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1. Chairperson, Judith C. Dunn, Deputy Chief Counsel (Operations);
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3. Cynthia J. Mattson, Deputy Division Counsel (Large and Mid-Size Business);
4. Martha Sullivan, Deputy Division Counsel (Small Business/Self Employed);
5. Richard J. Mihelcic, Associate Chief Counsel (Finance and Management);
6. Heather C. Maloy, Associate Chief Counsel (Income Tax and Accounting);
7. Joseph F. Maselli, Area Counsel (Large and Mid-Size Business)(Area 2)(Heavy Manufacturing, Construction and Transportation).

In addition, I hereby appoint the following persons to serve on the Performance Review Board for the Deputies Chief Counsel:

8. Robert E. Wenzel, Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue; and
9. Eric Solomon, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary (Tax Policy).

This publication is required by 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4).

Dated: October 23, 2000.

**Stuart L. Brown,**

*Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service.*

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65 FR 40896, 40897, and 40903, June 30, 2000.

With respect to any bonds, including continuous bonds, currently in force with above listed Companies, bond-approving officers should secure new bonds with acceptable sureties in those instances where a significant amount of liability remains outstanding. In addition, bonds that are continuous in nature should not be renewed.

The Circular may be viewed and downloaded through the Internet at <http://www.fms.treas.gov/c570/index.html>. A hard copy may be purchased from the Government Printing Office (GPO), Subscription Service, Washington, DC, telephone (202) 512-1800. When ordering the Circular from GPO, use the following stock number: 048-000-00536-5.

Questions concerning this notice may be directed to the U.S. Department of the Treasury, Financial Management Service, Financial Accounting and Services Division, Surety Bond Branch, 3700 East-West Highway, Room 6A04, Hyattsville, MD 20782.

Dated: October 16, 2000.

**Judith R. Tillman,**

*Assistant Commissioner, Financial Operations, Financial Management Service.*

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**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Requests for additional information or copies of the form and instructions should be directed to Martha R. Brinson, (202) 622-3869, Internal Revenue Service, room 5244, 1111 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20224.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* United States Additional Estate Tax Return.

*OMB Number:* 1545-0016.

*Form Number:* Form 706-A.

*Abstract:* Form 706-A is used by individuals to compute and pay the additional estate taxes due under Internal Revenue Code section 2032A(c) for an early disposition of specially valued property or for an early cessation of a qualified use of such property. The IRS uses the information to determine that the taxes have been properly computed.

*Current Actions:* There are no changes being made to the form at this time.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 180.

*Estimated Time Per Respondent:* 8 hr., 11 min.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 1,474.

The following paragraph applies to all of the collections of information covered by this notice:

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a collection of information must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any internal revenue law. Generally, tax returns and tax return information are confidential, as required by 26 U.S.C. 6103.

*Request for Comments:* Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use

**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**

**Fiscal Service**

**Surety Companies Acceptable on Federal Bonds—Terminations; Reliance Insurance Company, Reliance Insurance Company of Illinois, Reliance National Indemnity Company, Reliance Surety Company, United Pacific Insurance Company**

**AGENCY:** Financial Management Service, Fiscal Service, Department of the Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This is Supplement No. 2 to the Treasury Department Circular 570; 2000 Revision, published June 30, 2000, at 65 FR 40868.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Surety Bond Branch at (202) 874-6507.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given that the Certificates of Authority issued by the Treasury to the above named Companies, under the United States Code, Title 31, Sections 9304-9308, to qualify as acceptable sureties on Federal bonds are terminated effective immediately.

The Companies were last listed as acceptable sureties on Federal bonds at

**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**

**Internal Revenue Service**

**Proposed Collection; Comment Request for Form 706-A**

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). Currently, the IRS is soliciting comments concerning Form 706-A, United States Additional Estate Tax Return.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before December 26, 2000 to be assured of consideration.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Garrick R. Shear, Internal Revenue Service, room 5244, 1111 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20224.

of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

Approved: October 17, 2000.

