Previous Request for Comments

This request provides a 30-day comment period required by OIRA. The Coast Guard published the 60-day notice (83 FR 39769, August 10, 2018) required by 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2). That Notice elicited no comments. Accordingly, no changes have been made to the Collections.

Information Collection Request

Title: Request for Designation and Exemption of Oceanographic Research Vessels.

OMB Control Number: 1625–0014.

Summary: This collection requires submission of specific information about a vessel in order for the vessel to be designated as an Oceanographic Research Vessel (ORV).

Need: Title 46 U.S.C. 2113 authorizes the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security to exempt Oceanographic Research Vessels (ORV), by regulation, from provisions of Subtitle II, of Title 46, Shipping, of the United States Code, concerning maritime safety and seaman's welfare laws. This information is necessary to ensure a vessel qualifies for the designation of ORV under 46 CFR part 3 and 46 CFR part 14, subpart D.

Forms: N/A.

Respondents: Owners or operators of certain vessels.

Frequency: On occasion.

Hour Burden Estimate: The estimated burden has increased from 25 hours to 36 hours a year due to an increase in the estimated annual number of respondents.

Authority: The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995; 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: October 11, 2018.

James D. Roppel,

U.S. Coast Guard, Acting Chief, Office of Information Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR–6131–N–01]

The Performance Review Board

AGENCY: Office of the Deputy Secretary, HUD.

ACTION: Notice of appointments.

SUMMARY: The Department of Housing and Urban Development announces the establishment of two Performance Review Boards to make recommendations to the appointing authority on the performance of its senior executives. Patricia Hoban-Moore, Felicia Purifoy, Danielle Bastarache, John Benison, Virginia Sardone, Bryan Greene, Ivery Himes, George Tomchick, and Kurt Usowski will serve as members of the Departmental Performance Review Board to review career SES performance. Seth D. Appleton, Maren Kasper, John Bravacos, Ralph Gaines, and Joseph Grassi will serve as members of the Departmental Performance Review Board to review noncareer SES performance. The address is: Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, DC 20410–0050.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Persons desiring any further information about the Performance Review Board and its members may contact Lynette Warren, Director, Office of Executive Resources, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, DC 20410. Telephone (202) 708–1381. (This is not a toll-free number)

Dated: October 11, 2018.

Pamela H. Patenaude,

Deputy Secretary.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[USITC SE–18–047]

Government in the Sunshine Act Meeting Notice

Agency Holding the Meeting:

United States International Trade Commission.

TIME AND DATE: October 23, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Room 101, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20436, Telephone: (202) 205–2000.

STATUS: Open to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Agendas for future meetings: None.
2. Minutes.
3. Ratification List.
4. Vote on Inv. No. 731–TA–1203 (Review) (Xanthan Gum from China). The Commission is currently scheduled to complete and file its determination and views of the Commission by November 15, 2018.
5. Vote on Inv. Nos. 731–TA–873–875, 878–880, and 882 (Third Review) (Steel Concrete Reinforcing Bar from Belarus, China, Indonesia, Latvia, Moldova, Poland, and Ukraine). The Commission is currently scheduled to complete and file its determinations and views of the Commission by November 15, 2018.
6. Outstanding action jackets: None.

In accordance with Commission policy, subject matter listed above, not disposed of at the scheduled meeting, may be carried over to the agenda of the following meeting.

By order of the Commission:

Issued: October 15, 2018.

William Bishop,

Supervisory Hearings and Information Officer.

[FR Doc. 2018–22798 Filed 10–16–18; 11:15 am]

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MERIT SYSTEMS PROTECTION BOARD

Membership of the Merit Systems Protection Board's Performance Review Board

AGENCY: Merit Systems Protection Board.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the members of the Merit Systems Protection Board's Performance Review Board.

DATES: October 18, 2018.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pervis Lee, Director of Human Resources, Merit Systems Protection Board, 1615 M Street NW, Washington, DC 20419; telephone: (202) 254–4413; or email: *pervis.lee@mspb.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Merit Systems Protection Board is publishing the names of the current members of the Performance Review Board (PRB) as required by 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4). Laura M. Albornoz serves as Chair of the PRB. Louis Lopez, Office of Special Counsel, Susan M. Swafford, Merit Systems Protection Board, and William L. Boulden, Merit Systems Protection Board, serve as members of the PRB.

Jennifer Everling,

Acting Clerk of the Board.

