

focus on the determination of whether or not to proceed with the proposed Mars 2001 and 2003 missions.

A decision on the MSR mission will be deferred until after the completion of the NEPA process associated with the Tier II EIS. NASA plans to focus the Tier II EIS on the purpose and need for the proposed MSR mission, other alternatives (both for launch and sample return to Earth), and the potential environmental impacts associated with the mission, including those related to the return of a Martian soil sample to Earth. Another notice of intent to prepare an EIS and conduct scoping will be issued at the initiation of the NEPA process for the Tier II EIS.

Alternatives to be considered in the Tier I EIS include but are not limited to:

- Alternative launch vehicles
- Alternative mission configurations for the Mars 2001 and 2003 missions
- Alternative launch sites
- Alternative means to maintain a spacecraft, lander, and rover environment which will permit extended operation of equipment and instruments
- Other means to meet the purpose and need
- The “no action” alternative which defines the baseline conditions that would prevail in the absence of the Mars Surveyor Program

The Tier I EIS will consider the potential environmental impacts associated with the proposed Mars 2001 and 2003 missions, and to the extent that information is available, the proposed MSR mission. Preliminary thinking on potential environmental impacts indicates that the Tier I EIS should focus on those associated with both the normal launches of the spacecraft and accident situations.

Written public input and comments on environmental impacts and concerns associated with the Mars Surveyor Program are hereby solicited.

Jeffrey E. Sutton,

Acting Associate Administrator for Management Systems and Facilities.

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NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress; Meeting

AGENCY: National Archives and Records Administration.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the

National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) announces a meeting of the Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress. The committee advises NARA on the full range of programs, policies, and plans for the Center for Legislative Archives in the Office of Records Services.

DATES: April 29, 1998, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

ADDRESSES: United States Capitol Building, Room EF-100.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael L. Gillette, Director, Center for Legislative Archives, (202) 501-5350.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Agenda

L.C. Law Library/National Digital Library

Update—Legislative Information Systems

Report—Project 2000 Proposals—

Marking the 200th Anniversary of the Occupation of the US Capitol

Update—Center for Legislative Archives

Other current issues and new business

The meeting is open to the public.

Dated: March 27, 1998.

Mary Ann Hadyka,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities Arts and Artifacts Indemnity Panel Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463 as amended) notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Arts and Artifacts Indemnity Panel of the Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities will be held at 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20506, in Room 714, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., on Monday, May 4, 1998.

The purpose of the meeting is to review applications for Certificates of Indemnity submitted to the Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities for exhibitions beginning after July 1, 1998.

Because the proposed meeting will consider financial and commercial data and because it is important to keep values of objects, methods of transportation and security measures confidential, pursuant to the authority granted me by the Chairman's Delegation of Authority to Close Advisory Committee Meetings, dated

July 19, 1993, I have determined that the meeting would fall within exemptions (4) and (9) of 5 U.S.C. 552(b) and that it is essential to close the meeting to protect the free exchange of views and to avoid interference with the operations of the Committee.

It is suggested that those desiring more specific information contact the Advisory Committee Management Officer, Nancy E. Weiss, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20506, or call 202/606-8322.

Nancy E. Weiss,

Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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THE NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Meetings of Humanities Panel

AGENCY: The National Endowment for the Humanities.

ACTION: Notice of meetings.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, as amended), notice is hereby given that the following meetings of the Humanities Panel will be held at the Old Post Office, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nancy E. Weiss, Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Humanities, Washington, DC 20506; telephone (202) 606-8322. Hearing-impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Endowment's TDD terminal on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Endowment's TDD terminal on (202) 606-8282.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed meetings are for the purpose of panel review, discussion, evaluation and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the agency by the grant applicants. Because the proposed meetings will consider information that is likely to disclose trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential and/or information of a personal nature the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, pursuant to authority granted me by the Chairman's Delegation of Authority to

Close Advisory Committee meetings, dated July 19, 1993, I have determined that these meetings will be closed to the public pursuant to subsections (c) (4), and (6) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

1. *Date:* April 3, 1998.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Special Projects, submitted to the Division of Public Programs projects at the January 12, 1998 deadline.

