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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number:** Application for Correction of Military Record Under the Provisions of Title 10, U.S. Code, Section 1552; DD Form 149; OMB Control Number 0704-0003.

**Needs and Uses:** This information collection requirement is necessary for all Service personnel (current and former Service members) to apply to their respective Military Department Boards for Correction of Military Records (BCMR) for a correction of an error or injustice in their military records under Title 10, United States Code § 1552. The BCMRs of the Military Departments are the highest administrative boards and appellate review authorities in the Services for the resolution of military personnel disputes. The Military Department Secretaries, acting through the BCMRs, have broad powers and are duty bound to correct records if an error or injustice exists. The range of issues includes, but is not limited to, awards, clemency petitions (of courts-martial sentences), disabilities, evaluation reports, home of record, memoranda of reprimands, promotions, retirements, separations, survivor benefit plans, and titling decisions by law enforcement authorities. Information collection is

needed to provide current and former Service members with a method through which to request correction of a military record and to provide the Services with the basic data needed to process the request.

**Affected Public:** Individuals or households.

**Annual Burden Hours:** 20,785.

**Number of Respondents:** 41,570.

**Responses per Respondent:** 1.

**Annual Responses:** 41,570.

**Average Burden per Response:** 30 minutes.

**Frequency:** On occasion.

Under Title 10 United States Code Section 1552, Active Duty and Reserve Component Service members, Coast Guard, former Service members, their lawful or legal representatives, spouses of former Service members on issues of Survivor Benefit Program (SBP) benefits, and civilian employees with respect to military records other than those related to civilian employment, who feel that they have suffered an injustice as a result of error or injustice in military records may apply to their respective Boards for Correction of Military Records (BCMR) for a correction of their military records. These Boards are the highest level appellate review authority in the military. The Service member submits to the respective BCMR a DD Form 149, "Application for Correction of Military Record Under the Provisions of Title 10, U.S. Code Section 1552." The DD Form 149 was devised to standardize applications to the BCMRs. This information is used to identify and secure the appropriate official military and medical records from the appropriate records storage facilities. Information on the form is used by the Military Department BCMRs to identify the issues and arguments raised by applicants, identify any counsel representing applicants, and determine if the applicants filed their petitions within the three-year statute of limitations established by Congress. Disclosure is voluntary; however, failure to provide requested information may result in a denial of an application. An applicant's Social Security Number is used to retrieve these records and links to the member's official military personnel file and pay record.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DoD-2014-OS-0120]

### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness) announces a proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. 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 information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by October 20, 2014.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

- **Federal eRulemaking Portal:** <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

- **Mail:** Federal Docket Management System Office, 4800 Mark Center Drive, East Tower, Suite 02G09, Alexandria, VA 22350-3100.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number:* Application for the Review of Discharge from the Armed Forces of the United States; DD Form 293; OMB Control Number 0704-0004.

*Needs and Uses:* Former members of the Armed Forces who received an administrative discharge have the right to appeal the characterization or reason for separation. Title 10 of the U.S. Code, section 1553, and DoD Directive 1332.28 established a Board of Review consisting of five members to review appeals of former members of the Armed Forces. The DD Form 293, *Application for Review of Discharge from the Armed Forces of the United States*, provides the respondent a vehicle to present to the Board their reasons/justifications for a discharge upgrade as well as providing the Services the basic data needed to process the appeal.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 7,500.

*Number of Respondents:* 10,000.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 10,000.

*Average Burden per Response:* 45 minutes.

*Frequency:* One-time.

Under Title 10 U.S. Code, section 1553, the Secretary of a Military Department established a Board of Review, consisting of five members, to review appeals of former members of the Armed Forces. This information collection allows an applicant to request a change in the type of military discharge issued. Applicants are former members of the Armed Forces who have been discharged or dismissed (other than a discharge or dismissal by sentence of a general court-martial), or if the former member is deceased or incompetent, the surviving spouse, next-of-kin, or legal representative who is acting on behalf of the former members. The DD Form 293, *Application for Review of Discharge from the Armed Forces of the United States*, provides the former member an avenue to present to their respective Service Discharge Review Board their reasons and justifications for a discharge upgrade as well as providing the Military Department the basic data needed to process the appeal.

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Office of the Secretary**

**Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program, Scientific Advisory Board; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting**

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense is publishing this notice to announce a meeting of the Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program, Scientific Advisory Board (SAB). This meeting will be open to the public.

**DATES:** Wednesday, September 10, 2014, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** 901 N. Stuart Street, Suite 200, Arlington, VA 22203.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Anne Andrews, SERDP Office, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Suite 17D08, Alexandria, VA 22350-3605; or by telephone at (571) 372-6565.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This meeting is being held under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (5 U.S.C. Appendix, as amended), the Government in the Sunshine Act of 1976 (5 U.S.C. 552b, as amended), and 41 CFR 102-3.150. This notice is published in accordance with Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463).

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b and 41 CFR 102-3.140 through 102-3.165, and the availability of space, this meeting is open to the public. Seating is on a first-come basis.

The purpose of the September 10, 2014 meeting is to review new start research and development projects requesting Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program funds in excess of \$1 million over the proposed length of the project as required by the SERDP Statute, U.S. Code—Title 10, Subtitle A, Part IV, Chapter 172, § 2904. The full agenda follows:

9:00 a.m. ....	Convene/Opening Remarks .....	Mr. Joseph Francis, Chair.
	Approval of June 2014 Minutes .....	
9:10 a.m. ....	Program Update .....	Dr. Anne Andrews, Acting Executive Director.
9:25 a.m. ....	Weapons Systems and Platforms Overview .....	Dr. Robin Nissan, Weapons Systems and Platforms, Program Manager.
9:35 a.m. ....	15 WP01-007 (WP-2518): Environmentally Sustainable Gasless Delay Compositions For Fuzes (FY15 New Start).	Dr. Jay Poret, US Army ARDEC, Picatinny Arsenal, NJ.
10:20 a.m. ....	Break.	
10:35 a.m. ....	15 WP01-013 (WP-2519): Environmentally Benign Multi-Component Delay System with Tunable Propagation Characteristics (FY15 New Start).	Dr. Zac Doorenbos, Innovative Materials and Processes, LLC, Rapid City, SD.
11:20 a.m. ....	Resource Conservation and Climate Change Overview .....	Dr. John Hall, Resource Conservation and Climate Change, Program Manager.
11:30 a.m. ....	15 RC02-041 (RC-2517): Incorporation of the Effects of Future Anthropogenically-Forced Climate Change in Intensity-Duration-Frequency Design Values (FY15 New Start).	Dr. Kenneth Kunkel, North Carolina State University, Asheville, NC.
12:15 p.m. ....	Lunch.	
1:15 p.m. ....	15 RC02-020 (RC-2513): Effects of Global Change on Extreme Precipitation and Flooding: New approaches to IDF and Regional Flood Frequency Estimation (FY15 New Start).	Dr. Dennis Lettenmaier, University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
2:00 p.m. ....	15 RC02-035 (RC-2514): Linked Rainfall and Runoff Intensity-Duration-Frequency in the Face of Climate Change and Uncertainty (FY15 New Start).	Dr. Yonas Demissie, Washington State University, Richland, WA.
2:45 p.m. ....	Break.	