

Dated: February 29, 2008.

**Connie M. Downs,**

*OPIC Corporate Secretary.*

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## OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

### March 21, 2008, Board of Directors Meeting

**TIME AND DATE:** Friday, March 21, 2008, 10 a.m. (Closed Portion).

**PLACE:** Offices of the Corporation, Twelfth Floor Board Room, 1100 New York Avenue, NW., Washington, DC.

**STATUS:** Closed session will commence at 10 a.m. (approx.)

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** (Closed to the Public 10 a.m.)

1. Finance Project—West Bank.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Information on the meeting may be obtained from Connie M. Downs at (202) 336-8438.

Dated: February 29, 2008.

**Connie M. Downs,**

*Corporate Secretary, Overseas Private Investment Corporation.*

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## OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

### Proposed Collection; Comment Request for Review of an Existing Information Collection: Court Orders Affecting Retirement Benefits, 5 CFR 838.221, 838.421, and 838.721

**AGENCY:** Office of Personnel Management.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, May 22, 1995), this notice announces that the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) intends to submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request for review of an existing information collection. The regulations describe how former spouses give us written notice of a court order requiring us to pay benefits to the former spouse. Specific information is needed before OPM can make court-ordered benefit payments.

*Comments are particularly invited on:* Whether this collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of functions of the Office of Personnel Management, and whether it will have practical utility; whether our estimate of

the public burden of this collection of information is accurate, and based on valid assumptions and methodology; and ways in which we can minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, through the use of appropriate technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Approximately 19,000 former spouses apply for benefits based on court orders annually. We estimate it takes approximately 30 minutes to collect the information. The annual burden is 9,500 hours.

For copies of this proposal, contact Mary Beth Smith-Toomey on (202) 606-8358, FAX (202) 418-3251 or via E-mail to *MaryBeth.Smith-Toomey@opm.gov*. Please include a mailing address with your request.

**DATES:** Comments on this proposal should be received within 60 calendar days from the date of this publication.

**ADDRESSES:** Send or deliver comments to—Ronald W. Melton, Deputy Assistant Director, Retirement Services Program, Center for Retirement and Insurance Services, U.S. Office of Personnel Management, 1900 E Street, NW., Room 3305, Washington, DC 20415-3500.

*For Information Regarding Administrative Coordination—Contact:* Cyrus S. Benson, Team Leader, Publications Team, RIS Support Services/Support Group, (202) 606-0623.

U.S. Office of Personnel Management.

**Howard Weizmann,**

*Deputy Director.*

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## OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

### Excepted Service

**AGENCY:** U.S. Office of Personnel Management (OPM).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This gives notice of OPM decisions granting authority to make appointments under Schedules A, B, and C in the excepted service as required by 5 CFR 6.6 and 213.103.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** C. Penn, Group Manager, Executive Resources Services Group, Center for Human Resources, Division for Human Capital Leadership and Merit System Accountability, 202-606-2246.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Appearing in the listing below are the individual authorities established under Schedules A, B, and C between January 1, 2008,

and January 31, 2008. Future notices will be published on the fourth Tuesday of each month, or as soon as possible thereafter. A consolidated listing of all authorities as of June 30 is published each year.

### Schedule A

No Schedule A appointments were approved for January 2008.

### Schedule B

No Schedule B appointments were approved for January 2008.

### Schedule C

The following Schedule C appointments were approved during January 2008.

*Section 213.3303 Executive Office of the President*

*Office of Science and Technology Policy*

TSGS80001 Policy Assistant to the Chief of Staff and General Counsel. Effective January 03, 2008.

*Office of National Drug Control Policy*

QQGS80003 Confidential Assistant to the Director to the Deputy Chief of Staff. Effective January 09, 2008.

QQGS80004 Policy Analyst to the Chief of Staff. Effective January 25, 2008.

*Office of the United States Trade Representative*

TNGS80001 Speechwriter to the Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Public/Media Affairs. Effective January 18, 2008.

*Section 213.3304 Department of State*

DSGS60990 Senior Advisor to the Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs. Effective January 08, 2008.

DSGS61277 Senior Advisor to the Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs. Effective January 15, 2008.

DSGS61278 Special Assistant to the Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs. Effective January 15, 2008.

DSGS61274 Special Assistant to the Chief of Protocol. Effective January 16, 2008.

DSGS61273 Public Affairs Specialist to the Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs. Effective January 17, 2008.

DSGS61251 Staff Assistant to the Director, Policy Planning Staff. Effective January 23, 2008.

DSGS61051 Staff Assistant to the Senior Advisor to the Secretary and White House Liaison. Effective January 24, 2008.