

these species in the action area; therefore, none will be affected. On April 9, 2009, the USMC requested subsequent Section 7 consultation as the aforementioned BiOp was written in 2002. That consultation request is currently being examined by NMFS' Endangered Species Division.

National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)

On February 11, 2009, the USMC issued a Finding of No Significant Impact for its Environmental Assessment (EA) on MCAS Cherry Point Range Operations. Based on the analysis of the EA, the USMC determined that the proposed action will not have a significant impact on the human environment. If adequate and appropriate, NMFS intends to adopt the USMC's EA to allow NMFS to meet its responsibilities under NEPA for the issuance of an IHA. If the USMC's EA is not adequate, NMFS will supplement the existing analysis and documents to ensure that we comply with NEPA prior to the issuance of the IHA.

Dated: June 1, 2010.

**James H. Lecky,**

*Director, Office of Protected Resources,  
National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Defense Science Board

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense (DoD).  
**ACTION:** Notice of advisory committee meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Defense Science Board Task Force on the Survivability of DoD Systems and Assets to Electromagnetic Pulse (EMP) and other Nuclear Weapons Effects will meet in closed session on July 15 and 16, 2010, at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. The Task Force will receive, review and discuss presentations on: findings and recommendations of the Congressional EMP Commission, the Defense Science Board Threat Reduction Advisory Committee (TRAC) Task Force findings, recommendations and progress; implementation to date of DoD Instruction 3150.09; the SECDEF 2009 Report to Congress on EMP Survivability; 2010 Strategic Test Resource Management Center Plan for Nuclear Weapons Effects test & evaluation resources; DTRA-NNSA MOU and Joint Program Plan; DoD component updates; and discussion of future activities.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on July 15 and 16, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at the Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA), Defense Threat Reduction Center Building, Brittigan Conference Room, 1252, 8725 John J. Kingman Road, Fort Belvoir, Virginia 22060-6201.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** LTC Karen Walters, USA, Defense Science Board, 3140 Defense Pentagon, Room 3B888A, Washington, DC 20301-3140, via e-mail at [karen.walters@osd.mil](mailto:karen.walters@osd.mil), or via phone at (703) 571-0082.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The mission of the Defense Science Board is to advise the Secretary of Defense and the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology & Logistics on scientific and technical matters as they affect the perceived needs of the Department of Defense. At these meetings, the Defense Science Board Task Force will act as an independent sounding board to the Joint IED organization by providing feedback at quarterly intervals; and develop strategic and operational plans, examining the goals, process and substance of the plans.

The task force's findings and recommendations, pursuant to 41 CFR 102-3.140 through 102-3.165, will be presented and discussed by the membership of the Defense Science Board prior to being presented to the Government's decision maker.

Pursuant to 41 CFR 102-3.120 and 102-3.150, the Designated Federal Officer for the Defense Science Board will determine and announce in the **Federal Register** when the findings and recommendations of the July 15-16, 2010, meeting are deliberated by the Defense Science Board.

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 (*see FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT*), 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: June 3, 2010.

**Mitchell S. Bryman,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DOD-2010-OS-0075]

#### Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Notice to amend a system of records.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of the Secretary of Defense is proposing to amend a system of records notice in its existing inventory of records systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended.

**DATES:** The changes will be effective on July 8, 2010, unless comments are received that would result in a contrary determination.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

- *Federal Rulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
- *Mail:* Federal Docket Management System Office, 1160 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1160.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name and docket number for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Cindy Allard at (703) 588-6830.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Office of the Secretary of Defense systems of records notices subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, have been published in the **Federal Register** and are available from the Chief, OSD/JS Privacy Office, Freedom of Information Directorate, Washington Headquarters Services, 1155 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1155.

The specific changes to the records system being amended is set forth below followed by the notice, as amended, published in its entirety. The proposed

amendment is not within the purview of subsection (r) of the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, which requires the submission of a new or altered system report.

Dated: June 3, 2010.

**Mitchell S. Bryman,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

#### **WUSU 07**

##### **SYSTEM NAME:**

USUHS Grievance Records (August 9, 1993; 58 FR 42304).

