

*a. Modified Authorized Plan w/o Groins*

This alternative would involve widening the beaches along the project area to a minimum of 100 ft with an elevation of +11 ft NGVD, and raising the dunes to an elevation of +20 ft NGVD, with a minimum dune crest width of 25 ft. Certain very low zones of the project area will have a berm elevation of +13 ft NGVD. The proposed dune slopes are 1V:5H, and the design berm slopes are to be 1V:15H to Mean Low Water (MLW), and 1V:30H below MLW.

*b. Beach Nourishment (Option A)—Fill in Wilderness Area*

This alternative consists of beachfill with a minimum berm width of 90 feet (ft) at elevation +9.5 ft NGVD, and a minimum 25-ft wide dune at elevation +15 ft NGVD. Proposed dune and berm slopes are 1V:5H to MLW, and 1V:30H below MLW. Different specifications would be required between Kismet and Point O'Woods and in the Federal Wilderness Area. The berm and dune elevations from Kismet to Point O'Woods would be increased to +11.5 ft NGVD and +18 ft NGVD, respectively. These increased elevations would be required to provide a 44-year level of protection due to extremely low elevations north of the dune in these areas.

*c. Beach Nourishment (Option B)—Feeder Beach w/Stockpile at Smith Point*

This alternative would require the use of a feeder beach and stockpiling sand at Smith Point County Park. While offering some protection, these measures are not likely to provide a 44-year level of protection.

On page 63135, column 1, last paragraph, Section 4(b), revised the first two sentences to read:

A scoping meeting was held on December 4, 1997 at the Holiday Inn Macarthur Airport, Ronkonkoma. If more public meetings are found to be needed, public notices shall be issued at a later date containing the dates, times and places of the scoping meetings.

On page 63135, column 1, end of the last paragraph, Section 4(b), add the following sentence:

The scoping period has been extended to 30 days from the date of this notice's appearance in the **Federal Register**.

**Gregory D. Showalter,**

*Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences****Sunshine Act Meeting****AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:**

Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences.

**TIME AND DATE:** 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., February 9, 1998.

**PLACE:** Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Board of Regents Conference Room (D3001), 4301 Jones Bridge Road, Bethesda, MD 20814-4799.

**STATUS:** Open-under "Government in the Sunshine Act" (5 U.S.C. 552b(e)(3)).

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

8:30 a.m. Meeting—Board of Regents

- (1) Approval of Minutes—November 3, 1998
- (2) Faculty Matters
- (3) Departmental Reports
- (4) Financial Report
- (5) Report—President, USUHS
- (6) Report—Dean, School of Medicine
- (7) Report—Dean, Graduate School of Nursing
- (8) Comments—Chairman, Board of Regents
- (9) New Business

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

Mr. Bobby D. Anderson, Executive Secretary of the Board of Regents, (301) 295-3116.

Dated: January 16, 1998.

**Linda Bynum,**

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**DELAWARE RIVER BASIN COMMISSION****Notice of Commission Meeting and Public Hearing**

Notice is hereby given that the Delaware River Basin Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, January 28, 1998. The hearing will be part of the Commission's regular business meeting which is open to the public and scheduled to begin at 1:00 p.m. in the Goddard Conference Room of the Commission's offices at 25 State Police Drive, West Trenton, New Jersey.

A presentation on the Commission's retreat process will be held at 11:00 a.m. at the same location. In December 1995 the Commission conducted a retreat to examine the agency and its future. The process progressed through interviews with key constituents; an extensive constituent survey; a niche selection

process and preparation of a vision and mission statement entitled "Charting the Future", adopted by the Commission on December 17, 1997. The results of the retreat process and next steps will be reviewed at this presentation. A "Summary of Delaware River Basin Commission Retreat Process" and "Charting the Future" are available upon request by contacting Susan M. Weisman at (609) 883-9500 ext. 203.

In addition to the subjects listed which are scheduled for public hearing at the 1:00 p.m. business meeting, the Commission will also address the following: Minutes of the December 17, 1997 business meeting; announcements; General Counsel's Report; report on Basin hydrologic conditions; a resolution to adopt the current expense and capital budgets for Fiscal Year 1999; a resolution to designate the Chair of the Flow Management Technical Advisory Committee as the Chair at meetings of the Parties to the 1954 U.S. Supreme Court Decree concerning drought-related resolutions; a resolution to amend the Ground Water Protected Area Regulations for Southeastern Pennsylvania by the establishment of numerical withdrawal limits for Protected Area subbasins; and public dialogue. A "Response Document on Proposed Amendments to the Southeastern Pennsylvania Ground Water Protected Area Regulations" is also available upon request by contacting Ms. Weisman at the number provided above.

The subjects of the hearing will be as follows:

**Applications for Approval of the Following Projects Pursuant to Article 10.3, Article 11 and/or Section 3.8 of the Compact***1. Portland Borough Authority D-97-29 CP*

An application for approval of a ground water withdrawal project to supply up to 5.18 million gallons (mg)/30 days of water to the applicant's distribution system from new Well No. 3, and to increase the existing withdrawal limit from all wells to 5.7 mg/30 days. The project is located in Upper Mount Bethel Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania.

*2. Pennsylvania Power & Light Company D-97-37*

A project to construct two 12-kilowatt aerial power line crossings: one on a reach of the Schuylkill River and one on a reach of the Little Schuylkill River near their confluence. Both crossings are on reaches of the rivers designated as Scenic Rivers by the Pennsylvania