form, a personal essay describing career goals, a parent/guardian permission form for parents to sign approving the child's participation, and a teacher recommendation.

## **II. Method of Collection**

NASA will utilize a Web-base application form with instructions and other application materials also on-line. However, once the application form and other application materials are down loaded and filled out, the package is mailed in to NASA.

#### III. Data

*Title:* INSPIRE (Interdisciplinary National Science Program Incorporating Research and Education Experience) Application.

*OMB Number:* 2700–0133.

*Type of review:* New Collection. *Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 2000.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 2 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 4000.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: \$0.

## **IV. Request for Comments**

Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of NASA, including whether the information collected has practical utility; (2) the accuracy of NASA's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection. They will also become a matter of public record.

#### Lori Parker,

PRA Clearance Officer.

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# NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice: (10-128)]

## **Notice of Information Collection**

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection.

**SUMMARY:** The National Aeronautics and Space Administration, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13, 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

**DATES:** All comments should be submitted within 60 calendar days from the date of this publication.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments should be addressed to Lori Parker, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546–0001.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Lori Parker, NASA PRA Officer, NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street, SW., JF0000, Washington, DC 20546, (202) 358–1351, Lori.Parker@nasa.gov.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### I. Abstract

This information collection has to do with recordkeeping and reporting required to ensure proper accounting of Federal funds and property provided under NASA cooperative agreements with commercial firms.

## **II. Method of Collection**

Electronic funds transfer is used for payment under Treasury guidance. In addition, NASA encourages the use of computer technology and is participating in Federal efforts to extend the use of information technology to more Government processes via the Internet. Specifically, progress has been made in the area of property reporting, most of it being done electronically.

#### III. Data

*Title:* Cooperative Agreements with Commercial Firms.

OMB Number: 2700–0092.

*Type of review:* Revision of Currently Approved Collection.

*Affected Public:* Business or other forprofit.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 288.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 1496.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost to Government:* **\$0**.

#### **IV. Request for Comments**

Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information

is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of NASA, including whether the information collected has practical utility; (2) the accuracy of NASA's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection. They will also become a matter of public record.

#### Lori Parker,

NASA PRA Clearance Officer. [FR Doc. 2010–26201 Filed 10–18–10; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7510–13–P

#### NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

#### Notice of Intent To Seek Approval To Renew an Information Collection

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation. **ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The National Science Foundation (NSF) is announcing plans to request clearance of this collection. In accordance with the requirement of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13), we are providing opportunity for public comment on this action. After obtaining and considering public comment, NSF will prepare the submission requesting that OMB approve clearance of this collection for no longer than 3 years. **DATES:** Written comments on this notice must be received by December 20, 2010

to be assured of consideration. Comments received after that date will be considered to the extent practicable. *For Additional Information or* 

*Comments:* Contact Suzanne H. Plimpton, Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 295, Arlington, Virginia 22230; telephone (703) 292– 7556; or send e-mail to *splimpto@nsf.gov.* You also may obtain a copy of the data collection instrument and instructions from Ms. Plimpton.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title of Collection:* Medical Clearance Process for Deployment to Antarctica. *OMB Number:* 3145–0177.

*Expiration Date of Approval:* January 31, 2011.

*Type of Request:* Intent to seek approval to renew an information collection for three years.

#### Abstract

A. Proposed Project: All individuals who anticipate deploying to Antarctica under the auspices of the United States Antarctic Program and to certain regions of the Arctic are required to take and pass a rigorous physical examination prior to deploying. The physical examination includes a medical history, medical examination, a dental examination and a psychological examination for those persons planning to winter over in Antarctica. The requirement for this determination of physical status is found in 42 U.S.C. 1870 (Authority) and 62 FR 31522, June 10, 1997 (Source), unless otherwise noted. This part sets forth the procedures for medical screening to determine whether candidates for participation in the United States Antarctic [[Page 216]] Program (USAP) are physically qualified and psychologically adapted for assignment or travel to Antarctica. Medical screening examinations are necessary to determine the presence of any physical or psychological conditions that would threaten the health or safety of the candidate or other participants or that could not be effectively treated by the limited medical care capabilities in Antarctica or in Greenland.

