

Puerto Rico 00918–1903, telephone: (787) 766–5926.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*October 23, 2019, 10 a.m.–12 noon*

- Considerations for Establishing an Ecosystem-Based Fishery Management Advisory Panel

- Action to Establish Advisory Panel (AP)

*1:30 p.m.–2:30 p.m.*

- Closed Session to Discuss AP Membership, if Established, and Internal Administrative Matters.

*2:45 p.m.–5 p.m.*

- Time Schedule for Continuing the Development of the Ecosystem-Based Fishery Management Plan (EBFMP)

- Other Business

The order of business may be adjusted as necessary to accommodate the completion of agenda items.

**Special Accommodations**

For more information on this webinar, please contact Mr. Miguel A. Rolón, Executive Director, Caribbean Fishery Management Council, 270 Muñoz Rivera Avenue, Suite 401, San Juan, Puerto Rico 00918–1903, telephone: (787) 766–5926.

Dated: October 1, 2019.

**Tracey L. Thompson,**

*Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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**COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED**

**Procurement List; Proposed Deletions**

**AGENCY:** Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

**ACTION:** Proposed deletions from the Procurement List.

**SUMMARY:** The Committee is proposing to delete a product and service from the Procurement List that were furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

**DATES:** *Comments must be received on or before:* November 3, 2019.

**ADDRESSES:** Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, 1401 S. Clark Street, Suite 715, Arlington, Virginia 22202–4149.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For further information or to submit comments contact: Michael R.

Jurkowski, Telephone: (703) 603–2117, Fax: (703) 603–0655, or email [CMTEFedReg@AbilityOne.gov](mailto:CMTEFedReg@AbilityOne.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 8503(a)(2) and 41 CFR 51–2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the proposed actions.

**Deletions**

The following product and service are proposed for deletion from the Procurement List:

*Product*

NSN—Product Name:

8140–01–063–7681—Grommet

*Mandatory Source of Supply:* LC Industries, Inc., Durham, NC

*Contracting Activity:* W40M RHCO–ATLANTIC USAHCA, FORT BELVOIR, VA

*Service*

*Service Type:* Janitorial/Custodial

*Mandatory for:* USDA, Forest Service: 4886

Cottage Grove Avenue, Humboldt

Nursery, McKinleyville, CA

*Contracting Activity:* AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF, PROCUREMENT OPERATIONS DIVISION

**Patricia Briscoe,**

*Deputy Director, Business Operations (Pricing and Information Management).*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Department of the Navy**

**Certificate of Alternate Compliance for USS VERMONT (SSN 792)**

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice of Issuance of Certificate of Alternate Compliance.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Navy hereby announces that a Certificate of Alternate Compliance has been issued for USS VERMONT (SSN 792). Due to the special construction and purpose of this vessel, Deputy Assistant Judge Advocate General (DAJAG) (Admiralty and Maritime Law) has determined that it is a vessel of the Navy which, due to its special construction and purpose, cannot comply fully with the navigation lights provisions of the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972 (72 COLREGS) without interfering with its special functions as a naval ship. The intended effect of this notice is to warn mariners in waters where 72 COLREGS apply.

**DATES:** This action takes effect October 4, 2019 and is applicable beginning September 11, 2019.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Lieutenant Thomas J. Bright, JAGC, U.S. Navy, United States Navy, Admiralty Attorney, Office of the Judge Advocate General, Admiralty and Maritime Law Division (Code 11), 1322 Patterson Ave. SE, Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374–5066, 202–685–5040, or [admiralty@navy.mil](mailto:admiralty@navy.mil).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

Background and Purpose. Executive Order 11964 of January 19, 1977 and 33 U.S.C 1605 provide that the requirements of the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972 (72 COLREGS), as to the number, position, range, or arc of visibility of lights or shapes, as well as to the disposition and characteristics of sound-signaling appliances, shall not apply to a vessel or class of vessels of the Navy where the Secretary of the Navy shall find and certify that, by reason of special construction or purpose, it is not possible for such vessel(s) to comply fully with the provisions without interfering with the special function of the vessel(s). Notice of issuance of a Certificate of Alternate Compliance must be made in the **Federal Register**.

In accordance with 33 U.S.C 1605, the DAJAG (Admiralty and Maritime Law), under authority delegated by the Secretary of the Navy, hereby finds and certifies that USS VERMONT (SSN 792) is a vessel of special construction or purpose, and that, with respect to the position of the following navigational lights, it is not possible to comply fully with the requirements of the provisions enumerated in the 72 COLREGS without interfering with the special function of the vessel:

Rule 23(a) and Annex I, paragraph 2(a)(i), pertaining to the vertical placement of the masthead light, and Annex I, paragraph 2(f)(i), pertaining to the masthead light being above and clear of all other lights and obstructions;

Rule 30(a), Rule 21(e), and Annex I, paragraph 2(k), pertaining to the vertical separation of the anchor lights, vertical placement of the forward anchor light above the hull, and the arc of visibility of all-around lights;

Rule 23(a) and Annex I, paragraph 3(b), pertaining to the location of the sidelights; and Rule 21(c), pertaining to the location and arc of visibility of the sternlight.

