

on behalf of “Camera/Plate-Prepress-Imaging, Ad Svcs. & Market” workers at State Journal Register, Springfield, Illinois who were affected by the shift of “advertising ad work” to a foreign country.

The Department will conduct further investigation to clarify the subject worker group and to determine if workers have met the eligibility requirements of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended.

Conclusion

After careful review of the application, I conclude that the claim is of sufficient weight to justify reconsideration of the U.S. Department of Labor’s prior decision. The application is, therefore, granted.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 12th day of September 2012.

Del Min Amy Chen,

Certifying Officer, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Investigations Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

Petitions have been filed with the Secretary of Labor under Section 221 (a) of the Trade Act of 1974 (“the Act”) and are identified in the Appendix to this notice. Upon receipt of these petitions, the Director of the Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, has instituted investigations pursuant to Section 221 (a) of the Act.

The purpose of each of the investigations is to determine whether the workers are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Title II, Chapter 2, of the Act. The investigations will further relate, as appropriate, to the determination of the date on which total or partial separations began or threatened to begin and the subdivision of the firm involved.

The petitioners or any other persons showing a substantial interest in the subject matter of the investigations may request a public hearing, provided such request is filed in writing with the Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than October 5, 2012.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than October 5, 2012.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N–5428, 200 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC this 19th day of September 2012.

Elliott S. Kushner,

Certifying Officer, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

APPENDIX

[20 TAA petitions instituted between 9/10/12 and 9/14/12]

TA–W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
81951	AGI—Shorewood (Workers)	Weaverville, NC	09/10/12	09/06/12
81952	American Airlines (Union)	DFW International Airport, TX.	09/10/12	09/06/12
81953	Franklin Electric Company, Inc. (Company)	Oklahoma City, OK	09/10/12	09/05/12
81954	Medimmune (Workers)	Mountain View, CA	09/10/12	09/05/12
81955	Pocahontas Machine Works, Inc. (State/One-Stop).	Pocahontas, AR	09/10/12	09/06/12
81956	Exide Technologies (Company)	Bristol, TN	09/10/12	09/07/12
81957	Edmund Optics, Inc. (Company)	Pennsburg, PA	09/10/12	09/07/12
81958	Comair (State/One-Stop)	Erlanger, KY	09/10/12	09/07/12
81959	International Union of Operating Engineers Local 37 (State/One-Stop).	Sparrows Point, MD	09/10/12	09/10/12
81960	Verizon (Workers)	Highland Ranch, CO	09/10/12	09/07/12
81961	American Express Company, “Amex New Accounts Dept.—Fraud Division” (Workers).	Salt Lake City, UT	09/10/12	09/06/12
81962	Verizon Business (Workers)	Richardson, TX	09/11/12	09/10/12
81963	Eco Energy Solution (State/One-Stop)	Reno, NV	09/12/12	09/07/12
81964	HP Enterprise Services LLC (Workers)	Cupertino, CA	09/12/12	09/11/12
81965	Melco Engraving, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Rochester Hills, MI	09/13/12	09/04/12
81966	AT&T (State/One-Stop)	Bothell, WA	09/13/12	09/12/12
81967	OMCO Machining Concepts (Union)	Winchester, IN	09/14/12	09/13/12
81968	Verizon Business (State/One-Stop)	Vestavia, AL	09/14/12	09/13/12
81969	Schawk, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Minneapolis, MN	09/14/12	09/13/12
81970	Anthem Bluecross (State/One-Stop)	Newbury Park, CA	09/14/12	09/06/12

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LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION

Sunshine Act Meeting; Notice

DATE AND TIME: The Legal Services Corporation’s Board of Directors and its

six committees will meet September 30—October 2, 2012. On Sunday, September 30, the first meeting will commence at 1:15 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time (EDT), and each meeting thereafter commencing promptly upon adjournment of the immediately preceding meeting. The exception will be the meetings of the Institutional

Advancement Committee and the Audit Committee, which will run concurrently immediately upon conclusion of the meeting of the Operations & Regulations Committee. On Monday, October 1, the meeting of the Promotion & Provision for the Delivery of Legal Services Committee will commence at 3:00 p.m., EDT, followed by the meeting of the

Board of Directors. On Tuesday, October 2, the meeting of the Board of Directors will resume at 8:00 a.m., EDT.

LOCATION: Hilton Durham Hotel, 3800 Hillsborough Road, Durham, North Carolina 27705.

PUBLIC OBSERVATION: Unless otherwise noted herein, the Board and all committee meetings will be open to public observation. Members of the public who are unable to attend in person but wish to listen to the public proceedings may do so by following the telephone call-in directions provided below but are asked to keep their telephones *muted* to eliminate background noises. To avoid disrupting the meeting, please refrain from placing the call on *hold*. From time to time, the presiding Chair may solicit comments from the public.

CALL-IN DIRECTIONS FOR OPEN SESSIONS:

- Call toll-free number: 1-866-451-4981;
- When prompted, enter the following numeric pass code: 5907707348 (or 2755431953 to access the Audit Committee meeting)
- When connected to the call, please immediately “MUTE” your telephone.

