

data including the name and address of the official authorized to enter into the cooperative agreement between the agency and the U.S. Government; a proposed detailed budget outlining how the funds will be spent; and internal controls which will ensure the funds are spent for stated purposes. The proposals and applications are first submitted to and reviewed by the area Executive Committee in the HIDTA and, upon approval, forwarded for review by National HIDTA Committee which includes representatives of ONDCP, the Departments of Justice, Treasury, and Health and Human Services. Next, they are submitted to the Director of ONDCP for review, final approval, and transfer of funds. The applicant may be required to submit additional information deemed necessary prior to approval of the cooperative agreement.

Funding Mechanism and Restrictions

Upon receipt and approval of the application, the applicant and the government will execute cooperative agreements specifying the mechanism for receipt of funds and the conditions attendant to initial and continued receipt of the funds. The applicant will be expected to comply with the following conditions prior to the expenditure of any of the funds: all travel funded must be in accordance with the published U.S. Government travel regulations; all pertinent information regarding the cooperative agreement must be made available to the public; applicable civil rights and anti-discrimination statutes must be adhered to; accounting systems and records shall be such that the Comptroller General of the United States shall be able to audit the uses of the funds. Other conditions regarding expenditures of the funds and applicant performance shall be specified in the terms and conditions of the cooperative agreement that must be executed before any funds may be received.

For any expenditure incurred prior to execution of the cooperative agreement, detailed transaction records must be submitted along with evidence supporting that the expenditures were for the purposes stated in the legislation. The ONDCP/HIDTA Director will have to approve reimbursement for these expenditures before they can be considered eligible grant costs.

Lee P. Brown,

Director.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee, Open Committee Meeting

According to the provisions of section 10 of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), notice is hereby given that meetings of the Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee will be held on—

Thursday, January 4, 1996

Thursday, January 18, 1996

Thursday, February 8, 1996

Thursday, February 22, 1996

The meetings will start at 10:45 a.m. and will be held in Room 5A06A, Office of Personnel Management Building, 1900 E Street, NW., Washington, DC.

The Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee is composed of a Chairman, five representatives from labor unions holding exclusive bargaining rights for Federal blue-collar employees, and five representatives from Federal agencies. Entitlement to membership on the Committee is provided for in 5 U.S.C. 5347.

The Committee's primary responsibility is to review the Prevailing Rate System and other matters pertinent to establishing prevailing rates under subchapter IV, chapter 53, 5 U.S.C., as amended, and from time to time advise the Office of Personnel Management.

These scheduled meetings will start in open session with both labor and management representatives attending. During the meeting either the labor members or the management members may caucus separately with the Chairman to devise strategy and formulate positions. Premature disclosure of the matters discussed in these caucuses would unacceptably impair the ability of the Committee to reach a consensus on the matters being considered and would disrupt substantially the disposition of its business. Therefore, these caucuses will be closed to the public because of a determination made by the Director of the Office of Personnel Management under the provisions of section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463) and 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(9)(B). These caucuses may, depending on the issues involved, constitute a substantial portion of the meeting.

Annually, the Committee publishes for the Office of Personnel Management, the President, and Congress a comprehensive report of pay issues discussed, concluded recommendations, and related activities. These reports are available to the public, upon written request to the Committee's Secretary.

The public is invited to submit material in writing to the Chairman on Federal Wage System pay matters felt to be deserving of the Committee's attention. Additional information on these meetings may be obtained by contacting the Committee's Secretary, Office of Personnel Management, Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee, Room 5559 1900 E Street, NW., Washington, DC 20415 (202) 606-1500.

Dated: December 5, 1995.

Anthony F. Ingrassia,

Chairman Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Self-Regulatory Organizations; National Association of Securities Dealers; Notice of Filing of Proposed Rule Change Granting the Canadian Depository for Securities Access to the Automated Confirmation Transaction Service

December 5, 1995.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act"),¹ notice is hereby given that on October 12, 1995, the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., ("NASD") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I, II, and III below, which Items have been prepared primarily by the NASD. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rule change from interested persons.

I. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rule Change

The NASD proposes to amend its "Rules of Practice and Procedure for the Automated Confirmation Transaction Service" ("ACT Rules") to permit The Canadian Depository for Securities ("CDS") to enter trades in NASD's Automated Confirmation Transaction Service ("ACT").

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1) (1988).