

determined to be desirable by the Chairman.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The Commission and Committee will meet in public session to discuss a broad range of marine mammal matters. The focus of the meeting, however, will be on Arctic issues and on those marine mammal species that occur in Alaska. While subject to change, major issues that the Commission plans to consider at the meeting include: marine mammal co-management agreements; domestic and international polar bear and walrus programs; research and management issues related to bowhead whales, Steller sea lions, harbor seals, North Pacific fur seals, and sea otters; the Arctic Environmental Protection Strategy; the Arctic Council; marine mammal programs of the Russian Federation; the Bering Sea ecosystem; Hawaiian monk seals; and West Indian manatees.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: John R. Twiss, Jr., Executive Director, Marine Mammal Commission, 4340 East-West Highway, Room 905, Bethesda, MD 20814, 301/504-0087.

Dated: September 24, 1997.

John R. Twiss, Jr.,

Executive Director.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 97-141]

NASA Advisory Council, Aeronautics and Space Transportation Technology Advisory Committee, Airframe Systems Subcommittee Meeting

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration announces a NASA Advisory Council, Aeronautics and Space Transportation Technology Advisory Committee, Airframe Systems Subcommittee meeting.

DATES: October 21, 1997, 8:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., October 22, 1997, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and October 23, 1997, 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Langley Research Center, Hampton, VA 23681-0001.

October 21, 1997: Building 1219, Room 225.

October 22, 1997:

Building 1229, Room 124 (Structures and Materials).

Building 1212, Room 200 (Aerodynamics and Aerothermodynamics).

Building 1268A, Room 1141 (Airborne Systems).

October 23, 1997: Building 1219, Room 225.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Ms. Gloria Hernandez, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Mail Stop 113, Langley Research Center, Hampton, VA 23681-0001, 757/864-6033.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting will be open to the public up to the seating capacity of the room. Agenda topics for the meeting are as follows:

- Status of the Airframe Systems Program
- Overview of the High-Speed Research Program
- Overview of the Advanced Subsonic Technology Program
- Overview of the Aviation Safety Program
- Review of Airframe Systems Structures and Materials Research
- Review of Airframe Systems Aerodynamics and Aerothermodynamics Research
- Review of Airframe Systems Airborne Systems Research

It is imperative that the meeting be held on these dates to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants. Visitors will be requested to sign a visitors register.

Dated: September 22, 1997.

Leslie M. Nolan,

Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 97-140]

NASA Advisory Council, Life and Microgravity Sciences and Applications Advisory Committee, NASA-NIH Advisory Subcommittee on Behavioral and Biometical Research; Meeting

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration

announces a meeting of the NASA Advisory Council, Life and Microgravity Sciences and Applications Advisory Committee, NASA-NIH Advisory Subcommittee on Behavioral and Biomedical Research.

DATES: October 23, 1997, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; and October 24, 1997, 8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

ADDRESSES: NASA Headquarters, Room 7H46, 300 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20546

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Joan Vernikos, Code UL, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546, 202/358-2530.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting will be open to the public up to the seating capacity of the room. The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- OLMSA/NIH Overview
- Biology Pillars Update
- National Space Biomedical Research Institute Briefing
- Update of NASA-NIH Activities
- Neurovestibular NSCORT
- Protein Crystallography
- Remote Sensing/Disease Prediction Program
- Recent Flight Research Findings

It is imperative that the meeting be held on these dates to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants. Visitors will be requested to sign a visitor's register.

Dated: September 22, 1997.

Leslie M. Nolan,

Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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NATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE COST OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Meeting

AGENCY: National Commission on the Cost of Higher Education.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings

TIMES AND DATES: Thursday, October 16, 1997; 8:15 A.M.-5:30 A.M.; Monday, October 27, 1997; 9:00 A.M.-11:30 A.M. and 1:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.; Friday, November 7, 1997; 8:15 A.M.-5:30 P.M.; Monday & Tuesday, November 17-18, 1997; 8:15 A.M.-5:30 P.M.

SUMMARY: The National Commission on the Cost of Higher Education was created by the Congress to submit to the President and the Congress a report which shall contain a detailed statement of the findings and conclusions of the Commission on the issues of what is