

# Notices

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forest Service

#### Intergovernmental Advisory Committee Subcommittee Meeting

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Intergovernmental Advisory Committee will meet on February 4, 1999, at the DoubleTree Hotel, Jantzen Beach, 909 N. Hayden Island Drive, Portland, Oregon 97217. The purpose of the meeting is to continue discussions on the implementation of the Northwest Forest Plan. The meeting will begin at 9:15 a.m. and continue until 3:00 p.m. Agenda items to be discussed include, but are not limited to: information sharing on the state salmon plans and the Clean Water Act and Safe Water Drinking Act; continued discussion on integrating the forest plan into the management landscape; and progress reports on effectiveness monitoring and information issues. The IAC meeting will be open to the public and is fully accessible for people with disabilities. Interpreters are available upon request in advance. Written comments may be submitted for the record at the meeting. Time will also be scheduled for oral public comments. Interested persons are encouraged to attend.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Questions regarding this meeting may be directed to Don Knowles, Executive Director, Regional Ecosystem Office, 333 SW 1st Avenue, P.O. Box 3623, Portland, OR 97208 (Phone: 503-808-2180).

Dated: January 21, 1999.

**Donald R. Knowles,**  
*Designated Federal Official.*

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## BROADCASTING BOARD OF GOVERNORS

### Sunshine Act Meeting

**DATE AND TIME:** February 4, 1999; 8:00 a.m.

**PLACE:** The Omni Colonnade Hotel, Conference Room, 80 Aragon Avenue, Miami (Coral Gables), Florida 33134.

**CLOSED MEETING:** The members of the Broadcasting Board of Governors (BBG) will meet in closed session to review and discuss a number of issues relating to U.S. Government-funded non-military international broadcasting. They will address internal procedural, budgetary, and personnel issues, as well as sensitive foreign policy issues relating to potential options in the U.S. international broadcasting field such as those relating to Cuba. This meeting is closed because if open it likely would either disclose matters that would be properly classified to be kept secret in the interest of foreign policy under the appropriate executive order (5 U.S.C. 552b. (c)(1)) or would disclose information the premature disclosure of which would be likely to significantly frustrate implementation of a proposed agency action. (5 U.S.C. 552b. (c)(9)(B)) In addition, part of the discussion will relate solely to the internal personnel and organizational issues of the BBG or the International Broadcasting Bureau. (5 U.S.C. 552b. (c)(2) and (6)).

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Persons interested in obtaining more information should contact Brenda Hardnett or John Lindburg at (202) 401-3736.

Dated: January 26, 1999.

**John A. Lindburg,**

*Legal Counsel.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Bureau of Export Administration

#### Regulations and Procedures Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Partially Closed Meeting

The Regulations and Procedures Technical Advisory Committee (RPTAC) will meet March 2, 1999, 9:00 a.m., Room 3884, in the Herbert C. Hoover Building, 14th Street between

Constitution and Pennsylvania Avenues, N.W., Washington, D.C. The Committee advises the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration on implementation of the Export Administration Regulations (EAR) and provides for continuing review to update the EAR as needed.

### Agenda

#### Open Session

1. Opening remarks by the Chairperson.
2. Presentation of papers or comments by the public.
3. Update on policies under review.
4. Update on encryption regulations.
5. Discussion on High Performance Computer interim regulation.
6. Report on licensing under India/Pakistan sanctions.
7. Report on pending Wassenaar Arrangement regulation.
8. Discussion on proposal to revise definition of Exporter of Record.
9. Election of new Chairperson.

#### Closed Session

10. Discussion of matters properly classified under Executive Order 12958, dealing with the U.S. export control program and strategic criteria related thereto.

A limited number of seats will be available for the open session. Reservations are not required. To the extent that time permits, members of the public may present oral statements to the Committee. The public may submit written statements at any time before or after the meeting. However, to facilitate the distribution of public presentation materials to the Committee members, the Committee suggests that presenters forward the public presentation materials prior to the meeting to the following address: Ms. Lee Ann Carpenter, BXA MS:3886C, 15th St. & Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230.

