

19 U.S.C. 1337(d)(1). A similar provision applies to cease and desist orders. 19 U.S.C. 1337(f)(1).

The Commission is interested in further development of the record on the public interest in these investigations. Accordingly, members of the public are invited to file submissions of no more than five (5) pages, inclusive of attachments, concerning the public interest in light of the administrative law judge's Recommended Determination on Remedy and Bonding issued in this investigation on December 14, 2012. In that determination, the administrative law judge recommended that should the Commission find a violation of section 337, that the Commission issue a limited exclusion order as to subject Intel microprocessors, but that implementation be delayed based on public-interest considerations. The ALJ recommended against extension of the exclusion order to cover downstream products produced by respondents Apple and Hewlett-Packard. The ALJ recommended that cease and desist orders issue against Intel, Apple, and HP.

Comments should address whether issuance of a limited exclusion order and cease and desist orders in this investigation would affect the public health and welfare in the United States, competitive conditions in the United States economy, the production of like or directly competitive articles in the United States, or United States consumers.

In particular, the Commission is interested in comments that:

- (i) Explain how the articles potentially subject to the recommended orders are used in the United States;
- (ii) Identify any public health, safety, or welfare concerns in the United States relating to the recommended orders;
- (iii) Identify like or directly competitive articles that complainant, its licensees, or third parties make in the United States which could replace the subject articles if they were to be excluded;
- (iv) Indicate whether complainant, complainant's licensees, and/or third party suppliers have the capacity to replace the volume of articles potentially subject to the recommended exclusion order and/or a cease and desist order within a commercially reasonable time; and
- (v) Explain how the limited exclusion order and cease and desist orders would impact consumers in the United States.

Written submissions must be filed no later than by close of business on January 25, 2013.

Persons filing written submissions must file the original document electronically on or before the deadlines stated above and submit 8 true paper copies to the Office of the Secretary by noon the next day pursuant to section 210.4(f) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 210.4(f)). Submissions should refer to the investigation number ("Inv. No. 337-TA-753") in a prominent place on the cover page and/or the first page. (See Handbook for Electronic Filing Procedures, [http://www.usitc.gov/secretary/fed\\_reg\\_notices/rules/handbook\\_on\\_electronic\\_filing.pdf](http://www.usitc.gov/secretary/fed_reg_notices/rules/handbook_on_electronic_filing.pdf)). Persons with questions regarding filing should contact the Secretary (202-205-2000).

Any person desiring to submit a document to the Commission in confidence must request confidential treatment. All such requests should be directed to the Secretary to the Commission and must include a full statement of the reasons why the Commission should grant such treatment. See 19 CFR 201.6. Documents for which confidential treatment by the Commission is properly sought will be treated accordingly. All nonconfidential written submissions will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Secretary and on EDIS.

This action is taken under the authority of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1337), and of sections 201.10 and 210.50 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 201.10, 210.50).

By order of the Commission.

Issued: January 10, 2013.

**Lisa R. Barton,**

*Acting Secretary to the Commission.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Foreign Claims Settlement Commission

**[FCSC Meeting and Hearing Notice No. 1-13]**

#### Sunshine Act Meeting

The Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, pursuant to its regulations (45 CFR 503.25) and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), hereby gives notice in regard to the scheduling of open meetings as follows:

*Friday, January 25, 2013: 10:00 a.m.—* Oral hearings on Objection to Commission's Proposed Decisions in Claim No. LIB-II-183; 11:00 a.m.— Claim No. LIB-II-058;

11:30 a.m.—Issuance of Proposed Decision in claims against Libya; 1:00 p.m.—Oral hearings on Objection to Commission's Proposed Decision in Claim No.—LIB-II-166.

*Status:* Open.

All meetings are held at the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, 600 E Street NW., Washington, DC. Requests for information, or advance notices of intention to observe an open meeting, may be directed to: Judith H. Lock, Executive Officer, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, 600 E Street NW., Suite 6002, Washington, DC 20579. Telephone: (202) 616-6975.

**Jeremy R. LaFrancois,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### National Institute of Corrections

#### Solicitation for a Cooperative Agreement: Development of Materials Specific to Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Intersex (LGBTI) Offenders in Corrections

**AGENCY:** National Institute of Corrections, U.S. Department of Justice.  
**ACTION:** Solicitation for a Cooperative Agreement.

