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*Name of Committee:* National Institute on Aging Special Emphasis Panel, Nursing Home Research.

*Date:* November 7, 2008.

*Time:* 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* National Institute on Aging, Gateway Building, 7201 Wisconsin Ave., 2C212, Bethesda, MD 20892. (Telephone Conference Call)

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*Name of Committee:* National Institute on Aging Special Emphasis Panel, Biodemographic Factors of Longevity I.

*Date:* November 14, 2008.

*Time:* 12:00 p.m. to 3 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* National Institute on Aging Gateway Building, 7201 Wisconsin Avenue, 2C212, Bethesda, MD 20892. (Telephone Conference Call)

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(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.866, Aging Research, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: September 11, 2008.

**Jennifer Spaeth,**

*Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders; Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following meeting.

The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C.,

as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

*Name of Committee:* National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders Special Emphasis Panel, CDRC Conflicts.

*Date:* October 20, 2008.

*Time:* 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Melrose Hotel, 2430 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20037.

*Contact Person:* Christine A. Livingston, PhD, Scientific Review Officer, Division of Extramural Activities, National Institutes of Health/NIDCD, 6120 Executive Blvd.—MSC 7180, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-8683, [livingsc@mail.nih.gov](mailto:livingsc@mail.nih.gov).

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.173, Biological Research Related to Deafness and Communicative Disorders, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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**Jennifer Spaeth,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

[Docket No. DHS-2008-0100]

### The National Infrastructure Advisory Council

**AGENCY:** Directorate for National Protection and Programs, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Committee Management; Notice of Federal Advisory Council Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The National Infrastructure Advisory Council (NIAC) will meet on Tuesday, October 14, 2008 at the J.W. Marriott's Salons E and F, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, DC 20004.

**DATES:** The National Infrastructure Advisory Council will meet Tuesday, October 14, 2008 from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Please note that the meeting may close early if the committee has completed its business.

For additional information, please consult the NIAC Web site, [www.dhs.gov/niac](http://www.dhs.gov/niac), or contact Timothy McCabe by phone at 703-235-2888 or by e-mail at [timothy.mccabe@associates.dhs.gov](mailto:timothy.mccabe@associates.dhs.gov).

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at the J.W. Marriott's Salons E and F, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, DC 20004. While we will be unable to accommodate oral comments from the public, written comments may be sent to Nancy J. Wong, Department of Homeland Security, Directorate for National Protection and Programs, Washington, DC 20528. Written comments should reach the contact person listed no later than October 7, 2008. Comments must be identified by DHS-2008-0100 and may be submitted by one of the following methods:

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

- **E-mail:** [matthew.sickbert@associates.dhs.gov](mailto:matthew.sickbert@associates.dhs.gov). Include the docket number in the subject line of the message.

- **Fax:** 703-235-3055.

- **Mail:** Nancy J. Wong, Department of Homeland Security, Directorate for National Protection and Programs, Washington, DC 20528.

**Instructions:** All submissions received must include the words "Department of Homeland Security" and the docket number for this action. Comments received will be posted without alteration at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), including any personal information provided.

**Docket:** For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received by the National Infrastructure Advisory Council, go to <http://www.regulations.gov>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nancy J. Wong, NIAC Designated Federal Officer, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20528; telephone 703-235-2888.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice of this meeting is given under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (Pub. L. 92-463). The National Infrastructure Advisory Council shall provide the President through the Secretary of Homeland Security with advice on the security of the critical infrastructure sectors and their information systems.

The National Infrastructure Advisory Council will meet to address issues relevant to the protection of critical infrastructure as directed by the President. The October 14, 2008 meeting will include a final report from the Critical Partnership Strategic Assessment Working Group and a status report from the Frameworks for Dealing With Disasters and Related Interdependencies Working Group.

