

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Idaho Operation Office; Notice of Availability of Solicitation for Awards of Financial Assistance****AGENCY:** Idaho Operations Office, DOE.**ACTION:** Metal casting industries of the future.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Idaho Operations Office (ID) is seeking applications for cost shared research and development of technologies which will enhance economic competitiveness, reduce energy consumption and reduce environmental impacts of the metal casting industry. The research is to address research priorities identified by the metal casting industry in the Metal Casting Industry Technology Roadmap.

DATES: The deadline for optional pre-applications is November 17, 2000, at 3 p.m. MST. The deadline for receipt of full applications is March 16, 2001, at 3 p.m. MST.

ADDRESSES: Applications should be submitted to: Beth Dahl, Contract Specialist, Procurement Services Division, U.S. Department of Energy, Idaho Operations Office, 850 Energy Drive, Mail Stop 1221, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401-1563.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beth Dahl, Contract Specialist at dahlee@id.doe.gov, or Brad Bauer, Contracting Officer at bauerbg@id.doe.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Metal Casting Industry Technology Roadmap can be found at <http://www.oit.doe.gov/metalcast/roadmap.shtml>.

Approximately \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 of funding will be available to fund the first year of selected research efforts. DOE anticipates making 5 to 10 cooperative agreement awards each with duration of three years or less. A minimum of 50% non-federal cost share is required for research and development projects over the life of the project. First year cost share can be as low as 30% if subsequent years have sufficient cost share so that non-federal share totals at least 50%. Collaborations between industry, university, and National Laboratory participants are encouraged. The issuance date of Solicitation Number DE-PS07-01ID14003 is on or about October 26, 2000. The solicitation is available in its full text via the DOE's Industry Interactive Procurement System (IPS) or the Internet at the following address: <http://www.id.doe.gov/doeid/PSD/proc-div.html>. The statutory authority for the program is the Federal Non-Nuclear

Energy Research and Development Act of 1974 (P.L. 93-577). The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number for this program is 81.086.

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R.J. Hoyles,*Director, Procurement Services Division.*

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BILLING CODE 6450-01-M**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Senior Executive Service; Performance Review Board****AGENCY:** U.S. Department of Energy.**ACTION:** Designation of PRB Chair.

SUMMARY: This notice designates the Performance Review Board Chair for the Department of Energy.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The appointment is effective as of September 30, 2000.

Performance Review Board Chair

David L. Hamer, Department of Energy.

Issued in Washington, DC October 26, 2000.

David M. Klaus,*Director of Management and Administration.*

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BILLING CODE 6450-01-P**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Senior Executive Service; Performance Review Board****AGENCY:** Department of Energy**ACTION:** SES Performance Review Board Standing Register.

SUMMARY: This notice provides the Performance Review Board Standing Register for the Department of Energy. This listing supersedes all previously published lists of PRB members.

EFFECTIVE DATE: These appointments are effective as of September 30, 2000.

ACHARYA, SARBESWAR NMN
ACKERLY, LAWRENCE R
AGUILERA, ESTHER
ALCOCK, ROBERT M
ALLARD III, EDWARD T
ALLISON, JEFFREY M
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ANDERSON, MARGOT H
ARMSTRONG, M BRENT
ARTHUR III, WILLIAM JOHN
ASCANIO, XAVIER
BACA, FRANK A
BACA, MARK C
BAILEY, LAWRENCE D
BAJURA, RITA A
BAKER, KENNETH E
BALLARD, WILLIAM W

BARKER JR, WILLIAM L
BARRETT, LAKE H
BAUER, CARL O
BAUER, LINDA K
BECKETT, THOMAS H
BEECY, DAVID J
BENEDICT, GEORGE W
BERGHOLZ JR, WARREN E
BERICK, DAVID M
BERKOVITZ, DAN M
BERNARD, PETER A
BERUBE, RAYMOND P
BIELAN, DOUGLAS J
BILSON, HELEN E
BLACK, RICHARD L
BLACKWOOD, EDWARD B
BLADOW, JOEL K
BOARDMAN, KAREN L
BORCHARDT, CHARLES A
BORGSTROM, CAROL M
BORGSTROM, HOWARD G
BORNHOFT JR, BUDD B
BOSTON, HARRY L
BOWMAN, GERALD C
BOYD, GERALD G
BRADLEY JR, THERON M
BRADLEY, SAMUEL M
BRECHBILL, SUSAN R
BRENDLINGER, TERRY L
BREZNAY, GEORGE B
BRICE, JAMES F
BROCOUM, STEPHAN J
BRODMAN, JOHN R
BRONSTEIN, ELI B
BROWN III, ROBERT J
BROWN, FREDERICK R
BRUMLEY, WILLIAM J
BUBAR, PATRICE M
BURKE, BRIAN E
BURNS, ALLEN L
BURROWS, CHARLES W
BUTLER, JEROME M
CAMPBELL, ELIZABETH E
CAMPBELL, JAMES THOMAS
CARABETTA, RALPH A
CARAVELLI, JOHN M
CARDINALI, HENRY A
CARLSON, JOHN T
CARLSON, KATHLEEN ANN
CARY, STEVEN V
CASTELLI, BRIAN T
CAVANAGH, JAMES J
CHANEY, KIMBERLY A HAYES
CHRISTENSEN, WILLIAM J
CHRISTOPHER, ROBERT K
CHUN, SUN W
CLARK, JOHN R
CLAUSEN, MAX JON
COBURN, LEONARD L
COMBS, MARSHALL O
COOK, BEVERLY ANN
COOK, JOHN S
COSTLOW, BRIAN D
COWAN, GWENDOLYN S
CRAIG JR, JACK R
CRANDALL, DAVID H
CROSS, CLAUDIA A
CROWE, RICHARD C
CUMESTY, EDWARD G