

other legal issues affecting the Council (CLOSED SESSION).

From 1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m., the Council will hear a report from the Information and Education Committee.

From 1:45 p.m. – 2:15 p.m., the Council will receive a report on NOAA Fisheries' Marine Recreational Fisheries Statistics Survey.

From 2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m., the Council will hear status reports from NOAA Fisheries.

From 2:45 p.m. – 3 p.m., the Council will hear agency and liaison reports, discuss other business and upcoming meetings.

Documents regarding these issues are available from the Council office (see **ADDRESSES**).

Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this Council for discussion, those issues may not be the subjects of formal Council action during this meeting. Council action will be restricted to those issues specifically listed in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305 (c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, provided the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency.

Except for advertised (scheduled) public hearings and public comment, the times and sequence specified on this agenda are subject to change.

Special Accommodations

These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to the Council office (see **ADDRESSES**) by September 17, 2004.

Dated: August 31, 2004.

Bruce C. Morehead,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Patent and Trademark Office

[Docket No. 2004–C–042]

Public Advisory Committees

AGENCY: Patent and Trademark Office.

ACTION: Notice and request for nominations; extension for submission of nominations.

SUMMARY: On August 2, 2004, the United States Patent and Trademark Office issued a "Notice and Request for Nominations," for its Patent and

Trademark Public Advisory Committees. This Notice was published in the **Federal Register** at 69 FR 46136. The Notice requested nominations for three (3) members to each Public Advisory Committee for terms that begin November 27, 2004. The Notice further advised that nominations must be postmarked or electronically transmitted on or before September 3, 2004. This notice extends the submission deadline to September 17, 2004.

DATES: Nominations must be postmarked or electronically transmitted on or before September 17, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to submit nominations should send the nominee's resumé to Chief of Staff, Office of the Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the USPTO, Post Office Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia, 22313–1450; by electronic mail to:

PPACnominations@uspto.gov for the Patent Public Advisory Committee or *TPACnominations@uspto.gov* for the Trademark Patent Public Advisory Committee; by facsimile transmission marked to the Chief of Staff's attention at (703) 305–8664; or by mail marked to the Chief of Staff's attention and addressed to the Office of the Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the USPTO, Post Office Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia, 22313–1450.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Chief of Staff by facsimile transmission marked to her attention at (703) 305–8664, or by mail marked to her attention and addressed to the Office of the Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the USPTO, Post Office Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia, 22313–1450.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Background concerning the nominations may be found at 69 FR 46136.

Procedures for Submitting Nominations

Submit resúmes for nomination for the Patent Public Advisory Committee and the Trademark Public Advisory Committee to: Chief of Staff to the Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, utilizing the addresses provided above.

Dated: August 30, 2004.

Stephen M. Pinkos,

Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program, Scientific Advisory Board

AGENCY: Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice.

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

DATES: October 13, 2004 from 8 a.m. to 5:15 p.m. and October 14, 2004 from 8 a.m. to 4:10 p.m.

ADDRESSES: SERDP Program Office, 901 North Stuart Street, Suite 804, Arlington, VA 22203.

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: August 30, 2004.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Revised Non-Foreign Overseas Per Diem Rates

AGENCY: Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee, DoD.

ACTION: Notice of Revised Non-Foreign Overseas Per Diem Rates.

SUMMARY: The Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee is publishing Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletin Number 235. This bulletin lists revisions in the per diem rates prescribed for U.S. Government employees for official travel in Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands and Possessions of the United States. AEA changes announced in Bulletin Number 194 remain in effect.

Bulletin Number 235 is being published in the **Federal Register** to assure that travelers are paid per diem at the most current rates.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2004.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This document gives notice of revisions in per diem rates prescribed by the Per Diem Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee for non-foreign areas outside the continental United States. It supersedes Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletin Number 234.

Distribution of Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletins by mail was discontinued. Per Diem Bulletins published periodically in the **Federal Register** now constitute the only notification of revisions in per diem rates to agencies and establishments outside the Department of Defense. For more information or questions about per diem rates, please contact your local travel office. The text of the Bulletin follows:

BILLING CODE 5001-06-M

Maximum Per Diem Rates for official travel in Alaska, Hawaii, the Commonwealths of Puerto Rico and the Northern Mariana Islands and Possessions of the United States by Federal Government civilian employees.

