Room 5202, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1260.

Name of SEP: Microbiological and Immunological Sciences.

Date: July 23, 1996. Time: 10:00 a.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4180,

Telephone Conference.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Tim Henry, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4180, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1147.

Name of SEP: Microbiological and Immunological Sciences.

Date: July 23, 1996. Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4180,

Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Tim Henry, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4180, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1147.

*Name of SEP:* Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: July 24, 1996. Time: 3:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 5196,

Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Ms. Carol Campbell, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5196, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1257.

Name of SEP: Microbiological and Immunological Sciences.

Date: July 24, 1996. Time: 10:00 a.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4180,

Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Tim Henry, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4180, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1147.

Name of SEP: Microbiological and Immunological Sciences.

nmunological Scienc *Date:* July 24, 1996.

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4180,

Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Tim Henry, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4180, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1147.

Name of SEP: Microbiological and Immunological Sciences.

Date: July 25, 1996. Time: 10:00 a.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4180,

Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Tim Henry, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4180, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1147.

Name of SEP: Microbiological and Immunological Sciences.

Date: July 25, 1996. Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4180,

Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Tim Henry, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4180, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1147.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review Small Business Innovation Research.

Name of SEP: Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: July 18-19, 1996.

Time: 11:00 a.m.

Place: One Washington Circle Hotel,

Washington, DC.

Contact Person: Dr. Anita Sostek, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5202, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1260.

Name of SEP: Microbiological and Immunological Sciences.

Date: July 24-26, 1996.

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Place: Holiday Inn, Chevy Chase, MD. Contact Person: Dr. Martin Slater, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4184, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1149.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.306, 93.333, 93.337, 93.393–93.396, 93.837–93.844, 93.846–93.878, 93.892, 93.893, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: June 24, 1996.

Susan K. Feldman,

Committee Management Officer, NIH. [FR Doc. 96–16714 Filed 6–28–96; 8:45 am]

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# Division of Research Grants; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following Division of Research Grants Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meetings:

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review individual grant applications.

Name of SEP: Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: July 19, 1996.

Time: 2:00 p.m.

*Place:* NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 5196, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Ms. Carol Campbell, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5196, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1257.

Name of SEP: Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: July 30, 1996. Time: 11:30 a.m.

*Place*: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4150, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Marcia Litwack, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4150, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1719. Name of SEP: Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: July 31, 1996.

Time: 2:00 p.m.

*Place:* NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4150, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Marcia Litwack, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4150, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435–1719.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.306, 93.333, 93.337, 93.393-93.396, 93.837-93.844, 93.846-93.878, 93.892, 93.893, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: June 24, 1996.

Susan K. Feldman,

Committee Management Officer, NIH. [FR Doc. 96–16716 Filed 6–28–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4140–01–M

# DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-3960-N-05]

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research; Announcement of Funding Award for the Education Component of the Community Renaissance Fellows Program (CRFP)

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research, HUD.

**ACTION:** Announcement of funding award.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this document notifies the public of the funding award for the education component of the Community Renaissance Fellows Program. This award will be used to develop and offer an education component as part of the Department's new Community Renaissance Fellows Program. Under this program, HUD will create fellowships to foster a cadre of community building professionals who apply the practical experience gained in working on public housing transformation projects and apply this knowledge to other complex neighborhood revitalization projects. The purpose of this document is to

announce the name and address of the awardee and the amount of the award.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Marcia Marker Feld, Ph.D., Director, Office of University Partnerships, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, room 8130, 451 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708–3061. (This is not a toll free number.) A telecommunications device for hearing-and speech-impaired individuals (TTY) is available at 1–800–877–8339 (Federal Information Relay Service).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Community Renaissance Fellows Program (CRFP) is authorized by the Department's FY 1995 Appropriation Act (Pub. L. 103–327, approved September 28, 1994). A notice published in the Federal Register on November 30, 1995 (60 FR 61634) announced the Department's funding of at least 20 Fellows to assist in distressed public housing developments undergoing conversion to mixed-income communities. The Fellows will be trained to become community building experts through on-the-job training with Public Housing Authorities or their private development partners, and through seminars. The curriculum of these seminars must be specially designed for the kinds of experiences the Fellows will have and the expertise they will need. In addition, the faculty and "best practices" professionals brought in to teach the seminars are  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left($ expected to be on the "cutting edge" of their fields.

