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Franklin J. Vargo,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Market Access and Compliance.

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COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Visa Requirements for Textile and Clothing Products in the Second Stage of Integration Into the World Trade Organization

September 29, 1997.

AGENCY: Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements (CITA).

ACTION: Notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lori E. Mennitt, International Trade Specialist, Office of Textiles and Apparel, U.S. Department of Commerce, (202) 482-3400.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority: Executive Order 11651 of March 3, 1972, as amended; section 204 of the Agricultural Act of 1956, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1854); the Uruguay Round Agreements Act.

The Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing provides for the integration of textile and clothing into GATT 1994. The second stage of the integration will commence on January 1, 1998 (see 60 FR 21075, published on May 1, 1995).

The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements has determined that it is necessary to maintain coverage of the currently applicable visa systems for the products to be integrated in the second stage of the integration. Therefore, an export visa issued by the government of the country of origin will continue to be required for products integrated on and after January 1, 1998, before entry is permitted into the United States.

Troy H. Cribb,

Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Certification on Conversion of Military Positions to Civilian Positions

AGENCY: Department of Defense, Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice is being published in accordance with the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 1997. This Act requires that the Department of Defense provide notification upon its certification to Congress that 3,000 military positions were converted to civilian positions during FY 1996. The Certification was submitted to the Congress on September 22, 1997. Further details concerning the conversion may be obtained by contacting the Office of the Director, Requirements, Department of Defense.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. John Davey, 703-614-5133.

Dated: September 29, 1997.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Defense Science Board Task Force on Submarine of the Future

ACTION: Notice of advisory committee meetings.

SUMMARY: The Defense Science Board Task Force on Submarine of the Future will meet in closed session on October 10, at TRW, One Federal Systems Park, Fairfax, Virginia; on October 27-28, at Science Applications International Corporation, 8301 Greensboro Drive, McLean, Virginia; and on November 24, 1997, at Knolls Atomic Power Laboratory, Schenectady, New York. In order for the Task Force to obtain time sensitive classified briefings, critical to the understanding of the issues, these meetings are scheduled on short notice.

The mission of the Defense Science Board is to advise the Secretary of Defense through the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology on scientific and technical matters as they affect the perceived needs of the Department of Defense. At these meetings the Task Force will assess the nation's need for attack submarines in the 21st century.

In accordance with Section 10(d) of the Federal advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II, (1994)), it has been determined that these DSB Task Force meetings concern matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(1) (1994), and that accordingly these meetings will be closed to the public.

Dated: September 30, 1997.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Fall 1997 Conference Meeting of the Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Services (DACOWITS)

AGENCY: Department of Defense, Advisory Committee on Women in the Services.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Section 10(a), Public Law 92-463, as amended, notice is hereby given of a forthcoming semiannual conference of the Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Services (DACOWITS). The purpose of the Fall 1997 DACOWITS Conference is to assist the Secretary of Defense on matters relating to women in the Services. Conference sessions will be held daily and will be open to the public, unless otherwise noted below.

DATES: October 29-November 2, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Hyatt Regency Tampa, Two Tampa City Center, Tampa FL 33602; telephone: (813) 225-1234.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lieutenant Colonel Kay Troutt, USAF, or CDR Deborah R. Goodwin, USN, DACOWITS and Military Women Matters, OASD (Force Management Policy), 4000 Defense Pentagon, Room 3D769, Washington, DC 20301-4000; telephone (703) 697-2122.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following rules will govern the participation by members of the public at the conference:

(1) Members of the public will not be permitted to attend the OSD Reception and Dinner and Conference Field Trip.

(2) The Opening Session, General Session, all subcommittee sessions and the Voting Session will be open to the public.

(3) Interested persons may submit a written statement for consideration by the Committee and/or make an oral

presentation of such during the conference.

(4) Persons desiring to make an oral presentation or submit a written statement to the Committee must notify the point of contact listed above no later than October 17, 1997.

(5) Length and number of oral presentations to be made will depend on the number of requests received from members of the public.

(6) Oral presentations by members of the public will be permitted only on Sunday, November 2, 1997, before the full Committee.

