DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Notice To Extend Submittal Date for Scoping Comments for United States Air Force Main Operating Base 2 for the Beddown of the KC-46A Tanker Aircraft Environmental Impact Statement

AGENCY: U.S. Air Force, DOD.

ACTION: Notification of Extension for Submittal of Scoping Comments.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Air Force is issuing this notice to advise the public of an extension to submit scoping comments. The initial Notice of Availability published in the Federal Register on May 17, 2013 (Vol. 78, No. 96/Notices/29120), requested public scoping comments no later than June 10, 2013. The Air Force has extended the deadline for submitting public comments to July 5, 2013. All substantive scoping comments received during the public scoping period will be considered in the preparation of the Draft EIS.

Point of Contact: Please direct any written comments or requests for information to KC-46A EIS Project Manager, National Guard Bureau, NGB/A7AM, 3501 Fetchet Avenue, Joint Base Andrews, Maryland, 20762-5157.

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Office of the Secretary

Meeting of the National Commission on the Structure of the Air Force

AGENCY: Director of Administration and Management, DoD.

ACTION: Notice of Advisory Committee Meeting.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) of 1972 (5 U.S.C., Appendix, as amended), the Government in the Sunshine Act of 1976 (5 U.S.C. 552b, as amended), and 41 CFR 102–3.150, the Department of Defense (DoD) announces that the following Federal advisory committee meeting of the National Commission on the Structure of the Air Force (“the Commission”) will take place.

DATES: Date of Meeting, including Hearing and Commission Discussion: Monday, June 17, 2013, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Ballroom of the Drury Inn & Suites Greenville, 10 Carolina Point Parkway, Greenville, SC, 29607.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of Meetings: The members of the Commission will hear testimony from a panel of witnesses and the public. The members will convene immediately after their hearings to discuss the hearings.

Agenda:

June 17, 2013—Public Hearing: State and local leaders, private citizens and professional military associations are invited to speak at the public hearing on June 17, 2013 and are asked to address matters pertaining to the U.S. Air Force, the Air National Guard, and the U.S. Air Force Reserve such as their common and unique interests, roles, history, organizational structure, and operational factors influencing decision-making. These witnesses are also asked to address the evaluation factors under consideration by the Commission for a U.S. Air Force structure that—(A) Meets current and anticipated requirements of the combatant commands; (B) achieves an appropriate balance between the regular and reserve components of the Air Force, taking advantage of the unique strengths and capabilities of each; (C) ensures that the regular and reserve components of the Air Force have the capacity needed to support current and anticipated homeland defense and disaster assistance missions in the United States; (D) provides for sufficient numbers of regular members of the Air Force to provide a base of trained personnel from which the personnel of the reserve components of the Air Force could be recruited; (E) maintains a peacetime rotation force to support operational tempo goals of 1.2 for regular members of the Air Forces and 1.5 for members of the reserve components of the Air Force; and (F) maximizes and appropriately balances affordability, efficiency, effectiveness, capability, and readiness. Individual Commissioners will also report their activities, information collection, and analyses to the full Commission.

Meeting Accessibility: Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b, as amended, and 41 CFR 102–3.140 through 102–3.165, and the availability of space, the meeting is open to the public. Seating is limited and pre-registration is strongly encouraged for all attendees. Media representatives are also encouraged to register. The meeting facility is handicap accessible.

Written Comments: Pursuant to 41 CFR 102–3.105(j) and 102–3.140 and section 10(a)(3) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the public or interested organizations may submit written comments to the Commission in response to the stated agenda of the open meeting or the Commission’s mission. The Designated Federal Officer (DFO) will review all submitted written statements. Written comments should be submitted to Mrs. Marcia Moore, DFO, via facsimile or electronic mail, the preferred modes of submission. Each page of the comment must include the author’s name, title or affiliation, address, and daytime phone number. Mailed written comments will be given to the Commission before or after the meeting if postmarked by June 14, 2013. All contact information may be found in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section.

Oral Comments: In addition to written statements, one hour will be reserved for individuals or interested groups to address the Commission. Oral commenters must summarize their oral statement in writing and submit with their registration. The Commission’s staff will assign time to oral commenters at the meeting, for no more than 5 minutes each. While requests to make an oral presentation to the Commission will be honored on a first come, first served basis, other opportunities for oral