

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Name of Committee:* National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Special Emphasis Panel.

*Dates of Meeting:* November 7, 1996.

*Time:* 8:00 a.m. to adjournment.

*Place of Meeting:* Double Tree Hotel, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852.

*Contact Person:* Ronald Suddendorf, Ph.D., 6000 Executive Blvd. Suite 409, Bethesda, MD 20892-7003, 301-443-6106.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Name of Committee:* National Institute of Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Special Emphasis Panel.

*Dates of Meeting:* November 13, 1996.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m. to adjournment.

*Place of Meeting:* St. James Hotel, 950 24th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20037.

*Contact Person:* Thomas D. Sevy, M.S.W., 6000 Executive Blvd, Suite 409, Bethesda, MD 20892-7003, 301-443-6106.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 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 No. 93.271, Alcohol Research Career Development Awards for Scientists and Clinicians; 93.272, Alcohol National Research Service Awards for Research Training; 93.273 Alcohol Research Programs; 93.891, Alcohol Research Center Grants; National Institutes of Health)

Dated: October 2, 1996.

Paula N. Hayes,

*Acting Committee Management Officer, NIH.*

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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 Small Business Innovation Research.

*Name of SEP:* Behavioral and Neurosciences.

*Date:* November 1, 1996.

*Time:* 8:00 a.m.

*Place:* Holiday Inn—Chevy Chase, Chevy Chase, MD.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Jane Hu, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5168, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1245.

*Name of SEP:* Microbiological and Immunological Sciences.

*Date:* November 13, 1996.

*Time:* 8:00 a.m.

*Place:* Embassy Suites Hotel, Chevy Chase, MD.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Sami Mayyasi, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4194, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1216.

*Name of SEP:* Clinical Sciences.

*Date:* November 14, 1996.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m.

*Place:* Holiday Inn—Chevy Chase, Chevy Chase, MD.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Nancy Shinowara, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5216, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1173.

*Name of SEP:* Biological and Physiological Sciences.

*Date:* November 18-19, 1996.

*Time:* 8:00 a.m.

*Place:* State Plaza Hotel, Washington, DC.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Anthony Carter, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5108, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1167.

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

*Name of SEP:* Clinical Sciences.

*Date:* November 19, 1996.

*Time:* 8:00 a.m.

*Place:* Holiday Inn—Chevy Chase, Chevy Chase, MD.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Shirley Hilden, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4218, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1198.

*Name of SEP:* Biological and Physiological Sciences.

*Date:* November 25, 1996.

*Time:* 2:00 p.m.

*Place:* NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4152, Telephone Conference.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Marcelina Powers, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4152, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1720.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 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: October 2, 1996.

Paul N. Hayes,

*Acting Committee Management Officer, NIH.*

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### DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4086-N-58]

#### Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner; Notice of Proposed Information Collection for Public Comment

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** Comments due: December 9, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Oliver Walker, Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, Room 9116, Washington, DC 20410.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ivy Jackson, Telephone number (202) 708-4560 (this is not a toll-free number) for copies of available documents.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department will submit the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

The Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affecting agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) 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; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Initial Escrow Account Statement, Annual Escrow Account Statement.

*OMB Control Number:* 2502-0501.

*Description of the need for the information and the proposed use:* The Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act (RESPA) at 12 U.S.C. Section 2609(c) requires mortgage lenders to provide the borrower a statement describing the initial collection of escrow account monies at settlement and to provide an annual account history and a projection of account deposits and disbursements for the ensuing 12 months.

*Agency form numbers:* N/A.

*Members of affected public:* Individuals and households; Business or other for-profit.

An estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection is 5,308,417, number of respondents is 39,550,000 frequency response is annually and the collection of information is estimated to average 6 minutes per response.

*Status of the proposed information collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

Authority: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: October 1, 1996.

Nicolas P. Retsinas,

Assistant Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Notice of Receipt of Applications for Permit

The following applicants have applied for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, et seq.):

PRT-820639

Applicant: Oakhill Center for Rare and Endangered Species, Inc., Luther, OK.

The applicant requests a permit to import one pair of captive-born Brazilian ocelot (*Leopardus pardalis mitis*) from Sao Paulo Zoo, Sao Paulo, Brazil for the purpose of enhancement of the species through captive propagation.

PRT-818955

Applicant: Brookfield Zoo, Brookfield, IL.

The applicant has requested a permit to export four female, captive-born

Galapagos tortoise (*Geochelone elephantopus porteri*) for the purpose of enhancement of survival of the species through conservation education.

PRT-820605

Applicant: Jay Wagner, Columbus, OH.

The applicant requests a permit to purchase in interstate commerce two female captive-born Jamaican boa (*Epicrates subflavus*) from Brad Lock, Florida for the purpose of enhancement of the species through captive propagation.

PRT-819988

Applicant: University of Nevada, Reno, NV.

The applicant requests a permit to import samples taken from wild populations of Mantled Howler monkeys (*Alouatta palliata*) and Black Howler monkeys (*Alouatta pigra*) for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through scientific research.

PRT-696911

Applicant: Kay Rosaire-Mowrey, Sarasota, FL.

The applicant requests a permit to reexport and reimport captive-born Bengal tigers (*Panthera tigris tigris*) and progeny of the animals currently held by the applicant and any animals acquired in the United States by the applicant to/from worldwide locations to enhance the survival of the species through conservation education. This notification covers activities by the applicant over a three year period.

PRT-820504

Applicant: Howard Johnson, Bethel Park, PA.

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

PRT-819940

Applicant: Johnny's Selected Seeds, Albion, Maine.

The applicant requests a permit to export, and sell in interstate and foreign commerce artificially propagated seeds of Tennessee purple coneflower (*Echinacea tennesseensis*) for the purposes of enhancement of the propagation of the species. This notification covers activities conducted by the applicant for a five year period.

PRT-812795

Applicant: The Institute of Wildlife and Environmental Toxicology, Clemson University, Pendleton, SC.

The applicant requests an amendment to their permit to include the import of

Morelet's crocodile (*Crocodylus moreletii*) blood samples, fat samples, scutes, and stomach contents, from living specimens, and whole carcasses, organs, and tissue samples of specimens found dead, and non-viable eggs collected in Belize for scientific research.

PRT-820610

Applicant: James Boulton, Mundelein, IL.

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

PRT-820662

Applicant: Norristown Zoological Society, Norristown, PA.

The applicant requests a permit to purchase in interstate commerce a pair of captive born jaguars (*Panthera onca*), the female is from Marion Nature Center, Bellview, Florida and the male is from Catoclin Mountain Zoological Society, Thurmount, Maryland for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through propagation.

PRT-819731

Applicant: Tropical Bird Park, Carmel, NY.

The applicant requests a permit to export a pair of captive-hatched bali mynah (*Leucospa rothschildi*) to their facility in Costa Rica for enhancement of the species through conservation education and propagation.

PRT-820758

Applicant: Siegfried and Roy Enterprises, Inc., Las Vegas, NV.

The applicant requests a permit to return two female, captive born tigers (*Panthera tigris*) to SenneGroBwild, Safariland, Stukenbrock, Germany, for the enhancement of the species through conservation education and propagation.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 430, Arlington, Virginia 22203 and must be received by the Director within 30 days of the date of this publication.

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, *subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act*, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to the following office within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of