

Taking, Importing, and Exporting of Endangered Fish and Wildlife (50 CFR part 222).

Permit no. 873 authorizes the permit holder to biopsy several species of cetaceans off the coasts of Washington, Oregon, California, Mexico, and in the Southern Ocean; to import biopsy tissues collected outside of U.S. waters; and to conduct photo-identification and photogrammetry studies on these species. The permit holder requests authorization to add several additional species to the permit authority; to import biopsy tissues from these additional species; to expand the study area to include the Indian Ocean; to biopsy gray whales (including animals accompanying calves), fin, sei, minke, and right whales; and to employ photo-identification and photogrammetry techniques to study both gray whales and the additional species mentioned above.

Dated: February 9, 1995.

P.A. Montanio,

Acting Director, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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National Telecommunications and Information Administration

National Endowment for Children's Educational Television Advisory Council on Children's Educational Television; Notice of Open Meeting

AGENCY: National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA).

ACTION: Notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Advisory Council on Children's Educational Television, created pursuant to the National Endowment for Children's Television Act of 1990.

SUMMARY: Congress established the National Endowment for Children's Educational Television under the direction of the Secretary of Commerce. Authority to administer this program is further delegated to the National Telecommunications and Information Administration. Congress mandated creation of the Advisory Council to advise on the making of grants and contracts for the purpose of creating and producing television programming specifically directed toward the development of fundamental intellectual skills of our nation's children.

Authority: Public Law 101-437, 104 Stat. 997, approved October 18, 1990, codified at 47 U.S.C. 394.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Monday, March 6, 1995, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will take place via telephone conference call in Room 4898 of the Herbert C. Hoover Commerce Building, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dr. Heather Birnie; Acting Director, National Endowment for Children's Educational Television (NECET); National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA); U.S. Department of Commerce, Room 4096; 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230. Telephone: 202/482-5802.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Council was chartered on September 13, 1993 pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 394 to advise the Secretary of Commerce on matters related to the making of grants and contracts that would enhance the education of children through the creation and production of television programming specifically directed toward the development of fundamental intellectual skills.

Agenda

1. Opening Introductions and Remarks by Larry Irving, Assistant Secretary of Communications and Information.
2. Discussion and Recommendations on Issues:
 - a. Whether there is a specific age group that is currently considered to be most under-served by children's educational television that should serve as the focus of the NECET grant round for Fiscal Year 1995;
 - b. Whether there are specific subject matter areas that should be designated as priorities for the Fiscal Year 1995 grant round.
3. Other Items for Discussion.

Public Participation

The meeting will be open to the public, with limited seating available on a first-come, first-served basis. Speaker telephones will be available to the public.

Larry Irving,

Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information.

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Minority Business Development Agency

Business Development Center Applications: Boston, Massachusetts

AGENCY: Minority Business Development Agency, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice (Cancellation).

SUMMARY: The Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) is cancelling the announcement to solicit competitive applications under its Minority Business Development Center (MBDC) Program to operate a Boston, Massachusetts MBDC (closing date, December 16, 1994). Refer to the **Federal Register** dated, October 25, 1994.

11.800 Minority Business Development Center (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance)

Dated: February 9, 1995.

Donald L. Powers,

Federal Register Liaison Officer, Minority Business Development Agency.

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Business Development Center Applications: Portland, Oregon

AGENCY: Minority Business Development Agency, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Executive Order 11625 and 15 U.S.C. 1512, the Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) is soliciting competitive applications to operate its Portland Minority Business Development Center (MBDC).

The purpose of the MBDC Program is to provide business development services to the minority business community to help establish and maintain viable minority businesses. To this end, MBDA funds organizations to identify and coordinate public and private sector resources on behalf of minority individuals and firms; to offer a full range of client services to minority entrepreneurs; and to serve as a conduit of information and assistance regarding minority business. The MBDC will provide service in the Portland, Oregon Metropolitan Area. The award number of the MBDC will be 09-10-95013-01.

DATES: The closing date for applications is March 17, 1995. Applications must be received in the MBDA Headquarters' Executive Secretariat on or before March 17, 1995. A pre-application conference will be held on March 3, 1995, at 10:00 a.m., at 911 Federal Building, Conference Room "B", First Floor, 911