

jury empaneled in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York on numerous federal felony charges. According to a subsequent plea agreement, I.S.A. and other entities were required to be sold to unrelated third parties. In 1994, the United States entered into an Agreement and Covenant Not To Sue under CERCLA with Browning-Ferris Industries of New York, Inc.; Browning-Ferris Industries of Peterson N.J., Inc.; and Browning-Ferris Industries of South Jersey, Inc. (collectively referred to as "BFI") regarding BFI's prospective purchase of the assets of I.S.A. and the other entities. In exchange for this Agreement and covenant Not To Sue, BFI paid \$250,000 to the United States, from which \$55,000 was paid toward past response costs incurred by EPA at the Hertel Site. Upon the sale of the assets of I.S.A. and the other entities, I.S.A. and the other entities paid \$1,000,000 of the sale price into an escrow account to be used to resolve certain liability to the United States pursuant to CERCLA at several sites, including the Hertel Superfund Site, the Warwick Superfund Site in the Town of Warwick, New York, the Ramapo Superfund Site in the Town of Ramapo, New York, and the Kin-Buc Superfund Site in Edison, New Jersey. The balance of the proceeds of BFI's purchase of the assets of I.S.A. and the other entities has been used to satisfy a \$5,000,000 criminal fine, \$3,500,000 in federal and state tax liability, and \$300,000 of liabilities to other creditors.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments relating to the proposed consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Western Publishing Company, Inc., et al.*, DOJ Ref. Number 90-11-2-767A.

The proposed consent decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, United States Courthouse, 445 Broadway, Albany, NY 12207; the Region II Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 290 Broadway, New York, NY 10278; and the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005, (202) 624-0892. A copy of the proposed consent decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. In requesting a copy, please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$5.25 (25 cents per page

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

National Skill Standards Board; Notice of Opening Meeting

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: The National Skill Standards Board was established by an Act of Congress, the Goals 2000: Educate America Act of 1994, Title V, Pub. L. 103-227. The 28-member National Skill Standards Board will serve as a catalyst and be responsible for the development and implementation of a national system of voluntary skill standards and certification through voluntary partnerships which have the full and balanced participation of business, industry, labor, education and other key groups.

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting will be held from 8 a.m. to approximately 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 11, 1996, in the Arlington/Monticello Room, 2nd Floor of the Madison Hotel at 15th & M Streets N.W., Washington, D.C.

AGENDA: The agenda for the Board Meeting will include presentations on Existing Occupational Classification Systems, Skill Standards Initiatives in the States and discussion of upcoming National Skill Standards Board Public Hearings.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: The meeting from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., is open to the public. Seating is limited and will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Seats will be reserved for the media. Disabled individuals should contact Ed Rugenstein at (301) 495-1591, if special accommodations are needed.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ed Rugenstein at (301) 495-1591.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 30th day of November, 1995.

Judy Gray,

Executive Director, National Skill Standards Board.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 95108]

National Environmental Policy Act; International Space Station

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice of availability of Tier 2 draft environmental impact statement.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), as amended (42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*), the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for Implementing the Procedural Provisions of NEPA (40 CFR Parts 1500-1508), and NASA policy and procedures (14 CFR part 1216, Subpart 1216.3), NASA has prepared and issued a Tier 2 draft environmental impact statement (DEIS) for the International Space Station (ISS). The proposed action by NASA is to continue to provide U.S. participation in the assembly and operation of the ISS. This Tier 2 DEIS addresses changes to the Space Station Program and potential environmental impacts that could not be addressed in detail at the time of the Tier 1 final environmental impact statement (FEIS). These factors include modifications to the Space Station itself, its assembly and operation, and an assessment of the probability and consequences of reentry into Earth's atmosphere.

DATE: Comments on the Tier 2 DEIS must be submitted in writing to NASA on or before January 22, 1996, or 45 days from the date of publication in the Federal Register of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's notice of availability of the ISS Tier 2 DEIS.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to Mr. David Ruszczyk, NASA Johnson Space Center, Code OF, Houston, Texas, 77058-3696. The Tier 2 DEIS may be reviewed at the following locations:

(a) NASA Headquarters, Library, Room 1J20, 300 E street SW, Washington DC 20546.

(b) NASA, Johnson Space Center, Building 111, Industry Assistance Office, Houston, TX 77058.

(c) Spaceport U.S.A., Room 2001, John F. Kennedy Space Center, FL 32899. Please call Lisa Fowler beforehand at 407-867-2468 so that arrangements can be made.

In addition, the Tier 2 DEIS may be reviewed at the following NASA locations by contracting the pertinent Freedom of Information Act Office: