

accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(A)]. This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the NEA is soliciting comments concerning the proposed information collection of: National Endowment for the Arts Panelist Profile Form. A copy of the current information collection request can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the address section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the address section below within 60 days from the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**. The NEA is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond.

ADDRESSES: Kathy Plowitz-Worden, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Room 620, Washington, DC 20506-0001, telephone (202) 682-5691 (this is not a toll-free number), fax (202) 682-5049.

Dated: February 12, 2009.

Kathy Plowitz-Worden,

Panel Coordinator, National Endowment for the Arts.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Proposal Review; Notice of Meetings

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation (NSF) announces its intent to hold proposal review meetings throughout the year. The purpose of these meetings is to provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals

submitted to the NSF for financial support. The agenda for each of these meetings is to review and evaluate proposals as part of the selection process for awards. The review and evaluation may also include assessment of the progress of awarded proposals. The majority of these meetings will take place at NSF, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, Virginia 22230.

These meetings will be closed to the public. The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act. NSF will continue to review the agenda and merits of each meeting for overall compliance of the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

These closed proposal review meetings will not be announced on an individual basis in the **Federal Register**. NSF intends to publish a notice similar to this on a quarterly basis. For an advance listings of the closed proposal review meetings that includes the names of the proposal review panel and the time, date, place, and any information on changes, corrections, or cancellations, please visit the NSF Web site: <http://www.nsf.gov/events/advisory.jsp>. This information may also be requested by telephoning 703/292-8180.

Dated: February 12, 2009.

Susanne Bolton,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

National Science Board; Sunshine Act Meetings; Notice

The National Science Board, pursuant to NSF regulations (45 CFR Part 614), the National Science Foundation Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1862n-5), and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), hereby gives notice in regard to the scheduling of meetings for the transaction of National Science Board business and other matters specified, as follows:

AGENCY HOLDING MEETING: National Science Board.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, February 23, 2009, at 8 a.m.; and Tuesday, February 24, 2009 at 8 a.m.

PLACE: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 1235,

Arlington, VA 22230. All visitors must report to the NSF visitor desk at the 9th and N. Stuart Streets entrance to receive a visitor's badge.

STATUS: Some portions open, some portions closed

Open Sessions

February 23, 2009

8 a.m.–8:05 a.m.
8:05 a.m.–10:30 a.m.
10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
1:15 p.m.–2:15 p.m.

February 24, 2009

8 a.m.–9:30 a.m.
9:30 a.m.–10 a.m.
10:15 a.m.–10:30 a.m.
10:30 a.m.–11:30 a.m.
2 p.m.–3:30 p.m.

Closed Sessions

February 23, 2009

2:15 p.m.–4 p.m.
4:15 p.m.–5:30 p.m.

February 24, 2009

11:30 a.m.–12 p.m.
1:30 p.m.–1:40 p.m.
1:40 p.m.–2 p.m.

AGENCY CONTACT: Dr. Robert E. Webber, rwebber@nsf.gov, (703) 292-7000, <http://www.nsf.gov/nsb/>.

Matters To Be Discussed

Monday, February 23, 2009

Open Session: 8 a.m.–8:05 a.m.

- Chairman's Introduction

Committee on Programs and Plans (CPP)

Open Session: 8:05 a.m.–10:30 a.m.

- Approval of December 2008 CPP Minutes
- Committee Chairman's Remarks
- CPP Subcommittee on Polar Issues (SOPI)
 - SOPI Chairman's Remarks
 - Director's Report—Office of Polar Programs (OPP)
 - International Polar Year (IPY) Outreach and Education Highlights
 - Presidential Directive on Arctic Region Policy (NSPD-66/HSPD-25): Promoting International Scientific Cooperation
- Task Force on Sustainable Energy (SE)
 - Task Force Co-Chairmen's Remarks
 - Discussion of Task Force Draft Report
- *NSB Information Item:* Update on iPlant
- *NSB Information Item:* Update on Planning for Coherent Light Source Development
- *NSB Information Item:* Track 2D (High Performance Computing

System Acquisition: Towards a Petascale Computing Environment for Science and Engineering)

- *Discussion Item:* Review of MREFC Process
 - NSB Update
 - NSF Implementation Plan
 - Discussion and Next Steps

Committee on Science and Engineering Indicators (SEI)

Open Session: 10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.

- Chairman's Remarks
- Science and Engineering Indicators 2010 cover
- Chapter Review Assignments and Responsibilities
- Plans for the Indicators Digest
- Discussion of Companion Piece Topic
- New Data for Science and Engineering Indicators 2012
- Chairman's Summary

Committee on Education and Human Resources (CEH)

Open Session: 1:15 p.m.–2:15 p.m.

