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Signed in Washington, DC, this 19th day of November 2010.

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*Deputy Assistant Secretary, Veterans' Employment and Training Service.*

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## LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION

### Sunshine Act Meeting; Notice

**TIME AND DATE:** The Legal Services Corporation Board of Directors' Search Committee for LSC President ("Search Committee" or "Committee") will meet on November 29, 2010. The meeting will begin at 12 p.m. (Eastern Time) and continue until conclusion of the Committee's agenda.

**LOCATION:** Sidley and Austin, LLP, 1501 K Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005.

**STATUS OF MEETING:** Closed. The meeting of the Search Committee will be closed to the public pursuant to a vote of the Board of Directors authorizing the Committee to interview select candidates for the position of LSC President. [No new paragraph here] Such closure is authorized by the relevant provisions of the Government in the Sunshine Act [5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6)] and LSC's implementing regulation 45 CFR 1622.5(e).<sup>1</sup>

The transcript of any portions of the closed session falling within the relevant provision of the Government in Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6), and LSC's implementing regulation, 45 CFR 1622.5(e), will not be available for public inspection. The transcript of any portions not falling within either of these provisions will be available for public inspection.

#### MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

##### *Closed Session*

1. Approval of Agenda.
2. Review of applications regarding candidates for the position of LSC President.
3. Consider and act on other business.
4. Consider and act on adjournment of meeting.

#### CONTACT PERSON FOR INFORMATION:

Kathleen Connors, Executive Assistant to the President, at (202) 295-1500. Questions may be sent by electronic mail to [FR\\_NOTICE\\_QUESTIONS@lsc.gov](mailto:FR_NOTICE_QUESTIONS@lsc.gov).

<sup>1</sup> 45 CFR 1622.5(e) protects information the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

**SPECIAL NEEDS:** Upon request, meeting notices will be made available in alternate formats to accommodate visual and hearing impairments. Individuals who have a disability and need an accommodation to attend the meeting may notify Kathleen Connors at (202) 295-1500 or [FR\\_NOTICE\\_QUESTIONS@lsc.gov](mailto:FR_NOTICE_QUESTIONS@lsc.gov).

Dated: November 22, 2010.

**Patricia D. Batie,**

*Corporate Secretary.*

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## MERIT SYSTEMS PROTECTION BOARD

### Sunshine Act Meeting

**AGENCY:** Merit Systems Protection Board.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given of the scheduling of a Sunshine Act Meeting on the proposed 2011-2013 research agenda of the Merit Systems Protection Board's Office of Policy and Evaluation.

**DATE AND TIME:** Wednesday, December 8, 2010, at 10 a.m.

**PLACE:** Surface Transportation Board, First Floor Hearing Room, 395 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20423.

**STATUS:** Open.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Laura Shugrue, Deputy Director, Office of Policy and Evaluation, Merit Systems Protection Board, 1615 M Street, NW., Washington, DC 20419; (202) 653-6772, ext. 1350; [research.agenda@mspb.gov](mailto:research.agenda@mspb.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552(b)), and in accordance with the Merit Systems Protection Board's ("MSPB" or "Board") regulations at 5 CFR 1206.1-12, the MSPB will hold a meeting on the research activities proposed for inclusion in the next three-year cycle of studies to be conducted by MSPB's Office of Policy and Evaluation ("OPE"). The MSPB has statutory responsibility to conduct objective, non-partisan studies that assess and evaluate Federal merit systems policies, operations, and practices. See 5 U.S.C. 1204(a)(3).

Earlier this year, MSPB stakeholders were invited to provide feedback and ideas for the research agenda. During this meeting, OPE staff will present the 29 proposed study topics to the Board Members. In addition, several key stakeholders are invited to present their views on the research topics at the meeting. A recording of the meeting will

be made available on the MSPB's Web site.

The research topics are listed below, organized into six broad areas of related research. Further description of these topics is available on the MSPB's Web site at <http://www.mspb.gov>. The public can provide comments on the proposed research agenda by e-mailing [research.agenda@mspb.gov](mailto:research.agenda@mspb.gov). Comments will be accepted through December 31, 2010.

### Hiring and Assessment

1. Recruiting and Hiring with USAJOBS
2. The First Hurdle: Winnowing the Applicant Pool
3. Self-Assessment of Performance and Qualifications
4. Personality Assessments and Federal Hiring
5. How Do Selecting Officials Make Hiring Decisions?
6. Choosing Between Internal and External Hiring

### Supervision and Leadership

7. Recruiting for the Senior Executive Service
8. Supervisor Selection: Assessment Tools and Selection
9. Supervisors' Perceptions of Their Role, Skills, Motivation and Training Needs
10. Appropriate Use of Supervisory Authority
11. Dual Career Tracks for Supervisors and Technical Specialists
12. Leadership in Public Service: Politics and Policy

### Defending Merit

13. Merit System Principles Education
14. Clean Records and the Public Interest
15. Treatment of Temporary Employees
16. Employment of Persons with Disabilities in the Federal Government
17. Workplace Violence
18. Focus on Veterans' Hiring

### Focus on the Office of Personnel Management

19. Hiring Reform
20. OPM Oversight in a Decentralized Civil Service
21. Issues with the Federal Classification System
22. Can We Learn More From Demonstration Projects?

### Performance Management

23. What Is—and How Do You Measure—Job Performance?
24. The Extra Mile: Employee Engagement and High Performance
25. Awards Programs