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MILLENNIUM CHALLENGE CORPORATION

[MCC FR 18–13]

Notice of Open Meeting

AGENCY: Millennium Challenge Corporation.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the requirements of the Federal Advisory

Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App., the Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) Advisory Council was established as a discretionary advisory committee on July 14, 2016. Its charter was renewed for a second term on July 11, 2018. The MCC Advisory Council serves MCC in a solely advisory capacity and provides insight regarding innovations in infrastructure, technology and sustainability; perceived risks and opportunities in MCC partner countries; new financing mechanisms for developing country contexts; and shared value approaches. The MCC Advisory Council provides a platform for systematic engagement with the private sector and other external stakeholders and contributes to MCC's mission—to reduce poverty through sustainable, economic growth.

DATES: Monday, November 5, 2018, from 9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. EST which includes a working lunch.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Millennium Challenge Corporation, 1099 14th Street NW, Suite 700, Washington, DC 20005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Carisa Graf-Suleman, 202.766.0286, *MCCAdvisoryCouncil@mcc.gov* or visit *https://www.mcc.gov/about/org-unit/advisory-council.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Agenda. During the Fall/Winter 2018 meeting of the MCC Advisory Council, members will be provided an overview and update of MCC's work and discuss with MCC leadership the MCC selection process. The MCC Advisory Council will also provide advice on the compact development process and MCC's investment strategy in Sri Lanka. A guest speaker will discuss the changing development finance landscape with the MCC Advisory Council.

Public Participation. The meeting will be open to the public. Members of the public may file written statement(s) before or after the meeting. If you plan to attend, please submit your name and affiliation no later than Monday, October 29, 2018 to *MCCAdvisoryCouncil@mcc.gov* to be placed on an attendee list.

Dated: October 15, 2018.

Jeanne M. Hauch,

VP/General Counsel and Corporate Secretary.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (18–078)]

Notice of Intent To Grant Partially Exclusive License

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of intent to grant partially exclusive license.

SUMMARY: NASA hereby gives notice of its intent to grant a partially exclusive license in the United States to practice the invention described and claimed in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 62/555,416 entitled ''Real-Time Six Degree of Freedom Shape Sensing Algorithm'', to Safety Technology Holding, Inc., having its principal place of business in Plymouth, MI. The fields of use may be limited to anthropomorphic dummies used in the automotive testing industry. NASA has not yet made a determination to grant the requested license and may deny the requested license even if no objections are submitted within the comment period.

DATES: The prospective partially exclusive term license may be granted unless NASA receives written objections, including evidence and argument no later than November 2, 2018 that establish that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the requirements regarding the licensing of federally owned inventions as set forth in the Bayh-Dole Act and implementing regulations. Competing applications completed and received by NASA no later than November 2, 2018 will also be treated as objections to the grant of the contemplated exclusive license. Objections submitted in response to this notice will not be made available to the public for inspection and, to the extent permitted by law, will not be released under the Freedom of Information Act.

ADDRESSES: Objections relating to the prospective license may be submitted to Mr. Mark Homer, Patent Counsel, Jet Propulsion Laboratory, 4800 Oak Grove Drive, M/S 180–800, Pasadena, CA 91109, (818) 354–7770.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Janeya Griffin, Technology Transfer Branch, Armstrong Flight Research Center, 4800 Lilly Drive M/S 1100 Edwards, California 93524, (661) 276–5743.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice of intent to grant an exclusive patent license is issued in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 209(e) and 37 CFR 404.7(a)(1)(i). The patent rights in these inventions have been assigned to the United States of America as represented by the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. The prospective partially exclusive license will comply with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7.

Information about other NASA inventions available for licensing can be found online at *http://technology.nasa.gov.*

Mark Dvorscak,

Agency Counsel for Intellectual Property.

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NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

Sunshine Act; Notice of Matters To Be Deleted From the Agenda of a Previously Announced Agency Meeting

FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT: October 15, 2018 (83 FR 51986).

TIME AND DATE: 9:00 a.m., Thursday, October 18, 2018.

PLACE: Board Room, 7th Floor, Room 7047, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, VA 22314–3428.

STATUS: Closed.

Pursuant to the provisions of the ''Government in Sunshine Act'' notice is hereby given that the NCUA Board gave notice on October 11, 2018 of the regular meeting of the NCUA Board scheduled for October 18, 2018. Prior to the meeting, on October 16, 2018, the NCUA Board unanimously determined that agency business required the deletion of the first and second items on the closed agenda with less than seven days' notice to the public, and that no earlier notice of the deletion was possible.

MATTERS TO BE DELETED: 1. Supervisory Enforcement Matter. Closed pursuant to Exemptions (6), (8), (9)(ii), and (10).

2. Supervisory Enforcement Matter. Closed pursuant to Exemptions (6), (8), (9)(ii), and (10).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gerard Poliquin, Secretary of the Board, Telephone: 703–518–6304.

Gerard Poliquin,

Secretary of the Board.

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