In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (Pub. L. 101–235, approved December 15, 1989), the Department is publishing details concerning the recipient, as follows:

Award for the Development of the Education Component for the Community Renaissance Fellows Program

Professor Douglas Rae, Yale University, 71 Livingston, New Haven, CT 06511, (203) 432–9899, Amount: \$657,458.

Dated: June 24, 1996.

Michael A. Stegman,

Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research.

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### **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

# Proposed Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs. **ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Interior (Department) announces that an information collection request has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The information collection will be used by tribes to conduct background investigations of individuals whose duties and responsibilities allow them regular contact with or control over Indian children, and to process contracts, grants or compacts for award of funds as mandated by the Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Act (Act), Pub. L. 101-630, 25 U.S.C. 3201-3211. The Department invites comment on the information collection described below.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before August 30, 1996.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Contact Bettie Rushing, Office of Tribal Services, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street, NW, Room 4629 Main Interior Building, Washington, DC 20240, or

 $(202)\ 208-3463.$ 

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

## 1. Information Collection Request

The Department is seeking comments on the following Information Collection Request.

Type of review: New.

Title: (1) Background Investigations of Individuals Whose Duties and Responsibilities Allow Them Regular Contact With or Control Over Indian Children, 25 CFR § 63.15.

(2) Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Program Awards, 25 CFR § 63.33 and 25 CFR § 63.34.

*Effected Entities:* Tribal Governments; Tribal Organizations.

Abstract: The Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) is establishing regulations as mandated by the Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Act. The regulations prescribe minimum standards of character and suitability for employment of individuals whose duties and responsibilities allow them regular contact with or control over Indian children as required by Title IV, Section 408 of the Act, 25 U.S.C. 3207, and establish the method for

distribution of funds to support tribally operated programs to protect Indian children and reduce the incidents of family violence in Indian country as authorized by Title IV, Section 411 of the Act, 25 U.S.C. 3210(f)(3).

The Bureau of Indian Affairs developed the regulations in consultation with tribes. A working group of tribal and BIA representatives developed a draft of each section that was then presented to participants at a national tribal consultation meeting in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, August 31 through September 1, 1994. The Notice of Proposed Rulemaking was published in the Federal Register on September 1, 1995.

Background Investigations of Individuals Whose Duties and Responsibilities Allow Them Regular Contact With or Control Over Indian Children. Indian tribes and tribal organizations receiving funds under the authority of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act or the Tribally Controlled Schools Act of 1988 must conduct a background investigation for individuals whose duties and responsibilities would allow them regular contact with or control over Indian children, and employ only individuals who meet standards of character that are no less stringent than those prescribed for the Bureau of Indian Affairs. Indian tribes and tribal organizations may conduct their own background investigations, contract with private firms, or request the Office of Personnel Management to conduct an investigation. Third party notification or public disclosure is associated with this collection.

Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Program Awards. The Bureau of Indian Affairs will use the application for funding to determine applicant eligibility, scope of service population, safeguard Federal funds and other resources, and administer and evaluate programs. Tribal governments or tribal organizations provide the information by submitting Indian Selfdetermination and Education Assistance Act, Pub. L. 93-638, as amended, 25 U.S.C. § 450 et seq., contract, compact, or grant proposals to the Bureau of Indian Affairs. No third party notification or public disclosure burden is associated with this collection.

In addition to the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act requirements, each applicant must provide the name and address of the agency or official to be responsible for the investigation of reported cases of child abuse and child neglect, the treatment and prevention of