**SUMMARY:** The National Institute of Corrections (NIC) is seeking applications from organizations, groups, or individuals to enter into a cooperative agreement with NIC for a 12-month period to develop a white paper specific to recommended best practices in the safe and respectful management of the LGBTI offender population both in custody and on community supervision.

**DATES:** Applications must be received by 4:00 p.m. (EDT) on Thursday, January 31, 2013.

Applicants are encouraged to submit their application electronically via <http://www.grants.gov>.

Mailed applications must be sent to: Director, National Institute of Corrections, 320 First Street NW., Room 5002, Washington, DC 20534.

Applicants are encouraged to use Federal Express, UPS, or similar service to ensure delivery by the due date.

Faxed or emailed applications will not be accepted.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:** A copy of this announcement and links to the required application forms can be downloaded from the NIC Web site at [http://www.nicic.gov/cooperative\\_agreements](http://www.nicic.gov/cooperative_agreements).

All technical or programmatic questions concerning this announcement should be directed to Lorie Brisbin, Correctional Program Specialist, National Institute of Corrections, Community Services Division. Ms. Brisbin can be reached directly at 1-800-995-6423 ext. 40099 or by email at [lbrisbin@bop.gov](mailto:lbrisbin@bop.gov). In addition to the direct reply, all questions and responses will be posted on NIC's Web site at [www.nicic.gov](http://www.nicic.gov) for public review (the names or affiliations of those submitting questions will not be posted). The Web site will be updated regularly and postings will remain on the Web site until the closing date of this cooperative agreement solicitation.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Overview:* The materials developed through this cooperative agreement are intended for a broad audience of corrections professionals and related stakeholders working in jail, prison, juvenile detention, and community corrections (probation, parole and pretrial) organizations. Awardees should develop the materials based on current research, knowledge, best practice, and specific information related to the experiences of corrections professionals and the target population. NIC will use the materials to define, identify, acknowledge, and address the safe and respectful management of the LGBTI offender. The deliverables will help advance and foster professional correctional environments while positively influencing systems, staff, and justice-involved men and women.

*Background:* The National Institute of Corrections provides support to federal, state, and local criminal justice organizations nationally. In 1974, Congress established NIC both as a center for the dissemination of timely correctional knowledge and professional training and as a place to exchange and discuss advances in criminal justice practice. Correctional agencies face many challenges surrounding the safe management of the populations they house and supervise. Due in part to changes in federal and state laws and the outcome of successful offender litigation, the management of LGBTI offenders in custody has become an emerging correctional issue that deserves special attention. While gender non-conforming offenders have always been present within correctional facilities and on caseloads, the current environment suggests the need for helping correctional agencies identify responsible and safe practices that are respectful of differences and that have

the potential to reduce agencies' susceptibility to liability and litigation.

In the past several years, various changes to federal and state laws have created and expanded the rights of individuals identifying as non-heterosexual or otherwise gender non-conforming. The repeal of the policy banning military staff from serving as openly gay ("Don't Ask, Don't Tell"), the expansion of protections under hate crime and housing laws, and the adoption of same-sex marriage laws are a few examples of some of these changes. While it is unclear how many of the free-world rights and privileges will affect the offender population, the promulgation of the Prison Rape Elimination Act Standards is beginning to have an impact regarding the management of the LGBTI population.

The LGBTI offender population has some very particular issues associated with certain aspects of the correctional experience, such as housing, classification, and placement; medical and mental health treatment; clothing and grooming; drug testing; and interactions with staff. As a general group, they are also more likely to be victims of sexually abusive acts while in custody according to surveys conducted by the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS), which indicate that non-heterosexual adult offenders report higher rates of sexual victimization while in custody. Similar surveys by BJS in juvenile facilities show even higher rates of sexual victimization among non-heterosexual juvenile offenders. Similarly, a 2009 BJS research report cited findings that transgender offenders experienced sexual victimization at a rate twenty times higher than a random sampling of offenders in the same facility.

Unfortunately, there is a remarkable lack of research regarding the LGBTI population's experience of incarceration and supervision. There are a number of reasons for this. Most notably, it is because few agencies collect data regarding sexual orientation and the hesitation of offenders to provide the information. Consequently, it is unclear how many offenders identify as non-heterosexual or otherwise gender non-conforming. A recent report from the Bureau of Justice Statistics indicates that there were 2,239,800 individuals in custody in prisons and jails and 4,814,200 on probation or parole for 2011. A Gallup report published in October 2012 by the Williams Institute reported that 3.4% of US adults identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender. Therefore, a conservative estimate could be made based upon this 3.4%, indicating that there could potentially

have been 76,153 non-heterosexual offenders in custody and as many as 163,682 on probation or parole for 2011. However, a Bureau of Justice Statistics study in 2006 contained self-report data for in-custody offenders indicating that 11% in men's facilities and 28% in women's facilities identified as lesbian, gay, or bisexual, so the number may be considerably higher.

*Statement of Work:* The objective of this cooperative agreement is to develop informational materials reflecting best practices that NIC will use to assist the field in responding to challenges associated with the LGBTI offender population.

Activities and products from this cooperative agreement will include a review of the NIC annotated bibliography to identify additional items for inclusion in that publication, the convening and facilitating of a work session comprised of researchers and practitioners (both correctional and non-correctional) to organize and synthesize the available research and knowledge on this topic, and the development of informational materials to be determined by content. Resulting products will be in the public domain and available through the National Institute of Corrections Web site and Information Center.

Tasks to be performed through this cooperative agreement include: (1) Reviewing the current annotated bibliography, conducting a literature search, and providing recommendations for the inclusion of additional materials relevant to jails, prisons, juvenile detention, community corrections, and other relevant disciplines. (2) convening a working session at an approved federal training location for up to 10 participants, including researchers and corrections practitioners; designing the working agenda; providing facilitation; and using content from the session to inform project deliverables. Working session participants will be identified in close cooperation with and with the approval of the project staff. Some travel expenses may be covered by NIC and therefore are negotiable depending on the meeting and/or successful applicant's location. (3) working with NIC project staff, and designated experts to draft informational materials reflecting best practices on the safe and respectful management of LGBTI offenders both in custody and on supervision; distributing the materials for peer review; revising the draft; and publishing the final products. (4) creating a final report that summarizes the project and provides recommendations for follow up work on this topic. This project will be

completed in conjunction with the NIC Community Services Division and the awardee will work closely with NIC staff on all aspects of the project. The awardee will participate in an initial meeting with designated NIC staff for a project overview and preliminary planning. Additionally, the awardee will meet routinely with NIC staff to discuss the activities noted in the project timeline submitted during the course of the cooperative agreement. Meetings will be held no less than quarterly and may be conducted via webinar with at least one onsite as agreed upon by NIC and the awardee.

**Required Expertise:** The successful applicant will at a minimum understand the current state of legislation regarding LGBTI rights in the free world as well as current case law affecting the LGBTI in-custody population; have broad experience and in-depth knowledge of the issues encountered by correctional agencies in the management of this population, whether working in an institutional environment or community-based setting; have knowledge about the effect of correctional culture and the challenges in maintaining a professional and respectful environment; be familiar with relevant research; have expertise in meeting facilitation; and have knowledge of evidence-based practices and its application to corrections.

**Document Requirements:** The length of documents should be determined by content. Brevity and clarity are encouraged. Documents and other products developed under this award must follow these guidelines. Prior to the preparation of the final draft of any document or other product, the awardee must consult with NIC's writer/editor concerning the acceptable formats for submissions. The awardee must follow the guidelines listed herein as well as follow (1) the Guidelines for Preparing and Submitting Manuscripts for Publication as found in the "General Guidelines for Cooperative Agreements," which can be found on our Web site at [www.nicic.gov/cooperativeagreements](http://www.nicic.gov/cooperativeagreements) and (2) NIC recommendations for producing products using plain language, which can be found at [www.nicic.gov/plainlanguage](http://www.nicic.gov/plainlanguage).

