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Dated: April 29, 2002.

John D. Tressler,

*Leader, Regulatory Information Management,
Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education

Type of Review: New.

Title: State Progress Report—School Renovation, IDEA, and Technology Grants Program.

Frequency: Annually.

Affected Public: State, Local, or Tribal Gov't, SEAs or LEAs.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 56.

Burden Hours: 112.

Abstract: ED will use the information collected from States and Outlying areas to report to Congress on the progress of the School Renovation Program in achieving the legislative goals of improving school facilities and ensuring the health and safety of students and staff.

Requests for copies of the submission for OMB review; comment request may be accessed from <http://edicsweb.ed.gov>, by selecting the "Browse Pending Collections" link and by clicking on link number 1919. When you access the information collection, click on "Download Attachments" to view. Written requests for information should be addressed to Vivian Reese, Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 4050, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651 or to the e-mail address vivan.reese@ed.gov. Requests may also be electronically mailed to the internet address OCIO_RIMG@ed.gov or faxed to 202-708-9346. Please specify the

complete title of the information collection when making your request.

Comments regarding burden and/or the collection activity requirements should be directed to Kathy Axt at her internet address Kathy.Axt@ed.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

National Energy Technology Laboratory; Notice of Availability of a Financial Assistance Solicitation

AGENCY: National Energy Technology Laboratory, Department of Energy (DOE).

ACTION: Notice of availability of a Financial Assistance Solicitation.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the intent to issue Financial Assistance Solicitation No. DE-PS26-02NT41432, entitled "FY2002 Joint Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) and Office of Fossil Energy (FE) Science Initiative." The major goal of the Science Initiative is to advance research and development (R&D) of energy technologies by exploring and exploiting synergies among different research fields, technologies, investigator communities, and end-use applications. This cross-cutting approach seeks to widen the Department's R&D activities between energy efficient technologies and clean energy. This approach seeks to expand and formalize existing cooperation between EERE and FE.

DATES: The solicitation will be available on the "Industry Interactive Procurement System" (IIPS) webpage located at <http://e-center.doe.gov> on or about May 15, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Applicants can obtain access to the solicitation from IIPS address provided above or through DOE/NETL's website at <http://www.netl.doe.gov/business>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: D. Denise Riggi, MS I07, U.S. Department of Energy, National Energy Technology Laboratory, P.O. Box 880, 3610 Collins Ferry Road, Morgantown, WV 26507-0880. E-mail Address: driggi@netl.doe.gov. Telephone Number: (304) 285-4241.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Science Initiative is intended to focus

funding and effort on "bridge" R&D that falls between exploratory research, traditionally the province of university researchers, and pre-commercial applied R&D, where private sector firms and research institutions normally devote their efforts. Often this middle ground of research—crucial to identifying and proving the feasibility of multiple potential applications of a given fundamental scientific discovery—does not receive sufficient emphasis. For example, there are situations where an existing technology has obvious potential for significant performance and design gains, "if only" an identified hurdle can be overcome by a breakthrough in the application of the science underlying the technology. The primary objective of this solicitation is to pursue "bridge" research and development (R&D), of interest to EERE and FE, with ultimate applications that will promote energy efficiency and clean energy. This category of R&D occupies the spectrum between exploratory science and pre-commercial applied R&D. There are four general areas of interest (1) Materials Sciences; (2) Fuels and Chemical Sciences; (3) Sensors and Controls Sciences, and (4) Energy Conversion Sciences. Once released, the solicitation will be available for downloading from the IIPS Internet page. At this Internet site you will also be able to register with IIPS, enabling you to submit an application. If you need technical assistance in registering or for any other IIPS function, call the IIPS Help Desk at (800) 683-0751 or E-mail the Help Desk personnel at IIPS_HelpDesk@e-center.doe.gov. The solicitation will only be made available in IIPS, no hard (paper) copies of the solicitation and related documents will be made available.

Prospective applicants who would like to be notified as soon as the solicitation is available should subscribe to the Business Alert Mailing List at <http://www.netl.doe.gov/business>. Once you subscribe, you will receive an announcement by E-mail that the solicitation has been released to the public. Telephone requests, written requests, E-mail requests, or facsimile requests for a copy of the solicitation package will not be accepted and/or honored. Applications must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions and forms contained in the solicitation. The actual solicitation document will allow for requests for explanation and/or interpretation.

Issued in Morgantown, WV on April 24, 2002.

Dale A. Siciliano,

Deputy Director, Acquisition and Assistance Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Paducah

AGENCY: Department of Energy (DOE).

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Paducah. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

DATES: Thursday, May 16, 2002, 5:30 p.m.–9 p.m.

ADDRESSES: 111 Memorial Drive, Barkley Centre, Paducah, Kentucky

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: W. Don Seaborg, Deputy Designated Federal Officer, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001, (270) 441-6806.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration and waste management activities.

Tentative Agenda

5:30 p.m.

Informal Discussion

6 p.m.

Call to Order, Introductions; Approve March Minutes; Review Agenda

6:10 p.m.

DDFO's Comments

- Action Items
- Budget Update
- EM Project Updates
- CAB Recommendation Status
- Other

6:30 p.m.

Ex-officio Comments

6:40 p.m.

Public Comments and Questions

6:50 p.m.

Review of Action Items

7:05 p.m.

Break

7:15 p.m.

- Task Force and Subcommittee Reports
 - Groundwater/Surface Water Operable Unit
 - Waste Operations Task Force
 - Long Range Strategy/Stewardship

- Community Concerns

- Public Involvement/Membership

8 p.m.

Administrative Issues

- Review of Workplan

- Review of Next Agenda

- Federal Coordinator Comments

8:15 p.m.

Adjourn

Copies of the final agenda will be available at the meeting.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Pat J. Halsey at the address or by telephone at 1-800-382-6938, #5. Requests must be received five days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided at maximum of five minutes to present their comments as the first item of the meeting agenda.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday–Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available at the Department of Energy's Environmental Information Center and Reading Room at 115 Memorial Drive, Barkley Centre, Paducah, Kentucky between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Monday thru Friday or by writing to Pat J. Halsey, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001 or by calling her at 1-800-382-6938, #5.

Issued at Washington, DC on April 24, 2002.

Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-147-000]

ANR Pipeline Company; Notice To Convene Meeting

April 26, 2002.

On January 18, 2002, ANR Pipeline Company filed revised tariff sheets that limits the liability of ANR and its shippers to actual damages in certain circumstances. On February 28, 2002, the Commission accepted and suspended the tariff sheet to be effective on or earlier of August 1, 2002, or a date specified in a further order of the Commission, subject to refund and conditions. The Commission's Dispute Resolution Service (DRS) convened a meeting of the parties on March 13, 2002 regarding the proposed tariff sheet. The DRS conducted a second session on April 23, 2002.

The DRS is scheduling a third session on May 2, 2002, commencing at 10:00 a.m., in Room 3M-3 at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC. At this session, the parties will attempt to achieve resolution on appropriate tariff language in the above-captioned docket through assisted negotiation. If a party has any questions, please call Deborah Osborne at (202) 208-0831.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER02-1626-000]

Arizona Public Service Company; Notice of Filing

April 26, 2002.

Take notice that on April 23, 2002, Arizona Public Service Company (APS) tendered for filing revisions to its Open Access Transmission Tariff (OATT) in order to conform with the changes made by the Arizona Independent Scheduling Administrator Association (AISA) in FERC Docket No. ER02-348-000. APS requests an effective date of December 15, 2001.

A copy of this filing has been served on the AISA, the Arizona Corporation Commission and all parties listed on the Service List.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing should file with the