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Current Actions: USIA is requesting OMB approval for the reinstatement of this collection for a three-year period.

Title: Application for Teaching Positions/Seminars Abroad.

Form Number: IAP-92.

Abstract: To be used by applicants under the Fulbright Teacher Exchange Program which provide opportunities for U.S. teachers to exchange positions for designated periods with foreign counterparts, or to attend one of a number of short-term seminars abroad on a variety of topics.

Proposed Frequency of Responses:
No. of Respondents—940,
Recordkeeping Hours—2.0, Total
Annual Burden—1880.

Dated: November 19, 1997.

Rose Royal,

Federal Register Liaison.

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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 13, 1997, through November 13, 1999.

Dated: November 17, 1997.

By Direction of the Acting Secretary.

Heyward Bannister,

Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Advisory Committee on Structural Safety of Department of Veterans Affairs Facilities, Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), in accordance with Public Law 92-463, gives notice that two meetings of the Advisory Committee on Structural Safety of Department of Veterans Affairs Facilities will be held on:

Monday, December 8, 1997: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, December 9, 1997: 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The location of the meetings will be 811 Vermont Avenue, NW; Washington, DC; in Room 438 on December 8, 1997, and Room 442 on December 9, 1997.

The all day meeting of Monday, December 9, 1997, is a work session to review the developments in the field of structural design, as they relate to seismic safety of buildings, and fire safety issues. The Tuesday, December 9, 1997, meeting is a formal session to vote on structural and fire safety issues for inclusion in VA's standards.

Both meetings will be open to the public up to the seating capacity of the room. Because of the limited seating capacity, it will be necessary for those wishing to attend to contact Krishna K. Banga, Senior Structural Engineer, Standards Service, Facilities Quality Office, Office of Facilities Management, Department of Veterans Affairs Central Office (phone 202-565-9370) by December 1, 1997.

Dated: November 17, 1997.

By Direction of the Acting Secretary.

Heyward Bannister,

Committee Management Officer.

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