The Assistant Secretary for Administration, with the concurrence of the delegate of the General Counsel, formally determined on January 12, 1999, pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, that the series of meetings or portions of meetings of the Committee and of any Subcommittees thereof, dealing with the classified materials listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1) shall be

exempt from the provisions relating to public meetings found in section 10(a)(1) and 10(a)(3) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act. The remaining series of meetings or portions thereof will be open to the public.

A copy of the Notice of Determination to close meetings or portions of meetings of the Committee is available for public inspection and copying in the Central Reference and Records Inspection Facility, Room 6020, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. For more information, call Lee Ann Carpenter at (202) 482-2583.

Dated: January 22, 1999.

**Lee Ann Carpenter,**

*Committee Liaison Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[Docket No. 980930252-9012-02]

#### Special American Business Internship Training Program (SABIT)

**AGENCY:** International Trade Administration, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of extension of funding availability for grants under the Special American Business Internship Training Program (SABIT).

**SUMMARY:** This Notice supplements the **Federal Register** Notice of November 6, 1998 (63 FR 59938-59941) announcing the availability of funds for the Special American Business Internship Training Program (SABIT), for training business executives (also referred to as "interns") from the Newly Independent States of the Former Soviet Union. All information in the previous announcement remains current, except for the changes to the closing date.

**DATES:** This Notice extends the closing date of the referenced Federal Register Notice for two months to 5 p.m. March 31, 1999. All awards are expected to be made prior to June 1, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Liesel Duhon, Director, Special American Business Internship Training Program, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, phone—(202) 482-0073, facsimile—(202) 482-2443. These are not toll free numbers.

Dated: January 21, 1999.

**Liesel Duhon,**

*Director, SABIT Program.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), Article 1904 Binational Panel Reviews: Notice of Termination of Panel Review

**AGENCY:** NAFTA Secretariat, United States Section, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of Termination of the Panel Review of the final antidumping duty determination made by the International Trade Administration in the administrative review, respecting Circular Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe and Tube From Mexico (Secretariat File No. USA-97-1904-06).

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the Notice of Consent Motion to Terminate the Panel Review by the Investigating Authority, the panel review is terminated as of January 13, 1999. Complaints were filed pursuant to Rule 39, Notices of Appearance were filed pursuant to Rule 40 and a panel has been appointed. All "participants" in this review as defined in Rule 3 of the *Rules of Procedure for Article 1904 Binational Panel Review* have consented to the motion for termination. Pursuant to Rule 71(2) of the *Rules of Procedure for Article 1904 Binational Panel Review*, this panel review is terminated.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

James R. Holbein, United States Secretary, NAFTA Secretariat, Suite 2061, 14th and Constitution Avenue, Washington, D.C. 20230, (202) 482-5438.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Chapter 19 of the North American Free-Trade Agreement ("Agreement") establishes a mechanism to replace domestic judicial review of final determinations in antidumping and countervailing duty cases involving imports from a NAFTA country with review by independent binational panels. When a Request for Panel Review is filed, a panel is established to act in place of national courts to review expeditiously the final determination to determine whether it conforms with the antidumping or countervailing duty law of the country that made the determination.

Under Article 1904 of the Agreement, which came into force on January 1, 1994, the Government of the United States, the Government of Canada and the Government of Mexico established *Rules of Procedure for Article 1904 Binational Panel Reviews* ("Rules"). These Rules were published in the **Federal Register** on February 23, 1994

(59 FR 8686). The panel review in this matter was requested and terminated pursuant to these Rules.

Dated: January 21, 1999.

**James R. Holbein,**

*United States Secretary, NAFTA Secretariat.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### United States-Canada Free-Trade Agreement, Article 1904 Binational Panel Reviews; Notice of Decision of Panel

**AGENCY:** North American Free-Trade Agreement (NAFTA) Secretariat, United States Section, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of Decision of Binational Panel.

**SUMMARY:** By an opinion dated January 20, 1999, the Binational Panel reviewing the final affirmative redetermination made by the International Trade Administration (ITA) respecting Certain Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Products from Canada (Secretariat File No. USA-97-1904-03) remanded the September 4, 1998 redetermination to the ITA for further action. A copy of the complete panel decision is available from the NAFTA Secretariat.

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