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Beverly Fayson,

*FAR Secretariat.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[CFDA No.: 84.129A through R]

### Rehabilitation Training: Rehabilitation Long-Term Training Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year (FY) 1996

*Purpose of Program:* The Rehabilitation Long-Term Training program provides financial assistance for—

(1) Projects that provide basic or advanced training leading to an academic degree in areas of personnel shortages in rehabilitation as identified by the Secretary;

(2) Projects that provide a specified series of courses or program of study leading to award of a certificate in areas of personnel shortages in rehabilitation as identified by the Secretary; and

(3) Projects that provide support for medical residents enrolled in residency training programs in the specialty of physical medicine and rehabilitation.

*Eligible Applicants:* State agencies and other public or nonprofit agencies and organizations, including institutions of higher education, are eligible for assistance under the Rehabilitation Long-Term Training program.

*Deadline for Transmittal of Applications:* May 31, 1996.

*Deadline for Intergovernmental Review:* August 30, 1996

*Applications Available:* April 16, 1996.

*Available Funds:* \$900,000.

*Estimated Range of Awards:*

\$90,000—\$110,000.

*Estimated Average Size of Awards:*

\$100,000.

*Estimated Number of Awards:* 9.

NOTE: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.

*Project Period, Maximum Number of Awards, and Absolute Priorities:* The Secretary is conducting a single competition to select a total of 9 grant awards across the 14 priority areas. The project period and maximum number of awards to be made in each priority area are listed in the following chart. Under 34 CFR 75.105(c)(3) and 34 CFR 386.1, the Secretary gives an absolute preference to applications that meet one of the following priorities. The Secretary funds under this competition only applications that propose to provide training in one of the following areas of personnel shortage:

CFDA No.	Priority Area	Project Period
84.129A	Prosthetics and Orthotics (1)	Up to 36 months
84.129C-1.	Administration of community (2) rehabilitation programs	Up to 60 months
84.129C-3.	Rehabilitation administration (3)	Up to 60 months
84.129D	Occupational therapy (2)	Up to 36 months
84.129E	Rehabilitation technology (3)	Up to 36 months
84.129F	Vocational evaluation and work adjustment (4)	Up to 36 months
84.129G	Community rehabilitation program personnel (1)	Up to 36 months
84.129H	Rehabilitation of individuals who are mentally ill (3)	Up to 36 months
84.129K	Supported Employment services, including services of employment specialists for individuals with disabilities (2)	Up to 36 months
84.129L	Undergraduate education in the rehabilitation services (3)	Up to 60 months
84.129M	Independent living (3)	Up to 36 months
84.129P	Specialized personnel for rehabilitation of individuals who are blind or have vision impairment (4)	Up to 36 months
84.129Q	Rehabilitation of individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing (5)	Up to 36 months
84.129R	Job development and job placement services to individuals with disabilities (2)	Up to 36 months

*Applicable Regulations:* (a) The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) in 34 CFR Parts 74, 75, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 85, 86; and (b) The regulations for this program in 34 CFR Parts 385 and 386.

*For Applications or Information*

*Contact:* Sylvia Johnson, U.S.

Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 3320, Switzer Building, Washington, D.C. 20202-2649. Telephone: (202) 205-9312. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

Information about the Department's funding opportunities, including copies of application notices for discretionary grant competitions, can be viewed on the Department's electronic bulletin board (ED Board), telephone (202) 260-9950; on the Internet Gopher Server at

GOPHER.ED.GOV (under Announcements, Bulletin, and Press Releases); or on the World Wide Web (at <http://www.ed.gov/money.html>).

However, the official application notice for a discretionary grant competition is the notice published in the Federal Register.

Program Authority: 29 U.S.C. 774

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Judith E. Heumann,

*Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services.*

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### Notice of Availability

**SUMMARY:** The Department announces the availability of a draft document entitled "Report on the Section 504 Self-Evaluation" (Self-evaluation), conducted by the Department of Education under section 504 of the

Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. 794).

The Self-evaluation contains (1) an evaluation of the accessibility of the Department's programs, activities, and facilities to persons with disabilities; (2) recommendations for improving the accessibility of the Department; and (3) summaries of the self-evaluations conducted by each principal office of the Department.

**DATES:** Comments on the Self-evaluation must be received on or before April 29, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments (oral or written) concerning and all requests for copies of the Self-evaluation should be addressed to Eunice Fiorito, U.S. Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 3316, Mary E. Switzer Building, Washington D.C. 20202-2500. Telephone number: (202) 205-8355. FAX: (202) 205-9252. Internet:

Eunice\_\_Fiorito@ed.gov Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the TDD number at (202) 205-5465. The Self-evaluation is available in alternative formats upon request. A copy of the Self-evaluation report is available in the Department's Public Reading Room located in Federal Office Building 10B in Washington D.C. The Self-evaluation may also be obtained by accessing the Internet Gopher Server at gopher.ed.gov (under Announcements, Bulletins and Press Releases, select Invitations for Public Comment) and on the World Wide Web (at <http://www.ed.gov/comments/>).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Eunice Fiorito. Telephone: (202) 205-8355. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the TDD number at (202) 205-5465.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. 794), provides that no otherwise qualified person with a disability shall, solely by reason of his or her disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity conducted by any Executive agency. The Department of Education published regulations implementing section 504 in 34 CFR Part 105. Pursuant to 34 CFR 105.10, the Department of Education has conducted a self-evaluation of its current policies and practices, assessing how well they meet the requirements of section 504 and its implementing regulations, and recommending modifications of those policies and practices where necessary. Under 34 CFR 105.10(b), the Department is soliciting comments (both oral and written) from interested persons, particularly persons with disabilities or organizations representing persons with disabilities, regarding the Department's Self-evaluation.

Dated: April 2, 1996.

Howard R. Moses,

*Acting Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER95-1269-000]

#### e prime, inc.; Notice of Issuance of Order

April 2, 1996.

On June 26, 1995, e prime, inc. (e prime) filed an application for authorization to sell power at market-based rates, and for certain waivers and authorizations. In particular, e prime requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR Part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liabilities by e prime. On March 29, 1996, the Commission issued an Order Conditionally Accepting And Suspending Revised Transmission Tariffs And Conditionally Accepting Market-Based Rates (Order), in the above-docketed proceeding.

The Commission's March 29, 1996 Order granted the request for blanket approval under Part 34, subject to the conditions found in Ordering Paragraphs (F), (G), and (I):

(F) Within 30 days of the date of this order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the Commission's blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities by e prime should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214 (1995).

(G) Absent a request to be heard within the period set forth in Ordering Paragraph (F) above, e prime is hereby authorized to issue securities and to assume obligations or liabilities as guarantor, endorser, surety or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issue or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of the applicant, compatible with the public interest, and reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

(I) The Commission reserves the right to modify this order to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued Commission approval of e prime's issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities \* \* \*.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is April 29, 1996.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public

Reference Branch, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

*Acting Secretary.*

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#### Universal Power Services, L.L.C.; Notice of Issuance of Order

April 2, 1996.

On January 16, 1996, as amended February 2, 1996, Universal Power Services, L.L.C. (Universal) submitted for filing a rate schedule under which Universal will engage in wholesale electric power and energy transactions as a marketer. Universal also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, Universal requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR Part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Universal.

On March 21, 1996, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Applications, Office of Electric Power Regulation, granted requests for blanket approval under Part 34, subject to the following:

Within thirty days of the date of the order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Universal should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214).

Absent a request for hearing within this period, Universal is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, endorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of the applicant, and compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of Universal's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is April 22, 1996.

Copies of the full text of the order are available from the Commission's Public