All final documents and other materials submitted under this project may be posted on the NIC Web site and must meet the federal government's requirement for accessibility (e.g., 508 PDFs or HTML files). The awardee must provide descriptive text interpreting all graphics, photos, graphs, and/or multimedia that will be included with or distributed alongside the materials

and must provide transcripts for all applicable audio/visual works.

**Application Requirements:** An application package must include OMB Standard Form 424, Application for Federal Assistance; a cover letter that identifies the audit agency responsible for the applicant's financial accounts as well as the audit period or fiscal year under which the applicant operates (e.g. July 1 through June 30); an outline of projected costs with the budget and strategy narratives described in the announcement. The following additional forms must also be included: OMB Standard Form 424A, Budget Information—Non-Construction Programs; OMB Standard Form 424B, Assurances—Non-Construction Programs (both available at [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov)); DOJ/FBOP/NIC Certification Regarding Lobbying, Debarment, Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters; and the Drug-Free Workplace Requirements (available at <http://www.nicic.gov/Downloads/General/certif-frm.pdf>).

Applications should be concisely written, typed double spaced, and reference the NIC opportunity number and title referenced in this announcement. If you are submitting in hard copy, please include an original and three copies of your full proposal (program and budget narrative, application forms, assurances, and other descriptions). The original should have the applicant's signature in blue ink. Electronic submissions will be accepted only via [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov).

Place the following at the top of the abstract: Project title; Applicant name (Legal name of applicant organization); Mailing address; Contact phone numbers (voice, fax); Email address; Web site address, if applicable.

The narrative portion of the application should include, at a minimum: A statement indicating the applicant's understanding of the project's purpose and objectives. The applicant should state this in language other than that used in the solicitation.

**Project Design and Implementation:** This section should describe the design and implementation of the project and how the awardee aims to address key design and implementation issues and challenges.

**Project Management:** Chart of measurable project milestones and timelines for the completion of each milestone.

**Capabilities and Competencies:** This section should describe the qualifications of the applicant organization, any partner organizations to do the work proposed, and the expertise of key staff to be involved in

the project. Attach resumes that document relevant knowledge, skills, and abilities needed for each staff member assigned to complete the project. If the applicant organization has completed similar projects in the past, please include the URL/Web site or ISBN number for accessing a copy of the referenced work.

**Budget:** The budget should detail all costs for the project, show consideration for all contingencies for the project, note a commitment to work within the proposed budget, and demonstrate the ability to provide deliverables according to schedule.

**Authority:** Pub. L. 93–415.

**Funds Available:** NIC is seeking the applicant's best ideas regarding accomplishment of the scope of work and the related costs for achieving the objectives of this solicitation. Funds may be used only for the activities linked to the desired outcome of the project. The funding amount should not exceed \$30,000 for a period of 12 months.

**Eligibility of Applicants:** An eligible applicant is any state or general unit of government, private agency, educational institution, organization, individual, or team with expertise in the described areas. Applicants must have demonstrated ability to implement a project of this size and scope.

**Review Considerations:** Among the criteria used to evaluate the applications are indication of a clear understanding of the project requirements as stated in the solicitation; background, experience, and expertise of the proposed project staff, including any sub-contractors; effectiveness of an innovative approach to the project; a clear, concise description of all elements and tasks of the project, with sufficient and realistic timeframes necessary to complete the tasks; technical soundness of project design and methodology; financial and administrative integrity of the proposal, including adherence to federal financial guidelines and processes; a sufficiently detailed budget that shows consideration of all contingencies for this project and commitment to work within the proposed budget; and indication of availability to work with NIC staff.

Applications received under this announcement will be subject to a collaborative review process. The criteria for the evaluation of each application will be as follows:

#### **Programmatic: 40 Points**

Are all of the tasks and activities adequately covered? Is there a clear description of how the applicant will

accomplish each project activity, including major tasks; the strategies to be employed; required staffing; responsible parties, and other required resources? Are there any unique or exceptional approaches, techniques, or design aspects proposed that will enhance the project?

#### **Project Management and Administration: 20 Points**

Does the applicant identify milestones and measures that demonstrate achievement of the specific tasks? Are the proposed management and staffing plans clear, realistic, and sufficient to complete the project? Is the applicant willing to meet with NIC as specified in the solicitation for this cooperative agreement?

