

guidelines for reporting and disseminating results, and releasing initial NAEP results to the public.

On May 12, from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m., the Ad Hoc Committee on Parent Engagement will meet in open session. Thereafter, from 11:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., the Assessment Development Committee will meet in closed session to review secure test items at the eighth grade for the Technological and Engineering Literacy (TEL) pilot assessment in 2013. The Board will be provided with specific test materials/questions for review that cannot be discussed/disclosed in an open meeting. Premature disclosure of these secure test materials would significantly impede implementation of the NAEP assessments, and is therefore protected by exemption 9(B) of section 552b(c) of Title 5 U.S.C.

On May 12, from 4:30 p.m. to 5:15 p.m., the Executive Committee will meet in open session and thereafter in closed session from 5:15 p.m. to 6 p.m. During the closed session on May 12, the Executive Committee will receive a briefing from the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) on options for NAEP contracts covering assessment years beyond 2011 and discuss budget implications for the NAEP assessment schedule and for international linking studies. The discussion of contract options and costs will address the congressionally mandated goals and Board policies on NAEP assessments. This part of the meeting must be conducted in closed session because public discussion of this information would disclose independent government cost estimates and contracting options, adversely impacting the confidentiality of the contracting process. Public disclosure of information discussed would significantly impede implementation of the NAEP contracts, and is therefore protected by exemption 9(B) of section 552b(c) of Title 5 U.S.C.

On May 13, the full Board will meet in open session from 8:30 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. The Board will review and approve the meeting agenda and meeting minutes from the March 2011 Board meeting, followed by an oath of office for a newly appointed Board member, and the Chairman's remarks. Thereafter, Portland Board member W. James Popham and Oregon education leaders are scheduled to make welcome remarks and address the Board. The Executive Director of the Governing Board will then provide a report to the Board, followed by updates from the Commissioner of the National Center for Education Statistics and the Director of the Institute of Education Sciences. The

Board will recess for Committee meetings on May 13 from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The Governing Board's standing committees, the Assessment Development Committee, the Reporting and Dissemination Committee and the Committee on Standards, Design and Methodology will meet in open session on May 13 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

On May 13, from 12:45 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. the full Board will meet in closed session to receive a briefing on the 2010 NAEP U.S. History Report Card. The Board will be provided with results of the assessments that cannot be discussed in an open meeting prior to their official release. Premature disclosure of test results would significantly impede implementation of the NAEP assessment, and is therefore protected by exemption 9(B) of section 552b(c) of Title 5 U.S.C.

From 1:45 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. the Board will meet in open session to receive a briefing and discuss the NAEP Five Largest States Report for 2009 (Mega States). Following this session, from 2:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m., the Board will discuss ways of improving student achievement and closing achievement gaps. From 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., the Board will receive a briefing on Oregon's Assessment System from Tony Alpert, the Director of Assessment and Accountability from the Oregon Department of Education.

The May 13, 2010 session of the Board meeting is scheduled to conclude at 4:30 p.m.

On May 14, the Nominations Committee will meet in closed session from 8 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. to review specific names for Board vacancies, and the status of nominees for Board membership for terms beginning October 1, 2011. These discussions pertain solely to internal personnel rules and practices of an agency and will disclose information of a personal nature where disclosure would constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. As such, the discussions are protected by exemptions 2 and 6 of section 552b(c) of Title 5 U.S.C.

On May 14, the full Board will meet in open session to receive Committee reports and take action on Committee recommendations. The May 14, 2010 session of the Board meeting is scheduled to adjourn at 10 a.m.

Detailed minutes of the meeting, including summaries of the activities of the closed sessions and related matters that are informative to the public and consistent with the policy of section 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) will be available to the public within 14 days of the meeting.