##### **CHANGES:**

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##### **SYSTEM LOCATION:**

Delete entry and replace with "Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Civilian Human Resources Directorate (CHR), 4301 Jones Bridge Road, Bethesda, MD 20814-4712."

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##### **AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:**

Delete entry and replace with "5 U.S.C. 7121, Grievance Procedures; DoD 1400.25-M, Subchapter 771, Administrative Grievance System; and E.O. 9397 (SSN) as amended."

##### **PURPOSE(S):**

Delete entry and replace with "To track, analyze and mitigate informal grievances filed by Uniformed Services University on employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement. Utilizing this information allows Uniformed Services University civilian personnel employer relations officers to track grievances, to analyze findings from an investigation, and to research the success and/or failure of mitigation efforts. The information is collected and used by Civilian Personnel Employee Relations Officers."

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##### **RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:**

Delete entry and replace with "Pending. Until approved by the National Archives & Records Administration (NARA). All data must be retained indefinitely until scheduled with NARA."

##### **SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:**

Delete entry and replace with "Director, Civilian Human Resources Directorate, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, 4301 Jones Bridge Road, Bethesda, MD 20814-4712."

##### **NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:**

Delete entry and replace with "Individuals seeking to determine

whether information about themselves is contained in this system should address written inquiries to the Director, Civilian Human Resources Directorate, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, 4301 Jones Bridge Road, Bethesda, MD 20814-4712.

The request should contain the full name, address and the signature of the subject individual."

##### **RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:**

Delete entry and replace with "Individuals seeking access to information about themselves contained in this system should address written inquiries to the TRICARE Management Activity, Freedom of Information Act Requester Service, 16401 Centretech Parkway, Aurora, CO 80011-9066.

The request should contain the full name, address and the signature of the subject individual."

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#### **WUSU 07**

##### **SYSTEM NAME:**

USUHS Grievance Records.

##### **SYSTEM LOCATION:**

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##### **CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:**

Current and former civilian Federal employees that have submitted grievances.

##### **CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:**

Individual name, address, date of birth, all documents related to the alleged grievance, including statements of witnesses, reports of interviews and hearings, examiners findings and recommendations, a copy of the original and final decisions, and related correspondence and exhibits.

##### **AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:**

5 U.S.C. 7121, Grievance Procedures; DoD 1400.25-M, Subchapter 771, Administrative Grievance System; and E.O. 9397 (SSN) as amended.

##### **PURPOSE(S):**

To track, analyze and mitigate informal grievances filed by Uniformed Services University on employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement. Utilizing this information allows Uniformed Services University civilian personnel employer relations officers to track grievances, to analyze findings from an investigation, and to research the success and/or failure of mitigation efforts. The information is

collected and used by Civilian Personnel Employee Relations Officers.

##### **ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:**

In addition to those disclosures generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. 552a(b) of the Privacy Act of 1974, these records contained therein may specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3).

The DoD "Blanket Routine Uses" set forth at the beginning of the Office of the Secretary of Defense/Joint Staff compilation of the systems of record notices apply to this system.

##### **STORAGE:**

Paper file folders.

##### **RETRIEVABILITY:**

Individual's last name.

##### **SAFEGUARDS:**

Records are maintained in locked file cabinets, with access restricted to authorized Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences employees who have a demonstrated need-to-know.

##### **RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:**

Pending. Until approved by the National Archives & Records Administration (NARA). All data must be retained indefinitely until scheduled with NARA.

##### **SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:**

Director, Civilian Human Resources Directorate, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, 4301 Jones Bridge Road, Bethesda, MD 20814-4712.

##### **NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:**

Individuals seeking to determine whether information about themselves is contained in this system should address written inquiries to the Director, Civilian Human Resources Directorate, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, 4301 Jones Bridge Road, Bethesda, MD 20814-4712.

The request should contain the full name, address and the signature of the subject individual.

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Individuals seeking access to information about themselves contained in this system should address written inquiries to the TRICARE Management Activity, Freedom of Information Act Requester Service, 16401 Centretech Parkway, Aurora, CO 80011-9066.

The request should contain the full name, address and the signature of the subject individual.

**CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:**

The Office of the Secretary of Defense rules for accessing records, for contesting contents and appealing initial agency determinations are published in OSD Administrative Instruction 81; 32 CFR part 311; or may be obtained from the system manager.

**RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:**

Information in this system of records is obtained from the individual on whom the record is maintained; testimony of witnesses; agency officials; and related correspondence from organizations or persons.

**EXEMPTIONS CLAIMED FOR THE SYSTEM:**

None.

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Department of the Army; Corps of Engineers**

**Notice of Intent To Grant Partially Exclusive License of the United States Patent Application No. 12/243,084, Filed October 01, 2008, Entitled: Soluble Salt Produced From a Biopolymer and a Process for Producing the Salt**

**AGENCY:** Department of the Army, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice of intent.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with 37 CFR 404.7(a)(1)(i), announcement is made of a prospective exclusive license of the following U.S. Patent Application 12/243,084 Filed October 1, 2008.

**DATES:** Written objections must be filed not later than 15 days following publication of this announcement.

**ADDRESSES:** United States Army Engineer Research and Development Center, ATTN: CEERD-ZA-T (Ms. Bea Shahin), 2902 Newmark Drive, Champaign, IL 6182-1076.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Bea Shahin (217) 373-7234, FAX (217) 373-7210, e-mail: [Bea.S.Shahin@usace.army.mil](mailto:Bea.S.Shahin@usace.army.mil).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This patent application claims a method by which a biologically natural material can be produced in bioreactors and transformed for use as a dry solid. The resulting biopolymer material can be used in place of synthetic, petroleum-based polymers for soil amendment applications to achieve increased soil strength, reduced air transport, and decreased soil erosion. During processing, the biopolymer also can be

functionalized to improve its adsorption of heavy metals.

**Brenda S. Bowen,**

*Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Department of the Navy**

**Meeting of the Chief of Naval Operations Executive Panel**

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice of closed meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) Executive Panel will report on the findings and recommendations of "The Navy's Future Role in the Middle East" Subcommittee to the Chief of Naval Operations. The meeting will consist of discussions of current and future Navy strategy; plans, and policies in support of U.S. deterrence planning; crisis management; and conflict escalation and control.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on June 28, 2010, from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held in the Boardroom at CNA, 4825 Mark Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22311-1846.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** CDR Eric Taylor, CNO Executive Panel, 4825 Mark Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22311-1846, 703-681-4909.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. App.), these matters constitute classified information that are specifically authorized by Executive Order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense and are, in fact, properly classified pursuant to such Executive Order. Accordingly, the Secretary of the Navy 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.

Individuals or interested groups may submit written statements for consideration by the CNO Executive Panel at any time or in response to the agenda of a scheduled meeting. All requests must be submitted to the Designated Federal Officer at the address detailed below.

If the written statement is in response to the agenda mentioned in this meeting notice then the statement, if it is to be considered by the Panel for this

meeting, must be received at least five days prior to the meeting in question.

The Designated Federal Officer will review all timely submissions with the CNO Executive Panel Chairperson, and ensure they are provided to members of the CNO Executive Panel before the meeting that is the subject of this notice.

To contact the Designated Federal Officer, write to Executive Director, CNO Executive Panel (N00K), 4825 Mark Center Drive, 2nd Floor, Alexandria, VA 22311-1846.

Dated: June 2, 2010.

**A.M. Vallandingham,**

*Lieutenant Commander, Office of the Judge Advocate General, U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Department of the Army**

**Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation Board of Visitors; Meeting**

**AGENCY:** Department of the Army, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice sets forth the schedule and summary agenda for the summer meeting of the Board of Visitors (BoV) for the Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation (WHINSEC). Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463). The Board's charter was renewed on March 18, 2010 in compliance with the requirements set forth in Title 10 U.S.C. 2166.

**Date:** Thursday, June 17, 2010.

**Time:** 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Location:** 2212 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC.

**Proposed Agenda:** The WHINSEC BoV will be briefed on activities at the Institute since the last Board meeting on December 4, 2009 as well as receive other information appropriate to its interests.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** WHINSEC Board of Visitors Secretariat at (703) 692-7373 or (913) 526-0377.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The meeting is open to the public. Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 and 41 CFR 102-3.140(c), members of the public or interested groups may submit written statements to the advisory committee for consideration by the committee members. Written statements should be no longer than two type-written pages and sent via fax to (703) 614-8920 by