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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Employment Standards
Administration, Wage and Hour
Division****Minimum Wages for Federal and
Federally Assisted Construction;
General Wage Determination;
Decisions**

General wage determination decisions of the Secretary of Labor are issued in accordance with applicable law and are based on the information obtained by the Department of Labor from its study of local wage conditions and data made available from other sources. They specify the basic hourly wage rates and fringe benefits which are determined to be prevailing for the described classes of laborers and mechanics employed on construction projects of a similar character and in the localities specified therein.

The determinations in these decisions of prevailing rates and fringe benefits have been made in accordance with 29 CFR Part 1, by authority of the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act of March 3, 1931, as amended (46 Stat. 1494, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 276a) and of other Federal statutes referred to in 29 CFR Part 1, Appendix, as well as such additional statutes as may from time to time be enacted containing provisions for the payment of wages determined to be prevailing by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act. The prevailing rates and fringe benefits determined in these decisions shall, in accordance with the provisions of the foregoing statutes, constitute the minimum wages payable on Federal and federally assisted construction projects to laborers and mechanics of the specified classes engaged on contract work of the character and in the localities described therein.

Good cause is hereby found for not utilizing notice and public comment procedure thereon prior to the issuance of these determinations as prescribed in 5 U.S.C. 553 and not providing for delay in the effective date as prescribed in that section, because the necessity to issue current construction industry wage determinations frequently and in large volume causes procedures to be impractical and contrary to the public interest.

General wage determination decisions, and modifications and supersedes decisions thereto, contain no expiration dates and are effective from

their date of notice in the **Federal Register**, or on the date written notice is received by the agency, whichever is earlier. These decisions are to be used in accordance with the provisions of 29 CFR Parts 1 and 5. Accordingly, the applicable decision, together with any modifications issued, must be made a part of every contract for performance of the described work within the geographic area indicated as required by an applicable Federal prevailing wage law and 29 CFR Part 5. The wage rates and fringe benefits, notice of which is published herein, and which are contained in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under The Davis-Bacon and Related Acts," shall be the minimum paid by contractors and subcontractors to laborers and mechanics.

Any person, organization, or governmental agency having an interest in the rates determined as prevailing is encouraged to submit wage rate and fringe benefit information for consideration by the Department. Further information and self-explanatory forms for the purpose of submitting this data may be obtained by writing to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment Standards Administration, Wage and Hour Division, Division of Wage Determinations, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Room S-3014, Washington, DC 20210.

**New General Wage Determination
Decision**

The number of the decisions added to the Government Printing Office document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts" are listed by Volume and States:

Volume V**Louisiana**

LA000048 (Feb. 25, 2000)

**Modifications to General Wage
Determination Decisions**

The number of decisions listed in the Government Printing Office document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts" being modified are listed by Volume and State. Dates of publication in the **Federal Register** are in parentheses following the decisions being modified.

Volume I**New Jersey**

NJ000001 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Volume II**Pennsylvania**

PA000001 (Feb. 11, 2000)

PA000002 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000003 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000004 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000008 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000010 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000011 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000014 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000017 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000018 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000020 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000027 (Feb. 11, 2000)
PA000035 (Feb. 11, 2000)
West Virginia
WV000002 (Feb. 11, 2000)
WV000003 (Feb. 11, 2000)
WV000006 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Volume III**Florida**

FL000004 (Feb. 11, 2000)
FL000007 (Feb. 11, 2000)
FL000017 (Feb. 11, 2000)
FL000032 (Feb. 11, 2000)
FL000034 (Feb. 11, 2000)
FL000100 (Feb. 11, 2000)

South Carolina

SC000023 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Volume IV**Illinois**

IL000002 (Feb. 11, 2000)
IL000006 (Feb. 11, 2000)
IL000008 (Feb. 11, 2000)
IL000009 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Michigan

MI000017 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Minnesota

MN000007 (Feb. 11, 2000)
MN000008 (Feb. 11, 2000)
MN000027 (Feb. 11, 2000)
MN000058 (Feb. 11, 2000)
MN000061 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Volume V**Kansas**

KS000002 (Feb. 11, 2000)
KS000006 (Feb. 11, 2000)
KS000007 (Feb. 11, 2000)
KS000008 (Feb. 11, 2000)
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KS000070 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Louisiana

LA000004 (Feb. 11, 2000)
LA000005 (Feb. 11, 2000)
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LA000018 (Feb. 11, 2000)
LA000049 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Oklahoma