Records are kept of all Board proceedings and are available for public inspection at the U.S. Department of Education, National Assessment Governing Board, Suite #825, 800 North Capitol Street, NW., Washington, DC, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

National Advisory Council on Indian Education (NACIE) Meeting

AGENCY: U.S. Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice of a Closed Meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the schedule and proposed agenda of an upcoming closed meeting of the National Advisory Council on Indian Education (the Council) and is intended to notify the general public of the meeting. This notice also describes the functions of the Council. Notice of the Council's meetings is required under Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

Date and Time: May 18, 2011; May 18, 2011—2 p.m.—5 p.m. Eastern Daylight Savings Time

Location: The closed meeting will be conducted via conference call with NACIE members.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Advisory Council on Indian Education is authorized by Section 7141 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. The Council is established within the Department of

Education to advise the Secretary of Education on the funding and administration (including the development of regulations, and administrative policies and practices) of any program over which the Secretary has jurisdiction and includes Indian children or adults as participants or programs that may benefit Indian children or adults, including any program established under Title VII, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. The Council submits to the Congress, not later than June 30 of each year, a report on the activities of the Council that includes recommendations the Council considers appropriate for the improvement of Federal education programs that include Indian children or adults as participants or that may benefit Indian children or adults, and recommendations concerning the funding of any such program.

One of the Council's responsibilities is to develop and provide recommendations to the Secretary of Education on the funding and administration (including the development of regulations, and administrative policies and practices) of any program over which the Secretary has jurisdiction that can benefit Indian children or adults participating in any program which could benefit Indian children. The purpose of this closed meeting is to convene the Council to review, advise, and provide recommendations to the Secretary on the procurement of services to accomplish this responsibility. Council members will discuss contract options and costs during the closed meeting. The meeting must be conducted in closed session because public discussion of procurement information would disclose independent government cost estimates and contracting options, adversely impacting the confidentiality of the contracting process and is therefore protected by exemption 9(B) of section 552b(c) of Title 5 U.S.C.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Jenelle Leonard, Acting Director/ Designated Federal Official, Office of Indian Education, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20202. *Telephone:* 202-205-2161. *Fax:* 202-205-5870.

A report of the activities of the closed session and related matters that are informative to the public and consistent with the policy of section 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) will be available to the public within 21 days of the meeting. Records are kept of all Council proceedings and are available for public inspection at the

at the Office of Indian Education, United States Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20202. Monday–Friday, 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Reimbursement for Costs of Remedial Action at Active Uranium and Thorium Processing Sites

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of change in the acceptance of Title X claims during fiscal year (FY) 2011.

SUMMARY: This Notice announces changes in the Department of Energy (DOE) acceptance of claims in FY 2011 from eligible active uranium and thorium processing site licensees for reimbursement under Title X of the Energy Policy Act of 1992.

DATES: In our **Federal Register** Notice of November 24, 2010, (75 FR 71677) the Department announced the closing date for the submission of claims in FY 2011 as April 29, 2011. It has become necessary to defer that closing date for acceptance of claims. At a later date, the Department will announce a new closing date for the submission of FY 2011 claims and a new address for submitting the claims.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Contact David Mathes at (301) 903-7222 of the U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Environmental Management, Office of Disposal Operations.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: DOE published a final rule under 10 CFR Part 765 in the **Federal Register** on May 23, 1994, (59 FR 26714) to carry out the requirements of Title X of the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (sections 1001–1004 of Pub. L. 102–486, 42 U.S.C. 2296a *et seq.*) and to establish the procedures for eligible licensees to submit claims for reimbursement. DOE amended the final rule on June 3, 2003, (68 FR 32955) to adopt several technical and administrative amendments (e.g., statutory increases in the reimbursement ceilings). Title X requires DOE to reimburse eligible uranium and thorium licensees for certain costs of decontamination, decommissioning, reclamation, and other remedial action incurred by licensees at active uranium and thorium processing sites to remediate byproduct material generated as an incident of sales to the United States Government. To be reimbursable, costs of remedial action must be for work which is necessary to comply with applicable requirements of the Uranium Mill Tailings Radiation Control Act of 1978 (42 U.S.C. 7901 *et seq.*) or, where appropriate, with requirements established by a State pursuant to a discontinuance agreement under section 274 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2021). Claims for reimbursement must be supported by reasonable documentation as determined by DOE in accordance with 10 CFR part 765. Funds for reimbursement will be provided from the Uranium Enrichment Decontamination and Decommissioning Fund established at the Department of Treasury pursuant to section 1801 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2297g). Payment or obligation of funds shall be subject to the requirements of the Anti-Deficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1341).

Authority: Section 1001–1004 of Public Law 102–486, 106 Stat. 2776 (42 U.S.C. 2296a *et seq.*).

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