

POLICY JUSTIFICATION

Israel - JP-8 Aviation Jet Fuel

The Government of Israel has requested a possible purchase of JP-8 aviation jet fuel. The estimated cost is \$111 million.

This proposed sale will contribute to the foreign policy and national security of the United States by helping to improve the security of a friendly country which has been and continues to be an important force for political stability and economic progress in Middle East.

The proposed sale of the JP-8 aviation fuel will enable Israel to maintain the operational capability of its aircraft inventory. Israel will have no difficulty absorbing this additional fuel into their armed forces.

The proposed sale of this JP-aviation fuel will not affect the basic military balance in the region.

Procurement of the aviation jet fuel will be from the same contractors providing aviation fuel to the U.S. armed forces. There are no offset agreements proposed in connection with this potential sale.

Implementation of this proposed sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government or contractor representatives to Israel.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Defense Science Board

ACTION: Notice of Advisory Committee meetings.

SUMMARY: The Defense Science Board (DSB) Task Force on High Energy Laser Weapon Systems Applications will meet in closed session on October 19-20, 2000, at Strategic Analysis Inc., 3601 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22201.

The mission of the Defense Science Board is to advise the Secretary of Defense and the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology & Logistics on scientific and technical matters as they affect the perceived needs of the Department of Defense. At this meeting, the Task Force will review on-going or proposed programs in high energy laser (HEL) applications; examine recent supporting technology advancements and their applications with respect to supporting military HEL weapon system developments; develop potential military and strategic HEL

system applications and identify processes required to implement these potentials; determine what needs to be done to "weaponize" these systems; and assess HEL operational concepts, impacts and limitations, considering legal, treaty and policy issues concerning HEL employment.

In accordance with Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II, (1994)), it has been determined that these Defense Science Board meetings, concern matters listed in 5 U.S.C. § 552b(c)(1) (1994), and that accordingly these meetings will be closed to the public.

Dated: October 2, 2000.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

U.S. Strategic Command Strategic Advisory Group

AGENCY: Department of Defense, USSTRATCOM.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Strategic Advisory Group (SAG) will meet in closed session on November 2 and 3, 2000. The mission of the SAG is to provide timely advice on scientific, and policy-related issues to the Commander in Chief, U.S. Strategic Command, during the development of the nation's strategic war plans.

At this meeting, the SAG will discuss strategic issues that relate to the development of the Single Integrated Operational Plan (SIOP). Full development of the topics will require discussion of information classified TOP SECRET in accordance with Executive Order 12958, April 17, 1995. Access to this information must be strictly limited to personnel having requisite security clearances and specific need-to-know. Unauthorized disclosure of the information to be discussed at the SAG meeting could

have exceptionally grave impact upon national defense.

In accordance with section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, (5 U.S.C. App 2), it has been determined that this SAG meeting concerns matters listed in 5 USC 552b(c) and that, accordingly, this meeting will be closed to the public.

Dated: September 29, 2000.

Patricia L. Toppings,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

AGENCY: Department of the Army, DOD.

ACTION: Notice to Amend Systems of Records.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Army is amend a system of records notice in its existing inventory of record systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended.

DATES: This proposed action will be effective without further notice on November 6, 2000, unless comments are received which result in a contrary determination.

ADDRESSES: Records Management Division, U.S. Army Records Management and Declassification Agency, ATTN: TAPC-PDD-RP, Stop 5603, Ft. Belvoir, VA 22060-5603.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Janice Thornton at (703) 806-4390 or DSN 656-4390; or Ms. Christie King at (703) 806-3711 or DSN 656-3711.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of the Army systems of records notices subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, have been published in the **Federal Register** and are available from the address above.

The specific changes to the record system being amended are set forth below followed by the notice, as amended, published in its entirety.

The proposed amendments are not within the purview of subsection (r) of the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, which requires the submission of new a or altered system report.

A0145-2 TRADOC

SYSTEM NAME:

Junior ROTC/NDCC Instructor Files (February 2, 1996, 61 FR 3914).

CHANGES:

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CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

Delete from entry 'and guest speakers at above locations'.

AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:

Delete entry and replace with 10 U.S.C. 2031, Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps; 10 U.S.C. 3013, Secretary of the Army, and E.O. 9397 (SSN).

STORAGE:

Delete entry and replace with 'Paper records in file folders'.

RETRIEVABILITY:

Delete entry and replace with 'By name, Social Security number or service number'.

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RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:

Delete entry and replace with 'Records are maintained then destroyed 2 years after instructor's separation.'

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SYSTEM NAME:

Junior ROTC/NDCC Instructor Files.

SYSTEM LOCATION:

U.S. Army Reserve Officers Training Corps Cadet Command, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-5000.

CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

Assigned and potential instructors.

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

Instructor evaluation forms, qualification data, biographical sketches and similar or related documents.

AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:

10 U.S.C. 2031, Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps; 10 U.S.C. 3013, Secretary of the Army, and E.O. 9397 (SSN).

PURPOSE(S):

To provide record of qualifications, experience, effectiveness, and similar related information on potential and/or assigned instructors and guest speakers.

Routine uses of records maintained in the system, including categories of users and the purposes of such uses:

In addition to those disclosures generally permitted under 5 U.S.C.

552a(b) of the Privacy Act, these records or information contained therein may specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3) as follows:

The DoD 'Blanket Routine Uses' set forth at the beginning of the Army's compilation of systems of records notices also apply to this system.

Policies and practices for storing, retrieving, accessing, retaining, and disposing of records in the system:

STORAGE:

Paper records in file folders.

RETRIEVABILITY:

By name, Social Security number and/or service number.

SAFEGUARDS:

Records are stored in locked cabinets or rooms, depending on location.

RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:

Records are maintained then destroyed 2 years after instructor's separation.

SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:

Commander, Fort Monroe, Privacy Act Officer, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-5000.

NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:

Individuals seeking to determine whether information about themselves is contained in this record system should address written inquiries to the Commander, U.S. Army Reserve Officers Training Corps Cadet Command, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-5000.

Individual should provide full name, Social Security Number/military service number, duty position, academic department, and dates of service at the training activity to aid in the information search.

RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:

Individuals seeking access to information about themselves contained in this system should address written inquiries to the Commander, U.S. Army Reserve Officer Training Corps Cadet Command, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-5000.

Individual should provide the full name, Social Security Number/military service number, duty position, academic department, and dates of service at the training activity.

CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:

The Army's rules for accessing records, contesting contents; and