

October 8, 2020. This meeting is open to the public and interested persons may listen to the teleconference by registering using the link provided above and using the call-in number and passcode to be sent to each registrant the day prior to the meeting (see **ADDRESSES**). Prospective agenda items for the meeting include a deliberation of the draft Commission report to the President, discussion regarding ratification of the report, administrative tasks and such other Commission business as may arise during the meeting. The Commission welcomes interested persons to submit written comments at any time before or after the meeting to the Office of the White House Initiative on Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders (see **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**). To facilitate distribution of written comments to Commission members prior to the meeting, the Commission suggests that comments be submitted by facsimile or by email no later than October 5, 2020. The Commission will reserve a portion of the meeting to receive pertinent oral comments from members of the public.

Copies of the Commission open meeting minutes will be made available to the public.

Josephine Arnold,
Chief Counsel, Minority Business
Development Agency.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Establishment of the Civilian Innovation Advisory Board and Call for Nominations

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of establishment and call for nominations to serve on the Civilian Innovation Advisory Board.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of Commerce (Secretary), announces the establishment of the Civilian Innovation Advisory Board (The Board) in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), as amended, and the Secretary of Commerce (Secretary), a discretionary advisory committee. The Board shall provide independent advice and recommendations to the Secretary of Commerce and, upon request, to the Administrator of the General Services Administration (GSA) on issues relevant

to the Federal Government's engagement and support of technological innovation, and the incorporation and adoption of emerging technologies and innovative means to address critical technological challenges facing the Federal Government in its provision of services to the public, within the framework of applicable national policies.

The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST or Institute) through the Department of Commerce (DoC) invites and requests nominations of individuals for appointment to the Board. NIST will consider nominations received in response to this notice for appointment to the Board, in addition to nominations already received.

Registered Federal lobbyists may not serve on NIST Federal Advisory Committees in an individual capacity.

DATES: Nominations for the Board will be accepted on an ongoing basis and will be considered as and when vacancies arise effective October 1, 2020.

ADDRESSES: Please submit nominations to Alicia Chambers, Committee Liaison Officer, National Institute of Standards and Technology, 100 Bureau Drive, MS 1000, Gaithersburg, MD 20899. Nominations may also be submitted via email to Alicia.Chambers@nist.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jason Boehm, Director of Program Coordination Office, National Institute of Standards and Technology, 100 Bureau Drive, MS 100, Gaithersburg, MD 20899. His email is Jason.Boehm@nist.gov, and phone number is 301-975-8678.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Committee Information:

The Civilian Innovation Advisory Board (Board) is established pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, 5 U.S.C. App.

Objectives and Duties: The Board shall provide independent advice and recommendations through the Director of NIST to the Secretary and, upon request, through the Director of Technology Transformation Services (TTS) to the Administrator of GSA. Such advice and recommendations shall address strengthening the civilian Federal Government's ability to engage with and support American innovation and the ability of the Federal Government to incorporate and apply innovative and emerging technological means to streamline organizational structure and process issues, modernize business and functional concepts, and accelerate the development and procurement of technology applications to enhance the Federal Government's

service to the public. The Board shall provide recommendations and strategies to enable the Federal Government to adopt and keep pace with industry.

In developing its recommendations, the Board shall identify critical advances in emerging technology, management, and IT service delivery that should be developed, piloted, or adopted within the Federal Government. These may include advances that are responsive to the rapidly evolving digital marketplace and approaches to accelerating the introduction and use of emerging technologies and approaches for governance, procurement, and management processes for Federal civilian IT systems, applications, services, and infrastructure. The Board shall submit a report to the Secretary, through the Director of NIST, providing its recommendations within two years from its establishment.

Membership

The Board shall be composed of no more than 15 members. The members must possess some or all of the following:

(a) Proven track record of sound judgment in leading or governing large, complex private sector corporations or organizations;

(b) demonstrated performance in identifying and adopting new technology innovations into the operations of large organizations in either the public or private sector; and

(c) demonstrated performance in developing new technology concepts.

The Board members will be authorized by the Department of Commerce to serve for three-year terms, and in accordance with DOC policies and procedures, including the limit to six years of consecutive service. Members of the Board who are not full-time or permanent part-time Federal officers or employees will be appointed to serve as special government employee (SGE) members. Members of the Board who are full-time or permanent part-time Federal officers or employees will be appointed pursuant to 41 CFR 102-3.130(h) to serve as regular government employee (RGE) members. No member, unless authorized by the Secretary of Commerce, may serve more than two consecutive terms of service on the Board, to include its subcommittees.

