

(b) The employer must ensure that these welders:

(i) Are familiar with the weld grades, types, and materials specified in the design of the system; and

(ii) Perform the welding tasks in accordance with 29 CFR part 1926, subpart J ("Welding and Cutting").

## 20. OSHA Notification

(a) To assist OSHA in administering the conditions of this variance, the employer must exercise due diligence in notifying the Office of Technical Programs and Coordination Activities (OTPCA) at OSHA's national headquarters, or the appropriate State-Plan Office, of:

(i) Any chimney-related construction operation using the conditions specified herein, including the location of the operation and the date the operation will commence, at least 15 calendar days prior to commencing the operation;

(ii) Any emergency operation or short-notice project using the conditions specified herein, and when 15 days are not available before start of work, as soon as possible after the employer knows when the operation will commence. This information must include the location and date of the operation;

(b) The employer can notify OTPCA at OSHA's national headquarters of pending chimney-related construction operations by:

(i) Telephone at 202 639-2110;

(ii) Facsimile at 202 693-1644; or

(iii) Email at [VarianceProgram@dol.gov](mailto:VarianceProgram@dol.gov)

(c) To assist OSHA in administering the conditions of this variance, the employer must exercise due diligence by informing OTPCA at OSHA's national headquarters as soon as possible after it has knowledge that it will:

(i) Cease to do business;

(ii) Change the location and address of the main office for managing the activities covered by this variance; or

(iii) Transfer the activities covered by this variance to a successor company.

(d) OSHA must approve the transfer of this variance to a successor company.

## VII. Authority and Signature

David Michaels, Ph.D., MPH, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC, authorized the preparation of this notice. OSHA is issuing this notice under the authority specified by 29 U.S.C. 655, Secretary of Labor's Order No. 1-2012 (76 FR 3912; Jan. 25, 2012), and 29 CFR part 1905.

Signed at Washington, DC, on September 24, 2013.

**David Michaels,**

*Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering (1173).

Dates/Time: October 30, 2013, 10:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 1235, Arlington, VA 22230.

**Note:** CEOSE Advisory Committee Members will be attending virtually. If you wish to attend, in-person attendance is required. To help facilitate your entry into the building, please contact Victoria Fung ([vfung@nsf.gov](mailto:vfung@nsf.gov)) on or prior to Oct 28, 2013.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Bernice T. Anderson, Senior Advisor and CEOSE Executive Secretary, Office of International and Integrative Activities, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230 (703) 292-5151 (direct) (703) 292-8040 (main) Email Address: [banderso@nsf.gov](mailto:banderso@nsf.gov).

Minutes: Meeting minutes and other information may be obtained from the Senior Advisor at the above address or the Web site at <http://www.nsf.gov/od/iaa/activities/ceose/index.jsp>.

Purpose of Meeting: To study data, programs, policies, and other information pertinent to the National Science Foundation and to provide advice and recommendations concerning broadening participation in science and engineering.

Agenda:

### Wednesday, October 30, 2013

Opening Statement by the CEOSE Chair  
Presentations and Discussions:

- Delivery of the 2011-2012 Biennial CEOSE Report
- Presentation of Key Points from the Meeting among the National Science Foundation Acting Director and CEOSE officers
- Update of Broadening Participation Activities by the CEOSE Executive Liaison
- Discussion with Dr. Cora B. Marrett, Acting Director and Deputy Director of the National Science Foundation
- Reports of CEOSE Liaisons to NSF Advisory Committees
- Discussion by Federal Agency Liaisons About Interagency Broadening Participation Activities

- Panel Discussion about the Significance of Financial Support for Underrepresented Groups in STEM
- Discussion on CEOSE Unfinished Business and New Business

Dated: September 26, 2013.

**Susanne Bolton,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Innovation Corps Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Innovation Corps (I-Corps) for Advisory Committee, #80463.

Date/Time: October 28, 2013, 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. EDT.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 530, Arlington, VA 22230.

I-Corps Advisory Committee Members will be attending virtually. If you are interested in attending, in-person attendance is required. To help facilitate your entry into the building, please contact Johnetta Lee ([jlee@nsf.gov](mailto:jlee@nsf.gov)) on or prior to October 24, 2013.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Rathindra DasGupta, Program Director, Innovation Corps (I-Corps), Engineering Directorate, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230; Telephone number: (703) 292-8353; email: [rdasgupt@nsf.gov](mailto:rdasgupt@nsf.gov).

Purpose of Meeting: To provide updates on I-Corps Teams, Sites and Nodes; and to dissolve the advisory committee.

Agenda:

- Opening Statements by Dr. Pramod Khargonekar (Assistant Director of Engineering Directorate) and Dr. Farnam Jahanian (Assistant Director of Computer and Information Science and Engineering Directorate).
- Updates on I-Corps Teams and Sites.
- Updates on I-Corps Nodes (a designated individual from each Node will present).
- Discussion of the current I-Corps programs and future directions, and dissolution of the committee.

Dated: September 27, 2013.