Meeting Schedule

	Time *
Sunday, September 30, 2012	
1. Finance Committee	1:15 p.m.
2. Governance & Performance Committee.	
3. Operations & Regulations Committee.	
4. Institutional Advancement Committee**.	
5. Audit Committee**.	
Monday, October 1, 2012	
1. Promotion & Provision for the Delivery of Legal Services Committee.	3 p.m.
2. Board of Directors.	
Tuesday, October 2, 2012	
1. Board of Directors	8 a.m.

STATUS OF MEETING: Open, except as noted below.

Board of Directors—Open, except that, upon a vote of the Board of Directors, a portion of the meeting may be closed to the public to hear briefings by management and LSC’s Inspector General, and to consider and act on the General Counsel’s report on potential and pending litigation involving LSC.***

Institutional Advancement Committee—Open, except that, upon a vote of the Board of Directors, the meeting may be closed to the public to discuss the LSC honorary support auxiliary and LSC alumni groups, discuss pro bono advice and counsel, discuss pro bono assistance to obtain funds pending establishment of the Development Office, and discuss potential funders for the Pro Bono Innovation/Incubation Fund.

A verbatim written transcript will be made of the closed session of the Board and Institutional Advancement Committee meetings. The transcript of any portions of the closed session falling within the relevant provisions of the Government in the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6), (9) and (10), and the corresponding provisions of the Legal Services Corporation’s implementing regulations, 45 CFR 1622.5(e), (g) and (h), will not be available for public inspection. A copy of the General Counsel’s Certification that in his opinion the closing is authorized by law will be available upon request.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

September 30, 2012

Finance Committee

1. Approval of agenda
2. Approval of the minutes of the meeting of July 17, 2012
3. Approval of the minutes of the meeting of July 27, 2012
4. Approval of the minutes of the meeting of August 20, 2012
5. Presentation on LSC’s Financial Reports for Ten-Month period ending July 31, 2012
 - Presentation by David Richardson
6. Staff report on status of FY 2013 appropriations process
 - Presentation by Carol Bergman
7. Consider and act on *Resolution #2012-0XX*, Temporary Operating Budget for FY 2013
 - Presentation by David Richardson
8. Briefing on lease for 3333 K Street
9. Public comment
10. Consider and act on other business
11. Consider and act on adjournment of meeting

Governance & Performance Review Committee

1. Approval of agenda
2. Approval of minutes of the Committee’s meeting of July 27, 2012

Act’s definition of the term “meeting” and, therefore, the requirements of the Sunshine Act do not apply to such portion of the closed session. 5 U.S.C. 552b(a)(2) and (b). See also 45 CFR 1622.2 & 1622.3.

3. Staff report on progress in implementing GAO recommendations
4. Report on Public Welfare Foundation grant
 - Presentation by Jim Sandman
5. Consider and act on other business
6. Public comment
7. Consider and act on motion to adjourn meeting

Operations & Regulations Committee

1. Approval of agenda
2. Consider and act on possible revisions to the Corporation’s Bylaws for implementation of the Corporation’s Continuation of Operations Plan (“COOP”)
3. Consider and act on rulemaking on grant termination procedures, enforcement mechanisms, and suspension procedures
 - Mark Freedman, Senior Assistant General Counsel
 - Matthew Glover, Associate Counsel to the Inspector General
 - Public comment on this rulemaking
4. Public comment
5. Consider and act on other business
6. Consider and act on adjournment of meeting

Institutional Advancement Committee

Open Session

1. Approval of agenda
2. Approval of minutes of the Committee’s September 4, 2012 telephonic meeting
3. Public Comment
4. Consider and act on other business

Closed Session

5. Approval of minutes of the Committee’s July 27, 2012 closed session meeting
6. Discussion regarding the LSC honorary support auxiliary and LSC alumni groups
7. Discussion regarding pro bono advice and counsel
8. Discussion regarding pro bono assistance to obtain funds pending establishment of the Development Office
9. Discussion of potential funders for the Pro Bono Innovation/Incubation Fund
10. Consider and act on motion to adjourn the meeting

Audit Committee

1. Approval of agenda
2. Approval of minutes of the Committee’s July 27, 2012 meeting
3. Consider and act on revised Audit Committee charter
4. Briefing by Office of Inspector General
 - Jeffrey Schanz, Inspector General

* Please note that all times in this notice are in the Eastern Daylight Time.

