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Interested parties are encouraged to send comments to the OMB, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs at the address shown in the **ADDRESSES** section within thirty (30) days of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. In order to help ensure appropriate consideration, comments should mention OMB Control Number 1210-0063. The OMB is particularly interested in comments that:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- 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, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

*Agency:* DOL-EBSA.

*Title of Collection:* Prohibited Transaction Class Exemption 1992-6: Sale of Individual Life Insurance or Annuity Contracts by a Plan.

*OMB Control Number:* 1210-0063.

*Affected Public:* Private Sector—businesses or other for-profits.

*Total Estimated Number of Respondents:* 10,877.

*Total Estimated Number of Responses:* 10,877.

*Total Estimated Annual Time Burden:* 2,175 hours.

*Total Estimated Annual Other Costs Burden:* \$5,656.

Dated: February 9, 2017.

**Michel Smyth,**

*Departmental Clearance Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Advisory Committee for Environmental Research and Education; Notice of Meeting

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

Foundation (NSF) announces the following meeting:

*Name:* Advisory Committee for Environmental Research and Education (#9487).

*Date/Time:* March 29, 2017; 9:00 a.m.–5:30 p.m., March 30, 2017; 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Open.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Stephen Meacham, Senior Staff Associate, Office of Integrative Activities/Office of Director/National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230; (Email: [smeacham@nsf.gov](mailto:smeacham@nsf.gov), Telephone: (703) 292-8040).

*Minutes:* May be obtained from <http://www.nsf.gov/ere/ereweb/minutes.jsp>.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice, recommendations, and oversight concerning support for environmental research and education.

*Agenda:* (Tentative) Approval of minutes from past meetings. Updates on agency support for environmental research and activities. Discussion with NSF Director and Assistant Directors. Discussion of emerging research topics in environmental science, engineering and education. An updated agenda will be available at <http://www.nsf.gov/ere/ereweb/minutes.jsp> approximately one week before the start of the meeting.

Dated: February 13, 2017.

**Crystal Robinson,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Sunshine Act Meetings; National Science Board

The National Science Board (NSB), pursuant to NSF regulations (45 CFR part 614), the National Science Foundation Act, as amended, (42 U.S.C. 1862n-5), and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), hereby gives notice of the scheduling of meetings for the transaction of NSB business as follows:

**DATE AND TIME:** February 21, 2017 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:20 p.m., and February 22, 2017 from 8:15 a.m. to 2:20 p.m. EST.

**PLACE:** These meetings will be held at the NSF headquarters, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 1235, Arlington, VA 22230. All visitors must contact the Board Office (call 703-292-7000 or send an email to [nationalsciencebrd@nsf.gov](mailto:nationalsciencebrd@nsf.gov)) at least 24 hours prior to the meeting and provide your name and organizational

affiliation. Visitors must report to the NSF visitor's desk in the lobby of the 9th and N. Stuart Street entrance to receive a visitor's badge. Due to recent security changes, visitors should allot some extra time for the entrance process.

**WEBCAST INFORMATION:** Public meetings and public portions of meetings will be webcast. To view the meetings, go to <http://www.tvworldwide.com/events/nsf/170221> and follow the instructions.

**UPDATES:** Please refer to the NSB Web site for additional information. Meeting information and schedule updates (time, place, subject matter, and status of meeting) may be found at <http://www.nsf.gov/nsb/meetings/notices.jsp>.

**NOTICE RE MEETING TIME FLEXIBILITY:** The NSB is conducting a pilot project to provide some flexibility around meeting times during the February 2017 meetings. After the first meeting of each day, actual meeting start and end times will be allowed to vary by as much as (but no more than) 15 minutes in either direction. As an example, if a 10:00 meeting finishes at 10:45, the meeting scheduled to begin at 11:00 may begin at 10:45 instead. Similarly, the 10:00 meeting may be allowed to run over by as much as 15 minutes if the meeting chair decides the extra time is warranted. The next meeting will start no later than 11:15. No meeting will start more than 15 minutes away from its originally scheduled start.

NSB is implementing this pilot to improve the quality of NSB and committee discussions, and to make more effective and efficient use of NSB members' limited in-person meeting time. In prior meetings, the NSB has experienced unusable time after short meetings, and has rushed the discussion of important matters to meet the clock.

After the meeting day has begun, please arrive at the NSB boardroom or check the webcast 15 minutes before the scheduled start time of the meeting you wish to observe. Members of the public are invited to provide feedback on the scheduling flexibility pilot. Contact: [nationalsciencebrd@nsf.gov](mailto:nationalsciencebrd@nsf.gov).

**AGENCY CONTACT:** Brad Gutierrez, [bgutierr@nsf.gov](mailto:bgutierr@nsf.gov), 703-292-7000.

**PUBLIC AFFAIRS CONTACT:** Nadine Lymn, [nlymn@nsf.gov](mailto:nlymn@nsf.gov), 703-292-2490.

**STATUS:** Portions open; portions closed.

### Open Sessions

*February 21, 2017*

- 8:00–8:30 a.m. Plenary introduction, NSB Chair and NSF Director Remarks
- 8:30–10:35 a.m. Committee on Awards and Facilities (A&F)
- 10:50–11:50 a.m. Committee on External Engagement (EE)