

Department of Defense. At these meetings the Task Force will address the transformation of military logistics. The Task Force should focus on providing the warfighter with responsive logistics support across the range of missions, threats, and environments DoD is likely to face in the 21st Century.

In accordance with Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II, (1994)), it has been determined that these DSB Task Force meetings concern matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1) (1994), and that accordingly these meetings will be closed to the public.

Dated: April 8, 1998.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

[FR Doc. 98-9713 Filed 4-13-98; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 5000-04-M

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary of Defense

Department of Defense Wage Committee; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of Public Law 92-463, the Federal Advisory Committee Act, notice is hereby given that closed meetings of the Department of Defense Wage Committee will be held on May 5, 1998; May 12, 1998; May 19, 1998; and May 26, 1998, at 10:00 a.m. in Room A105, The Nash Building, 1400 Key Boulevard, Rosslyn, Virginia.

Under the provisions of section 10(d) of Public Law 92-463, the Department of Defense has determined that the meetings meet the criteria to close meetings to the public because the matters to be considered are related to internal rules and practices of the Department of Defense and the detailed wage data to be considered were obtained from officials of private establishments with a guarantee that the data will be held in confidence.

However, members of the public who may wish to do so are invited to submit material in writing to the chairman concerning matters believed to be deserving of the Committee's attention.

Additional information concerning the meetings may be obtained by writing to the Chairman, Department of Defense Wage Committee, 4000 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-4000.

Dated: April 8, 1998.

L. M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register, Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

[FR Doc. 98-9710 Filed 4-13-98; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 5000-04-M

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Freedom of Information and Privacy Acts Office; Change of Address

AGENCY: Department of the Army Freedom of Information and Privacy Acts Office.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this notice is to notify the public of the change in address for the Department of the Army, Freedom of Information and Privacy Acts Office.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Rose Marie Christensen, telephone (703) 806-5698, 7798 Cissna Road, Suite 205, TAPC-PDR-PF, Springfield, VA 22150-3197.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of the Army, Freedom of Information and Privacy Acts Office previously located at Crystal Square #2, Suite 201, 1725 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202-4102 has moved. Effective April 6, 1998, the new address is Department of the Army, Freedom of Information and Privacy Acts Office, 7798 Cissna Road, Suite 205, ATTN: TAPC-PDR-PF, Springfield, VA 22150-3197. The following new telephone number is also provided: commercial (703) 806-5698; DSN 656-5698.

Mary V. Yonts,

Alternate Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

[FR Doc. 98-9833 Filed 4-13-98; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 3710-08-M

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Submission for OMB review; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, invites comments on the submission for OMB review as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before May 14, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Danny Werfel, Desk Officer, Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503. Requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Patrick J. Sherrill (202) 708-8196.

Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, publishes this notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

Dated: April 8, 1998.

Gloria Parker,

Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

Office of Postsecondary Education

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Notice Inviting Proposals for Experimental Sites.

Frequency: One time.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profits; State, local or Tribal Gov't; SEAs or LEAs.

Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 50.

Burden Hours: 250.

Abstract: With this notice, the Secretary invites proposals to reinvent the administration of Federal student assistance programs through the use of the experimental sites authority (Section 487A(d) of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended). The program is intended to encourage institutions to develop innovative strategies to improve Title IV program administration.

[FR Doc. 98-9762 Filed 4-13-98; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 4000-01-P

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[Docket No. EA-179]

Application to Export Electric Energy; California Power Exchange Corp.

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

AGENCY: Notice of application.

SUMMARY: California Power Exchange Corporation (PX), a non-profit public benefit corporation formed under California law, has submitted an application for authorization to export electric energy to Mexico pursuant to section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act.

DATES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before May 14, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex (FE-27), Office of Fossil Energy, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585-0350 (FAX 202-287-5736).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ellen Russell (Program Office) 202-586-9624 or Michael Skinker (Program Attorney) 202-586-6667.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Exports of electricity from the United States to a foreign country are regulated and require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) (16 U.S.C. 824a(e)).

On March 26, 1998, PX applied to the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) for authorization to export electric energy to Mexico pursuant to section 202(e) of the FPA. The newly structured corporation does not own or control any

electric generation or transmission facilities, nor does it have a franchised service area. The applicant claims that its purpose is to provide an efficient, competitive energy auction on a non-discriminatory basis to suppliers ("PX sellers") and purchasers ("PX buyers"). The PX will manage the trading of power in the day ahead and hour ahead markets based on demand bids from PX buyers and generation bids from PX sellers. Based on these bids, the PX will determine market clearing prices for each of the hours of the 24 hour scheduling day, then conduct auctions under which PX sellers will sell power through the PX and PX buyers will purchase power through the PX. PX sellers and PX buyers will not contract directly with one another but with the PX. A portion of the power that is purchased through the PX will be purchased by the Comision Federal de Electricidad, the national electric utility of Mexico.

The PX indicates that it controls the sale of the power to be exported. It will be the entity that will determine the quantity of power to be sold, to whom the power is to be sold (including sales to Mexico), and the price of such power to be sold. The PX members will not know the identity of the purchaser, but only the price that the PX sellers receive for the sale of their power.

Transmission of the electric energy to be exported to Mexico will be scheduled by the PX and coordinated with the California Independent System Operator. Electric energy will be transmitted to Mexico using the international transmission facilities of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E). SDG&E's international transmission facilities, as more fully described in the application, have been authorized by Presidential permits issued pursuant to Executive Order (EO) 10485, as amended by EO 12038.

Procedural Matters

Any persons desiring to become a party to this proceeding or to be heard by filing comments or protests to this application should file a petition to intervene, comment or protest at the address provided above in accordance with §§ 385.211 or 385.214 of the FERC's rules of practice and procedures (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Fifteen copies of such petitions, comments and protests should be filed with the DOE on or before the date listed above. Additional copies are to be filed directly with Dennis Loughridge, Chief Executive Officer, California Power Exchange Corp., 1000 South Fremont, A9W-5th Floor, Alhambra, CA 91803 AND Edwin F. Feo, Milbank, Tweed,

Hadley & McCloy, 601 South Figueroa, Suite 3000, Los Angeles, CA 90017.

A final decision will be made on this application after the environmental impacts have been evaluated pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, and a determination is made by the DOE that the proposed action will not adversely impact on the reliability of the U.S. electric power supply system.

Copies of this application will be made available, upon request, for public inspection and copying at the address provided above.

Issued in Washington, DC, on April 8, 1998.

Anthony J. Como,

Manager, Electric Power Regulation, Office of Coal and Power Im/Ex, Office of Coal and Power Systems, Office of Fossil Energy.

[FR Doc. 98-9779 Filed 4-13-98; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6450-01-P

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Pantex Plant, Amarillo, Texas

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Pantex Plant, Amarillo, Texas.

DATES AND TIMES: Tuesday, April 28, 1998: 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Pantex Plant, Building 1612, Amarillo, Texas.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jerry S. Johnson, Assistant Area Manager, Department of Energy, Amarillo Area Office, P.O. Box 30030, Amarillo, TX 79120 (806) 477-3121.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Committee: The Board provides input to the Department of Energy on Environmental Management strategic decisions that impact future use, risk management, economic development, and budget prioritization activities.

Tentative Agenda

1:00 p.m. Welcome—Agenda Review—Approval of Minutes
1:15 p.m. Co-Chair Comments
1:20 p.m. Facilitator's Presentation on Hanford Citizens' Advisory Board Visit
1:45 p.m. Updates—Occurrence Reports—DOE