

Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards; Subcommittee Meeting on Planning and Procedures

The ACRS Subcommittee on Planning and Procedures will hold a meeting on September 11, 1996, Room T-2B1, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

The entire meeting will be open to public attendance, with the exception of a portion that may be closed pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (2) and (6) to discuss organizational and personnel matters that relate solely to internal personnel rules and practices of ACRS, and matters the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

The agenda for the subject meeting shall be as follows:

Wednesday, September 11, 1996—1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m.

The Subcommittee will discuss proposed ACRS activities and related matters. It may also discuss the status of appointment of members to the ACRS. The purpose of this meeting is to gather information, analyze relevant issues and facts, and to formulate proposed positions and actions, as appropriate, for deliberation by the full Committee.

Oral statements may be presented by members of the public with the concurrence of the Subcommittee Chairman; written statements will be accepted and made available to the Committee. Electronic recordings will be permitted only during those portions of the meeting that are open to the public, and questions may be asked only by members of the Subcommittee, its consultants, and staff. Persons desiring to make oral statements should notify the cognizant ACRS staff person named below five days prior to the meeting, if possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Further information regarding topics to be discussed, the scheduling of sessions open to the public, whether the meeting has been cancelled or rescheduled, the Chairman's ruling on requests for the opportunity to present oral statements, and the time allotted therefor can be obtained by contacting the cognizant ACRS staff person, Dr. John T. Larkins (telephone: 301/415-7360) between 7:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. (EDT). Persons planning to attend this meeting are urged to contact the above named individual one or two working days prior to the meeting to be advised of any changes in schedule, etc., that may have occurred.

Dated: August 19, 1996.

Sam Duraiswamy,

Chief, Nuclear Reactors Branch.

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Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards; Subcommittee Meeting on Human Factors

The ACRS Subcommittee on Human Factors will hold a meeting on September 20, 1996, Room T-2B3, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

The entire meeting will be open to public attendance.

The agenda for the subject meeting shall be as follows:

Friday, September 20, 1996 - 8:30 a.m. until the conclusion of business

The Subcommittee will discuss the latest draft of the NRC Human Performance Program Plan, the collection and use of human performance data, the development of human factors inspection guidelines, and the human factors research program. The purpose of this meeting is to gather information, analyze relevant issues and facts, and to formulate proposed positions and actions, as appropriate, for deliberation by the full Committee.

Oral statements may be presented by members of the public with the concurrence of the Subcommittee Chairman; written statements will be accepted and made available to the Committee. Electronic recordings will be permitted only during those portions of the meeting that are open to the public, and questions may be asked only by members of the Subcommittee, its consultants, and staff. Persons desiring to make oral statements should notify the cognizant ACRS staff engineer named below five days prior to the meeting, if possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

During the initial portion of the meeting, the Subcommittee, along with any of its consultants who may be present, may exchange preliminary views regarding matters to be considered during the balance of the meeting.

The Subcommittee will then hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff, its consultants, and other interested persons regarding this review.

Further information regarding topics to be discussed, whether the meeting has been cancelled or rescheduled, the scheduling of sessions which are open to the public, the Chairman's ruling on requests for the opportunity to present

oral statements and the time allotted therefor can be obtained by contacting the cognizant ACRS staff engineer, Mr. Noel F. Dudley (telephone 301/415-6888) between 7:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. (EDT). Persons planning to attend this meeting are urged to contact the above named individual one or two working days prior to the meeting to be advised of any potential changes to the agenda, etc., that may have occurred.

Dated: August 19, 1996.

Sam Duraiswamy,

Chief, Nuclear Reactors Branch.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee; Open Committee Meeting

According to the provisions of section 10 of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), notice is hereby given that meetings of the Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee will be held on—

Thursday, September 26, 1996.

Thursday, December 5, 1996.

Thursday, December 19, 1996.

The meetings will start at 10:45 a.m. and will be held in Room 5A06A, Office of Personnel Management Building, 1900 E Street, NW., Washington, DC.

The Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee is composed of a Chair, five representatives from labor unions holding exclusive bargaining rights for Federal blue-collar employees, and five representatives from Federal agencies. Entitlement to membership on the Committee is provided for in 5 U.S.C. 5347.

The Committee's primary responsibility is to review the Prevailing Rate System and other matters pertinent to establishing prevailing rates under subchapter IV, chapter 53, 5 U.S.C., as amended, and from time to time advise the Office of Personnel Management.

These scheduled meetings will start in open session with both labor and management representatives attending. During the meeting either the labor members or the management members may caucus separately with the Chair to devise strategy and formulate positions. Premature disclosure of the matters discussed in these caucuses would unacceptably impair the ability of the Committee to reach a consensus on the matters being considered and would disrupt substantially the disposition of its business. Therefore, these caucuses will be closed to the public because of

a determination made by the Director of the Office of Personnel Management under the provisions of section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463) and 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(9)(B). These caucuses may, depending on the issues involved, constitute a substantial portion of the meeting.

