

NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Meetings of Humanities Panel

AGENCY: The National Endowment for the Humanities.

ACTION: Notice of additional meetings.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, as amended), notice is hereby given that the following meetings of Humanities Panels will be held at the Old Post Office, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Heather C. Gottry, Acting Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Humanities, Washington, DC 20506; telephone (202) 606-8322. Hearing-impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Endowment's TDD terminal on (202) 606-8282.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed meetings are for the purpose of panel review, discussion, evaluation and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the agency by the grant applicants. Because the proposed meetings will consider information that is likely to disclose trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and/or privileged or confidential information of a personal nature, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, pursuant to authority granted me by the Chairman's Delegation of Authority to Close Advisory Committee meetings, dated July 19, 1993, I have determined that these meetings will be closed to the public pursuant to subsections (c)(4), and (6) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

1. *Date:* May 28, 2008.

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 402.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Digital Humanities Start Up Grants, submitted to the Office of Digital Humanities, at the October 16, 2007 deadline.

2. *Date:* May 29, 2008.

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 402.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Digital Humanities Start Up Grants, submitted to the Office of Digital Humanities, at the

April 2, 2008 deadline.

Heather C. Gottry,

Acting Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

National Endowment for the Arts; President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities: Meeting #63

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities (PCAH) will be held on May 5, 2008, from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. (ending time is tentative). The meeting will be held in Salon IV, The Ritz-Carlton, 6961 Avenue of the Governors, Isla Verde, Carolina, Puerto Rico 00979.

The Committee meeting will begin with welcome, introductions, and announcements. Updates and discussion on recent programs and activities will follow, including a focus on PCAH's international projects. Reports from the federal cultural agencies (the National Endowment for the Arts, National Endowment for the Humanities, and Institute of Museum and Library Services) are also slated. The meeting will include a review of PCAH ongoing programming for youth arts and humanities learning, preservation and conservation, and special events. The meeting will adjourn after discussion of other business, as necessary, and closing remarks.

The President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities was created by Executive Order in 1982, which currently states that the "Committee shall advise, provide recommendations to, and assist the President, the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and the Institute of Museum and Library Services on matters relating to the arts and the humanities."

Any interested persons may attend as observers, on a space available basis, but seating is limited. Therefore, for this meeting, individuals wishing to attend are advised to contact Lindsey Clark of the President's Committee staff at least seven (7) days in advance of the meeting at (202) 682-5409 or write to the Committee at 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Suite 526, Washington, DC 20506. Further information with reference to this meeting can also be obtained from Ms. Clark.

If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Office of AccessAbility, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Suite 724, Washington, DC 20506, (202) 682-5532, TDY-TDD (202) 682-5560, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Dated: April 16, 2008.

Kathy Plowitz-Worden,

Panel Coordinator, Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Advisory Committee for Education and Human Resources; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Advisory Committee for Education and Human Resources (#1119).

Date/Time: May 7, 2008; 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. May 8, 2008; 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation Headquarters, Stafford Place II—Room 555, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: James Colby, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, (703) 292-5331.

If you are attending the meeting and need access to the NSF, please contact the individual listed above so your name may be added to the building access list.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice with respect to the Foundation's education and human resources programming.

Agenda:

Wednesday, May 7, 2008

Assistant Director's Remarks

Overview of Selected Programs that Support:

- Broadening Participation to Improve Workforce Development.

- Enriching the Education of STEM Teachers.

- Promoting Learning Through Research and Evaluation.

- Review and Acceptance of Special Report from NSF's Task Force on Cyber-enabled STEM Learning.

Thursday, May 8, 2008

Overview of Selected Programs that Support:

- Furthering Public Understanding of Science and Advancing STEM Literacy.

- Review and Acceptance of Committee of Visitor Reports.

- Future Issues for Consideration.

Dated: April 15, 2008.

