

NAME: Antarctic Tour Operators Meeting.

DATE AND TIME: July 11, 1996, 9:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

PLACE: National Science Foundation, Room 375, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230.

TYPE OF MEETING: Open.

CONTACT PERSON: Nadene G. Kennedy, Polar Coordination Specialist, Office of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone: 703/306-1033; Fax: 703/306-0139.

PURPOSE OF MEETING: Pursuant to the National Science Foundation's responsibilities under the Antarctic Conservation Act (P.L. 95-541) and the Antarctic Treaty, the U.S. Antarctic Program Managers plan to meet with Antarctic Tour Operators to exchange information concerning dates and procedures for visiting U.S. antarctic stations, review the latest Antarctic Treaty Recommendations concerning the environment and protected sites, and other items designed to protect the Antarctic environment.

Agenda

- Introduction and Overview.
- Review of 1995-96 Visits to McMurdo, Palmer and South Pole Stations.
- Tour Operator's Comments on 1995-96 Season Visits.
- 1996-97 Visits to McMurdo, Palmer and South Pole Stations.
- Report from the International Association of Antarctic Tour Operators (IAATO).
- Information Dissemination.
- Oil Spill Contingency Plans.
- Environmental Impact Assessments.
- Report from the 20th Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting in Utrecht, Netherlands.
- Other Items.

Nadene G. Kennedy,

Polar Coordination Specialist, Office of Polar Programs.

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Special Emphasis Panel in Bioengineering and Environmental Systems; Notice of Meeting

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

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Bioengineering and Environmental Systems (No. 1189).

Date and Time: June 25-26, 1996; 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 530, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: H. Frederick Bowman, program Director, Biomedical Engineering and Research to Aid Persons with Disabilities, Division of Bioengineering and Environmental Systems, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone: (703) 306-1318.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: June 3, 1996.

M. Rebecca Winkler,

Committee Management Officer.

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Special Emphasis Panel in Civil and Mechanical Systems; Notice of Meeting

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

Name and Committee Code: Special Emphasis Panel in Civil and Mechanical Systems #1205.

Date and Time: June 28, 1996, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Place: Room 530, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Priscilla P. Nelson, Program Director Geomechanical, Geotechnical and Geo-environmental, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone (703) 306-1361.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate Unsolicited as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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Committee Management Officer.

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Special Emphasis Panel in Civil and Mechanical Systems; Notice of Meeting

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

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Civil and Mechanical Systems (#1205).

Date and Time: June 24, 1996, 8:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, Room 330, Arlington, VA 22230.

Notice of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Jorn Larsen-Basse, Program Director, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone: (703) 306-1360.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: Review and evaluate Civil and Mechanical Systems NSF IIA proposals.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information, financial data, such as salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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M. Rebecca Winkler,

Committee Management Officer.

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Special Emphasis Panel in Design, Manufacture, and Industrial Innovation; Notice of Meeting

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

Name: Special Emphasis Panel, Design, Manufacture, and Industrial Innovation—(#1194).

Date and Time: June 24, 1996, 8:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Place: Room 370, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Yousef Hashimi, SBIR Program Manager, (703) 306-1391, and Roger Arndt, Program Manager, CTS, (703) 306-1856, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning Phase II Chemistry and Fluid Applicants (Topic #22) proposals submitted to the NSF for financial support.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information, financial data such as

salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: June 3, 1996.

M. Rebecca Winkler,

Committee Management Officer.

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Advisory Committee for Education and Human Resources, Committee of Visitors for Networking Infrastructure for Education and Applications of Advanced Technologies; Notice of Meeting

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

Name: Advisory Committee for Education and Human Resources (#1119).

Date and Time:

June 24, 1996; 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

June 25, 1996; 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Place: Room 855, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Nora Sabelli, Senior Program Director, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 855, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone (703) 306-1651.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide oversight review of the Networking Infrastructure for Education and Applications of Advanced Technologies Programs, REC.

Agenda: To carry out Committee of Visitors review, including examination of decisions on proposals, reviewer comments, and other privileged materials.

Reason for Closing: The meeting is closed to the public because the Committee is reviewing proposal actions that will include privileged intellectual property and personal information that could harm individuals if they were disclosed. If discussions were open to the public, these matters that are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act would be improperly disclosed.

Dated: June 3, 1996.

M. Rebecca Winkler,

Committee Management Officer.

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Advisory Committee for Education and Human Resources; Committee of Visitors; Notice of Meeting

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

Name: Advisory Committee for Education and Human Resources; Committee of Visitors (#1119)

Date and Time: June 25 (8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.); June 26 (8:30 a.m. to adjourn at 12:00 noon).

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Suite 880, Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Richard Anderson, National Science Foundation 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230 (703) 306-1683.

Purpose of Meeting: To carry out Committee of Visitors (COV) review, including examination of decisions on proposals, reviewer comments, and other privileged materials.

Agenda: To review and evaluate the Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCoR) Program and provide assessment of program level technical and managerial matters pertaining to proposal decisions and program operations.

Reason for Closing: The meeting is closed to the public because the Committee is reviewing proposal actions that will include privileged intellectual property and personal information that could harm individuals if they were disclosed. If discussions were open to the public, these matters that are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act would be improperly disclosed.

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M. Rebecca Winkler,

Committee Management Officer.

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Committee on Equal Opportunity in Science and Engineering; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act Pub. L. 92-463, as amended, the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering (CEOSE) (1173).

Date & Time: June 19, 20, and possibly a half-day session on June 21, 1996; 8:30 to 5:00 each day.

Place: Room 375, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Susan Kemnitzer, Executive Secretary, CEOSE, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22210. Phone (703) 306-1382.

Minutes: May be obtained from the Executive Secretary at the above address.

Purpose of Meeting: To plan broader CEOSE participation in the federal sector and to review issues about and assessments of participation rates of all segments of society in science and engineering.

Agenda: To discuss national policy issues, including the importance of science and engineering to the national interest; update on the Affirmative Action Task Force; Report

on Tribally-Controlled College Initiative; Drafting and finalizing Report on Directorate Reviews.

Dated: June 3, 1996.

M. Rebecca Winkler,

Committee Management Officer.

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Special Emphasis Panel in Physics; Notice of Meeting

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

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Physics (#1208).

Date: June 24-25, 1996.

Place: Room 310, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Part open, part closed.

Contact Person: Dr. David Berley, Program Manager, Laser Interferometer Gravitational Observatory, Physics Division, Room 1015, National Science Foundation, 4201 Arlington Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1892.

Purpose of Meeting: To advise NSF on the development of a users program for the Laser Interferometer Gravitational (LIGO), to address the resources, procedures and policies required to select and support the most worthy investigations at LIGO.

Agenda: Open session: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. June 24, 1996. Review of the status of the LIGO, report from the LIGO Research Community, statements of intent from prospective LIGO collaborators and users.

Closed Session: 8:30 a.m.-9:00 a.m. June 24, 1996, Committee organization; 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. June 24, 1996 and 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. June 25, 1996, discussion of individual research plans and formulation of recommendations.

Reason for Closing: The plans being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information prior to the award of grants. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: June 3, 1996.

M. Rebecca Winkler,

Committee Management Officer.

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