*The meeting agenda is as follows:*

I. Opening of Meeting .....	Nancy J. Wong, Designated Federal Officer (DFO), NIAC, Department of Homeland Security (DHS).
II. Roll Call of Members .....	Nancy J. Wong, DFO, NIAC, DHS.
III. Opening Remarks and Introductions .....	NIAC Chairman Erle A. Nye, Chairman Emeritus, TXU Corp. NIAC Vice Chairman, Alfred R. Berkeley III, Chairman and CEO, Pipeline Trading, LLC. Michael Chertoff, Secretary, DHS (invited). Paul A. Schneider, Deputy Secretary, DHS (invited). Robert D. Jamison, Under Secretary for the National Protection and Programs Directorate (invited). Scott Charbo, Deputy Under Secretary for the National Protection and Programs Directorate, DHS (invited). Robert B. Stephan, Assistant Secretary for Infrastructure Protection, DHS (invited). Dr. Kevin J. Reardon, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Infrastructure Protection, DHS (invited). Kenneth L. Wainstein, Assistant to the President for Homeland Security/Counter Terrorism (APHS/CT), Homeland Security Council (invited). NIAC Chairman Erle A. Nye.
Participating but not Expected to Make Remarks:	
IV. Approval of July 2008 Minutes .....	NIAC Chairman Erle A. Nye Presiding.
V. Working Group Final Report and Recommendations .....	Alfred R. Berkeley III, Chairman and CEO, Pipeline Trading LLC., NIAC Member and Margaret E. Grayson, President, Coalescent Technologies, Inc., NIAC Member.
A. The Critical Infrastructure Partnership Strategic Assessment Working Group.	
VI. Working Group Status Update .....	NIAC Chairman Erle A. Nye Presiding.
A. The Frameworks for Dealing Disasters and Related Inter- dependencies Working Group.	Edmund G. Archuleta, President and CEO, El Paso Water Utilities, NIAC Member; James B. Nicholson, Chairman and CEO, PVS Chemicals, Inc., NIAC Member; and The Honorable Tim Pawlenty, Governor, The State of Minnesota, NIAC Member.
VII. New Business .....	NIAC Chairman Erle A. Nye, Vice Chairman Alfred R. Berkeley III, NIAC Members.
VIII. Closing Remarks .....	Robert D. Jamison, Under Secretary for the National Protection and Programs Directorate, DHS (invited). Robert B. Stephan, Assistant Secretary for Infrastructure Protection, DHS (invited).
IX. Adjournment .....	NIAC Chairman Erle A. Nye.

## Procedural

While this meeting is open to the public, participation in The National Infrastructure Advisory Council deliberations is limited to committee members, Department of Homeland Security officials, and persons invited to attend the meeting for special presentations.

### Information on Services for Individuals With Disabilities

For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities or to request special assistance at the meeting, contact the NIAC Secretariat at 703-235-2888 as soon as possible.

Dated: September 9, 2008.

**Nancy J. Wong,**

*Designated Federal Officer for the NIAC.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Office of the Secretary

### Senior Executive Service Performance Review Board

**AGENCY:** Office of the Secretary, DHS.

### **ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the appointment of the members of the Senior Executive Service Performance Review Boards for the Department of Homeland Security. The purpose of the Performance Review Board is to view and make recommendations concerning proposed performance appraisals, ratings, bonuses, pay adjustments, and other appropriate personnel actions for incumbents of Senior Executive Service positions of the Department.

**DATES:** *Effective Dates:* This Notice is effective September 19, 2008.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Carmen Arrowood, Office of the Chief Human Capital Office, telephone (202) 357-8348.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Each federal agency is required to establish one or more performance review boards (PRB) to make recommendations, as necessary, in regard to the performance of senior executives within the agency. 5 U.S.C. 4314(c). This notice announces the appointment of the members of the PRB for the Department of Homeland Security (DHS). The purpose of the PRB is to review and make recommendations concerning proposed performance appraisals, ratings, bonuses, pay adjustments, and other appropriate

personnel actions for incumbents of SES positions within DHS.

The Board shall consist of at least three members. In the case of an appraisal of a career appointee, more than half of the members shall consist of career appointees. Composition of the specific PRBs will be determined on an ad hoc basis from among the individuals listed below:

Aguilar, David V., Alexander, Barbara B., Allen, Charles E., Anderson, Gary L., Armstrong, Charles R., Armstrong, Sue E., Atwood, Cynthia J., Baker, Stewart, Baldwin, William D., Barth, Richard, Bartoldus, Charles P., Bathurst, Donald G., Beagles, James M., Bell, Hubert, Bertucci, Theresa C., Bester-Markowitz, Margot, Boshers, Kevin, Boyd, Allison J., Boyd, David G., Bray, Robert, Breckenridge, Jody A. RADM, Briese, Garry L., Brown, Michael C., Brundage, William, Buswell, Bradley I., Cairns, Thomas D., Cannon, Timothy W., Capitano, David J., Capps, Michael H., Caverly, Robert J., Carpenter, Dea D., Chaparro, James M., Charbo, Lawrence Scott, Cohen, Jay M., Cohen, Robert, Cogswell, Patricia, Cohn, Alan, Conklin, William C., Conway, Paul T., Cooper, Bradford E., Correa, Soraya, Cotter, Daniel M., Coyle, Robert E., Cullen, Susan M., Daitch, William B., Dayton, Mark R., Davis, Delia Parson, DeVita,