Susanne Bolton,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of Permits Issued Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978

AGENCY: National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Notice of permits issued under the Antarctic Conservation of 1978, Public Law 95-541.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish notice of permits issued under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. This is the required notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nadene G. Kennedy, Permit Office, Office of Polar Programs, Rm. 755, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On March 17, 2008, the National Science Foundation published a notice in the **Federal Register** of a permit application received. A permit was issued on April 16, 2008 to: H. William Detrich, III, Permit No. 2009-001.

Nadene G. Kennedy,

Permit Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS); Meeting of the ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability and Probabilistic Risk Assessment; Notice of Cancellation of Meeting

The ACRS Subcommittee meeting on Reliability and Probabilistic Risk Assessment scheduled for April 18, 2008 has been cancelled. This meeting was published previously in the **Federal Register** on Monday, March 24, 2008 (73 FR 15543).

For further information contact the Designated Federal Official Dr. Hossein P. Nourbakhsh, (Telephone: 301-415-5622) between 7:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. (ET).

Dated: April 14, 2008.

Cayetano Santos,

Branch Chief, ACRS.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release Nos. 33-8910; 34-57669; File No. 265-24]

Advisory Committee on Improvements to Financial Reporting.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission.

ACTION: Room Change for Meeting of SEC Advisory Committee on Improvements to Financial Reporting.

SUMMARY: The Securities and Exchange Commission Advisory Committee on Improvements to Financial Reporting is providing notice that it is changing the room location of its public meeting on Friday, May 2, 2008. The meeting will continue to be held at the Donald E. Stephens Conference Center, 5555 N. River Road, Rosemont, Illinois 60018, beginning at 8 a.m. (CDT). However, the meeting will now be located in room 40.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James L. Kroeker, Deputy Chief Accountant, or Shelly C. Luisi, Senior Associate Chief Accountant, at (202) 551-5300, Office of the Chief Accountant, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, NE., Washington, DC 20549-6561.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with Section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 1, 10(a), James L. Kroeker, Designated Federal Officer of the Committee, has approved publication of this notice.

Dated: April 15, 2008.

Nancy M. Morris,

Committee Management Officer.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Government in the Sunshine Act, Public Law 94-409, that the Securities and Exchange Commission will hold a Closed Meeting on Wednesday, April 23, 2008 at 10 a.m.

Commissioners, Counsel to the Commissioners, the Secretary to the Commission, and recording secretaries will attend the Closed Meeting. Certain staff members who have an interest in the matters may also be present.

The General Counsel of the Commission, or his designee, has certified that, in his opinion, one or more of the exemptions set forth in 5

U.S.C. 552b(c)(3) (5), (7), (8), (9)(B), and (10) and 17 CFR 200.402(a)(3), (5), (7), (8), 9(ii) and (10), permit consideration of the scheduled matters at the Closed Meeting.

Commissioner Atkins, as duty officer, voted to consider the items listed for the Closed Meeting in closed session.

The subject matter of the Closed Meeting scheduled for April 23, 2008 will be: formal orders of investigation; institution and settlement of injunctive actions; and institution and settlement of administrative proceedings of an enforcement nature.

At times, changes in Commission priorities require alterations in the scheduling of meeting items.

For further information and to ascertain what, if any, matters have been added, deleted or postponed, please contact: the Office of the Secretary at (202) 551-5400.

Dated: April 16, 2008.

Nancy M. Morris,

Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 34-57660; File No. SR-Amex-2007-131]

Self-Regulatory Organizations; American Stock Exchange LLC; Order Approving Proposed Rule Change, as Modified by Amendment No. 1, Relating to Generic Listing Standards for Index Multiple Fund Shares and Index Inverse Fund Shares

April 14, 2008.

I. Introduction

On December 20, 2007, the American Stock Exchange LLC ("Amex" or "Exchange") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act")¹ and Rule 19b-4 thereunder,² a proposed rule change to revise Amex rules to include generic listing standards for series of Index Multiple Exchange Traded Fund Shares ("Multiple Fund Shares") and Index Inverse Exchange Traded Fund Shares ("Inverse Fund Shares") (collectively, the "Fund Shares"). On February 29, 2008, Amex filed Amendment No. 1 to the proposed rule change. The proposed rule change, as amended, was published for comment in the **Federal Register** on

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b-4.