

inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places. The ACHP's members are the Architect of the Capitol; the Secretaries of the Interior, Agriculture, Defense, Housing and Urban Development, Commerce, Education, Veterans Affairs, and Transportation; the Administrator of the General Services Administration; the Chairman of the National Trust for Historic Preservation; the President of the National Conference of State Historic Preservation Officers; a Governor; a Mayor; a Native American; and eight non-federal members appointed by the President.

Call to Order\_8:30 a.m.

- I. Chairman's Welcome
- II. Presentation of Chairman's Award
- III. Chairman's Report
- IV. ACHP Management Issues
  - A. Credentials Committee Report and Recommendations—Update
  - B. Alumni Foundation Report
  - C. ACHP FY 2012 Budget
- V. Historic Preservation Policy and Programs
  - A. Preservation Action Federal Preservation Task Force Report and Recommendations
  - B. National Park Service "Call to Action"
  - C. National Trust for Historic Preservation's "Preservation 10X" and the ACHP
  - D. White House American Latino Heritage Initiative
  - E. Legislative Agenda
  - F. Navy War of 1812 Initiative
  - G. Rightsizing Task Force Report
  - H. Sustainability Task Force Report
  - I. Federal Preservation Funding for Disaster Recovery
- VI. Section 106 Issues
  - A. Section 3 Report Development
  - B. Native American Traditional Cultural Landscapes Action Plan
  - C. Department of Veterans Affairs Section 106 Issues
  - D. Administration's Priority Projects—Report
- VII. New Business
- VIII. Adjourn

**Note:** The meetings of the ACHP are open to the public. If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Room 803, Washington, DC, (202) 606-8503, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting. For further information: Additional information concerning the meeting is available from the Executive Director, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., #803, Washington, DC 20004.

Dated: October 19, 2011.

**Reid Nelson,**

*Acting Executive Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

[Docket No. DHS-2011-0079]

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for Review; Information Collection Request for the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Science and Technology, Biodefense Knowledge Center (BKC)

**AGENCY:** Science and Technology Directorate, DHS.

**ACTION:** 30-day Notice and request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Science & Technology (S&T) Directorate invites the general public to comment on data collection forms for the Biodefense Knowledge Center (BKC) program. BKC is responsible for coordinating the collection of Life Sciences Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) information with the Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI), which operates under the authority of the National Security Act of 1947, as amended by the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004. These authorities charge the ODNI with responsibility to coordinate and rationalize the activities of the Intelligence Community components. The SME information is necessary to understand who can provide scientific expertise for peer review of life science programs. In addition, the directory makes it easier to identify scientific specialty areas for which there is a shortage of Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) with appropriate security clearances.

The DHS invites interested persons to comment on the following form and instructions (hereinafter "Forms Package") for the S&T BKC: (1) Subject Matter Expert Registration Form (DHS FORM 10043 (2/08)). Interested persons may receive a copy of the Forms Package by contacting the DHS S&T PRA Coordinator. This notice and request for comments is required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

**DATES:** Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until November 25, 2011.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on

the proposed information collection to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget. Comments should be addressed to: Desk Officer for the Department of Homeland Security, Science and Technology Directorate, and sent via electronic mail to [oir\\_submission@omb.eop.gov](mailto:oir_submission@omb.eop.gov) or faxed to (202) 395-6974. Please include docket number DHS-2011-0079 in the subject line of the message.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** DHS S&T PRA Coordinator Millie Ives (202) 254-6828 (Not a toll free number).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The information is collected via the DHS S&T BKC secure Web site at <https://bkms.llnl.gov/sme>. The BKC Web site only employs secure web-based technology (*i.e.*, electronic registration form) to collect information from users to both reduce the burden and increase the efficiency of this collection.

The Department is committed to improving its information collection and urges all interested parties to suggest how these materials can further reduce burden while seeking necessary information under the Act.

*DHS is particularly interested in comments that:*

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Suggest ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Suggest ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submissions of responses.

### Overview of This Information Collection

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* Renewal of information collection

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Science and Technology, Biodefense Knowledge Center (BKC) program.

(3) *Agency Form Number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Homeland Security sponsoring the collection:* Department of Homeland Security, Science &

Technology Directorate—(1) Subject Matter Expert Registration Form (DHS FORM 10043 (2/08)).