OK000014 (Feb. 11, 2000)
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 OK000036 (Feb. 11, 2000)
 OK000037 (Feb. 11, 2000)
 OK000038 (Feb. 11, 2000)
 OK000043 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Texas
 TX000005 (Feb. 11, 2000)
 TX000014 (Feb. 11, 2000)
 TX000069 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Volume VI

Idaho
 ID000001 (Feb. 11, 2000)

North Dakota
 ND000003 (Feb. 11, 2000)
 ND000004 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Oregon
 OR000001 (Feb. 11, 2000)
 OR000017 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Washington
 WA000002 (Feb. 11, 2000)
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 WA000008 (Feb. 11, 2000)
 WA000013 (Feb. 11, 2000)

Volume VII

Nevada
 NV000003 (Feb. 11, 2000)

General Wage Determination Publication

General wage determinations issued under the Davis-Bacon and related Acts, including those noted above, may be found in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under The Davis-Bacon and Related Acts." This publication is available at each of the 50 Regional Government Depository Libraries and many of the 1,400 Government Depository Libraries across the country.

The general wage determinations issued under the Davis-Bacon and related Acts are available electronically by subscription to the FedWorld Bulletin Board System of the National Technical Information Service (NTIS) of the U.S. Department of Commerce at 1-800-363-2068

Hard-copy subscriptions may be purchased from: Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, (202) 512-1800.

When ordering hard-copy subscription(s), be sure to specify the State(s) of interest, since subscriptions may be ordered for any or all of the seven separate volumes, arranged by State. Subscriptions include an annual edition (issued in January or February) which includes all current general wage determinations for the States covered by each volume. Throughout the remainder of the year, regular weekly updates are distributed to subscribers.

Signed at Washington, DC this 17th day of February, 2000.

Carl J. Poleskey,

Chief, Branch of Construction Wage Determinations.

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NATIONAL COUNCIL ON DISABILITY

Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: National Council on Disability (NCD).

ACTION: Advisory Committee Meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the schedule of the forthcoming meeting/conference call for NCD's advisory committee—International Watch. Notice of this meeting is required under Section 10(a)(1)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92-463).

International Watch: The purpose of NCD's International Watch is to share information on international disability issues and to advise NCD's Foreign Policy Team on developing policy proposals that will advocate for a foreign policy that is consistent with the values and goals of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

DATE: March 15, 2000, 2 p.m.–3 p.m. est.

For International Watch Information, Contact: Kathleen A. Blank, Attorney/Program Specialist, National Council on Disability, 1331 F Street NW, Suite 1050, Washington, DC 20004; 202-272-2004 (Voice), 202-272-2074 (TTY), 202-272-2022 (Fax), kblank@ncd.gov (e-mail).

Agency Mission: The National Council on Disability is an independent federal agency composed of 15 members appointed by the President of the United States and confirmed by the U.S. Senate. Its overall purpose is to promote policies, programs, practices, and procedures that guarantee equal opportunity for all people with disabilities, regardless of the nature of severity of the disability; and to empower people with disabilities to achieve economic self-sufficiency, independent living, and inclusion and integration into all aspects of society.

This committee is necessary to provide advice and recommendations to NCD on international disability issues.

We currently have balanced membership representing a variety of disabling conditions from across the United States.

Open Meeting/Conference Call: This advisory committee meeting/conference call of the National Council on Disability will be open to the public. However, due to fiscal constraints and

staff limitations, a limited number of additional lines will be available. Individuals can also participate in the conference call at the NCD office. Those interested in joining this conference call should contact the appropriate staff member listed above.

Records will be kept of all International Watch meetings/conference calls and will be available after the meeting for public inspection at the National Council on Disability.

Signed in Washington, DC, on February 22, 2000.

Ethel D. Briggs,
Executive Director.

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NATIONAL COUNCIL ON DISABILITY

International Watch Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: National Council on Disability (NCD).

ACTION: Advisory Committee Meeting.

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International Watch: The purpose of NCD's International Watch is to share information on international disability issues and to advise NCD's Foreign Policy Team on developing policy proposals that will advocate for a foreign policy that is consistent with the values and goals of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Date: April 6–7, 2000, 9 a.m.–5 p.m. est.

Location: Washington Marriott Hotel, 1221 22nd Street, NW, Washington, DC 20037

For International Watch Information, Contact: Kathleen A. Blank, Attorney/Program Specialist, National Council on Disability, 1331 F Street NW, Suite 1050, Washington, D.C. 20004; 202-272-2004 (Voice), 202-272-2074 (TTY), 202-272-2022 (Fax), kblank@ncd.gov (e-mail).

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