

financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman on March 31, 1997, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c)(4), (6) and (9)(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

Any person may observe meetings, or portions thereof, of advisory panels which are open to the public, and may be permitted to participate in the panel's discussions at the discretion of the panel chairman and with the approval of the full-time Federal employee in attendance.

If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Office of AccessAbility, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506, 202/682-5532, TDY-TDD 202/682-5496, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Kathy Plowitz-Worden, Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC, 20506, or call 202/682-5691.

Dated: June 23, 1997.

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**NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE
ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES**

**National Endowment for the Arts;
Combined Arts Panel**

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Combined Arts Advisory Panel, Music and Opera Section (Heritage & Preservation and Education & Access categories) to the National Council on the Arts will be held on July 22-25, 1997. The panel will meet from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on July 22-24 and from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on July 25, in Room M-07 at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506. A portion of this meeting, from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Friday July 25, will be open to the public for a policy and guidelines discussion.

The remaining portions of this meeting, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on July 22-24 and from 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. on July 25, are for the purpose of Panel

review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of March 31, 1997, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c) (4), (6) and (9)(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

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Portions of Panel Section A, on July 22, from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; on July 23, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. to 4 p.m., and portions of Panel Section B; on July 24, from 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.; and July 25, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m., are for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of March 31, 1997, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c)(4), (6) and (9)(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

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Committee Management; Renewals

The Assistant Directors having responsibility for the 27 Advisory Committees listed below have determined that renewing these groups for another two years is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed upon the Director, National Science Foundation (NSF), by 42 U.S.C. 1861 et seq. This determination follows consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration.