

NAVTEP and TCPVTIP grantees from the account closing provisions of 31 U.S.C. 1552(a), nor do they extend the availability of funds previously awarded to current NAVTEP and TCPVTIP grantees. As a result of 31 U.S.C. 1552(a), appropriations available for a limited period may be used for payment of valid obligations for only five years after the expiration of their period of availability for Federal obligation. After that time, the unexpended balance of those funds is canceled and returned to the U.S. Treasury Department and is unavailable for restoration for any purpose.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification

The Secretary certifies that the proposed waivers would not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities.

The small entities that would be affected by these proposed waivers are:

(a) The FY 2000 grantees currently receiving Federal funds and the following entities that are eligible for an award under NAVTEP:

(1) Federally recognized Indian tribes.
 (2) Tribal organizations.
 (3) Alaska Native entities.
 (4) Bureau-funded schools (as defined in the notice inviting applications published in the **Federal Register** on January 3, 2001 (66 FR 560)), except for Bureau-funded schools proposing to use their award to support secondary school vocational and technical education programs.

(b) The FY 2001 grantees currently receiving Federal funds and other tribally controlled postsecondary vocational and technical institutions that do not receive Federal support under the Tribally Controlled College or University Assistance Act of 1978 (25 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*) or the Navajo Community College Act (25 U.S.C. 640a *et seq.*) that are eligible for an award under the TCPVTIP.

The Secretary certifies that the proposed waivers would not have a significant economic impact on these entities because the proposed waivers and the activities required to support the additional years of funding would not impose excessive regulatory burdens or require unnecessary Federal supervision. The proposed waivers would impose minimal requirements to ensure the proper expenditure of program funds, including requirements that are standard for continuation awards.

Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995

This notice of proposed waivers does not contain any information collection requirements.

Intergovernmental Review

The NAVTEP and TCPVTIP are not subject to Executive Order 12372 and the regulations in 34 CFR part 79.

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(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number 84.101 Native American Vocational and Technical Education Program and 84.245 Tribally Controlled Postsecondary Vocational and Technical Institutions Program.)

Program Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2326(a) through (g) and 20 U.S.C. 2327.

Dated: March 31, 2006.

Beto D. Gonzalez,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Vocational and Adult Education.

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ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Notice

AGENCY: United States Election Assistance Commission.

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ACTION: Notice of Public Meeting Agenda.

DATE & TIME: Thursday, April 20, 2006, 10 a.m.–12 noon.

PLACE: Seattle Hilton, 1301 6th Avenue and University Street, Seattle, WA 98101-2304. (206) 624-0500.

AGENDA: The Commission will receive presentations on the following topic: "Vote Counting and Recounting". The Commission will hear from election officials and election researchers on experiences with recounting and procedures for counting votes. The Commission will receive updates on other administrative matters.

This Meeting Will be Open to the Public

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Executive Director, U.S. Election Assistance Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Science; Fusion Energy Sciences Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Fusion Energy Sciences Advisory Committee. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

DATES: Thursday, June 1, 2006, 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The Gaithersburg Hilton Hotel, 620 Perry Parkway, Gaithersburg, Maryland, 20887, USA.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Albert L. Opdenaker, Office of Fusion Energy Sciences, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585-1290; Telephone: 301-903-4927.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Meeting: The major purposes of the meeting are for the Fusion Energy Sciences Advisory Committee (FESAC) to (1) complete the charge to rate the program's progress toward meeting long-range PART measures; (2) review the EPAct-required plan for the participation of U.S. scientists in ITER; and, (3) hear from a small group of FESAC members that was appointed after the last meeting to consider how to address the charge on how the program should evolve over the coming decade taking into account new and upgraded international experiments, and how the U.S. program should prepare to make the transition to ITER.

Tentative Agenda

Thursday, June 1, 2006:

- Complete the charge on assessing the program's progress toward achieving long-range PART measures.
- Review the EPAct-required plan for the participation of U.S. Scientists in ITER.