has this complicated process been analyzed by individual states to fully understand its impact. The receipt must have the ability to work individually and jointly with parole boards, agency administrators, supervision staff, and treatment and service providers, in order to effectively manage policy development teams. The intent is that the recipient of this award will take into consideration the research and the practical knowledge of responding to violations, and from that knowledge base, assist states to develop policy driven practices for organizations to follow. The resulting effect should allow for a more rational utilization of prison space, staff allocation (both in the field and correctional facilities) and create a meaningful return on the investment the state makes in corrections.

The recipient of this cooperative agreement must prepare a proposal that describes their plan to meet the goals/ objective which should include a schedule identifying benchmarks of significant tasks in chart form. Applicants must identify their key project staff and the relevant expertise of each. Also, the application should indicate how it will work with NIC on an announcement for marketing this project; develop selection criteria; and compile information on applicants making application. The proposal should present a methodology or approach that the applicant proposes to employ in providing technical assistance to 6 paroling authorities that would incorporate the following and other elements deemed appropriate to accomplishing the objectives of the project:

- The process for taking decision makers through analysis of past practices for parole violations including what data, information and decision making policies and practices should be identified, collected and analyzed.
- Develop descriptions of acceptable responses to a range of violation behaviors and identify the various sanctions and interventions strategies to consider.
- Develop future outcome or performance measures for a policydriven parole violation process.
- Determine which dynamic screening, classification and assessment system(s) may contribute to improved violation decision-making and how and when such systems should be used.
- Develop a plan to design, implement and operate interventions consistent with the principles of effective interventions aimed at reducing risk by confronting parole violators criminogenic needs.

Authority: Public Law 93-415.

Funds Available: This is a cooperative agreement. A cooperative agreement is a form of assistance relationship through which the National Institute of Corrections is involved during the performance of the award. The award is made to an organization who, in concert with the Institute, will solicit and select participating jurisdictions and provide them with technical assistance. No funds are transferred to state or local government. The Community Corrections Division will provide the financial assistance in the form of a cooperative agreement to an agency or organization, who makes application. This initiative emphasizes policy development by paroling authorities in partnership with supervision staff and service delivery organizations. The award will be limited to \$250,000 (direct and indirect cost) and project activity must be completed within 18 months of the date of award. Funds may not be used for construction, or to acquire or build real property. This project will be a collaborative venture with the NIC Community Correction Division.

Deadline for Receipt of Applications: Applications must be received by 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 28, 2001. They should be addressed to: Director, National Institute of Corrections, 320 First Street, NW, Room 5007, Washington, DC 20534. Hand delivered applications should be brought to 500 First Street, NW, Washington, DC 20534. The front desk will call Bobbi Tinsley at (202) 307–3106 extension 0 for pickup.

Addresses and Further Information: Request for application kit, which includes application forms and a copy of this announcement, should be directed to Judy Evens, Cooperative Agreement Control Office, National Institute of Corrections, 320 First Street, NW, Room 5007, Washington, DC 20534 or by calling 800-995-6423, ext. 159 or 202-307-3106, ext. 159, or email: jevens@bop.gov. A copy of this announcement and application forms may also be obtained through the NIC web site: http//www.nicic.org (click on "Cooperative Agreements"). All technical and/or programmatic questions concerning this announcement should be directed to Cranston J. Mitchell, Corrections Program Specialist at 320 First Street, NW, Room 5007, Washington, DC 20534 or by calling 800-995-6423, ext. 153 or 202-307-3106, ext. 153, or by email: cjmitchell@bop.gov.

Eligibility Applicants: An eligible applicant is any state or general unit of local government, public or private agency, educational institution,

organization, team, or individual with the requisite skills to successfully meet the outcome objectives of the project.

Review Considerations: Applications received under this announcement will be subjected to an NIC 3 to 5 member review process.

Number of Awards: One (1). Executive Order 12372: This program is subject to the provisions of Executive Order 12372. Executive Order 12372 allows States the option of setting up a system for reviewing applications from within their States for assistance under certain Federal programs. Applicants (other than Federally-recognized Indian tribal governments) should contact their State Single Point of Contact (SPOC), a list of which is included in the application kit, along with further instructions on proposed projects serving more than one state.

NIC Application Number: 01C06 This number should appear as a reference line in your cover letter and also in box 11 of Standard form 424.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number: 16.603

Dated: January 9, 2001.

Morris L. Thigpen,

Director, National Institute of Corrections. [FR Doc. 01–1209 Filed 1–12–01; 8:45 am]

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADINISTRATION

[Notice 01-004]

Notice of Prospective Patent License

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of prospective patent license.