2. *Date:* April 6, 1998.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Humanities Projects in Media, submitted to the Division of Public Programs, for projects at the January 12, 1998 deadline.

3. *Date:* April 7, 1998.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Humanities Projects in Media, submitted to the Division of Public Programs, for projects at the January 12, 1998 deadline.

4. *Date:* April 16–17, 1998.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Education Development and Demonstration in Schools for a New Millennium, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the April 1, 1998 deadline.

5. *Date:* April 20–21, 1998.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Education Development and Demonstration in Schools for a New Millennium, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the April 1, 1998 deadline.

6. *Date:* April 23, 1998.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Summer Seminars and Institutes for School Teachers in World Civilizations, submitted to the Division of Research and Education, for projects at the March 1, 1998 deadline.

7. *Date:* April 24, 1998.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Summer Seminars and Institutes for School Teachers in Modern European History and Culture submitted to the Division of Research and Education, for projects at the March 1, 1998 deadline.

8. *Date:* April 27–28, 1998.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Education Development and Demonstration in Schools for a New Millennium, submitted to the Division of Research and Education, for projects at the April 28, 1998 deadline.

9. *Date:* April 28, 1998.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Summer Seminars and Institutes for School Teachers in Classical, Medieval and Early Modern Studies, submitted to the Division of Research and Education, for projects at the March 1, 1998 deadline.

10. *Date:* April 29, 1998.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Summer Seminars and Institutes for School Teachers in American Studies, submitted to the Division of Research and Education, for projects at the March 1, 1998 deadline.

11. *Date:* April 30–May 1, 1998.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Education Development and Demonstration in Schools for a New Millennium, submitted to the Division of Research and Education, for projects at the April 1, 1998 deadline.

Nancy E. Weiss,

Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No: 030–17711, License No: 52–19438–01, EA 98–108]

In the Matter of NDT Services, Inc., Caguas, Puerto Rico; Order Suspending License (Effective Immediately)

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NDT Services, Inc. (Licensee or NDTs) is the holder of Material License No. 52–19438–01 (License) issued by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC or Commission) pursuant to 10 CFR Part 30. The License authorizes possession and use of up to 100 curies of Iridium 192 in each sealed radiography source and up to 20 curies of Cobalt 60 in each sealed radiography source for performing industrial radiography. The License was originally issued on August 21, 1980, was most recently amended on December 12,

1995, and is due to expire on January 31, 2002.

II

On August 6 and October 4, 1997, the NRC Region II staff performed inspections at the Licensee's facility and a temporary job site at the Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority's San Juan Power Station. The inspections determined that the Licensee had not conducted its activities in accordance with NRC requirements. On November 7, 1997, the NRC issued Inspection Report No. 52–19438–01/97–01 and Notice of Violation (Notice) citing the Licensee for five violations identified during the inspections. Briefly summarized, the violations involved the Licensee's: (1) use of a set of Operating and Emergency Procedures that were not evaluated or approved by the NRC; (2) certification of individuals as radiographers who had not received required training; (3) failure to conduct surveys or continuous monitoring where a source was being exposed; (4) failure of an assistant radiographer to recharge his pocket dosimeter at the beginning of his shift; based upon the inspector's observation and the assistant radiographer's statement to the inspector that he usually recharged his dosimeter when it reached a reading of about 50 millirem and that he was unaware of the requirement to recharge the dosimeter at the beginning of each shift; and (5) failure to provide hazardous materials transportation training to its employees. In an unsigned and undated written response, which was sent by facsimile to the NRC on December 5, 1997, the Licensee responded to the Notice. As a result of NRC questions concerning the Licensee's response, the Licensee submitted a second signed but undated response to the NRC, which was received by the NRC on March 17, 1998. In its second response, the Licensee did not contest four of the violations; however, with regard to the hazardous materials training violation, the Licensee disputed the violation.

On August 26, 1997, the NRC Office of Investigations (OI) initiated an investigation to determine whether the Licensee and any of its employees had willfully violated NRC requirements. In addition, on February 6, 1998, the NRC inspected the Licensee's activities at a temporary job site, Puerto Rico Power Authority's Costa Sur Power Station. The OI investigation of these matters is still ongoing. Nonetheless, based on the February 6, 1998 inspection and the OI evidence to date, the following violations, in addition to the violations