

meeting; (2) review and comment on data and information provided by the Department of Defense Domestic Dependent Elementary and Secondary Schools; and (3) establish subcommittees as necessary. Persons desiring to attend the meeting or desiring to make oral presentations or submit written statements for consideration by the panel must contact Dr. David V. Burket at (703) 696-4354, extension 1455.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Meeting To Discuss Gulf War Illness Research

**AGENCY:** Special Oversight Board for Department of Defense Investigations of Gulf War Chemical and Biological Incidents, Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Board will conduct a three-hour public meeting to receive a presentation by the Special Assistant for Gulf War Illnesses, Medical Readiness, and Military Deployments on the transition of his office from a Gulf War Illness-focused organization to one that also includes a force health protection orientation.

**DATES:** October 27, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Conference Room, 1401 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 400, Arlington, VA 22209.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

CONTACT: Sandra Robinson, Administrative Assistant, Special Oversight Board, 1401 Wilson Blvd., Suite 401, Arlington, VA 22209, phone (703) 696-9477, fax (703) 696-4062, or via Email at [Gulfsyn@ods.pentagon.mil](mailto:Gulfsyn@ods.pentagon.mil)

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The hearing is scheduled from 9 a.m. until no later than 12 p.m. EDT. Seating is limited and will be available on a first-come, first-served basis beginning at 8:45 a.m. EDT.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Defense Science Board

**ACTION:** Notice of advisory committee meetings.

**SUMMARY:** The Defense Science Board (DSB) Task Force on High Energy Laser Weapon Systems Applications will meet in closed session on November 14-15, 2000; December 14-15, 2000; January 23-24, 2001; February 21-22, 2001; March 13-14, 2001; April 17-18, 2001; and May 15-16, 2001, at Strategic Analysis Inc., 3601 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22201.

The mission of the Defense Science Board is to advise the Secretary of Defense and the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology & Logistics on scientific and technical matters as they affect the perceived needs of the Department of Defense. At these meetings, the Task Force will review on-going or proposed programs in high energy laser (HEL) applications; examine recent supporting technology advancements and their applications with respect to supporting military HEL weapon system developments; develop potential military and strategic HEL system applications and identify processes required to implement these potentials; determine what needs to be done to weaponize these systems; and assess HEL operational concepts, impacts and limitations, considering legal, treaty and policy issues concerning HEL employment.

In accordance with Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, P.L. No. 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II, (1994)), it has been determined that these Defense Science Board meetings, concern matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1) (1994), and that accordingly these meetings will be closed to the public.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army

#### Advisory Committee Meeting Notice

**AGENCY:** U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC).

**ACTION:** Notice of Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92-9463), announcement is made of the following meeting:

*Name of Committee:* Distance Learning/Training Technology Subcommittee of the Army Education Advisory Committee.

*Date:* 1-2 November 2000.

*Place:* Institute for Defense Analysis (IDA) Alexandria, Virginia.

*Time:* 0800-1630 on 1 November 2000; 0800-1400 on 2 November 2000.

*Proposed Agenda:* Discussions will include: The Army University Access Online Program and Distance Learning, how the two programs are mutually supportive; the National Guard and Distance Learning; Army Research Institute (ARI), recent results on the long term effectiveness of DL and plans for collaborative learning in online training environments; Update on the status of the development and delivery of a learning (student) management system to support DL.

*Purpose of the Meeting:* The members will advise the Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff (ADCST), HQ Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC), on matters pertaining to education and training technologies.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** All communications regarding this subcommittee should be addressed to Mr. Richard Karpinski, at Commander, Headquarters TRADOC, ATTN: ATTG-CF (Mr. Karpinski), Fort Monroe, VA 23651-5000; telephone number (757) 728-5531.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Meeting of the advisory committee is open to the public. Because of restricted meeting space, attendance will be limited to those persons who have notified the Advisory Committee Management Office in writing at least five days prior to the meeting of their intention to attend. Contact Mr. Karpinski (757-728-5531) for meeting agenda and specific locations.

Any member of the public may file a written statement with the committee before, during, or after the meeting. To the extent that time permits, the committee chairman may allow public presentations or oral statements at the meeting.

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