- Approval of December 2008 Minutes
- Committee Chairman's Remarks
- Update on the Next Generation of STEM Innovators Workshop
- Presentations on STEM Learning and Basic Research in Cognitive and Developmental Sciences

Committee on Programs and Plans (CPP)

Closed Session: 2:15 p.m.–4 p.m.

- Committee Chairman's Remarks
- Award Recommendations for Three Science of Learning Centers (SLCs): Introduction & Overview
 - *NSB Action Item:* Science of Learning Center #1
 - *NSB Action Item:* Science of Learning Center #2
 - *NSB Action Item:* Science of Learning Center #3

Committee on Strategy and Budget (CSB)

Closed Session: 4:15 p.m.–5:30 p.m.

- NSF Budget Update
 - NSF Plans for Use of FY 2009 Economic Stimulus Funding
 - FY 2010 Budget Request Update

Tuesday, February 24, 2009

Committee on Strategy and Budget (CSB)

Open Session: 8 a.m.–9:30 a.m.

- Approval of CSB Minutes, December 10, 2008
- Committee Chairman's Remarks
- CSB Task Force on Cost Sharing (CS)
 - Approval of December 2008 Teleconference Minutes
 - Task Force Chairman's Remarks
 - Discussion of Draft Report,

Investing in the Future: NSF Cost Sharing Policies for a Robust Federal Research Enterprise

- Presentation, NSF Implementation of NSB Recommendations on NSF Cost Sharing Policy
- Discussion of Strategy for Community Engagement
- CSB Subcommittee on Facilities, Charge
- NSF Strategic Plan
 - Status of NSF Strategic Plan Update
 - NSB Input on Key Issues for Consideration in Developing the Next NSF Strategic Plan
- NSF Budget Update
 - FY 2009 Appropriation

Executive Committee

Open Session: 9:30 a.m.–10 a.m.

- Approval of Minutes for the December 2008 Meeting
- Executive Committee Chairman's Remarks
- Approval of Closed Session Agenda Items memo for May 13–14, 2009 meeting
- Discussion of Proposed NSB Priority Setting Process
- Updates or New Business from Committee Members

Task Force on the NSB 60th Anniversary

Open Session: 10:15 a.m.–10:30 a.m.

- Approval of Minutes for the December 9, 2008 Meeting
- Task Force Chairman's Remarks
- Further Discussion and Comments Relating to NSB 60th Anniversary

Committee on Audit and Oversight (A&O)

Open Session: 10:30 a.m.–11:30 a.m.

- Approval of Minutes of the December 9, 2008 Meeting
- Committee Chairman's Opening Remarks
- Inspector General Update
- Chief Financial Officer Update
- NSB Revisions of Award Delegation Thresholds to NSF
- FY 2009 Audit Plan
- Chairman's Closing Remarks

Committee on Audit and Oversight (A&O)

Closed Session: 11:30 a.m.–12 p.m.

- OIG FY 2010 Budget
- Pending Investigations

Plenary Executive Closed

Closed Session: 1:30 p.m.–1:40 p.m.

- Approval of December 2008 Minutes
- Approval of Honorary Awards Recipients

Plenary Closed

Closed Session: 1:40 p.m.–2 p.m.

- Approval of December 2008 Minutes
- Awards and Agreements
- Closed Committee Reports

Plenary Open

Open Session: 2 p.m.–3:30 p.m.

- Approval of December 2008 Minutes
- Chairman's Report
- Director's Report
- Open Committee Reports

Brandon Powell,

Staff Assistant.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Notice; Applications and Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses Involving Proposed No Significant Hazards Considerations and Containing Sensitive Unclassified Non-Safeguards Information or Safeguards Information and Order Imposing Procedures for Access to Sensitive Unclassified Non-Safeguards Information or Safeguards Information

I. Background

Pursuant to section 189a. (2) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission or NRC staff) is publishing this notice. The Act requires the Commission publish notice of any amendments issued, or proposed to be issued and grants the Commission the authority to issue and make immediately effective any amendment to an operating license upon a determination by the Commission that such amendment involves no significant hazards consideration, notwithstanding the pendency before the Commission of a request for a hearing from any person.

This notice includes notices of amendments containing sensitive unclassified non-safeguards information (SUNSI) or safeguards information (SGI).

Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses, Proposed No Significant Hazards Consideration Determination, and Opportunity for a Hearing

The Commission has made a proposed determination that the following amendment requests involve no significant hazards consideration. Under the Commission's regulations in