

If any funds remain after purchase of licenses from the 1995 program applicants, 1996 program applications would be accepted as provided for in this section from persons who are eligible to participate, starting with the lowest offer. The WDFW would purchase licenses until the remaining funds are insufficient for the entire next offer amount.

Option 4—This option is modeled conceptually on NMFS's Fishing Capacity Reduction Demonstration Program (FCRDP) for Northeast groundfish vessels, published in the Federal Register, June 22, 1995 (60 FR 32504). Under the FCRDP, NMFS bought out both vessels and licenses, and bids were ranked by taking into consideration vessel performance. Under Option 4, WDFW would continue to buy out only licenses, but would establish a ranking system similar to that of the FCRDP. Bids would be ranked by license score, and the license score would be determined by dividing the bid by the applicant's uninsured loss, since the calculation of uninsured loss reflects vessel performance.

Using the same limitations employed in the 1995 NEAP buy out program, the applicant would submit a bid that can range from \$1.00 up to the maximum amount that the applicant can bid. The maximum amount that an applicant can bid is 2.25 times the difference between the highest gross income derived from salmon fishing during any calendar year 1986 through 1991 (which becomes the applicant's "base year"), and the least amount of gross income derived from salmon fishing activities during any calendar year from 1992 through 1994 (which becomes the applicant's "comparison year"). No bid can exceed \$100,000 minus any Federal unemployment or NEAP related income already received.

Using the definition of uninsured loss as defined by this notice, the applicant would also submit the amount of uninsured loss suffered as a result of the fishery disaster. Uninsured loss is 5 times the difference between the highest gross income derived from salmon fishing during any calendar year 1986 through 1991 (base year), and the least amount of gross income derived from salmon fishing activities during any calendar year from 1991 through 1995 (comparison year). The comparison year must be less than the base year. The applicant's bid amount would then be divided by the applicant's uninsured loss to determine the applicant's license score. The scores of all the applicants would be ranked from low to high with the lowest scores being purchased first.

Provided below are three examples of this scoring process:

Example 1

Step A. Applicant A submits a bid for \$18,500.

Step B. Applicant A has an uninsured loss of \$29,670.

Step C. The score for Applicant A is .6235 (\$18,500 divided by \$29,670).

Example 2

Applicant B submits the same bid as Applicant A (\$18,500). However, the uninsured loss for Applicant B is \$42,680.

Step A. Applicant B submits a bid for \$18,500.

Step B. Applicant B has an uninsured loss of \$42,680.

Step C. The score for Applicant B is .4335 (\$18,500 divided by \$42,680).

Example 3

Applicant C submits a bid for \$35,000. Applicant C's uninsured loss is \$81,860.

Step A. Applicant C submits a bid for \$35,000.

Step B. Applicant C has an uninsured loss of \$81,860.

Step C. The score for Applicant C is .4276 (\$35,000 divided by \$81,860).

Even though Applicant C's bid is higher than that of Applicants A and B, Applicant C's score is lower because of the greater uninsured loss. Consequently, Applicant C would be selected over Applicants A or B, and Applicant B would be selected before Applicant A. In the instances where a choice must be made between two or more equally scored bids, applicants with the lowest bid (Step A) will be given preference.

Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance

The NEAP is listed in the "Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance" under No.11.452, Unallied Industry Projects.

Classification

This action has been determined to be not significant for purposes of E.O. 12866.

Some of the activities mentioned in this notice are subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA). They have been approved by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) under control number 0648-0288.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no person is required to respond to, nor shall a person be subject to, a penalty for failure to comply with a collection of information subject to the requirements of the PRA unless that collection of information displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Dated: April 17, 1996.

Gary Matlock,

Program Management Officer, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Agricultural Advisory Committee Meeting

This is to give notice, pursuant to Section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 2, Section 10(a) and 41 CFR 101-6.1015(b), that the Commodity Futures Trading Commission's Agricultural Advisory Committee will conduct a public meeting on May 8, 1996 from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the first floor hearing room of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (Room 1000), Three Lafayette Centre, 1155 21st Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20581. The agenda will consist of:

Agenda

- I. Opening Remarks by Acting Chairman John E. Tull;
- II. Report from Dr. Wayne Purcell, of Virginia Tech, on "Needed Changes in Tax Treatment of Cattle Feeders' Activities in Cattle Futures;"
- III. Report on the FAIR Act Provisions for a USDA Office of Risk Management;
- IV. Report from the CBOT Regular Grain Storage Capacity Task Force;
- V. Report from the National Grain and Feed Association's Risk Evaluation Task Force;
- VI. Presentation by CBOT on the Project A Trading System;
- VII. Update on the CFTC-DEA Staff White Paper on the Agricultural Trade Option Prohibition;
- VIII. Report on the CME Proposal to Increase the Spot Month Speculative Position Limit on the Live Cattle Contract;
- IX. Other Committee Business;
- X. Closing Remarks by Commissioner Joseph Dial.

The purpose of this meeting is to solicit the views of the Committee on the above-listed agenda matters. The Advisory Committee was created by the Commodity Futures Trading Commission for the purpose of receiving advice and recommendations on agricultural issues. The purposes and objectives of the Advisory Committee are more fully set forth in the sixth renewal charter of the Advisory Committee.