Members shall be selected solely on the basis of established records of distinguished service; and shall be eminent in fields such as business, research, new product development, engineering, workforce development, education, management consulting,

environment, and international relations.

Consistent with DOC policy, the Director of NIST, may appoint the Board Chair from among the Board membership approved in accordance with policy and procedures and, in doing so, shall determine the term of service for the Board Chair, which shall not exceed the member's approved term of service.

All Board members will be reimbursed for travel and per diem as it pertains to official business of the Board. Board members will serve without compensation.

The Director of NIST on behalf of the Secretary of Commerce, and pursuant to DOC policies and procedures, may appoint, as deemed necessary, non-voting subject matter experts (SMEs) to assist the Board or its subcommittees on an ad hoc basis. These non-voting SMEs are not members of the Board or its subcommittees and will not engage or participate in any deliberations by the Board or its subcommittees. These non-voting SMEs, if not full-time or permanent part-time Federal officers or employees, will be appointed pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3109 on an intermittent basis to address specific issues under consideration by the Board.

Members shall not reference or otherwise utilize their membership on the Board in connection with public statements made in their personal capacities without a disclaimer that the views expressed are their own and do not represent the views of the IAB, NIST or the Department of Commerce.

Miscellaneous

Meetings will be conducted at least twice a year in selected locations across the country.

1. Generally, Board meetings are open to the public.

Nomination Information:

1. Nominations are sought from all fields described above.

2. Nominees should have established records of distinguished service and shall be eminent in fields such as business, research, new product development, engineering, labor, education, management consulting, environment and international relations. The category (field of eminence) for which the candidate is qualified should be specified in the nomination letter. Nominations for a particular category should come from organizations or individuals within that category. A summary of the candidate's qualifications should be included with the nomination, including (where applicable) current or former service on

Federal advisory boards and Federal employment. In addition, each nomination letter should state that the candidate agrees to the nomination, acknowledges the responsibilities of serving on the Board, and will actively participate in good faith in the tasks of the Board.

3. The Department of Commerce is committed to equal opportunity in the workplace and seeks a broad-based and diverse Board membership.

Kevin Kimball,

NIST Chief of Staff.

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COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

Procurement List; Proposed Additions

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

ACTION: Proposed additions to the Procurement List.

SUMMARY: The Committee is proposing to add products to the Procurement List that will be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before: November 1, 2020.

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.

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.

Additions

If the Committee approves the proposed additions, the entities of the Federal Government identified in this notice will be required to procure the products listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

The following products are proposed for addition to the Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

Products

NSN(s)—Product Name(s):

7930-00-NIB-2207—Disinfectant, Hard-Surface, Ready-To-Use, 32 oz Spray Bottle

7930-00-NIB-2208—Disinfectant, Hard-Surface, Ready-To-Use, 1 Gallon Bottle
Mandatory Source of Supply: Lighthouse for the Blind and Visually Impaired, San Francisco, CA

Mandatory For: Total Government Requirement

Contracting Activity: Federal Acquisition Service, GSA/FSS Greater Southwest Acquisiti

Michael R. Jurkowski,

Deputy Director, Business & PL Operations.

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COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meetings

TIME AND DATE: 10:30 a.m. EDT, Tuesday, October 6, 2020.

PLACE: Virtual meeting.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("Commission" or "CFTC") will hold this meeting to consider the following matters:

- *Final Rule:* Amendments to Compliance Requirements for Commodity Pool Operators on Form CPO-PQR; and
- *Memorandum of Understanding:* MOU Between the CFTC and the Office of Financial Research Regarding the Sharing of Data and Information Collected on Form CPO-PQR.

The agenda for this meeting will be available to the public and posted on the Commission's website at <https://www.cftc.gov>. Instructions for public access to the live feed of the meeting will also be posted on the Commission's website. In the event that the time, date, or place of this meeting changes, an announcement of the change, along with the new time, date, or place of the meeting, will be posted on the Commission's website.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Christopher Kirkpatrick, Secretary of the Commission, 202-418-5964.

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 552b.

Dated: September 29, 2020.

Christopher Kirkpatrick,
Secretary of the Commission.

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