

**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY****Community Development Financial Institutions Fund; Notice of Extension of Due Dates and Availability of Supplemental Information for Notices of Funds Availability (NOFA) Inviting Applications for the Community Development Financial Institutions Program and the Bank Enterprise Award Program**

**AGENCY:** Community Development Financial Institutions Fund, Department of the Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice of extension of due dates and availability of supplemental information for notices of funds availability inviting applications.

**SUMMARY:** This notice extends the application due date for the Bank Enterprise Award ("BEA") Program to January 16, 1996 and for the Community Development Financial Institutions ("CDFI") Program to January 22, 1996 from the dates indicated in the NOFAs published on October 19, 1995 inviting applications for the CDFI or BEA programs. This notice also announces the availability and distribution of supplemental information to assist potential applicants in completing the applications for these two programs.

**DATES:** This notice extends the application due date from December 15, 1995 to January 16, 1996 for the BEA Program and from December 22, 1995 to January 22, 1996 for the CDFI Program. The deadline for receipt of an application is 4 p.m. Eastern Standard Time on the respective due date. An application received after the specified date and time will not be accepted and

will be returned to the sender. Applications sent by FAX will not be accepted.

**ADDRESSES:** An application and supplemental information may be obtained from the office of the Community Development Financial Institutions Fund (the "Fund") listed below or by telephone at (202) 622-8662. (This is not a toll free number.) An application must be sent to: The Community Development Financial Institutions Fund, U.S. Department of the Treasury, 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Room 5116, Washington, DC 20220.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The Community Development Financial Institutions Fund, U.S. Department of the Treasury, 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Room 5116, Washington, DC 20220, (202) 622-8662. (This is not a toll free number.)

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On October 19, 1995 the Department of the Treasury published a NOFA for the CDFI Program (60 FR 54136) and a separate NOFA for the BEA Program (60 FR 54140). The CDFI Program NOFA announced the availability of up to \$31 million for program awards and gave an application deadline of December 22, 1995. The BEA Program NOFA announced the availability of up to \$15.5 million for program awards and gave an application due date of December 15, 1995. In response to numerous requests by potential applicants, this notice extends the application due dates to January 16, 1996 for the BEA Program and January 22, 1996 for the CDFI Program. In addition, the Fund has prepared

supplemental information to assist potential applicants in completing the required application materials. This information will be mailed to all those who attended a workshop announced in the NOFAs published on October 19, 1995 and to those on the Fund's mailing list, which includes those who have requested an application from the Fund. Others may request a copy of this information by contacting the Fund.

Authority: 12 U.S.C. 4703, 4717; Chapter X, Pub.L. 104-19, 109 Stat. 237; 12 CFR 1805.700.

Dated: December 5, 1995.

Kirsten S. Moy,

*Director, Community Development Financial Institutions Fund.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS****Special Medical Advisory Group, Notice of Charter Renewal**

This gives notice under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (Public Law 92-463; 5 U.S.C. App.), that the Department of Veterans Affairs' Special Medical Advisory Group has been renewed for a 2-year period beginning November 9, 1995, through November 9, 1997.

Dated: November 29, 1995.

By Direction of the Secretary:

Heyward Bannister,

*Committee Management Officer.*

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