

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of subsection (d) of section 10 of Public Law 92-463, as amended by section 5 of Public Law 94-409, notice is hereby given that a closed meeting of the DIA Advisory Board has been scheduled as follows:

DATES: July 29-30, 2003 (8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.).

ADDRESSES: The Defense Intelligence Agency, 200 MacDill Blvd, Washington, DC 20340.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Lawrence R. Carnegie, Program Manager/Executive Secretary, DIA Advisory Board, Washington, DC 20340-1328 (703) 697-7898.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The entire meeting is devoted to the discussion of classified information as defined in section 552b(c)(1), Title 5 of the U.S. Code, and therefore will be closed to the public. The Board will receive briefings and discuss several current critical intelligence issues in order to advise the Director, DIA.

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Alternate OSD Federal Register, Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

DoD Education Benefits Board of Actuaries; Meeting

AGENCY: DoD Education Benefits Board of Actuaries, DoD.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: A meeting of the Board has been scheduled to execute the provisions of Chapter 101, Title 10, United States Code (10 U.S.C. 2006). The Board shall review DoD actuarial methods and assumptions to be used in the valuation of the Department of Defense Education Benefits Fund. Persons desiring to: (1) Attend the DoD Education Benefits Board of Actuaries meeting, or (2) make an oral presentation or submit a written statement for consideration at the meeting, must notify Inger Pettygrove at (703) 696-7413 by July 24, 2003.

Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

DATES: September 5, 2003, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

ADDRESSES: 4040 N. Fairfax Drive, Suite 270, Arlington, VA 22203.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Inger Pettygrove, DoD Office of the

Actuary, 4040 N. Fairfax Drive, Suite 308, (703) 696-7413.

Dated: July 2, 2003.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Meeting Notice

AGENCY: DoD Retirement Board of Actuaries.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: A meeting of the Board has been scheduled to execute the provisions of Chapter 74, Title 10, United States Code (10 U.S.C. 1464 *et seq.*). The Board shall review DoD actuarial methods and assumptions to be used in the valuation of the Military Retirement System. Persons desiring to: (1) Attend the DoD Retirement Board of Actuaries meeting, or (2) make an oral presentation or submit a written statement for consideration at the meeting, must notify Inger Pettygrove at (703) 696-7413 by July 24, 2003.

Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

DATES: September 4, 2003, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

ADDRESSES: 4040 N. Fairfax Drive, Suite 270, Arlington, VA 22203.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Inger Pettygrove, DoD Office of the Actuary, 4040 N. Fairfax Drive, Suite 308, Arlington, VA 22203, (703) 696-7413.

Dated: July 2, 2003.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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Office of Innovation and Improvement; Parental Information and Resource Centers Program

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year (FY) 2003; Correction.

On June 3, 2003, we published in the **Federal Register** (68 FR 33332) a notice

inviting applications for new awards under the Parental Information and Resource Centers (PIRC) program. In that notice, we announced that each "novice applicant" would receive a competitive preference of 10 points. Upon further reflection, in order to encourage the submission of applications from novice applicants and to ensure that only the highest quality applications are funded, the Secretary is amending this competitive preference. The Secretary will award 10 additional points only to those novice applicants that rank among the ten highest scoring of all novice applicants on the basis of the selection criteria and the other competitive preference for this competition. In other words, only the ten highest ranked novice applicants, rather than all novice applicants, will be awarded priority points under the novice applicant preference.

The Secretary also reminds all applicants that section 5563(b) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), as amended, requires each PIRC grantee to meet several specific conditions. The Secretary strongly encourages all applicants to review each of these conditions carefully to ensure that their applications appropriately address these specific requirements. For example, each applicant must (a) use at least 30 percent of the funds received under the program each year to establish, expand, or operate Parents as Teachers programs, Home Instruction for Preschool Youngsters programs, or other early childhood parent education programs; (b) use at least 50 percent of the funds received under the program each year to serve areas with high concentrations of low-income families, in order to serve parents who are severely educationally or economically disadvantaged; and (c) establish a special advisory committee as described in section 5563(b)(2) of the ESEA.

Consistent with section 5562(b) of the ESEA, in awarding funds under this competition, the Secretary will ensure, to the extent practicable, that grants are distributed in all geographic regions of the United States.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Patricia Kilby-Robb, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., room 3E209, FOB-6, Washington, DC 20202-6254. Telephone: (202) 205-4253 or via Internet: patricia.kilby-robb@ed.gov.

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