**Garrick R. Shear,**

*IRS Reports Clearance Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Internal Revenue Service

#### Open Meeting of South Florida Citizen Advocacy Panel

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** An open meeting of the South Florida Citizen Advocacy Panel will be held in Sunrise, Florida.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Friday, November 17, 2000 and Saturday, November 18, 2000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nancy Ferree at 1-888-912-1227, or 954-423-7973.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988) that an open meeting of the Citizen Advocacy Panel will be held Friday, November 17, 2000 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturday, November 18, 2000 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., in Room 225, CAP Office, 7771 W. Oakland Park Blvd., Sunrise, Florida 33351. The public is invited to make oral comments. Individual comments will be limited to 10 minutes. If you would like to have the CAP consider a written statement, please call 1-888-912-1227 or 954-423-7973, or write Nancy Ferree, CAP Office, 7771 W. Oakland Park Blvd. Rm. 225, Sunrise, FL 33351. Due to limited conference space, notification of intent to attend the meeting must be made with Nancy Ferree. Ms. Ferree can be reached at 1-888-912-1227 or 954-423-7973.

The agenda will include the following: various IRS issue updates and reports by the CAP sub-groups.

**Note:** Last minute changes to the agenda are possible and could prevent effective advance notice.

Dated: October 23, 2000.

**John J. Mannion,**

*Program Manager, Taxpayer Advocate Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Internal Revenue Service

#### Open meeting of Citizen Advocacy Panel, Midwest District

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** A meeting of the Midwest Citizen Advocacy Panel will be held in Omaha, Nebraska.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Thursday, November 16, 2000, and Friday, November 17, 2000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sandra McQuin at 1-888-912-1227, or 414-297-1604.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988) that an open meeting of the Citizen Advocacy Panel (CAP) will be held Thursday, November 16, 2000, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Friday, November 17, 2000, from 9:00 a.m. to noon at the W Dale Clark Main Library, 215 South 15th Street, Omaha, NE 68102. The Citizen Advocacy Panel is soliciting public comment, ideas, and suggestions on improving customer service at the Internal Revenue Service. Written comments can be submitted to the panel by fax to (414) 297-1623, or by mail to Citizen Advocacy Panel, Mail Stop 1006 MIL, 310 West Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, WI 53203-2221.

The Agenda will include the following: Reports by the CAP sub-groups, presentation of taxpayer issues by individual members, discussion of issues, and the CAP office report.

**Note:** Last minute changes to the agenda are possible and could prevent effective advance notice.

Dated: October 23, 2000.

**John J. Mannion,**

*Program Manager, Taxpayer Advocate Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

### Veterans Advisory Committee on Rehabilitation (VACOR); Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under Public Law 92-463 that a meeting of the Veterans' Advisory Committee on Rehabilitation (VACOR), authorized by Public Law 96-466, Subsection 1521, will be held on November 13 through 16, 2000. The meeting will be held at VA Central Office, 810 Vermont Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20006.

The meeting schedule is as follows:

Date	Room #	Time
November 13th	1010	9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
November 14th and 15th.	732	9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
November 16th	1046	9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

The purpose of the meeting is to review the quality of the services which the Department of Veterans Affairs provides to disabled veterans who participate in VA sponsored programs of rehabilitation. In addition, VACOR will conduct an internal business meeting focusing on a review of past activities and the development of future initiatives.

On November 13th, the meeting will begin with opening remarks and an overview by Mr. Richard K. Pimentel, Committee Chairman. The Committee will receive a briefing on President Clinton's executive order call on agencies to hire 100,000 people with disabilities over the next five years. The afternoon session will be devoted to discussing recruitment initiatives needed to assist veterans with disabilities obtain employment with regard to the executive order.

On November 14, the Committee will receive a presentation on employment barriers encountered by veterans with disabilities when seeking employment. The afternoon session will be devoted to identifying methods and tools needed to remove the barriers, giving specific attention to assisting the most seriously disabled veterans.

The November 15th meeting will encompass a discussion of medical and rehabilitation integration within the Department of Veterans Affairs in