SUMMARY: NASA hereby gives notice that CIAB Associates, LLP, of Houston, TX, has applied for a partially exclusive license to practice the inventions described and claimed in U.S. Patent No. 5.153.132, entitled "Three-Dimensional Co-Culture Process;" U.S. Patent No. 5,153,133, entitled "Method for Culturing Mammalian Cells in a Horizontally Rotated Bioreactor;" U.S. Patent No. 5,155,034, entitled "Three-Dimensional Cell to Tissue Assembly Process;" U.S. Patent No. 5,155,035, entitled "Method for Culturing Mammalian Cells in a Perfused Bioreactor;" U.S. Patent No. 5,308,764, entitled "Multi-Cellular Three **Dimensional Living Mammalian** Tissue;" U.S. Patent No. 5,496,722, entitled "Method for Producing Non-Neoplastic, 3-Dimensional Mammalian Tissue and Cell Aggregates under

Microgravity Culture Conditions and the Products Produced Thereby;" U.S. Patent No. 5,627,021, entitled "Multi-Cellular, Three-Dimensional Living Mammalian Tissue;" U.S.Patent No. 5.846.807, entitled "Media Compositions for Three-Dimensional Mammalian Tissue Growth Under Microgravity Culture Conditions;" U.S. Patent No. 5,858,783, entitled "Production of Normal Mammalian Organ Culture Using a Medium Containing Mem-Alpha, Leibovitz L-15, Glucose Galactose Fructose;" U.S. Patent No. 5,851,816, entitled "Cultured High-Fidelity Three Dimensional Human Urogenital Tract Carcinomas and Process;" and U.S. Patent No. 6,117,674, entitled "Horizontal Rotating-Wall Vessel Propagation in Vitro Human Tissue Models.'' Each of the above U.S. Patents is 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 the Johnson Space Center.

DATES: Responses to this notice must be received by March 19, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

James Cate, Patent Attorney, NASA Johnson Space Center, Mail Stop HA, Houston, TX 77058–8452; telephone (281) 483–1001.

Dated: January 9, 2001.

Edward A. Frankle,

General Counsel.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY: Institute of Museum and Library Services.

ACTION: Notice of meeting of the National Museum Services Board.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the National Museum Services Board. This notice also describes the function of the board. Notice of this meeting is required under the Government through the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App.) and regulations of the Institute of Museum and Library Services, 45 CFR 1180.84.

TIME/DATE: 9 am–12 pm on Friday, January 26, 2001.

STATUS: Open.

ADDRESS: Room M–07, The Old Post Office Building, 1100 Pennsylvania

Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004, (202) 606–4649.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Elizabeth Lyons, Special Assistant to the Director, Institute of Museum and Library Services, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Room 510, Washington, DC 20506, (202) 606–4649.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Museum Services Board is established under the Museum Services Act, Title II of the Arts, Humanities, and Cultural Affairs Act of 1976, Public Law 94–462. The Board has responsibility for the general policies with respect to the powers, duties, and authorities vested in the Institute under the Museum Services Act.

The meeting on Friday, January 26, 2001 will be open to the public. If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact: Institute of Museum and Library Services, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20506—(202) 606–8536—TDD (202) 606–8636 at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting date.

Agenda; 80th Meeting of the National Museum Services Board in Room M-07 at The Old Post Office Building, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004, on Friday, January 26, 2001

9 am-12 pm

I. Chairman's Welcome II. Approval of Minutes

III. Director's Report

IV. Staff Reports:

Office of Management and Budget
Office of Public and Legislative Affairs
Office of Technology and Research: The Role
of the Technology Officer; Barbara Smith

Office of Museum Services Office of Library Services

V. Old Business

- Report from the 21st Century Learner Steering Committee
- Review and Approval of Conservation Action Plan

VI. New Business

- IMLS and the New Congress: Special Guest
- Reauthorization Update: Review of the Legislation
- General Operating Support Grants: Analysis and Discussion

Dated: January 9, 2001.

Linda Bell,

Director of Policy, Planning and Budget, National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities, Institute of Museum and Library Services.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50-266 and 50-301]

Nuclear Management Company, LLC; Notice of Withdrawal of Application for Amendment to Facility Operating License

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory
Commission (the Commission) has
granted the request of Nuclear
Management Company, LLC (the
licensee) to withdraw its October 5,
1999, application for proposed
amendment to Facility Operating
License Nos. DPR–24 and DPR–27 for
the Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Units 1
and 2, located in Town of Two Creeks,
Manitowoc County, Wisconsin.

The proposed amendment would have revised the Technical Specifications (TSs) to eliminate inconsistencies, principally related to decay heat removal. The amendment is no longer necessary because the inconsistencies are being corrected as part of a separate application dated November 15, 1999, to convert Point Beach's current TSs to improved TSs. The November 15, 1999, application is currently being reviewed by the staff of the Commission.

The Commission had previously issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendment published in the **Federal Register** on November 17, 1999 (64 FR 62717). However, by letter dated December 19, 2000, the licensee withdrew the proposed change.

For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendment dated October 5, 1999, as supplemented May 19, 2000, and the licensee's letter dated December 19, 2000, which withdrew the application for license amendment. Documents may be examined, and/or copied for a fee, at the NRC's Public Document Room, located at One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland, and accessible electronically through the ADAMS Public Electronic Reading Room link at the NRC Web site (http://www.nrc.gov).

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 5th day of January 2001.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Beth A. Wetzel,

Senior Project Manager, Section 1, Project Directorate III, Division of Licensing Project Management, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

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