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* The Subject Matter Experts (SME) information is necessary to understand who can provide scientific expertise for peer review of life science programs. The directory makes it easier to identify scientific specialty areas for which there is a shortage of SMEs with appropriate security clearances. SME contact information, scientific expertise, and level of education is collected electronically through a web portal developed by DHS S&T. The SME information is shared with U.S. Government program managers and other members of the biodefense community who have a legitimate need to identify life sciences SMEs. Cleared SMEs are necessary to accomplish scientific reviews and attend topical meetings.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:*

a. *Estimate of the total number of respondents:* 4000.

b. *An estimate of the time for an average respondent to respond:* 0.25 burden hours.

c. *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 1000 burden hours.

Dated: October 19, 2011.

**Tara O'Toole,**

*Under Secretary for Science and Technology.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Coast Guard

[USCG-2011-0975]

### National Maritime Security Advisory Committee; Meeting

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DHS.

**ACTION:** Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The National Maritime Security Advisory Committee (NMSAC) will meet via teleconference on November 15, 2011 to discuss the results of a working group tasked with reviewing the Draft Certain Dangerous Cargo (CDC) Security Strategy. This meeting will be open to the public.

**DATES:** The Committee will meet on Tuesday, November 15, 2011 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. This meeting may close early if all business is finished.

All written material and requests to make oral presentations should reach the Coast Guard on or before November 7, 2011.

**ADDRESSES:** The Committee will meet via telephone conference, on November 15, 2011. As there are only 100 teleconference lines, public participation will be on a first come basis. To participate via teleconference, please contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** Section.

For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities or to request special assistance at the teleconference, contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section as soon as possible.

To facilitate public participation, we are inviting public comment on the issues to be considered by the committee as listed in the "Agenda" section below. You may submit written materials and requests to make oral presentations no later than November 7, 2011, and identified by docket number [USCG-2011-0975] using one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instruction for submitting comments.

- *Mail:* Docket Management Facility (M-30), U.S. Department of Transportation, West Building Ground Floor, Room W12-140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590-0001. We encourage use of electronic submissions because security screening may delay delivery of mail.

- *Fax:* (202) 493-2251.

- *Hand Delivery:* Same as mail address above, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays. The telephone number is 202-366-9329.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the words "Department of Homeland Security" and docket number [USCG-2011-0975]. All submissions received will be posted without alteration at <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided. You may review a Privacy Act notice regarding our public dockets in the January 17, 2008 issue of the **Federal Register** (73 FR 3316).

*Docket:* Any background information or presentations available prior to the meeting will be published in the docket. For access to the docket to read background documents or submissions received by the NMSAC, go to <http://www.regulations.gov> "USCG-2011-0975" in the "Keyword" box, and then click "Search".

Public comment period will be held during the meeting on November 15,

2011 from 12:30 p.m. to 1 p.m. Speakers are requested to limit their comments to 2 minutes. Please note that the public comment period will end following the last call for comments. Contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section to register as a speaker.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Ryan Owens, Alternate Designated Federal Officer (ADFO) of NMSAC, 2100 2nd Street, SW., Stop 7581, Washington, DC 20593-7581; telephone 202-372-1108 or e-mail [ryan.f.owens@uscg.mil](mailto:ryan.f.owens@uscg.mil). If you have any questions on viewing or submitting material to the docket, call Renee V. Wright, Program Manager, Docket Operations, telephone 202-366-9826.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice of this meeting is given under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. NMSAC operates under the authority of 46 U.S.C. 70112. NMSAC provides advice, consults with, and makes recommendations to the Secretary of Homeland Security, via the Commandant of the Coast Guard, on matters affecting national maritime security.

### Agenda of Meeting

As a result of the report issued by NMSAC at its April 2011 meeting and public listening sessions held by the Coast Guard in August 2011, the Coast Guard has developed a Certain Dangerous Cargo (CDC) Security Strategy. A NMSAC working group was created to review the following five goals of the strategy. The committee will review the information presented on each issue, deliberate on any recommendations presented in the Work Group reports, and formulate the recommendations for the Department's consideration.

a. Provide to internal and external stakeholders real-time national, regional, and local awareness of the risk of intentional attacks on the CDC Marine Transportation System.

b. Consistently assess vulnerability to threats of intentional attacks on the CDC Marine Transportation System and mitigate the vulnerability to an acceptable level.

c. Dynamically assess the potential consequences of an intentional attack on the CDC Marine Transportation System and capably mitigate, through coordinated response, the impact of a successful attack.

d. Lead the development of national, regional, and local resiliency/recovery capability from successful attacks on the CDC Marine Transportation System.

e. Establish the internal organization and processes, and external stakeholder