The meeting is open to the public. The Chairman of the Advisory Committee, Commissioner Joseph B. Dial, is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will, in his

judgment, facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Any member of the public who wishes to file a written statement with the Advisory Committee should mail a copy of the statement to the attention of: the Commodity Futures Trading Commission Agricultural Advisory Committee c/o Kimberly Harter, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Three Lafayette Centre, 1155 21st Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20581, before the meeting. Members of the public who wish to make oral statements should also inform Ms. Harter in writing at the foregoing address at least three business days before the meeting. Reasonable provision will be made, if time permits, for an oral presentation of no more than five minutes each in duration.

Issued by the Commission in Washington, D.C. on April 17, 1996.

Jean A. Webb,

Secretary of the Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Low-Level Radioactive Waste Program, Idaho Operations Office; Notice of Intent

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) Office of Environmental Management through the Idaho Operations Office and pursuant to 10 CFR 600.6(c), intends to negotiate and award on a noncompetitive basis, a renewal of Grant No. DE-FG07-90ID13039 to the state of Washington's Department of Ecology (Washington) on behalf of the Low-Level Radioactive Waste Forum (Forum). The total estimated cost of the three year 100% DOE funded renewal award is \$1,972,002 or \$657,334 per year. The technical assistance proposed is the result of an unsolicited request from Washington for continued support of the Forum in maintaining an independent self-directed organization to promote an effective and efficient national system for the management and disposal of commercially generated low-level radioactive waste.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dallas L. Hoffer, Contract Specialist, (208) 526-0014; U.S. Department of Energy, Idaho Operations Office, 850 Energy Drive, Mail Stop 1221, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401-1563.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The anticipated award is justified in accordance with 10 CFR 600.6(c), as follows: The activity to be funded is necessary to the satisfactory completion

of an activity (a) that is presently being funded by DOE and (b) for which competition for support would have a significant adverse effect on continuity or completion of the activity.

The Statutory Authority for the renewal award can be found in Section 7(a) of the Low-Level Radioactive Waste Policy Amendments Act of 1985 (Pub. L. 99-240). In the Act, Congress has directed DOE to provide continuing technical assistance to states and compact commissions.

Procurement Request Number: 07-96ID13420.000.

Dated: April 10, 1996.

R. Jeffrey Hoyles,

Director, Procurement Services Division.

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Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Idaho National Engineering Laboratory

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Idaho National Engineering Laboratory (INEL)

DATES:

Site Tour: Monday, May 20, 1996 from 7:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Mountain Savings Time (MST)

Meeting: Tuesday, May 21, 1996 from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. MST. There will be a public comment availability session Tuesday, May 21, 1996 from 5:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. MST.

ADDRESSES: Holiday Inn Westbank, 475 Park Way, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Idaho National Engineering Laboratory Information 1-800-708-2680 or Marsha Hardy, Jason Associates Corporation Staff Support 1-208-522-1662.

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, waste management, and related activities.

Meeting Purpose

The EM SSAB, INEL will tour the Naval Reactors Facility, Radioactive Waste Management Complex, and some archeological sites at INEL. The Board

meeting features consensus training, a panel discussion on Health Effects issues, and presentations on informational topics including Integration of Federal Regulations and the Federal Facilities Compliance Act/Site Treatment Plan. Study issues for future recommendations include the Alternative Disposal Sites for Low-Level Waste and the INEL Spent Nuclear Fuel Strategic Plan.

Tentative Agenda

Tuesday, May 21, 1996

7:30 a.m.—*Sign-in and Registration*

8:00 a.m.—*Miscellaneous Business:*

Old Business

- Jerry Bowman—Deputy Designated Federal Official Report
- Chuck Rice (acting)—Chair Report

Standing Committee Reports

- Member Selection Committee—Dean Mahoney (chair), Chuck Rice, E.J. Smith

Member Reports

9:00 a.m.—*Health Effects Panel*

Discussion (speakers to be announced)

10:15 a.m.—Break

10:30 a.m.—*Health Effects Panel*

Discussion (continued)

12:00 p.m.—Lunch

1:00 p.m.—*Consensus Training*

- Peter Woodrow, CDR Associates

2:30 p.m.—Break

2:45 p.m.—*Consensus Training*

(continued)

5:00 p.m.—*Public Comment Availability*

6:00 p.m.—Adjourn

Wednesday, May 22, 1996

7:30 a.m.—*Sign-in and Registration*

8:00 a.m.—*Miscellaneous Business*

8:45 a.m.—*Alternate Disposal Sites for Low-Level Waste*

- Committee members—Terry Perez, Chuck Rice, Clarence Bellem; Speaker to be announced; Presentation and Discussion

10:30 a.m.—Break

10:45 a.m.—*DOE Presentation: Integration of Regulations*

- Speaker to be announced; Presentation and Discussion

12:00 p.m.—Lunch

1:00 p.m.—*INEL Spent Nuclear Fuel Strategic Plan*

- Committee members—Ben Collins, Clarence Bellem, E.J. Smith; Speaker to be announced; Presentation and Discussion

3:00 p.m.—Break

3:15 p.m.—*Federal Facilities*

Compliance Act/Site Treatment Plan Update