

determined under subdivision (1) of this subsection may be appropriate. However, if the original term of imprisonment constituted a non-guideline sentence determined pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a) and *United States v. Booker*, 543 U.S. 220 (2005), a further reduction generally would not be appropriate.

Should the Commission amend § 1B1.10 to provide further guidance on how the sentencing court, in considering retroactivity, should account for this factor?

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**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

**Joint Biomedical Laboratory Research and Development and Clinical Science Research and Development Services Scientific Merit Review Board; Notice of Meeting Amendment**

The Department of Veterans Affairs gives notice under the Public Law 92-463 (Federal Advisory Committee Act) that the meetings for the following four panels of the Joint Biomedical Laboratory Research and Development

and Clinical Science Research and Development Services Scientific Merit Review Board have been rescheduled and not as originally announced in the **Federal Register** on April 6, 2011.

Panel	Date(s)	Time	Location
Cellular and Molecular Medicine ....	June 5, 2011 .....	6 p.m.–10 p.m. ....	Crowne Plaza DC/Silver Spring.
	June 6, 2011 .....	8 a.m.–5 p.m. ....	Crowne Plaza DC/Silver Spring.
Mental Health and Behav Sci-B ....	June 7, 2011 .....	8 a.m.–5 p.m. ....	L'Enfant Plaza Hotel.
	June 8, 2011 .....	6 p.m.–10 p.m. ....	Crowne Plaza DC/Silver Spring.
Neurobiology-C .....	June 9–10, 2011 .....	8 a.m.–5 p.m. ....	Crowne Plaza Hotel Silver Spring.
			L'Enfant Plaza Hotel.
Mental Health and Behav Sci-A ....	June 9, 2011 .....	8 a.m.–5 p.m. ....	L'Enfant Plaza Hotel.

The addresses of the hotels and VA Central Office are:  
 Crowne Plaza Washington DC/Silver Spring, 8777 Georgia Avenue, Silver Spring, MD  
 L'Enfant Plaza Hotel, 480 L'Enfant Plaza, SW., Washington, DC

The purpose of the Merit Review Board is to provide advice on the scientific quality, budget, safety and mission relevance of investigator-initiated research proposals submitted for VA merit review consideration. Proposals submitted for review by the Board involve a wide range of medical specialties within the general areas of biomedical, behavioral and clinical science research.

The panel meetings will be open to the public for approximately one hour at the start of each meeting to discuss the

general status of the program. The remaining portion of each panel meeting will be closed to the public for the review, discussion, and evaluation of initial and renewal research proposals.

The closed portion of each meeting involves discussion, examination, reference to staff and consultant critiques of research proposals. During this portion of each meeting, discussion and recommendations will deal with qualifications of personnel conducting the studies, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, as well as research information, the premature disclosure of which could significantly frustrate implementation of proposed agency action regarding such research proposals.

As provided by subsection 10(d) of Public Law 92-463, as amended, closing portions of these panel meetings is in accordance with 5 U.S.C., 552b(c)(6) and (9)(B). Those who plan to attend or would like to obtain a copy of minutes of the panel meetings and rosters of the members of the panels should contact LeRoy G. Frey, Ph.D., Chief, Program Review (121F), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420 at (202) 443-5674.

Dated: April 27, 2011.  
 By Direction of the Secretary.

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