**Susanne Bolton,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Notice of Permit Applications Received Under the Antarctic Conservation Act

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation.

**ACTION:** Notice of permit applications received under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978, Public Law 95–541.

**SUMMARY:** The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish a notice of permit applications received to conduct activities regulated under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. NSF has published regulations under the Antarctic Conservation Act at Title 45 part 670 of the Code of Federal Regulations. This is the required notice of permit applications received.

**DATES:** Interested parties are invited to submit written data, comments, or views with respect to this permit application by November 1, 2013. This application may be inspected by interested parties at the Permit Office, address below.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments should be addressed to Permit Office, Room 755, Division of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Adrian Dahood, ACA Permit Officer, at the above address or [ACApermits@nsf.gov](mailto:ACApermits@nsf.gov) or (703) 292–7149.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The National Science Foundation, as directed by the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (Pub. L. 95–541), as amended by the Antarctic Science, Tourism and Conservation Act of 1996, has developed regulations for the establishment of a permit system for various activities in Antarctica and designation of certain animals and certain geographic areas requiring special protection. The regulations establish such a permit system to designate Antarctic Specially Protected Areas.

#### Application Details

##### Permit Application: 2014–022

1. *Applicant:* Celia Lang, Lockheed Martin, Antarctic Support Contract, Centennial, Colorado

##### Activity for Which Permit Is Requested

Introduce non indigenous species into Antarctica; An ACA permit is requested for import and use of a commercially available, bacteria supplement for municipal Wastewater Treatment Plants, to be used in the wastewater treatment plant at McMurdo Station, Antarctica. Benefits include better sludge settling and dewatering, control of surface foam and filamentous growth, reduction of total sludge volume and improved plant performance even in well-operated treatment plants. This supplement is a proprietary mixture of

enzymatic substrate, nutrient base and bacteria for the treatment process.

Bacteria would not be released to the marine environment. Most of the bacteria are eventually captured in the wastewater treatment plant's solids that are dewatered, compressed and retrograded to the U.S. The effluent from the wastewater treatment plant is treated with a UV sterilization system before it is discharged from the plant, killing all remaining bacteria before it reaches the sewage outfall

##### Location

McMurdo Station Waste Water Treatment Plant.

##### Dates

December 1, 2013 to December 1, 2016.

**Nadene G. Kennedy,**  
*Polar Coordination Specialist, Division of Polar Programs.*

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC–2013–0222; EA–13–150]

### In the Matter of Certain Licensees Authorized To Possess and Transfer Items Containing Radioactive Material Quantities of Concern; Order Imposing Additional Security Measures (Effective Immediately)

#### I.

The Licensee identified in Attachment A<sup>1</sup> to this Order holds a license issued by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) or an Agreement State, in accordance with the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and 10 CFR parts 30, 32, 70, and 71, or equivalent Agreement State regulations. The license authorizes the Licensee to possess and transfer items containing radioactive material quantities of concern. This Order is being issued to the Licensee identified in Attachment A to this Order who may transport radioactive material quantities of concern under the NRC's authority to protect the common defense and security, which has not been relinquished to the Agreement States. The Order requires compliance with specific additional security measures to enhance the security for transport of certain radioactive material quantities of concern.

<sup>1</sup> Attachment A contains sensitive information and will not be released to the public.

#### II.

On September 11, 2001, terrorists simultaneously attacked targets in New York, NY, and near Washington, DC, utilizing large commercial aircraft as weapons. In response to the attacks and intelligence information subsequently obtained, the Commission issued a number of Safeguards and Threat Advisories to Licensees in order to strengthen Licensees' capabilities and readiness to respond to a potential attack on NRC regulated activity. The Commission has also communicated with other Federal, State and local government agencies and industry representatives to discuss and evaluate the current threat environment in order to assess the adequacy of the current security measures. In addition, the Commission commenced a comprehensive review of its safeguards and security programs and requirements.

As a result of its initial consideration of current safeguards and security requirements, as well as a review of information provided by the intelligence community, the Commission has determined that certain security measures are required to be implemented by Licensees as prudent, interim measures to address the current threat environment in a consistent manner. Therefore, the Commission is imposing requirements, as set forth in Attachment B<sup>2</sup> of this Order, on the Licensee identified in Attachment A of this Order. These additional security measures, which supplement existing regulatory requirements, will provide the Commission with reasonable assurance that the common defense and security continue to be adequately protected in the current threat environment. Attachment C of this Order contains the requirements for fingerprinting and criminal history record checks for individuals when the Licensee's reviewing official is determining access to Safeguards Information or unescorted access to the radioactive materials. These requirements will remain in effect until the Commission determines otherwise.

Some measures may not be possible or necessary for all shipments of radioactive material quantities of concern, or may need to be tailored to accommodate the Licensee's specific circumstances to achieve the intended objectives and avoid any unforeseen

<sup>2</sup> Attachment B contains some requirements that are SAFEGUARDS INFORMATION, and cannot be released to the public. The remainder of the requirements contained in Attachment B that are not SAFEGUARDS INFORMATION will be released to the public.