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JOINT BOARD FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF ACTUARIES

Requirements Relative to Waiver of Segment A of EA-1 Examination and Segment A's Sequel, the EA-1 Examination

AGENCY: Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries.

ACTION: Notice of revision and clarification of requirements.

SUMMARY: The Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries (Joint Board) announces revised requirements relative to the waiver of Segment A of its basic (EA-1) examination and Segment A's sequel, the EA-1 examination.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paulette Tino, Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries, 202-622-7192.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Joint Board gives notice of a revision to the requirements relative to the waiver of Segment A of its basic (EA-1) examination, which was given for the last time in May 2000, and Segment A's sequel, the EA-1 examination, which will be given beginning in 2001 and thereafter.

Beginning in 2000, the Joint Board will grant a waiver of this examination to any applicant who has received credit from the Society of Actuaries for examinations 2 and 3 of the Society's new examination program.

The Joint Board also clarifies its position regarding the waiver of this examination on account of completed academic work. The Joint Board will grant a waiver to any applicant who has (i) received a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution, and (ii) completed the Joint Board's required courses through a combination of undergraduate and graduate education, provided that the applicant has obtained the graduate credits as part of a degree program, even if the applicant has not actually received a degree.

Dated: July 26, 2000.

Paulette Tino,

Chair, Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries.

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U.S. ARCTIC RESEARCH COMMISSION

Meetings

July 31, 2000.

Notice is hereby given that the U.S. Arctic Research Commission will hold its 57th Meeting in Seattle WA on August 24, and 25, 2000.

The Meeting will be held at the Applied Physics Laboratory of the University of Washington, 1013 NE 40th Street, Seattle, WA 98105.

Topics for the meeting include Federal and State Agency reports, Congressional liaison reports, research reports on climate change in the Arctic and a visit is planned to the USCGC Healy.

Any person planning to attend the meeting who requires special accessibility features and/or auxiliary aids, such as sign language interpreters must inform the Commission in advance of those needs.

Contact Person for More Information: Dr. Garrett W. Brass, Executive Director, Arctic Research Commission, 703-525-0111, e-mail <g.brass@arctic.gov> or TDD 703-306-0090.

Garrett W. Brass,

Executive Director.

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COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

Procurement List; Proposed Additions and Deletions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Proposed additions to and deletions from Procurement List.

SUMMARY: The Committee has received proposals to add to the Procurement List services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are

blind or have other severe disabilities, and to delete commodities previously furnished by such agencies.

COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE: September 11, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Jefferson Plaza 2, Suite 10800, 1421 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3259.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Louis R. Bartalot (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 47(a) (2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the possible impact of the proposed actions.

Additions

If the Committee approves the proposed additions, all entities of the Federal Government (except as otherwise indicated) will be required to procure the services listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the services to the Government.

2. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the services to the Government.

3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the services proposed for addition to the Procurement List. Comments on this certification are invited. Commenters should identify the statement(s) underlying the certification on which they are providing additional information.

The following services have been proposed for addition to Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

Grounds Maintenance, Department of Veterans Affairs, Puget Sound Health Care System, 1660 South Columbian Way, Seattle, Washington