The DAJAG (Admiralty and Maritime Law) further finds and certifies that these navigational lights are in closest possible compliance with the applicable provision of the 72 COLREGS.

**Authority:** 33 U.S.C 1605(c), E.O. 11964.

Approved: September 11, 2019.

**D.J. Antenucci,**

*Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps,  
U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Idaho Cleanup Project; Meeting

**AGENCY:** Office of Environmental Management, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Idaho Cleanup Project. The Federal Advisory Committee Act requires that public notice of this meeting be announced in the **Federal Register**.

**DATES:** Thursday, October 24, 2019; 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

The opportunities for public comment are at 9:45 a.m. and 2:45 p.m.

This time is subject to change; please contact the Federal Coordinator (below) for confirmation of times prior to the meeting.

**ADDRESSES:** Teton Mountain Lodge, 3385 Cody Lane, Teton Village, WY 83025.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Brad Bugger, Federal Coordinator, U.S. Department of Energy, Idaho Operations Office, 1955 Fremont Avenue, MS-1203, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83415. Phone (208) 526-0833; or email: [buggerbp@id.doe.gov](mailto:buggerbp@id.doe.gov) or visit the Board's internet home page at: <https://energy.gov/em/icpcab/>.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Purpose of the Board:* The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE-EM and site management in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

*Tentative Topics* (agenda topics may change up to the day of the meeting; please contact Brad Bugger for the most current agenda):

- Recent Public Outreach
- Idaho Cleanup Project (ICP) Overview
- Update on Integrated Waste Treatment Unit (IWTU)
- Advanced Mixed Waste Treatment Project (AMWTP) Closure and Status of Transuranic Waste Program
- Subsurface Disposal Area (SDA) Cap Design Complete
- Board Discussion of Calcine Subcommittee Future Work

- Board Perspectives on National Cleanup Workshop

*Public Participation:* The meeting is open to the public. The EM SSAB, Idaho Cleanup Project, welcomes the attendance of the public at its advisory committee meetings and will make every effort to accommodate persons with physical disabilities or special needs. If you require special accommodations due to a disability, please contact Brad Bugger at least seven days in advance of the meeting at the telephone number listed above.

Written statements may be filed with the Board either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral presentations pertaining to agenda items should contact Brad Bugger at the address or telephone number listed above. The request must be received five days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Individuals wishing to make public comments will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments.

*Minutes:* Minutes will be available by writing or calling Brad Bugger, Federal Coordinator, at the address and telephone number listed above. Minutes will also be available at the following website: <https://energy.gov/em/icpcab/listings/cab-meetings>.

Signed in Washington, DC, on October 1, 2019.

**LaTanya Butler,**

*Deputy Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Interim Report Implementing Updates to the Department of Energy's Information Quality Act Guidelines

**AGENCY:** Office of the Chief Information Officer, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability and request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) gives notice of an interim report to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) on the DOE Information Quality Act (IQA) Guidelines setting forth updates to DOE's policy and procedures to ensure and maximize the quality, utility, objectivity, and integrity of the information that DOE disseminates to members of the public. DOE has prepared this interim report pursuant to OMB Memorandum M-19-

15, *Improving Implementation of the Information Quality Act*, issued April 24, 2019, which requires federal departments and agencies to update their existing IQA Guidelines to address implementation updates and additional best practices. DOE invites public comment on the interim report and draft updates to the DOE IQA Guidelines.

**DATES:** DOE will accept comments regarding this interim report and draft guidelines no later than November 4, 2019. See section II, "Public Participation," for details.

**ADDRESSES:** The interim DOE report and guidelines in this notice are available on the website of the DOE Chief Information Officer (CIO) at <https://www.energy.gov/cio/department-energy-information-quality-guidelines>.

Interested persons are encouraged to submit comments using the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <https://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments. Alternatively, interested persons may submit written comments, by mail to: Brooke Dickson, Office of the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue SW, Room 8H-089, Washington, DC 20585, or by email at [DOEPRA@hq.doe.gov](mailto:DOEPRA@hq.doe.gov). No telefacsimilies (faxes) will be accepted.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information should be directed to Brooke Dickson at [DOEPRA@hq.doe.gov](mailto:DOEPRA@hq.doe.gov) or by telephone at (202) 287-5786. A copy of the interim IQA Guidelines is included in this Notice and is also posted on the DOE website at <https://www.energy.gov/cio/department-energy-information-quality-guidelines>.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Introduction and Background

The Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) issued the *Guidelines for Ensuring and Maximizing the Quality, Objectivity, Utility, and Integrity of Information Disseminated by Federal Agencies* (67 FR 8452, February 22, 2002) under section 515 of the Treasury and General Government Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2001 (Pub. L. 106-554, 114 Stat. 2763) (OMB Guidelines). Pursuant to the OMB Guidelines, the DOE published its Final Report containing the Departmental version of the Guidelines in the **Federal Register** on October 7, 2002 (67 FR 62446) (DOE IQA Guidelines).

DOE's IQA Guidelines provide guidance to Departmental Elements (*i.e.*, major DOE offices) on maximizing the quality, objectivity, utility, and integrity of information (including statistical