This meeting will be open to the public. However, due to space limitations and access procedures, the name and telephone number of individuals planning to attend must be submitted to the Electronic Records Archives Program at era.program@nara.gov. This meeting will be recorded for transcription purposes.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Martha Morphy, Assistant Archivist for Information Services, (301) 837-1992.

Dated: October 15, 2009.

Mary Ann Hadyka,

Committee Management Officer.

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National Labor Relations Board

Appointments of Individuals To Serve as Members of Performance Review Board

5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4) requires that appointments of individuals to serve as members of Performance Review Boards be published in the **Federal Register**. Therefore, in compliance with this requirement, notice is hereby given that the individuals whose names and position titles appear below have been appointed to serve as members of Performance Review Boards in the National Labor Relations Board for the rating year beginning October 1, 2008 and ending September 30, 2009.

Name and Title

William B Cowen, Solicitor;
Gloria J. Joseph, Director of Administration;
Barry J. Kearney, Associate General Counsel, Advice;
Gary W. Shinnners, Deputy Chief Counsel to Board Member;
Richard A. Siegel, Associate General Counsel, Operations Management;
Lafe E. Solomon, Director, Office of Representation Appeals;

John H. Ferguson, Associate General Counsel, Enforcement Litigation (Alternate);
Kathleen Nixon, Deputy Chief Counsel to Board Member (Alternate).

Washington, DC, by Direction of the Board.
Dated: October 15, 2009.

Lester A. Heltzer,

Executive Secretary.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of Intent To Seek Approval To Establish an Information Collection

AGENCY: National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Notice and Request for Comments.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is announcing plans to request clearance of this collection. In accordance with the requirement of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13), we are providing opportunity for public comment on this action. After obtaining and considering public comment, NSF will prepare the submission requesting that OMB approve clearance of this collection for no longer than 3 years.

Comments: Comments are invited on (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; or (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Written comments on this notice must be received by December 21, 2009 to be assured of consideration. Comments received after that date will be considered to the extent practicable.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR

COMMENTS: Contact Suzanne H. Plimpton, Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 295, Arlington, Virginia 22230; telephone (703) 292-7556; or send e-mail to splimpto@nsf.gov. You also may obtain

a copy of the data collection instrument and instructions from Ms. Plimpton.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title of Collection: Partnership for Innovation Program: Research and Technology Development Outcomes.

OMB Number: 3145-NEW.

Expiration Date of Approval: Not applicable.

Proposed Project: The proposed National Science Foundation Survey will collect data from a sample of about 443 companies that are partners on 84 PFI awards from 2003-2007 in order to examine research and technology development outcomes related to their participation on a PFI award.

Use of the Information: Analysis of these data is necessary to provide information to provide outcome evaluation and improvement evaluation of the Partnership for Innovation Program and to better understand the impact of some aspects of industry-university partnerships on companies.

Respondents: The Survey will be sent to companies that participated in 84 Partnerships for Innovation projects from 2003 to 2007. In total, we estimate that there are 443 companies affiliated with the 84 PFI projects.

Burden on the Public: The Foundation estimates about 300 responses annually at 20 minutes per response; this totals to approximately 75 hours annually.

Dated: October 16, 2009.

Suzanne H. Plimpton,

Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Excepted Service; Consolidated Listing of Schedules A, B, and C Exceptions

AGENCY: Office of Personnel Management.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This gives a consolidated notice of all positions excepted under Schedules A, B, and C as of June 30, 2009, as required by Civil Service Rule VI, Exceptions From the Competitive Service.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Roland Edwards, Executive Resources Services Group, Center for Performance Management System and Evaluation, Human Capital Leadership and Merit System Accountability Division, 202-606-2246.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Civil Service Rule VI (5 CFR 6.1) requires the U.S. Office of Personnel Management (OPM) to publish notice of all exceptions granted under Schedules A, B, and C. Title 5, Code of Federal Regulations, 213.103(c), further requires that a consolidated listing, current as of June 30 of each year, be published annually as a notice in the **Federal Register** at www.gpoaccess.gov/fr/. Agencies will notice the change in format of this notice from previous editions. The format has changed because it is not appropriate to set out what appears to be regulatory text in a notice document and therefore references to specific sections of the Code of Federal Regulations have been removed. The notice that follows is a summary of all schedule A, B, and C Excepted authorities. OPM maintains continuing information on the status of all Schedule A, B, and C excepted appointing authorities. Some of these exceptions are codified in the Code of Federal Regulations at 5 CFR, part 213 while others are not. We have identified those authorities below which are codified and those which are not. We remind agencies to consult the CFR before using these governmentwide authorities. Agencies are also reminded to consult their agency headquarters before using any agency-specific authority. Additionally, the authorities are subject to the provisions of 5 CFR, part 302 unless specifically exempted from those procedures. Interested parties needing information about specific authorities during the year may obtain information by writing to the Executive Resources Services Group, Center for Performance Management Systems and Evaluation, Human Capital Leadership and Merit System Accountability Division, Office of Personnel Management, 1900 E Street, NW., Room 6484, Washington, DC 20415, or by calling (202) 606-2246.

The following listing summarizes the Schedule A excepted authorities authorized for Government-wide use. These authorities are codified in 5 CFR part 213. These excepted authorities are current as of June 30, 2009. Please consult the CFR to read the full authority.

Schedule A

The following are Schedule A authorities that are authorized for use by the entire Executive Civil Service:

1. Positions of Chaplain and Chaplain's Assistant.
2. Positions to which appointments are made by the President without confirmation by the Senate.
3. Attorneys.