

submission of the log. Review of such a log should provide adequate assurances for his future responsible conduct as a registrant.

The Acting Deputy Administrator agrees with Judge Randall that Respondent's application for registration should be granted and that it is appropriate to impose restrictions on such registration. However, the Acting Deputy Administrator finds it unnecessary to require Respondent to resubmit an application listing his proper business address. At the hearing in this matter, Respondent requested that his application be modified to reflect the address of his current place of employment. The Acting Deputy Administrator finds that this request is sufficient to modify his application and a new application for registration is not required. However, if Respondent's place of employment has changed from that represented at the hearing, a new written request for modification of the address on his application must be submitted.

In addition, the Acting Deputy Administrator disagrees with Judge Randall's recommendation that Respondent be given two years to present evidence of successful completion of formal training in the proper handling or prescribing of controlled substances. Given the nature of Respondent's past conduct, the Acting Deputy Administrator finds that it is in the public interest for such training to be completed within one year of being issued his DEA registration.

Finally, the Acting Deputy Administrator believes that it is prudent to require Respondent to continue his affiliation with the PHP for three years regardless of whether such affiliation is required by the Board.

Therefore, the Acting Deputy Administrator concludes that Respondent should be granted a DEA Certificate of Registration in Schedules III, IV and V subject to the following restrictions:

(1) By not later than one year after the Certificate of Registration is issued, Respondent shall submit to the DEA office in Nashville Tennessee evidence of successful completion, after August of 1999, of formal training in the proper handling or prescribing of controlled substances. Such training should be provided by an accredited institution at the Respondent's own expense.

(2) For three years after the issuance of the Certificate of Registration, Respondent shall submit, on a quarterly basis, a log of all of the controlled substances he has prescribed, administered, or dispensed during the

previous quarter, to the Resident Agent in Charge of the DEA office in Nashville, Tennessee, or his or her designee. The log should include: the patient's name; the date that the controlled substance was prescribed, administered or dispensed; and the name, dosage and quantity of the controlled substance prescribed, administered or dispensed. If no controlled substances are prescribed, administered or dispensed during a given quarter, the Respondent shall indicate that fact in writing, in lieu of submission of the log.

(3) Respondent shall continue his affiliation with the Tennessee Medical Foundation's Physicians' Health Program for at least three years from the issuance of the Certificate of Registration, regardless of whether such affiliation is required by the Tennessee Board of Medical Examiners.

Accordingly, the Acting Deputy Administrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration, pursuant to the authority vested in him by 21 U.S.C. 823 and 824 and 28 CFR 0.100(b) and 0.104, hereby orders that the application for registration submitted by Michael Alan Patterson, M.D., be, and it hereby is, granted subject to the above described restrictions. This order is effective upon the issuance of the DEA Certificate of Registration, but no later than January 31, 2000.

Dated: December 22, 1999.

Julio F. Mercado,

Acting Deputy Administrator.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Civil and Mechanical Systems; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Civil and Mechanical Systems (1205).

Date and Time: January 31, 2000 and February 1, 2000, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Place: NSF, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Rooms 380 and 390, Arlington, Virginia 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Clifford J. Astill, Program Director Geomechanics and Geotechnical Systems, Geoenvironmental Engineering and Geohazards Mitigation, Division of Civil and Mechanical Systems, Room 545, (703) 306-1361.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate nominations for the FY'00 Control, Geomechanics and Geotechnical Systems and Geoenvironmental Engineering and Geohazards Review Panel proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals.

These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: December 23, 1999.

Karen J. York,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Experimental & Integrative Activities; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Experimental & Integrative Activities (1193).

Date/Time: January 13-14, 2000, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 330, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Lawrence E. Brandt, Digital Government Program, Experimental and Integrative Activities, Room 1160, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, VA 22230 Telephone: (703) 306-1981.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to National Science Foundation for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate CISE Digital Government Program proposals submitted in response to the program announcement (NSF 99-103).

Reason for Closing: The proposal being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in The Sunshine Act.

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Karen J. York,

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