

natural or human environment. Because no significant environmental impacts will result from implementation of the proposed action, an Environmental Impact Statement is not required and will not be prepared.

The Army will not initiate the proposed action for 15 days following the completion of the EA and FNSI and publication of a public notice in a local newspaper. This EA is available for review at the following repositories: Lassen Community College Library, Highway 139, P.O. Box 3000, Susanville, CA 96130; Lassen County Public Works, 707 Nevada Street, Suite 2, Susanville, CA 96130; and the Washoe County Library, Downtown Branch, 301 South Center Street, Reno NV 89501.

Dated: November 1, 1999.

**Raymond J. Fatz,**

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(Environment, Safety and Occupational  
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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### National Commission on Mathematics and Science Teaching for the 21st Century; Meeting

**AGENCY:** National Commission on Mathematics and Science Teaching for the 21st Century, Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice sets forth the schedule and proposed agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the National Commission on Mathematics and Science Teaching for the 21st Century (Commission). This notice also describes the functions of the Commission. Notice of this meeting is required under Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act and is intended to notify the general public of their opportunity to attend.

**DATE AND TIME:** Monday, November 29, 1999, from 3:30 to approximately 6:30 p.m. and Tuesday, November 30 from 8:30 a.m. to adjournment at approximately 4:30 p.m.

**ADDRESS:** The Washington Hilton and Towers, International Ballroom West, 1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20009, telephone: (202) 483-3000, fax: (202) 232-0438.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Linda P. Rosen, Executive Director, The National Commission on Mathematics and Science Teaching for the 21st Century, US Department of Education,

Room 6W252, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20202, telephone: (202) 260-8229, fax: (202) 260-7216.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The National Commission on Mathematics and Science Teaching for the 21st Century was established by the Secretary of Education and is governed by the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) (P.L. 92-463, as amended; 5 U.S.C.A. Appendix 2). The Commission was established to address the pressing need to significantly raise student achievement in mathematics and science by focusing on the quality of mathematics and science instruction in K-12 classrooms nationwide. The Commission will develop a set of recommendations with a corresponding, multifaceted action strategy to improve the quality of teaching in mathematics and science.

The meeting of the Commission is open to the public. The proposed agenda will focus on (1) What is known about effective teaching that leads to high levels of mathematical and scientific understanding among all students, and (2) What it takes to enable teachers to teach in this way. The proposed agenda will include both plenary sessions and presentations.

Space may be limited and you are encouraged to register if you plan to attend. You may register through the Internet at [America\\_Counts@ed.gov](mailto:America_Counts@ed.gov) or [Jamila\\_Rattler@ed.gov](mailto:Jamila_Rattler@ed.gov). Please include your name, title, affiliation, complete address (including e-mail, if available), telephone and fax numbers. If you are unable to register through the Internet, you may fax your registration information to The National Commission on Mathematics and Science Teaching for the 21st Century at (202) 260-7216 or mail to The National Commission on Mathematics and Science Teaching for the 21st Century, US Department of Education, Room 6W252, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20202. The registration deadline is November 22, 1999. Any individual who will need accommodations for a disability in order to attend the meeting (i.e., interpreting services, assistive listening devices, materials in alternative format) should notify Jamila Rattler at (202) 260-8229 by no later than November 17, 1999. We will attempt to meet requests after this date, but cannot guarantee availability of the requested accommodation. The meeting site is accessible to individuals with disabilities.

Records will be kept of all Commission proceedings, and will be available for public inspection at The

National Commission on Mathematics and Science Teaching for the 21st Century, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 6W252 from the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. weekdays, except Federal holidays.

Dated: October 27, 1999.

**Marshall S. Smith,**

*Acting Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the National Ignition Facility Project Specific Analysis Portion of the Stockpile Stewardship and Management Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of Availability and opportunity for public comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Energy (DOE) announces the availability of the Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) for the National Ignition Facility (NIF) Project Specific Analysis portion (Volume III, Appendix I) of the Stockpile Stewardship and Management Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (SSM PEIS) DOE/EIS-0236-S1 for public review and comment.

**DATES:** Written comments on the Draft NIF SEIS are invited from the public during the comment period which ends December 20, 1999. Comments must be postmarked by December 20, 1999, to ensure consideration; late comments will be considered to the extent practicable. The DOE will use the comments received to help prepare the Final SEIS.

**ADDRESSES:** To submit comments in writing to DOE and for additional information contact: Richard Scott, Document Manager, U.S. Department of Energy, L-293, P.O. Box 808, Livermore, CA 94550. Mr. Scott may also be contacted by telephone (925) 423-3022, facsimile (925) 424-3755, or toll-free: (877) 388-4930. Comments may also be sent to the e-mail address [richard.scott@oak.doe.gov](mailto:richard.scott@oak.doe.gov).

Requests for copies of the Draft NIF SEIS should be addressed to the DOE Oakland Operations Office, Energy Information Center, 1st floor in the North Tower of the Federal Building at 1301 Clay Street in Oakland, CA, (510) 637-1762. The Draft NIF SEIS is available under the NEPA Analysis