Board will also discuss plans for future consideration of scientific and technical aspects of specific strategies, tactics, and policies as they may affect the U. S. national defense posture and homeland security.

In accordance with section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. No. 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. 2) and 41 CFR 102-3.155, the Department of Defense has determined that these Defense Science Board Quarterly meeting will be closed to the public. Specifically, the Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology and Logistics), with the coordination of the DoD Office of General Counsel, has determined in writing that all sessions of these meetings will be closed to the public because they will be concerned throughout with matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1).

Interested persons may submit a written statement for consideration by the Defense Science Board. Individuals submitting a written statement must submit their statement to the Designated Federal Official at the address detailed above, at any point, however, if a written statement is not received at least 10 calendar days prior to the meeting, which is the subject of this notice, then it may not be provided to or considered by the Defense Science Board. The Designated Federal Official will review all timely submissions with the Defense Science Board Chairperson, and ensure they are provided to members of the Defense Science Board before the meeting that is the subject of this notice.

Dated: April 16, 2008.

Patricia L. Toppings,

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Meeting of the Secretary of Defense's Defense Advisory Board for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve (DAB–ESGR)

AGENCY: Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the DAB–ESGR. This meeting will focus on the status of DoD actions and recommendations from previous DAB meetings, and discussion of the board's mission and future goals. This meeting is open to the public.

DATES: May 21, 2008 (8:30 a.m.**≭**4:45 p.m.)

ADDRESSES: Alexandria Room, Marriott Crystal Gateway, 1700 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Interested attendees may contact MAJ Elaine M. Gullotta at 703–696–1385 ext 540, or e-mail at *elaine.gullotta@osd.mil.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Agenda

- 8:30 Convene, (Mr. James G. Rebholz, Chairman).
- 8:35 Oath of Office (Mr. Frank Wilson).
- 8:40 Minutes approval, Due Outs from last meeting (Mr. James G. Rebholz, Chairman).
- 8:50 Review and discussion of DAB Nomination List (Mr. James G. Rebholz, Chairman).
- 9:30 Vice Admiral John G. Cotton, Chief of Navy Reserve, Commander, Navy Reserve Force.
- 10:45 Break.
- 11:00 Institute for Defense Analyses, Briefing (Mr. Colin Doyle).
- 12:00 Working Lunch (Discussion and Selection of DAB Nominees) (Mr. James G. Rebholz, Chairman).
- 1:30 Mr. Paul Wagner Presentation.2:45 Board Discussion, Due Outs-
- Subcommittee tasks (Mr. James G. Rebholz, Chairman).
- 3:30 Break.
- 4:00 Summary of Proceedings, administrative announcements.
- 4:45 Adjourn.
- Dated: April 16, 2008.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Threat Reduction Advisory Committee Closed Meeting

AGENCY: Defense Threat Reduction Agency, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology and Logistics); Department of Defense. **ACTION:** Federal Advisory Committee meeting notice.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (5 U.S.C., Appendix, as amended) and the Sunshine Act of 1976 (5 U.S.C. 552b, as amended) the Department of Defense announces the following

Federal advisory committee meeting of the Threat Reduction Advisory Committee (hereafter referred to as the Committee).

DATES: Thursday, May 8, 2008, (8 a.m. to 4 p.m.).

ADDRESSES: Defense Threat Reduction Agency, Defense Threat Reduction Center Building, Brittigan Conference Room, Room 1252, 8725 John J. Kingman Road, Fort Belvoir, Virginia 22060–6201.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Contact Mr. Eric Wright, Defense Threat Reduction Agency/AST, 8725 John J. Kingman Road, MS 6201, Fort Belvoir, VA 22060–6201, Phone: (703) 767–5717, Fax: (703) 767–5701, E-mail: *eric.wright@dtra.mil.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of Meeting: To obtain, review and evaluate information related to the Committee's mission to advise on technology security, combating weapons of mass destruction (WMD), chemical and biological defense, transformation of the nuclear weapons stockpile, and other matters related to the Defense Threat Reduction Agency's mission.

Meeting Agenda: The Committee will receive summaries of current activities related to combating WMD as well as nuclear deterrent transformation activities from the USD AT&L, ATSD(NCB) and Director of DTRA. Panel summaries from five ad-hoc working Panels (Chemical-Biological Warfare Defense, Systems and Technology, Combating Weapons of Mass Destruction, Nuclear Deterrent Transformation, and Intelligence) will be provided for committee discussion.

Meeting Accessibility: Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b, as amended, and 41 CFR 102–3.155, the Department of Defense has determined that the meeting shall be closed to the public. The Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology and Logistics), in consultation with the Office of the DoD General Counsel, has determined in writing that the public interest requires that all sessions of this meeting be closed to the public because they will be concerned with matters listed in section § 552b(c)(1) of title 5, United States Code.

Written Statements: Pursuant to 41 CFR 102–3.105(j) and 102–3.140, the public or interested organizations may submit written statements to the membership of the Committee at any time or in response to the stated agenda of a planned meeting. Written statements should be submitted to the Committee's Designated Federal Officer; the Designated Federal Officer's contact information can be obtained from the