

comment period on or before April 29, 2026 to the Office of Technical Programs and Coordination Activities, Directorate of Technical Support and Emergency Management, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue NW, Room N-3653, Washington, DC 20210, or by fax to (202) 693-1644.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Information regarding this notice is available from the following sources:

Press inquiries: Contact Mr. Frank Meilinger, Director, OSHA Office of Communications, U.S. Department of Labor, telephone: (202) 693-1999; email: meilinger.francis2@dol.gov.

General and technical information: Contact Mr. Kevin Robinson, Director, Office of Technical Programs and Coordination Activities, Directorate of Technical Support and Emergency Management, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, phone: (202) 693-1911 or email: robinson.kevin@dol.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Notice of the Application for Expansion

OSHA is providing notice that TÜV SÜD America, Inc. (TUVAM), is applying for an expansion of current recognition as a NRTL. TUVAM requests the addition of one test site to the NRTL scope of recognition.

OSHA recognition of a NRTL signifies that the organization meets the requirements specified in 29 CFR 1910.7. Recognition is an acknowledgment that the organization can perform independent safety testing and certification of the specific products covered within the scope of recognition. Each NRTL's scope of recognition includes (1) the type of products the NRTL may test, with each type specified by the applicable test standard and (2) the recognized site(s) that has/have the technical capability to perform the product-testing and product-certification activities for test standards within the NRTL's scope. Recognition is not a delegation or grant of government authority; however, recognition enables employers to use products approved by the NRTL to meet OSHA standards that require product testing and certification.

The agency processes applications by a NRTL for initial recognition, as well as for an expansion or renewal of recognition, following requirements in Appendix A to 29 CFR 1910.7. This appendix requires that the agency publish two notices in the **Federal Register** in processing an application. In the first notice, OSHA announces the

application and provides the preliminary finding. In the second notice, the agency provides the final decision on the application. These notices set forth the NRTL's scope of recognition or modifications of that scope. OSHA maintains an informational web page for each NRTL, including TUVAM, which details that NRTL's scope of recognition. These pages are available from the OSHA website at <http://www.osha.gov/dts/otpca/nrtl/index.html>.

TUVAM currently has seventeen facilities (sites) recognized by OSHA for product testing and certification, with the headquarters located at: TÜV SÜD America, Inc., 401 Edgewater Place, Suite # 500, Wakefield, MA 01880, USA. A complete list of TUVAM sites recognized by OSHA is available at <http://www.osha.gov/dts/otpca/nrtl/index.html>.

II. General Background on the Application

TUVAM submitted an application, dated October 25, 2024 (OSHA-2007-0043-0069), to expand recognition as a NRTL to include one additional test site located at: TÜV SÜD Japan Ltd, 4149-7, 5-Chome, #06-01, Hachimanpara, Yonezawa, 992-1128 Yamagata, Japan. OSHA staff performed an on-site review of TUVAM's testing facility at TUVAM Yonezawa on April 10-11, 2025, in which assessors found some nonconformances with the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.7. TUVAM has addressed these issues sufficiently, and OSHA staff has preliminarily determined that OSHA should grant the application.

III. Preliminary Finding on the Application

TUVAM submitted an acceptable application for expansion of its scope of recognition. OSHA's review of the application file and pertinent documentation preliminarily indicates that TUVAM can meet the requirements prescribed by 29 CFR 1910.7 for expanding its recognition to include one additional test site for NRTL testing and certification. This preliminary finding does not constitute an interim or temporary approval of TUVAM's application.

OSHA seeks public comment on this preliminary determination.

IV. Public Participation

OSHA welcomes public comment as to whether TUVAM meets the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.7 for expansion of recognition as a NRTL. Comments should consist of pertinent written documents and exhibits.

Commenters needing more time to comment must submit a request in writing, stating the reasons for the request by the due date for comments. OSHA will limit any extension to 10 days unless the requester justifies a longer time period. OSHA may deny a request for an extension if it is not adequately justified.

To review copies of the exhibit identified in this notice, as well as comments submitted to the docket, contact the Docket Office, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor. These materials also are generally available online at <https://www.regulations.gov> under Docket No. OSHA-2007-0043 (for further information, see the "Docket" heading in the section of this notice titled **ADDRESSES**).

OSHA staff will review all comments to the docket submitted in a timely manner. After addressing the issues raised by these comments, staff will make a recommendation to the Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health on whether to grant TUVAM's application for expansion of the scope of recognition. The Assistant Secretary will make the final decision on granting the application. In making this decision, the Assistant Secretary may undertake other proceedings prescribed in Appendix A to 29 CFR 1910.7.

OSHA will publish a public notice of the final decision in the **Federal Register**.

IV. Authority and Signature

Amanda Laihow, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health, 200 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20210, authorized the preparation of this notice. Accordingly, the agency is issuing this notice pursuant to 29 U.S.C. 657(g)(2), Secretary of Labor's Order No. 7-2025 (90 FR 27878; June 30, 2025), and 29 CFR 1910.7.

Signed at Washington, DC, on April 9, 2026.

Amanda Laihow,

Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health.

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LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION

Notice to LSC Grantees of Application Process for Making 2026 Mid-Year and 2027 Basic Field Fund Subgrants

AGENCY: Legal Services Corporation.

ACTION: Notice of application dates and format for applications for approval to

make 2026 mid-year and 2027 Basic Field Grant fund subgrants.