#### **Organizational and Project Staff Background: 30 Points**

Do the skills, knowledge, and expertise of the organization and the proposed project staff demonstrate a high level of competency to complete the tasks? Does the applicant/organization have the necessary experience and organizational capacity to meet all objectives of the project? If the applicant proposes consultants and/or partnerships, is there a reasonable justification for their inclusion in the project and a clear structure to ensure effective coordination?

#### **Budget: 10 Points**

Is the proposed budget realistic, does it provide sufficient cost detail/narrative, and does it represent good value relative to the anticipated results? Does the application include a chart that aligns the budget with project activities along a timeline with, at minimum, quarterly benchmarks? In terms of program value, is the estimated cost reasonable in relation to the work to be performed and project products?

**Note:** NIC will NOT award a cooperative agreement to an applicant who does not have a Dun and Bradstreet Database Universal Number (DUNS) and is not registered in the Central Contractor Registry (CCR).

Applicants can obtain a DUNS number at no cost by calling the dedicated toll-free request line at 800-333-0505. Applicants who are sole proprietors should dial 866-705-5711 and select option #1.

Applicants may register in the CCR online at the CCR Web site: [www.ccr.gov](http://www.ccr.gov). Applicants can also review a CCR handbook and worksheet at this Web site.

#### **Number of Awards: One**

NIC Opportunity Number: 13CS06. This number should appear as a

reference line in the cover letter, where indicated on Standard Form 424, and outside of the envelope in which the application is sent.

*Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number: 16.601.*

*Executive Order 12372:* This project is not subject to the provisions of Executive Order 12372.

**Robert Brown, Jr.,**

*Acting Director, National Institute of Corrections.*

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### **NATIONAL CAPITAL PLANNING COMMISSION**

#### **Public Comment and Public Meeting on Draft Revisions to the Visitors Element of the Comprehensive Plan for the National Capital: Federal Elements**

**AGENCY:** National Capital Planning Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of public comment period and public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The National Capital Planning Commission (NCPCC), the Planning Commission for the Federal Government within the National Capital Region, intends to release for public comment draft revisions to the Federal Visitors and Commemorative Works Element of the Comprehensive Plan for the National Capital: Federal Elements. The Comprehensive Plan for the National Capital: Federal Elements addresses matters relating to Federal Properties and Federal Interests in the National Capital Region, and provides a decision-making framework for actions the NCPCC takes on specific plans and proposals submitted by Federal government agencies for the NCPCC review required by law. The Federal Visitors and Commemorative Works Element articulates policies that guide federal actions on supporting visitor services to the National Capital Region as well as guiding actions related to commemoration. The draft revised Federal Visitors and Commemorative Works Element will be available online at <http://www.ncpc.gov/compplan> by Monday, January 14, 2013. Printed copies are available upon request from the contact person noted below.

**DATES AND TIME:** The public comment period begins on the date of publication of this notice and closes on Friday, March 15, 2013. A public meeting to discuss the draft revisions to the Federal Environment Element will be held on Wednesday, February 20, 2013 from 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Mail written comments or hand deliver comments on the draft revisions to Comprehensive Plan Public Comment, National Capital Planning Commission, 401 9th Street NW., Suite 500, Washington, DC 20004. The public meeting will be held at 401 9th Street NW., North Lobby, Suite 500, Washington, DC 20004.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** David Zaidain at (202) 482-7230 or [david.zaidain@ncpc.gov](mailto:david.zaidain@ncpc.gov). Please confirm meeting attendance with Mr. Zaidain or as noted below.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **Electronic Access and Filing Addresses**

You may submit comments electronically at the public comment portal at <http://www.ncpc.gov/compplan>.

**Authority:** (40 U.S.C. 8721(e)(2)).

Dated: January 10, 2013.

**Anne R. Schuyler,**  
*General Counsel.*

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### **NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION**

#### **Notice of Intent To Seek Approval To Establish an Information Collection System**

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.), and as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, the National Science Foundation (NSF) is inviting the general public or other Federal agencies to comment on this proposed continuing information collection.

**Comments:** Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Foundation, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Foundation's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Written comments on this notice must be received by March 18, 2013, to