LOCALITY	MAXIMUM	+	M&IE	=	MAXIMUM	EFFECTIVE
	LODGING		RATE		PER DIEM	
	AMOUNT				RATE	
	(A)		(B)		(C)	
THE ONLY CHANGES IN CIVILIAN BULLETIN 235 ARE UPDATES TO THE RATES FOR GUAM AND NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS.						
ALASKA						
ADAK	120		79		199	07/01/2003
ANCHORAGE [INCL NAV RES]						
05/01 - 09/15	170		89		259	06/01/2004
09/16 - 04/30	95		81		176	06/01/2004
BARROW	159		95		254	05/01/2002
BETHEL	119		77		196	06/01/2004
CLEAR AB	80		55		135	09/01/2001
COLD BAY	90		73		163	05/01/2002
COLDFOOT	135		71		206	10/01/1999
COPPER CENTER						
05/16 - 09/15	109		63		172	07/01/2003
09/16 - 05/15	99		63		162	07/01/2003
CORDOVA	110		75		185	06/01/2004
CRAIG	100		68		168	06/01/2004
DEADHORSE	95		67		162	05/01/2002
DELTA JUNCTION	89		75		164	06/01/2004
DENALI NATIONAL PARK						
06/01 - 08/31	114		65		179	06/01/2004
09/01 - 05/31	80		61		141	06/01/2004
DILLINGHAM	114		69		183	06/01/2004
DUTCH HARBOR-UNALASKA	119		72		191	06/01/2004
EARECKSON AIR STATION	80		55		135	09/01/2001
EIELSON AFB						
05/01 - 09/15	159		88		247	06/01/2004
09/16 - 04/30	75		79		154	06/01/2004
ELMENDORF AFB						
05/01 - 09/15	170		89		259	06/01/2004
09/16 - 04/30	95		81		176	06/01/2004
FAIRBANKS						
05/01 - 09/15	159		88		247	06/01/2004
09/16 - 04/30	75		79		154	06/01/2004
FOOTLOOSE	175		18		193	06/01/2002
FT. GREELY	89		75		164	06/01/2004
FT. RICHARDSON						
05/01 - 09/15	170		89		259	06/01/2004
09/16 - 04/30	95		81		176	06/01/2004
FT. WAINWRIGHT						
05/01 - 09/15	159		88		247	06/01/2004
09/16 - 04/30	75		79		154	06/01/2004
GLENNALLEN						
05/01 - 09/30	137		75		212	06/01/2004
10/01 - 04/30	89		70		159	06/01/2004
HEALY						
06/01 - 08/31	114		65		179	06/01/2004
09/01 - 05/31	80		61		141	06/01/2004
HOMER						

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	AMOUNT (A)	+		=	RATE (C)	
	05/15 - 09/15	145	77	222	06/01/2004	
	09/16 - 05/14	99	72	171	06/01/2004	
JUNEAU		120	84	204	06/01/2004	
KAKTOVIK		165	86	251	05/01/2002	
KAVIK CAMP		150	69	219	05/01/2002	
KENAI-SOLDOTNA						
	04/01 - 10/31	110	83	193	04/01/2003	
	11/01 - 03/31	69	75	144	04/01/2003	
KENNICOTT		179	83	262	06/01/2004	
KETCHIKAN						
	05/01 - 09/30	113	80	193	06/01/2004	
	10/01 - 04/30	98	78	176	06/01/2004	
KING SALMON						
	05/01 - 10/01	225	91	316	05/01/2002	
	10/02 - 04/30	125	81	206	05/01/2002	
KLAWOCK		100	68	168	06/01/2004	
KODIAK		99	81	180	06/01/2004	
KOTZEBUE						
	05/01 - 08/31	141	86	227	06/01/2004	
	09/01 - 04/30	125	85	210	06/01/2004	
KULIS AGS						
	05/01 - 09/15	170	89	259	06/01/2004	
	09/16 - 04/30	95	81	176	06/01/2004	
MCCARTHY		179	83	262	06/01/2004	
METLAKATLA						
	05/30 - 10/01	98	48	146	05/01/2002	
	10/02 - 05/29	78	47	125	05/01/2002	
MURPHY DOME						
	05/01 - 09/15	159	88	247	06/01/2004	
	09/16 - 04/30	75	79	154	06/01/2004	
NOME		120	89	209	06/01/2004	
NUIQSUT		180	53	233	05/01/2002	
PETERSBURG		90	64	154	06/01/2004	
POINT HOPE		130	70	200	03/01/1999	
POINT LAY		105	67	172	03/01/1999	
PORT ALSWORTH		135	88	223	05/01/2002	
PRUDHOE BAY		95	67	162	05/01/2002	
SEWARD						
	05/01 - 09/30	145	82	227	06/01/2004	
	10/01 - 04/30	89	72	161	06/01/2004	
SITKA-MT. EDGE CUMBE						
	05/01 - 09/30	119	74	193	06/01/2004	
	10/01 - 04/30	99	72	171	06/01/2004	
SKAGWAY						
	05/01 - 09/30	113	80	193	06/01/2004	
	10/01 - 04/30	98	78	176	06/01/2004	
SPRUCE CAPE		99	81	180	06/01/2004	
ST. GEORGE		129	55	184	06/01/2004	
TALKEETNA		100	89	189	07/01/2002	
TANANA		120	89	209	06/01/2004	