(7) Each person desiring to make an oral presentation must provide the DACOWITS office with one (1) copy of the presentation by October 17, 1997 and bring 175 copies of any material that is intended for distribution at the conference.

(8) Persons submitting a written statement for inclusion in the minutes of the conference must submit to the DACOWITS staff one (1) copy of the statement by the close of the conference on Sunday, November 2, 1997.

(9) Other new items from members of the public may be presented in writing to any DACOWITS member for transmittal to the DACOWITS Chair or Military Director, DACOWITS and Military Women Matters, for consideration.

(10) Members of the public will not be permitted to enter oral discussions conducted by the Committee members at any of the sessions; however, they will be permitted to reply to questions directed to them by the members of the Committee.

(11) After the official participants have asked questions and/or made comments to the scheduled speakers, members of the public will be permitted to ask questions if recognized by the Chair and if time allows.

(12) Non-social agenda events that are not open to the public are for administrative matters unrelated to substantive advice provided to the Department of Defense and do not involve DACOWITS deliberations or decision-making issues before the Committee. Conference sessions will be conducted according to the following agenda:

Wednesday, October 29, 1997

Conference Registration
Field Trip (DACOWITS Members and Senior Military Representatives Only)
Subcommittee Rules and Procedures Meeting (DACOWITS Members Only)
Military Representatives Meeting (Senior Military Representatives Only)

Executive Committee Rules and Procedures Meeting (DACOWITS Members Only)
OSD Social (Paid Registered Conference Participants Only)

Thursday, October 30, 1997

Opening Session and General Session (Open to Public)
Luncheon (Paid Registered Conference Participants Only)
Subcommittee Session (Open to Public)

Friday, October 31, 1997

Subcommittee Session (Open to Public)
Luncheon (Paid Registered Conference Participants Only)
Executive Committee Rules and Procedures Meeting (DACOWITS Members Only)
OSD Reception and Dinner (Invited Guests Only)

Saturday, November 1, 1997

Subcommittee Sessions (Open to Public)
Tri-committee Review (Open to Public)
Executive Committee Rules and Procedures Meeting (DACOWITS Members Only)
Strategic Planning Meeting (DACOWITS Members Only)

Sunday, November 2, 1997

Final Review (Open to Public)
Voting Session (Open to Public)

Dated: September 30, 1997.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, DOD.
ACTION: Notice to Amend a System of Records

SUMMARY: The Office of the Secretary of Defense proposes to amend a system of records notice in its inventory of record systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended. The amendments are needed to update the current notice.

DATES: The amendment will be effective on November 3, 1997, unless comments are received that would result in a contrary determination.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to OSD Privacy Act Coordinator, Records Section, Directives and Records Division, Washington Headquarter Services, Correspondence and

Directives, 1155 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1155.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. David Bosworth at (703) 695-0970 or DSN 225-0970.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Office of the Secretary of Defense notices for systems of records subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, have been published in the **Federal Register** and are available from the address above.

The proposed amendments are not within the purview of subsection (r) of the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, which would require the submission of a new or altered system report for each system. The specific changes to the record system being amended are set forth below followed by the notice, as amended, published in its entirety.

Dated: September 29, 1997.

L. M. BYNUM,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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SYSTEM NAME:

Defense Medical Information System (DMIS) (January 30, 1996, 61 FR 3006).

CHANGES:

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SYSTEM LOCATION:

Replace Primary location with 'Primary location: Directorate of Information Management, Building 1422, Fort Detrick, MD 21702-5000 with region-specific information being kept at each Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Health Affairs) designated regional medical location. A complete listing of all regional addresses may be obtained from the system manager.'

CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

Delete entry and replace with 'Uniformed services medical beneficiaries enrolled in the Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS) who receive medical care at one or more of DoD's medical treatment facilities (MTFs), or one or more of the Uniformed Services Treatment Facilities (USTFs), or who have care provided under the Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Uniformed Services (CHAMPUS) or TRICARE programs.'

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

Delete entry and replace with 'Electronic files contain patient ID, date of birth, gender, sponsor status (active duty or retired), relationship to sponsor,