(b) Presidential Memorandum No. 6646 (February 5, 1982) (available from the National Science Foundation, Office of Polar Programs, Room 755, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230) sets forth the National Science Foundation's overall management responsibilities for the entire United States national program in Antarctica. Section 107.(a) of Public Law 98–373 (July 31, 1984; amended as Public Law 101-609-November 16, 1990) (available from the National Science Foundation, Office of Polar Programs, Room 755, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230) designates the National Science Foundation as the lead agency responsible for implementing Arctic research policy, and the Director of the National Science Foundation shall insure that the requirements of section 108 are fulfilled. B. Use of the Information:

1. Form NSF-1420, National Science Foundation—Polar Physical Examination (Antarctica/Arctic/Official Visitors) Medical History, will be used by the individual to record the individual's family and personal medical histories. It is a nine-page form that includes the individual's and the individual's emergency point-ofcontact's name, address, and telephone

numbers. It contains the individual's email address, employment affiliation and dates and locations of current and previous polar deployments. It also includes a signed certification of the accuracy of the information and understandings of refusal to provide the information or providing false information. The agency's contractor's reviewing physician and medical staff complete the sections of the form that indicated when the documents were received and whether or not the person qualified for polar deployment, in which season and which location qualified to deploy and where disqualified, the reasons.

2. Form NSF-1421, Polar Physical Examination—Antarctica/Arctic, will be used by the individual's physician to document specific medical examination results and the overall status of the individual's health. It is a two-page form which also provides for the signatures of both the patient and the examining physician, as well as contact information about the examining physician. Finally, it contains the name, address and telephone number of the agency's contractor that collects and retains the information.

3. Form NSF-1422, National Science Foundation Polar Physical Examination (Antarctica/Arctic/Official Visitors) Medical History Interval Screening, has been discontinued. It was previously used to document changes in family and personal history for those healthy individuals who are under age 40 and had no adverse personal medical information to report for the preceding year.

4. Form NSF-1423, Polar Dental Examination—Antarctica/Arctic/Official Visitors, will be used by the examining dentist to document the status of the individual's teeth and gums and to document when the individual was examined. It will also be used by the contractor's reviewing dentist to document whether or not the individual is dentally cleared to deploy to the Polar regions.

5. *Medical Waivers:* Any individual who is determined to be not physically qualified for polar deployment may request an administrative waiver of the medical screening criteria. This information includes signing a Request for Waiver that is notarized or otherwise legally acceptable in accordance with penalty of perjury statutes, and obtaining an Employer Statement of Support. Individuals on a case-by-case basis may also be asked to submit additional medical documentation and a letter from the individual's physician(s) regarding the individual's medical condition and his or her suitability for Antarctic deployment.

6. Other information requested: In addition to the numbered forms and other information mentioned above, the USAP medical screening package includes the following:

• The Medical Risks for NSF-Sponsored Personnel Traveling to Antarctica or Greenland

the NSF Privacy Notice

• the NSF Medical Screening for Blood-Borne Pathogens/Consent for HIV Testing

• the NSF Authorization for Treatment of Field-Team Member/ Participant Under the Age of 18 Years. This form will only be sent to the individuals who are under 18 years of age.

• the Dear Doctor and Dear Dentist letters, which provide specific laboratory and x-ray requirements, as well as other instructions.

• the influenza vaccination requirement letter.

7. There are two other, non-medical forms included in the mailing:

• the Personal Information Form— NSF Form Number 1424 includes a Privacy Act Notice. This form is used to collect information on current address and contact numbers, date and place of birth, nationality, citizenship, emergency point of contact information, travel dates, clothing sizes so that we may properly outfit those individuals who deploy, work-site information and prior deployment history.

• the Participant Notifications— Important Notice for Participants in the United States Antarctic or Arctic Program. These forms provide information on the laws, of the nations through which program participants must transit en route to Antarctica or Greenland, regarding the transport, possession and use of illegal substances and the possibility of criminal prosecution if caught, tried and convicted.

*Estimate of Burden:* Public reporting burden for this collection of information varies according to the overall health of the individual, the amount of research required to complete the forms, the time it takes to make an appointment, take the examination and schedule and complete any follow-up medical, dental or psychological requirements, the method used to complete the forms and the completeness of the forms submitted. The estimated time is up to six weeks from the time the individual receives the forms until he or she is notified by the contractor of their final clearance status. An additional period of up to eight weeks may be required for the individual who was disqualified to

be notified of the disqualification, to request and receive the waiver packet, to obtain employer support and complete the waiver request, to do any follow-up testing, to return the waiver request to the contractor plus any follow-up information, for the contractor to get the completed packet to the National Science Foundation, and for NSF to make and promulgate a decision.