SUMMARY: The Legal Services Corporation (LSC) is the national organization charged with administering Federal funds provided for civil legal services to low-income people. LSC hereby announces the submission dates for applications to make 2026 mid-year and 2027 Basic Field Grant fund subgrants. LSC also provides information about where applicants may locate subgrant application questions and directions for providing the information required to apply for a subgrant.

DATES: See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section for application dates.

ADDRESSES: Legal Services Corporation—Office of Compliance and Enforcement, 1825 I Street NW, Suite 800, Washington, DC 20006–5475.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Megan Lacchini, Office of Compliance and Enforcement at lacchinim@lsc.gov or (202) 295–1506 or visit the LSC website at <http://www.lsc.gov/grants-grantee-resources/grantee-guidance/how-apply-subgrant>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under 45 CFR part 1627, LSC must publish, on an annual basis, “notice of the requirements concerning the format and contents of the application annually in the **Federal Register** and on LSC’s website.” 45 CFR 1627.4(b). This Notice and the publication of the Subgrant Application on LSC’s website satisfy § 1627.4(b)’s notice requirement for the Basic Field Grant program. Only current or prospective recipients of LSC Basic Field Grants may apply for approval to subgrant these funds.

Applications for approval to make 2026 mid-year Basic Field Grant fund subgrants are available. Applications to make calendar year 2027 Basic Field Grant fund subgrants will be available on or around April 13, 2026. An applicant must apply to make a mid-year subgrant of LSC Basic Field Grant funds through GrantEase at least 45 days before the subgrant’s proposed effective date. 45 CFR 1627.4(b)(2). An applicant must apply to make calendar year subgrants of 2027 Basic Field Grant funds through GrantEase in conjunction with its application(s) for 2027 Basic Field Grant funding. 45 CFR 1627.4(b)(1). The deadline for 2027 Basic Field Grant funding application submissions is June 1, 2026.

All applicants must provide answers to the application questions in GrantEase and upload the following documents:

- A draft subgrant agreement (with the required terms provided in LSC’s Subgrant Agreement Template); and
- A subgrant budget (using LSC’s Subgrant Budget Template).

Applicants seeking to subgrant to a new subrecipient that is not a current LSC grantee, or to renew a subgrant with an organization that is not a current LSC grantee in a year in which the applicant is required to submit a full funding application, must also upload:

- The subrecipient’s accounting manual;
- The subrecipient’s most recent audited financial statements;
- The subrecipient’s current cost allocation policy (if not in the accounting manual); and
- The recipient’s 45 CFR part 1627 Policy (required under 45 CFR 1627.7).

A list of subgrant application questions, the Subgrant Agreement Template, and the Subgrant Budget Template are available on LSC’s website at <http://www.lsc.gov/grants-grantee-resources/grantee-guidance/how-apply-subgrant>.

LSC encourages applicants to use LSC’s Subgrant Agreement Template as a model subgrant agreement. If the applicant does not use LSC’s Template, the proposed agreement must include, at a minimum, the substance of the provisions of the Template.

Once submitted, LSC will evaluate the application and provide applicants with instructions on any needed modifications to the submitted documents or Draft Agreement provided with the application. The applicant must then upload a final and signed subgrant agreement through GrantEase by the date requested.

As required by 45 CFR 1627.4(b)(3), LSC will inform applicants of its decision to disapprove or approve an application for a 2026 mid-year subgrant no later than the subgrant’s proposed effective date. As required by 45 CFR 1627.4(b)(1)(ii), LSC will inform applicants of its decision to disapprove or approve a 2027 calendar-year subgrant no later than the date LSC informs applicants of LSC’s 2027 Basic Field Grant funding decisions.

(Authority: 42 U.S.C. 2996g(e).)

Dated: April 9, 2026.

Stefanie Davis,

Deputy General Counsel, Legal Services Corporation.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Sunshine Act Meetings

The National Science Board’s ad hoc Committee on Elections hereby gives notice of scheduling of a teleconference for the transaction of National Science Board business pursuant to the National Science Foundation Act and the Government in the Sunshine Act.

TIME AND DATE: April 16, 2026, at 4:00 p.m. Eastern.

PLACE: This meeting will be held by teleconference through the National Science Foundation, 401 Dulany Street, Alexandria, VA 22314.

STATUS: Closed

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Chair’s Opening Remarks about the agenda; Discussion of the slate of nominees for NSB Chair and Vice Chair positions for the 2026–2028 term, progress toward finalizing the slate, and next steps.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Point of contact for this meeting is: Chris Blair, 202–292–7000. Meeting information and updates may be found at www.nsf.gov/nsb.

Ann E. Bushmiller,

Senior Counsel to the National Science Board.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC–2026–0001]

Sunshine Act Meetings

TIME AND DATE: Week of April 13, 2026.

PLACE: Via Teleconference.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Week of April 13, 2026

Monday, April 13, 2026

10:00 a.m. Affirmation Session (Public Meeting) (Tentative)

(a) Final Rule: Harmonization of Transportation Safety Requirements with International Atomic Energy Agency Standards (Tentative)

(b) Final Rule: Generic Environmental Impact Statement for Licensing of New Nuclear Reactors (Tentative)

(c) Final Rule, FR–2: Increased Flexibility in the Mandatory Hearing Process (Tentative)

(Contact: Wesley Held: 301–287–3591)

Additional Information: By a vote of 5–0 on April 9, 2026, the Commission determined pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(e)(1) and 10 CFR 9.107 that these