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Signed at Washington, DC This 12th Day of October 2000.

Carl J. Poleskey,

Chief, Branch of Construction Wage Determinations.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (00-128)]

Notice of Prospective Patent License

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of Prospective Patent License.

SUMMARY: NASA hereby gives notice that Cyrospace Technologies, of Houston, Texas has applied for an exclusive license to practice the inventions disclosed in U.S. Patent Nos. 5,651,079 and 5,963,683 both entitled "Photonic Switching Devices Using Light Bullets" which are assigned to the United States of America as represented by the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Written objections to the prospective grant of a license should be sent to Ames Research Center.

DATES: Response to this notice must be received on or before December 19,

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Rob Padilla, Patent Counsel, NASA Ames Research Center, Mail Stop 202A-3, Moffett Field, CA 94035–1000, telephone (650) 604-5104.

Dated: October 13, 2000.

Edward A. Frankle,

General Counsel.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of Permit Applications Received **Under the Antarctic Conservation Act** of 1978 (Pub. L. 95-541)

AGENCY: National Science Foundation. **ACTION:** Notice of permit applications received under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978, Public Law 95-541.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish notice of permit applications received to conduct activities regulated under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. NSF has published regulations under the Antarctic Conservation Act at Title 45 Part 670 of the Code of Federal Regulations. This is the required notice of permit applications received.

DATES: Interested parties are invited to submit written data, comments, or views with respect to this permit application by November 17, 2000. Permit applications may be inspected by interested parties at the Permit Office, address below.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to Permit Office, Room 755, Office of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nadene G. Kennedy at the above address or (703) 292-7405.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Science Foundation, as directed by the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (Pub. L. 95-541), has developed regulations that implement the "Agreed Measures for the Conservation of Antarctic Fauna and Flora" for all United States citizens. The Agreed Measures, developed by the Antarctic Treaty Consultative Parties, recommended establishment of a permit system for various activities in Antarctica and designation of certain animals and certain geographic areas requiring special protection. The regulations establish such a permit system to designate Specially Protected Areas and Sites of Special Scientific Interest.

The applications received are as follows:

1. Applicant

Colin M. Harris, Director, Environmental Research And Assessment, British Antarctic Survey, Madingley Road, High Cross, Cambridge CB3 OET, United Kingdom

[Permit application No. 2001–023]

Activity for Which Permit is Requested: Take and Enter Antarctic Specially Protected Areas. The applicant is undertaking a project, supported by the National Antarctic Programs of the U.S. and U.K., to revise the Management Plans of several Antarctic Specially Protected Areas. The applicant will access these sites to: verify, describe and map features of the areas; conduct an on-site assessment of the features under protection; describe scientific work conducted at the site; assess whether the area continues to serve the purpose for which it was designated; identify and map, using GPS, the protected area boundaries; and, define designated photo points for covering the most import features of the site. In addition, the applicant will collect plant and soil samples from within the sites for later analysis to determine identity of the soil's vegetation and invertebrates.

Location: ASPA 107—Dion Islands, Marguerite Bay, ASPA 108—Green Island, Berthelot Islands, ASPA 113-Litchfield Island, Arthur Harbor, Palmer Archipelago, ASPA 115—Lagotellerie Island, Marguerite Bay, ASPA 117—Avian Island, Marguerite Bay, ASPA 126—Byers Peninsula, Livingston Island, ASPA 139—Biscoe Point, Anvers Island, Palmer Archipelago, ASPA 147—Ablation Point-Ganymede Heights, Alexander Island, ASPA 148—Mount Flora, Hope Bay, Antarctic Peninsula, ASPA 149—Cape Shireff, Livingston Island, South Shetlands, ASPA 153—East Dallmann Bay, off Brabant Island.

Dates: January 1, 2001 to March 31, 2001.

Nadene G. Kennedy,

Permit Officer, Office of Polar Programs.
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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Advanced Networking and Infrastructure Research; Notice of Meetings

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92– 463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meetings of the Special Emphasis Panel in Advanced Networking and Infrastructure (1207):

1. *Date/Time:* November 7, 2000; 8:00 AM–5:00 PM.

Place: Room 220, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

2. *Date/Time*: November 13–14, 2000; 8:00 AM–5:00 PM.

Place: Room 1120, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

3. *Date/Time:* November 15, 2000; 8:00 AM–5:00 PM.

Place: Room 1120, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

4. *Date/Time*: November 21, 2000; 8:00 AM–5:00 PM.

Place: Room 1175, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

5. *Date/Time:* December 4–5, 2000; 8:00 AM–5:00 PM.

Place: Room 1150, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

6. *Date/Time:* December 6, 2000; 8:00 AM–5:00 PM.

Place: Room 220, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

Type of Meetings: Closed.

Contact Person: Karen Sollins, Division of Advanced Networking Infrastructure Research, Room 1175, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone (703) 292–8950.

Agenda: To review and evaluate proposals submitted to the Networking Research and

Special Projects Programs as part of the selection process for awards.

Purpose of Meetings: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to 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: October 16, 2000.

Karen J. York,

Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 00–26983 Filed 10–19–00; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7555–01–M

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

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 (1189).

Date and Time: November 8, 2000, 8 a.m.–5 p.m.

National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 380, Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: A. Frederick Thompson and Nicholas L. Clesceri, Program Directors, Division of Bioengineering and Environmental Systems, National Science Foundation; 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230; Telephone: (703) 292–8320.

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

Agenda: To review and evaluate Environmental Engineering 2001 CAREER 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: October 16, 2000.

Karen J. York,

Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 00–26979 Filed 10–19–00; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7555–01–M

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Advisory Committee for Biological Sciences; 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 Biological Sciences (BIO) (1110).

Date and Time:

November 16, 2000; 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. November 17, 2000; 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 1235, Arlington, VA. Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Mary E. Clutter, Assistant Director, Biological Sciences, Room 605, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292–8400.

Minutes: May be obtained from the contact person listed above.

Purpose of Meeting: The Advisory Committee for BIO provides advice, recommendations, and oversight concerning major program emphases, directions, and goals for the research-related activities of the divisions that make up BIO.

Agenda: GPRA Performance Evaluation and Planning Discussion.

Dated: October 16, 2000.

Karen J. York,

Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 00–26981 Filed 10–19–00; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7555–01–M

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Chemical and Transport 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 Chemical and Transport Systems (1190). Date and Time: November 20, 2000; 8:30

a.m. to 5 p.m.

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

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Stefan T. Thynell, Program Director, Thermal Transport & Thermal Processing, Division of Chemical & Transport Systems, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 525, Arlington, VA 22230. (703) 292– 8371

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

Agenda: To review and evaluate nominations for the FY 2000 Career Panel of proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a