

**Minerals Management Service****One-Year Provisional Approval Period of Arco's Safety System Training Program (SIM STATION for Interactive Video Training and Simulation)**

**AGENCY:** Minerals Management Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a 1-year provisional approval of Arco's Production Safety System Training Program (SIM STATION for Interactive Video Training and Simulation). The Minerals Management Service (MMS) is announcing the approval of this program to inform the public about evolving training technology. The program offers a unique learning system that uses computerized enactments of real-life situations to enhance learning.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Joseph R. Levine, Chief, Information and Training Branch; Mail Stop 4810; Minerals Management Service; 381 Elden Street; Herndon, Virginia 22070-4817; telephone (703) 787-1033; FAX (703) 787-1575.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On January 24, 1991 (56 FR 2679), MMS amended the rules to revise the minimum training requirements for personnel engaged in drilling and production operations in the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) and established new minimum training requirements for personnel engaged in well-completion, well-workover, and well-servicing operations in the OCS. These requirements were effective on February 25, 1991. After February 24, 1993, MMS required training organizations to submit training programs in accordance with the requirements in 30 CFR part 250, subpart O.

The reason for this notice is to announce the 1-year provisional approval of Arco's Production Safety System Training Program (SIM STATION for Interactive Video Training and Simulation). Unlike traditional classroom based training programs, Arco based its program on interactive computer and laser disc based technology. This program allows the unassisted training of individual workers. The system provides for instruction, simulation, and testing.

Arco will administer the MMS certification test through a Training Administrator (TA). The TA is a company designated person who will provide a student with all the material for Production Safety System Training. During a training course the TA will be available to answer any questions the students have about the course material.

During this 1-year provisional approval period, MMS will conduct onsite evaluations and unannounced audits of the training program at Arco's shorebase facilities located in Ingleside, Texas, and Venice, Louisiana.

The MMS will conduct these onsite evaluations and unannounced audits to evaluate the operation of the training program to observe the student's ability to interact with the system.

The MMS granted a 1-year provisional approval of the training program under the departure provisions of 30 CFR 250.210(h) which states that, "Departures. The MMS may approve departures from these requirements when it is determined that such departure will not result in a reduction of the qualifications of personnel and that the departure is necessary due to unavoidable circumstances that make compliance with the requirements infeasible or impractical." Final approval will be contingent upon MMS' assessment of the effectiveness of this type of training in fulfilling the requirements of subpart O.

Dated: March 7, 1995.

**Thomas Gernhofer,**

*Associate Director for Offshore Minerals Management.*

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**National Park Service****Maine Acadian Culture Preservation Commission; Notice of Meeting**

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463) that the Maine Acadian Culture Preservation Commission will meet on Friday, April 7, 1995. The meeting will convene at 7:00 p.m. in the All-purpose Room in the Physical Education Building on the campus of the University of Maine at Fort Kent, Aroostook County, Maine. The Physical Education Building (Gym) is located off Pleasant Street, near U.S. Route 1 in Fort Kent.

The eleven-member Maine Acadian Culture Preservation Commission was appointed by the Secretary of the Interior pursuant to the Maine Acadian Culture Preservation Act (Pub. L. 101-543). The purpose of the Commission is to advise the National Park Service with respect to:

- The development and implementation of an interpretive program of Acadian culture in the state of Maine; and
- The selection of sites for interpretation and preservation by means of cooperative agreements.

The Agenda for this meeting is as follows:

1. Review and approval of the summary reports of the meetings held November 17, 1994, and February 16, 1995.
  2. Review and approval of the commission's annual report for fiscal year 1994.
  3. Reports of Maine Acadian Culture Preservation Commission working groups.
  4. Report of the National Park Service planning team.
  5. Opportunity for public comment.
  6. Proposed agenda, place, and date of the next Commission meeting.
- The meeting is open to the public. Further information concerning Commission meetings may be obtained from the Superintendent, Acadia National Park. Interested persons may make oral/written presentations to the Commission or file written statements. Such requests should be made at least seven days prior to the meeting to: Superintendent, Acadia National Park, P.O. Box 177, Bar Harbor, ME 04609-0177; telephone (207) 288-5472.

Dated: March 6, 1995.

**Chrysandra L. Walter,**

*Acting Regional Director.*

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**National Register of Historic Places; Notification of Pending Nominations**

Nominations for the following properties being considered for listing in the National Register were received by the National Park Service before March 4, 1995. Pursuant to § 60.13 of 36 CFR Part 60 written comments concerning the significance of these properties under the National Register criteria for evaluation may be forwarded to the National Register, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, D.C. 20013-7127. Written comments should be submitted by March 29, 1995.

**Carol D. Shull,**

*Chief of Registration, National Register.*

**ARKANSAS****Clay County**

*Scatterville Cemetery, Co. Rd. 404, 1.5 mi. W of AR 90, Rector vicinity, 95000364*

**Johnson County**

*Pioneer House, Poplar St. (AR 64), S of AR 123 and W of Johnson Co. Hospital, Clarksville, 95000363*

**Washington County**

*Wilson Park Historic District, Roughly bounded by College Ave., Maple St., Wilson Ave, and Louise St., Fayetteville, 95000365*