*Respondents:* All individuals deploying to the Antarctic under the auspices of the United States Antarctic Program and certain Arctic areas must complete these forms. There are approximately 3,000 submissions per year, with a small percentage (c.3%) under the age of 40 who provide annual submissions but with less information.

*Estimated Number of Responses per Form:* Responses range from 2 to approximately 238 responses.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 28,728 hours; fewer if the individual has previously deployed and saved his or her prior year's data for future use.

Frequency of Responses: Physical qualifications are valid for 12 months. Individuals must complete the forms annually or not earlier than six months prior to their anticipated deployment date, if they are infrequent travelers. Depending on individual medical status some persons may require additional laboratory results to be current within two to six-weeks of anticipated deployment.

Comments: Comments are invited on (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques, or other forms of information technology.

Dated: October 14, 2010.

## Suzanne H. Plimpton,

Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation.

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC-2010-0327]

## Biweekly Notice; Applications and Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses Involving No Significant Hazards Considerations

#### I. Background

Pursuant to section 189a.(2) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission or NRC) is publishing this regular biweekly notice. The Act requires the Commission publish notice of any amendments issued, or proposed to be issued and grants the Commission the authority to issue and make immediately effective any amendment to an operating license upon a determination by the Commission that such amendment involves no significant hazards consideration, notwithstanding the pendency before the Commission of a request for a hearing from any person.

This biweekly notice includes all notices of amendments issued, or proposed to be issued from September 23, 2010 to October 6, 2010. The last biweekly notice was published on October 5, 2010, (75 FR 61521).

Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses, Proposed No Significant Hazards Consideration Determination, and Opportunity for a Hearing

The Commission has made a proposed determination that the following amendment requests involve no significant hazards consideration. Under the Commission's regulations in Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR), 50.92, this means that operation of the facility in accordance with the proposed amendment would not (1) involve a significant increase in the probability or consequences of an accident previously evaluated; or (2) create the possibility of a new or different kind of accident from any accident previously evaluated; or (3) involve a significant reduction in a margin of safety. The basis for this proposed determination for each amendment request is shown below.

The Commission is seeking public comments on this proposed determination. Any comments received within 30 days after the date of publication of this notice will be considered in making any final determination.

Normally, the Commission will not issue the amendment until the expiration of 60 days after the date of

publication of this notice. The Commission may issue the license amendment before expiration of the 60day period provided that its final determination is that the amendment involves no significant hazards consideration. In addition, the Commission may issue the amendment prior to the expiration of the 30-day comment period should circumstances change during the 30-day comment period such that failure to act in a timely way would result, for example in derating or shutdown of the facility. Should the Commission take action prior to the expiration of either the comment period or the notice period, it will publish in the Federal Register a notice of issuance. Should the Commission make a final No Significant Hazards Consideration Determination, any hearing will take place after issuance. The Commission expects that the need to take this action will occur very infrequently.

Written comments may be submitted by mail to the Chief, Rules, Announcements, and Directives Branch (RADB), TWB-05-B01M, Division of Administrative Services, Office of Administration, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, and should cite the publication date and page number of this Federal **Register** notice. Written comments may also be faxed to the RADB at 301-492-3446. Documents may be examined, and/or copied for a fee, at the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR), located at One White Flint North, Public File Area O1F21, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland.

Within 60 days after the date of publication of this notice, any person(s) whose interest may be affected by this action may file a request for a hearing and a petition to intervene with respect to issuance of the amendment to the subject facility operating license. Requests for a hearing and a petition for leave to intervene shall be filed in accordance with the Commission's "Rules of Practice for Domestic Licensing Proceedings" in 10 CFR Part 2. Interested person(s) should consult a current copy of 10 CFR 2.309, which is available at the Commission's PDR, located at One White Flint North, Public File Area O1F21, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland. Publicly available records will be accessible from the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System's (ADAMS) Public Electronic Reading Room on the Internet at the NRC Web site, http://www.nrc.gov/ reading-rm/doc-collections/cfr/. If a request for a hearing or petition for leave to intervene is filed by the above