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	(A)	(B)		(C)					
TOGIAK	100			39			139	07/01/2002	
TOK									
05/01 - 09/30	90			66			156	06/01/2004	
10/01 - 04/30	60			63			123	06/01/2004	
UMIAT	150			98			248	04/01/2003	
UNALAKLEET	79			80			159	04/01/2003	
VALDEZ									
05/01 - 10/01	129			77			206	06/01/2004	
10/02 - 04/30	79			72			151	06/01/2004	
WASILLA									
05/01 - 09/30	134			82			216	06/01/2004	
10/01 - 04/30	80			77			157	06/01/2004	
WRANGELL									
05/01 - 09/30	113			80			193	06/01/2004	
10/01 - 04/30	98			78			176	06/01/2004	
YAKUTAT	110			68			178	03/01/1999	
[OTHER]	80			55			135	09/01/2001	
AMERICAN SAMOA									
AMERICAN SAMOA	135			67			202	06/01/2004	
GUAM									
GUAM (INCL ALL MIL INSTAL)	135			89			224	09/01/2004	
HAWAII									
CAMP H M SMITH	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
EASTPAC NAVAL COMP TELE AREA	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
FT. DERUSSEY	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
FT. SHAFTER	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
HICKAM AFB	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
HONOLULU (INCL NAV & MC RES CTR)	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
ISLE OF HAWAII: HILO	100			80			180	06/01/2003	
ISLE OF HAWAII: OTHER	150			79			229	06/01/2003	
ISLE OF KAUAI	158			93			251	06/01/2004	
ISLE OF MAUI	159			95			254	06/01/2004	
ISLE OF OAHU	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
KEKAHA PACIFIC MISSILE RANGE FAC	158			93			251	06/01/2004	
KILAUEA MILITARY CAMP	100			80			180	06/01/2003	
LANAI	400			148			548	06/01/2004	
LUALUALEI NAVAL MAGAZINE	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
MCB HAWAII	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
MOLOKAI	93			91			184	06/01/2004	
NAS BARBERS POINT	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
PEARL HARBOR [INCL ALL MILITARY]	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
SCHOFIELD BARRACKS	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
WHEELER ARMY AIRFIELD	129			91			220	06/01/2004	
[OTHER]	72			61			133	01/01/2000	
JOHNSTON ATOLL									
JOHNSTON ATOLL	0			14			14	05/01/2002	
MIDWAY ISLANDS									
MIDWAY ISLANDS [INCL ALL MILITAR	150			47			197	02/01/2000	
NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS									
ROTA	129			90			219	09/01/2004	

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	AMOUNT (A)	+		=	RATE (C)	
SAIPAN	121		92		213	09/01/2004
TINIAN	85		70		155	09/01/2004
[OTHER]	55		72		127	04/01/2000
PUERTO RICO						
BAYAMON						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
CAROLINA						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
FAJARDO [INCL CEIBA & LUQUILLO]	82		54		136	01/01/2000
FT. BUCHANAN [INCL GSA SVC CTR,						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
HUMACAO	82		54		136	01/01/2000
LUIS MUNOZ MARIN IAP AGS						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
MAYAGUEZ	85		59		144	01/01/2000
PONCE	96		69		165	01/01/2000
ROOSEVELT RDS & NAV STA	82		54		136	01/01/2000
SABANA SECA [INCL ALL MILITARY]						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
SAN JUAN & NAV RES STA						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
[OTHER]	62		57		119	01/01/2000
VIRGIN ISLANDS (U.S.)						
ST. CROIX						
04/15 - 12/14	98		83		181	08/01/2003
12/15 - 04/14	135		87		222	08/01/2003
ST. JOHN						
04/15 - 12/14	110		91		201	08/01/2003
12/15 - 04/14	185		98		283	08/01/2003
ST. THOMAS						
04/15 - 12/14	163		95		258	08/01/2003
12/15 - 04/14	220		99		319	08/01/2003
WAKE ISLAND						
WAKE ISLAND	60		32		92	09/01/1998


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