

Volunteer Program (RSVP), the Foster Grandparent Program (FGP) and the Senior Companion Program (SCP). Individuals learn about these opportunities through a variety of means, including public service announcements, posters, advertisements, and visits to the Corporation's website and websites of local projects. These media and others will be used to direct interested individuals to the JASON website at www.joinseniorservice.org.

When they use JASON, prospective volunteers have the opportunity to find senior service projects of interest to them in two ways.

Fast Match. By using the system's "Fast Match" feature, individuals can search for projects by selecting the senior service program(s) they are interested in and providing their ZIP code and the distance they are willing to travel. They also have the option to narrow their search by selecting one or more areas of service and/or entering one or more key words. They receive a listing of opportunities within the Senior Corps grantee network that match their service, distance, and/or other specifications and preferences.

Registration. Individual seniors can also register with the system. Registration allows individuals the option of expressing interest in volunteering with senior service projects of their choosing and of sending certain information about themselves to the volunteer recruiters of those projects.

To register, individuals enter the following four required data elements into a web-based form: (1) An e-mail address where they can be contacted that also serves as their unique User ID; (2) a password of their choosing that must be correctly entered before allowing access to information; their current age by pre-defined age ranges and categories; and (4) the age at which they began volunteering. Individuals are required to provide their age because different programs have different minimum age requirements. After registering, prospective volunteers have two options. They may immediately complete their registration and search for volunteer opportunities by clicking on a "Register and Log-In" button. This takes them to a screen where they can use the "Fast Match" feature. However, unlike an unregistered user of Fast Match, the registered user is offered the opportunity to express their interest in volunteering directly to specific projects by way of an e-mail message generated automatically by the system. Their second option is to use the system's "Custom Match" feature.

Custom Match. If, after registering, an individual wishes to do so, he or she may complete an optional interest profile through an on-line form. The form has six parts, each serving a different purpose, and includes: (a) The names of the senior service programs the individual is interested in, (b) the volunteer's service interests, (c) the geographic areas where he or she wishes to serve, (d) the volunteer's general interests and skill information, (e) demographic information, (f) descriptive information and comments, and (g) contact information.

Items under (a), (b), (c), and (d) are used by the system in "Custom Matches," where project information is matched to the individual's criteria. Demographic information under (e) is requested to help the Corporation understand the general aggregate profile of demographics of users, in particular, seniors using web-based tools. Descriptive information and comments provided in (f) are intended to allow a potential volunteer to tell the project's recruiter any additional information they wish to, as well as to provide the project and the Corporation with information on the effectiveness of various ways of advertising the website. Contact information in (g) is provided for the sole purpose of permitting the recruiter from projects to which the registrant has expressed interest to contact the individual about the particular volunteer opportunities they are interested in.

When prospective volunteers have finished filling out all or part of the profile, they save it and search for matching projects. When they use the "Custom Match" feature to identify opportunities and express interest in a volunteer opportunity, the e-mail message sent to the project will provide their e-mail address and whatever other contact information they have entered on the Volunteer Interest Profile form. It will also provide a link to their Volunteer Interest Profile so that the volunteer recruiters can view the information they have provided about themselves.

Current Action

The Corporation is seeking public comment pursuant to final approval of a web-based senior service recruitment system, called "Join Senior Service Now" (JASON), that will enable older Americans who are interested in volunteering to match their interests and talents with community homeland security and other critical community needs that have been identified by local National Senior Service Corps (Senior Corps) grant projects. This system was

deployed on April 3, 2002 under emergency approval procedures and can be accessed by the public at the following website: www.joinseniorservice.org.

Type of Review: New information collection.

Agency: Corporation for National and Community Service.

Title: National Senior Service Corps "Join Senior Service Now" (JASON).

OMB Number: 3045-0078.

Agency Number: None.

Affected Public: Prospective senior volunteers.

Total Respondents: 2,340,000.

Frequency: At the discretion of respondents.

Average Time Per Response: 0.25 hours for initial response; 0.7 hours for subsequent responses.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 413,400 hours.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): None.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): None

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection request; they will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: April 4, 2002.

Tess Scannell,

Director, National Senior Service Corps.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

The Joint Staff; National Defense University Board of Visitors Meeting

AGENCY: Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The President, National Defense University (NDU) has scheduled a meeting of the Board of Visitors (BOV).

DATES: The meeting will be held on April 25th and 26th 2002, from 11:00 to 17:00 on the 25th and continuing on the 26th from 08:30 to 11:30.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held in Room 155B, Okinawa Hall, building number, Joint Forces Staff College (JFSC), 7800 Hampton Boulevard, Norfolk, VA. 23511-1702.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: NDU Deputy Chief of Staff, National Defense University, Fort Lesley J. McNair, Washington, DC 20319-6200. To reserve space, interested persons

should contact the JFSC POC, Mr. Kenneth Fritz at (757) 443-6212.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The agenda will include present and future educational and research issues for the National Defense University and its components. The meeting is open to the public, but the limited space available for observers will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. POC: Michael Mann, BOV Executive Secretary, mannm@ndu.edu, (202) 685-3903.