Annually, the Chair compiles a report of pay issues discussed and concluded recommendations. These reports are available to the public, upon written request to the Committee's Secretary.

The public is invited to submit material in writing to the Chair on Federal Wage System pay matters felt to be deserving of the Committee's attention. Additional information on these meetings may be obtained by contacting the Committee's Secretary, Office of Personnel Management, Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee, Room 5559, 1900 E Street, NW., Washington, DC 20415 (202) 606-1500.

Dated: August 15, 1996.

Phyllis G. Foley,

Chair, Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee.

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UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

Board of Governors; Sunshine Act Notice of a Meeting

The Board of Governors of the United States Postal Service, pursuant to its Bylaws (39 C.F.R. Section 7.5) and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. Section 552b), hereby gives notice that it intends to hold a meeting at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 9, 1996, and at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 10, 1996, in Washington, D.C.

The September 9 meeting is closed to the public (see 61 FR 42072, August 13, 1996). The September 10 meeting is open to the public and will be held at U.S. Postal Service Headquarters, 475 L'Enfant Plaza, S.W., in the Benjamin Franklin Room. The Board expects to discuss the matters stated in the agenda which is set forth below. Requests for information about the meeting should be addressed to the Secretary of the Board, Thomas J. Koerber, at (202) 268-4800.

Agenda

Monday Session

September 9—10:00 a.m. (Closed)

1. Legislative Reform. (Mary S. Elcano, Senior Vice President and General Counsel)

2. Strategic Alliance. (Loren E. Smith, Chief Marketing Officer and Senior Vice President)

Tuesday Session

September 10—8:30 a.m. (Open)

1. Minutes of the Previous Meetings, July 28-30, and August 5-6, 1996.
2. Remarks of the Postmaster General/Chief Executive Officer. (Marvin Runyon)
3. Postal Rate Commission FY 1997 Budget. (Chairman del Junco).
4. Fiscal Year 1997 Operating Budget. (Michael J. Riley, Chief Financial Officer)
5. Preliminary FY 1998 Appropriation Request. (Michael J. Riley, Chief Financial Officer)
6. Review of the Five-Year Vehicle Plan. (Allen R. Kane, Vice President, Operations Support)
7. Capital Investments.
 - a. Atlanta, Georgia, Airport Mail Center (AMC). (Rudolph K. Umscheid, Vice President, Facilities)
 - b. Delivery Unit Computer (DUCS) Replacement. (Allen R. Kane, Vice President, Operations Support)
8. Tentative Agenda for the October 7-8, 1996, meeting in Anchorage, Alaska.

Thomas J. Koerber,

Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Self-Regulatory Organizations; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change by the Chicago Stock Exchange, Incorporated Relating to Unlisted Trading Privileges

August 16, 1996.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act"),¹ notice is hereby given that on August 9, 1996, the Chicago Stock Exchange, Incorporated ("CHX" or the "Exchange") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I, II, and III below, which Items have been prepared by the self-regulatory organization. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rule change from interested persons.

I. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rule Change

The Exchange proposes to amend Article XXVIII, Rule 5 and Article XXX, Rule 1, interpretation and policy .01,

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1) (1988).

relating to unlisted trading privileges ("UTP").

II. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

In its filing with the Commission, the self-regulatory organization included statements concerning the purpose of and basis for the proposed rule change and discussed any comments it received on the proposed rule change. The text of these statements may be examined at the places specified in Item IV below. The self-regulatory organization has prepared summaries, set forth in Sections A, B and C below, of the most significant aspects of such statements.

A. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

1. Purpose

Prior to the enactment of the Unlisted Trading Privileges Act of 1994 ("UTP Act"), Section 12(f)² of the Act allowed an exchange, subject to Commission approval, to extend UTP to securities that were listed and registered on another exchange.³ Section 12(f) required exchanges to apply to the Commission and receive Commission approval of the exchange's application before extending UTP to a particular security. The Commission was required to provide interested parties with at least 10 days notice of the application and the Commission had to determine whether the extension of UTP to each named security met certain criteria. If so, the Commission published an approval order in the Federal Register. Exchange Interpretation and Policy .01 of Article XXX, Rule 1, reflects this statutory scheme in that it references "obtaining" UTP from the Commission.

The enactment of the UTP Act, however, removed the application, notice, and Commission approval process from Section 12(f) of the Act, and revised the conditions under which exchanges may extend UTP to most registered securities. Currently, Section 12(f)(1)(A)(i)⁴ allows a national securities exchange to extend UTP to any security listed and registered on another national securities exchange.⁵

² 15 U.S.C. 78l.

³ By "extending UTP" to a security, the exchange allows its members to trade the security as if it were listed on the exchange.

⁴ 15 U.S.C. 78l(f)(1)(A)(i).

⁵ The Commission notes that pursuant to Rule 12f-5, a national securities exchange shall not extend unlisted trading privileges to any security unless the exchange has in effect a rule or rules providing for transactions in the class or type of