

Notice to Interested Persons

All interested persons are invited to submit written comments or requests for a hearing on the pending amendment to the address above, within the time frame set forth above, after the publication of this proposed amendment in the **Federal Register**. All comments will be made a part of the record. Comments received will be available for public inspection with the Application at the address set forth above. Written comments and requests for a hearing should be received by the Department on or before October 27, 2006.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Wendy M. McColough of the Department, telephone (202) 693-8540. (This is not a toll-free number.)

General Information

The attention of interested persons is directed to the following:

(1) The fact that a transaction is the subject of an exemption under section 408(a) of the Act and/or section 4975(c)(2) of the Code does not relieve a fiduciary or other party in interest or disqualified person from certain other provisions of the Act and/or the Code, including any prohibited transaction provisions to which the exemption does not apply and the general fiduciary responsibility provisions of section 404 of the Act, which, among other things, require a fiduciary to discharge his duties respecting the plan solely in the interest of the participants and beneficiaries of the plan and in a prudent fashion in accordance with section 404(a)(1)(b) of the Act; nor does it affect the requirement of section 401(a) of the Code that the plan must operate for the exclusive benefit of the employees of the employer maintaining the plan and their beneficiaries;

(2) Before an exemption may be granted under section 408(a) of the Act and/or section 4975(c)(2) of the Code, the Department must find that the exemption is administratively feasible, in the interests of the plan and of its participants and beneficiaries, and protective of the rights of participants and beneficiaries of the plan;

(3) The proposed exemptions, if granted, will be supplemental to, and not in derogation of, any other provisions of the Act and/or the Code, including statutory or administrative exemptions and transitional rules. Furthermore, the fact that a transaction is subject to an administrative or statutory exemption is not dispositive of whether the transaction is in fact a prohibited transaction; and

(4) The proposed exemptions, if granted, will be subject to the express condition that the material facts and representations contained in each application are true and complete, and that each application accurately describes all material terms of the transaction which is the subject of the exemption.

Ivan Strasfeld,

*Director of Exemption Determinations,
Employee Benefits Security Administration,
U.S. Department of Labor.*

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THE NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES**Meetings of Humanities Panel**

AGENCY: The National Endowment for the Humanities.

ACTION: Notice of Meetings.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), notice is hereby given that the following meetings of Humanities Panels will be held at the Old Post Office, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Heather Gottry, Acting Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Humanities, Washington, DC 20506; telephone (202) 606-8322. Hearing-impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Endowment's TDD terminal on (202) 606-8282.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed meetings are for the purpose of panel review, discussion, evaluation and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the agency by the grant applicants. Because the proposed meetings will consider information that is likely to disclose trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential and/or information of a personal nature the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, pursuant to authority granted me by the Chairman's Delegation of Authority to Close Advisory Committee meetings, dated July 19, 1993, I have determined that these meetings will be closed to the

public pursuant to subsections (c) (4) and (6) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

1. **Date:** October 3, 2006.

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for U.S. History II, submitted to the Division of Preservation and Access at the July 25, 2006 deadline.

2. **Date:** October 11, 2006.

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for World Studies I, submitted to the Division of Preservation and Access at the July 25, 2006 deadline.

3. **Date:** October 17, 2006.

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Science, Technology, Philosophy, submitted to the Division of Preservation and Access at the July 25, 2006 deadline.

4. **Date:** October 19, 2006.

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Archaeology/Anthropology, submitted to the Division of Preservation and Access at the July 25, 2006 deadline.

5. **Date:** October 24, 2006.

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Music/Dance, submitted to the Division of Preservation and Access at the July 25, 2006 deadline.

6. **Date:** October 31, 2006.

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Linguistics, submitted to the Division of Preservation and Access at the July 25, 2006 deadline.

Heather Gottry,

Acting Advisory Committee, Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION**Advisory Committee for Biological Sciences (BIO); Notice of Meeting**

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Advisory Committee for Biological Sciences (BIO) (1110).