** The meeting of the Institutional Advancement Committee will run concurrently with the meeting of the Audit Committee.

*** Any portion of the closed session consisting solely of briefings does not fall within the Sunshine

5. Public comment
6. Consider and act on other business
7. Consider and act on adjournment of meeting

October 1, 2012*Promotion & Provision for the Delivery of Legal Services Committee*

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of Minutes of the Committee's meeting of July 27, 2012
3. Discussion of topics for future Committee meetings
4. Panel Presentation on uses of technology to improve LSC grantee effectiveness and efficiencies
 - Moderator—Janet LaBella, Director, Office of Program Performance
 - Pat Muller, Information Technology Manager, South Carolina Legal Services
 - Eric Mittelstadt, Deputy Director, Utah Legal Services
 - Michael Prince, Information Technology Manager, Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas
 - George Hausen, Executive Director, Legal Aid of North Carolina
5. Public comment
6. Consider and act on other business
7. Consider and act on motion to adjourn the meeting

October 1–2, 2012*Board of Directors*

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Approval of agenda
3. Approval of Minutes of the Board's meeting of August 31, 2012
4. Chairman's Report
5. Members' Reports
6. President's Report
7. Inspector General's Report
8. Consider and act on the report of the Promotion and Provision for the Delivery of Legal Services Committee
9. Consider and act on the report of the Finance Committee
10. Consider and act on the report of the Audit Committee
11. Consider and act on the report of the Operations and Regulations Committee
12. Consider and act on the report of the Governance and Performance Review Committee
13. Consider and act on the report of the Institutional Advancement Committee
14. Consider and act on the draft Strategic Plan
15. Public comment
16. Consider and act on other business
17. Consider and act on whether to authorize an executive session of the Board to address items listed below, under Closed Session

Closed Session

18. Approval of minutes of the Board's closed session meeting of July 27, 2012
19. Approval of minutes of the Board's closed session telephonic meeting of August 31, 2012
20. Briefing by Management
21. Briefing by the Inspector General
22. Consider and act on General Counsel's report on potential and pending litigation involving LSC
23. Consider and act on motion to adjourn meeting

CONTACT PERSON FOR INFORMATION:

Katherine Ward, Executive Assistant to the Vice President & General Counsel, at (202) 295–1500. Questions may be sent by electronic mail to FR_NOTICE_QUESTIONS@lsc.gov.

NON-CONFIDENTIAL MEETING MATERIALS:

Non-confidential meeting materials will be made available in electronic format at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting on the LSC Web site, at <http://www.lsc.gov/board-directors/meetings/board-meeting-notice/non-confidential-materials-be-considered-open-session>.

ACCESSIBILITY: LSC complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 504 of the 1973 Rehabilitation Act. Upon request, meeting notices and materials will be made available in alternative formats to accommodate individuals with disabilities. Individuals who need other accommodations due to disability in order to attend the meeting in person or telephonically should contact Katherine Ward, at (202) 295–1500 or FR_NOTICE_QUESTIONS@lsc.gov, at least 2 business days in advance of the meeting. If a request is made without advance notice, LSC will make every effort to accommodate the request but cannot guarantee that all requests can be fulfilled.

Dated: September 20, 2012.

Victor M. Fortuno,

Vice President & General Counsel.

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MILLENNIUM CHALLENGE CORPORATION

[MCC FR 12–10]

Report on the Criteria and Methodology for Determining the Eligibility of Candidate Countries for Millennium Challenge Account Assistance in Fiscal Year 2013

AGENCY: Millennium Challenge Corporation.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This report to Congress is provided in accordance with Section 608(b) of the Millennium Challenge Act of 2003, as amended, 22 U.S.C. 7707(b) (the “Act”).

Dated: September 19, 2012.

Melvin F. Williams, Jr.,

VP/General Counsel and Corporate Secretary, Millennium Challenge Corporation.

Report on the Criteria and Methodology for Determining the Eligibility of Candidate Countries for Millennium Challenge Account Assistance in Fiscal Year 2013

Summary

This report to Congress is provided in accordance with section 608(b) of the Millennium Challenge Act of 2003, as amended, 22 U.S.C. 7707(b) (the Act).

The Act authorizes the provision of Millennium Challenge Account (MCA) assistance to countries that enter into a Millennium Challenge Compact with the United States to support policies and programs that advance the prospects of such countries achieving lasting economic growth and poverty reduction. The Act requires the Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) to take a number of steps in determining what countries will be selected as eligible for MCA compact assistance for fiscal year (FY) 2013 based on the countries' demonstrated commitment to just and democratic governance, economic freedom, and investing in their people, as well as MCC's opportunity to reduce poverty and generate economic growth in the country. These steps include the submission of reports to the congressional committees specified in the Act and publication of notices in the **Federal Register** that identify:

The countries that are “candidate countries” for MCA assistance for FY 2013 based on per capita income levels and eligibility to receive assistance under U.S. law. This report identifies countries that would be candidate countries but for specified legal prohibitions on assistance (section 608(a) of the Act; 22 U.S.C. 7707(a));

The criteria and methodology that MCC's Board of Directors (Board) will use to measure and evaluate policy performance of the candidate countries consistent with the requirements of section 607 of the Act (22 U.S.C. 7706) in order to determine “eligible countries” from among the “candidate countries” (section 608(b) of the Act); and

The list of countries determined by the Board to be “eligible countries” for FY 2013, with justification for eligibility determination and selection for compact