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\$114,542,000. Surety Licenses c/: AL,  
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KS, KY, LA, MI, MS, MO, MT, NE,  
NM, OH, OK, OR, TN, TX, UT, WA,  
WI, WY. Incorporated in: Texas.

Federal bond-approving officers  
should annotate their reference copies  
of the Treasury Circular 570  
("Circular"), 2008 Revision, to reflect  
this update.

Certificates of Authority expire on  
June 30th each year, unless revoked  
prior to that date. The Certificates are  
subject to subsequent annual renewal as  
long as the companies remain qualified  
(see 31 CFR part 223). A list of qualified  
companies is published annually as of  
July 1st in the Circular, which outlines  
details as to the underwriting  
limitations, areas in which companies  
are licensed to transact surety business,  
and other information.

The Circular may be viewed and  
downloaded through the Internet at  
<http://www.fms.treas.gov/c570>.

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 6F01,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782.

Dated: October 17, 2008.

**Vivian L. Cooper,**

*Director, Financial Accounting and Services  
Division.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

### Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans; Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs  
(VA) gives notice under Public Law 92-  
463 (Federal Advisory Committee Act)  
that the Advisory Committee on Gulf  
War Veterans will hold a meeting on  
November 19-20, 2008. On November  
19, the meeting will be in Room 2A104  
at the VA Medical Center, 10 North  
Greene Street, Baltimore, MD, from 10  
a.m. until 4:30 p.m. On November 20,  
the meeting will be at the St. Regis  
Hotel, 16th and K Streets, NW.,  
Washington, DC, from 9 a.m. until 4:30  
p.m. The meeting is open to the public.

The purpose of the Committee is to  
provide advice and recommendations to  
the Secretary of Veterans Affairs on  
issues that are unique to veterans who  
served in the Southwest Asia theater of  
operations during the 1990-1991 period  
of the Gulf War.

On November 19, the Committee will  
meet with the officials from the State of  
Maryland Office of Veterans Affairs to  
discuss veteran outreach. The Director  
of the Depleted Uranium Program at the  
Baltimore VA Medical Center will  
discuss VA's research in depleted  
uranium and how it relates to the health  
effects in Gulf War veterans.

Additionally, the Committee will meet  
with a panel of Gulf War veterans who  
reside in the Baltimore area. Gulf War  
veterans living in the Baltimore area  
who served in the Southwest Asia  
theater of operations during 1990-1991  
wishing to participate in the panel  
should contact Lelia Jackson at (202)  
461-5758 or via e-mail at  
[lelia.jackson@va.gov](mailto:lelia.jackson@va.gov).

On November 20, a representative  
from the Research Advisory Committee  
on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses will  
discuss its recently released report.  
Subject matter experts from the Veterans  
Health Administration will discuss Post  
Traumatic Stress Disorder and Military  
Sexual Trauma in women veterans, and  
research specifically related to veterans  
and family members of veterans who  
served in the Southwest Asia theater of  
operations of the Gulf War from 1990-  
1991.

Public comments will be received on  
November 19, from 1 p.m. until 1:30  
p.m. and on November 20, from 11:15  
a.m. until 11:45 a.m. Individuals  
wishing to speak must register not later  
than November 14 by contacting Ms.  
Jackson and by submitting 1-2 page  
summary of their comments for  
inclusion in the official record. Public  
comments will be limited to five  
minutes each. A sign-in sheet will be  
available each day. Members of the  
public may also submit written  
statements for the Committee's review  
to the Advisory Committee on Gulf War  
Veterans, Department of Veterans  
Affairs, 810 Vermont Ave., NW.,  
Washington, DC 20420.

Interested parties may also listen in  
by teleconferencing into the meeting.  
The toll-free teleconference line will be  
open from 10 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. on  
November 19 and from 9 a.m. until 5  
p.m. on November 20. To register for the  
teleconference, contact Ms. Jackson.

Any member of the public seeking  
additional information should contact  
Laura O'Shea, Designated Federal  
Officer, at (202) 461-5765.

Dated: October 21, 2008.

**E. Philip Riggan,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

### Genomic Medicine Program Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs  
(VA) gives notice under Public Law 92-  
463 (Federal Advisory Committee Act)  
that the Genomic Medicine Program  
Advisory Committee will meet on  
November 20, 2008 at the Almas  
Conference Center, Oasis Room, 1315 K  
Street, NW., Washington, DC. The  
meeting will convene at 8 a.m. and  
adjourn at 5 p.m. The meeting is open  
to the public.

The purpose of the Committee is to  
provide advice and make  
recommendations to the Secretary of  
Veterans Affairs on using genetic  
information to optimize medical care of  
veterans and to enhance development of  
tests and treatments for diseases  
particularly relevant to veterans.

The Committee will receive program  
updates including planned responses to  
recommendations, and will be asked to  
continue to provide insight into optimal  
ways for VA to incorporate genomic  
information into its health care program  
while applying appropriate ethical  
oversight and protecting the privacy of  
veterans. The meeting focus will  
include discussions on resource  
development, including family history  
tool development and genomics  
research database for the genomic  
medicine program.

Members of the public may provide  
statements (limited to 5 minutes each)  
during the period reserved for public  
comments. They may also submit, at the  
time of the meeting, a 1-2 page  
summary of their comments for  
inclusion in the official meeting record.  
Any member of the public seeking  
additional information should contact  
Dr. Sumitra Muralidhar, Designated  
Federal Officer, at  
[sumitra.muralidhar@va.gov](mailto:sumitra.muralidhar@va.gov).

Dated: October 21, 2008.

By Direction of the Secretary.

**E. Philip Riggan,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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