Dated: April 3, 2002.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program, Scientific Advisory Board Meeting

AGENCY: Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92-463), announcement is made of the following Committee meeting:

DATES: June 11, 2002 from 0830 a.m. to 1710 p.m., and June 12, 2002 from 0830 a.m. to 1620 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Executive Conference Center, One Virginia Square, 3601 Wilson Blvd, Suite 600, Jefferson Room, Arlington, VA 22201.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Veronica Rice, SERDP Program Office, 901 North Stuart Street, Suite 303, Arlington, VA or by telephone at (703) 696-2119.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Matters To Be Considered

Research and Development proposals and continuing projects requesting Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program funds in excess of \$1M will be reviewed.

This meeting is open to the public. Any interested person may attend, appear before, or file statements with the Scientific Advisory Board at the time and in the manner permitted by the Board.

Dated: April 4, 2002.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Military Traffic Management Command; Change in Acquisition Policy—Satellite Motor Surveillance Service.

AGENCY: Department of the Army, DOD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On December 17, 2001 the Military Traffic Management Command (MTMC) published a notice in the **Federal Register** (66 FR 64961) concerning a proposal to incorporate any charges for Satellite Motor Surveillance Service (SNS) into the basic transportation rate for motor freight shipments. This proposal applied to the movement of arms, ammunition and explosives (AA&E) shipments. Interested parties were asked to submit comments on that proposal. As explained below, MTMC carefully and thoroughly reviewed industry comments and has determined that it is in the public interest to put this proposal into effect and has determined that this will protect the fiscal requirements of the Department of Defense (DOD).

DATES: Effective June 1, 2002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Frank Galluzzo, MTMC, (703) 428-2327.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following comments were received from industry in response to the **Federal Register** notice of December 17, 2001. Each comment is listed below along with a response.

(1) *Industry Comment:* A comment that is typical of others on this particular facet stated:

"Reference the United States District Court for the District of Columbia, Civil Case Number 93-2176NHJ, The Munitions Carriers Conference Inc. versus United States of America, et al: To wit, the Stipulation of Settlement and Dismissal subparagraph states, Defendants represent that the DOD current policy is that Satellite monitoring will be continued as a separate accessorial service for motor carriers and will neither be combined with other transportation protection services or folded into the linehaul rate. We trust the Commander MTMC will honor the commitment in this regard."

Response: This comment refers to a 1993 case in which it was agreed that the DOD "current policy" in 1993 was to continue the satellite monitoring charge as a separate service. However, this agreement contained several other provisions, one of which stated "Nothing in this Agreement shall

prevent or limit Department of Defense agencies or MTMC from making such policy, program or acquisition decisions as are required to protect the national defense, the public interest, or the fiscal and operational requirements of the Department of Defense as determined exclusively by those governmental agencies consistent with the law and policies applicable to DOD." The DOD has determined that continuance of satellite monitoring as a separate charge is not in the public interest, nor does it meet the fiscal and operational requirements of the DOD. We note, however, that costs for this service can still be included in the basic transportation rates charged by the carrier industry.

(2) *Industry Comment:* Without a distinctive accessorial service charge for SNS, the panic button and visibility of AA&E shipments will not be readily available, thus placing shipments at greater risk.

Response: This change will only affect the way in which the carrier is reimbursed for SNS services provided. The carrier is still contractually obligated to provide all services as stipulated in Item 47 of the Military Freight Traffic Rules Publication (MFTRP) 1B. Additionally, SNS can still be requested by the shipping installation and annotated appropriately on the Bill of Lading. This change has no bearing on the safety or security currently provided AA&E shipments.

(3) *Industry Comment:* SNS application to multiple shipments on a trailer should cease with the advent of the closing of ammunition terminals and more direct shipments versus dromedary trains.

Response: Current rules do not overly restrict a carrier from consolidating AA&E shipments and moving multiple shipments in units commonly called dromedary trains. MTMC rules do restrict the method and location that consolidation may occur.

(4) *Industry Comment:* There are no means to convert accessorial charges into "line haul rate" charges on dromedary train shipments (distance-based versus weight-based rate applications).

Response: Carriers may wish to consider the use of the "DZ" rate qualifier in order to express a mileage-based rate for dromedary shipments. Information on the "DZ" rate qualifier, as contained in the MTMC tender instructions (MSTIP 364-C), allows the carrier to submit a dromedary rate based upon a per-hundredweight per-mile charge.

(5) *Industry Comment:* This will result in unfair competition between rail and