

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences****Sunshine Act Meeting****AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:**

Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences.

TIME AND DATE: 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., October 26, 1998.

PLACE: Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Board of Regents Conference Room (D3001), 4301 Jones Bridge Road, Bethesda, MD 20814-4799.

STATUS: Open—under “Government in the Sunshine Act” (5 U.S.C. 552b(e)(3)).

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**8:30 a.m. Meeting—Board of Regents**

- (1) Approval of Minutes—August 3, 1998
- (2) Faculty Matters
- (3) Departmental Reports
- (4) Financial Report
- (5) Report—President, USUHS
- (6) Report—Dean, School of Medicine
- (7) Report—Dean, Graduate School of Nursing
- (8) Comments—Chairman, Board of Regents
- (9) New Business

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Mr. Bobby D. Anderson, Executive Secretary of the Board of Regents, (301) 295-3116.

Dated: October 8, 1998.

Linda Bynum,

*OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer,
Department of Defense.*

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences****Sunshine Act Meeting****AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:**

Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences.

TIME AND DATE: 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Sunday, October 25, 1998.

PLACE: Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Board of Regents Conference Room (D3001), 4301 Jones Bridge Road, Bethesda, MD 20814-4799.

STATUS: Open—under “Government in the Sunshine Act” (5 U.S.C. 552b(e)(3)).

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**9:30 a.m. Meeting—Board of Regents**

- 9:30—Year 2000 Computer Issues
10:30—Strategic Planning

2:30—Group I & Group II Meeting

3:30—Executive Committee

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Mr. Bobby D. Anderson, Executive Secretary of the Board of Regents, (301) 295-3116.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**Office of Postsecondary Education; Revision of the Need Analysis Methodology for the 1999-2000 Award Year; Correction**

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice of revision of the Need Analysis Methodology for the 1999-2000 Award Year—Correction.

On June 1, 1998, the Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education published in the **Federal Register** (63 FR 29894-29897) a notice of revision of the need analysis methodology for the 1999-2000 award year. This notice corrects the June 1 document as follows:

On page 29895, item 3 is corrected as follows—

(1) In the table titled “Independent Students With Dependents Other Than a Spouse—continued”, line 12, column 3, 26,600 is corrected to read 25,600.

(2) In the table titled “Independent Students with Dependents Other Than a Spouse—continued”, line 23, column 3, 33,200 is corrected to read 33,100.

(3) In the table titled “Independent Students with Dependents Other Than a Spouse—continued”, column 1 is corrected by inserting the number 58 between lines 57 and 59.

(4) In the table titled “Independent Students with Dependents Other Than a Spouse—continued”, column 2 is corrected by inserting the number 60,700 between 58,900 and 62,500.

(5) In the table titled “Independent Students with Dependents Other Than a Spouse—continued”, column 3 is corrected by inserting the number 36,500 between 35,700 and 37,600.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Edith Bell, Program Specialist, General Provisions Branch, Policy Development Division, U.S. Department of Education, 600 Independence Ave., SW (Room 3053, Rob-3), Washington, D.C. 20202, telephone (202) 708-8242. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information

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(CFDA Nos.: 84.063 Federal Pell Grant; 84.038 Federal Perkins Loan; 84.033 Federal Work-Study; 84.007 Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant; 84.032 Federal Family Education Loan; and 84.268 William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Programs).

Dated: September 11, 1998.

David A. Longanecker,

Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**Privacy Act of 1974; Computer Matching Program**

AGENCY: Office of Postsecondary Education, Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice—Computer Matching Between the Department of Education and the Department of Veterans Affairs.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988, Pub. L. 100-503, and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Final Guidelines on the Conduct of Matching Programs, notice is hereby given of the computer matching program between the Department of Education (ED) (the recipient agency) and the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) (the source agency).

In accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended by the Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988, OMB Final Guidelines on the Conduct of Matching Programs (see 54 FR 25818, June 19,

1989), and OMB Circular A-130, the following information is provided:

1. Names of Participating Agencies

The Department of Education and the Department of Veterans Affairs.

2. Purpose of the Match

The purpose of the match is to verify the status of applicants for financial assistance under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended (HEA) who claim to be veterans.

The Secretary of Education is authorized by the HEA to administer the Title IV programs and to enforce the terms and conditions of the HEA. The Secretary has the authority to treat veterans as independent applicants, and those who claim veteran status do not have to provide parental income and asset information to apply for Title IV, HEA program assistance.

Section 480(c) of the HEA defines the term "veteran" to mean any individual who (A) has engaged in the active duty in the United States Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, or Coast Guard; and (B) was released under a condition other than dishonorable. Section 480(d)(3) of the HEA enables an applicant who claims veteran status (as defined in subsection (c)(1)) to meet the definition of an independent student for purposes of Title IV, HEA program assistance eligibility.

3. Authority for Conducting the Matching Program

Section 480(c) and (d)(3) of the HEA; Title 38, U.S.C., section 210(c), as amended by section 501(a) and (b).

4. Categories of Records and Individuals Covered by the Match

ED will provide the Social Security Number and other identifying information of each applicant who indicates that he or she is a veteran. This information will be extracted from the Federal Student Aid Application File system of records (18-40-0014). The ED data will be matched against the Veterans and Beneficiaries Identification and Records Location Subsystem—VA (38VA23).

5. Effective Dates of the Matching Program

The matching program will become effective on January 1, 1999, or 40 days after a copy of the computer matching agreement, as approved by the Data Integrity Board of each agency, is sent to Congress and OMB, unless OMB objects to some or all of the agreement, or 30 days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, whichever date is later. The matching

program will continue for 18 months after the effective date and may be extended for an additional 12 months thereafter, if the conditions specified in 5 U.S.C. 522a(o)(2)(D) have been met.

6. Address for Receipt of Public Comments or Inquiries

Individuals wishing to comment on this matching program or obtain additional information about the program including a copy of the computer matching agreement between ED and VA should contact Sr. Bernardine Hayes, Program Specialist, Policy Development Division, U.S. Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, SW (Room 3045, ROB-3), Washington, DC 20202-5447. Telephone (202) 708-8242. Written comments should be submitted to Sr. Hayes at this address. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

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Note: The official version of this document is the document published in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: October 6, 1998.

David A. Longanecker,

Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Energy Information Administration

Agency Information Publication Activities

AGENCY: Energy Information Administration, DOE.

ACTION: Solicitation of comments on proposed termination of an electronic publication bulletin board service known as "EPUB".

SUMMARY: The Energy Information Administration (EIA) is soliciting comments from the public on its proposal to terminate EPUB, effective December 31, 1998. All data files that are currently maintained on EPUB are also available on the Internet website "http://www.eia.doe.gov."

DATES: Comments may be submitted in writing on or before November 13, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to Jacob Bournazian, EI-42, Energy Information Administration, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20585-0650, (202) 586-1256, e-mail Jacob.Bournazian@eia.doe.gov, and fax (202) 586-4913.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information should be directed to Jacob Bournazian at the address listed above.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

- I. Background
- II. Current Actions
- III. Request for Comments

I. Background

In order to fulfill its responsibilities under the Federal Energy Administration Act of 1974 (Pub. L. No. 93-275) and the Department of Energy Organization Act (Pub. L. No. 95-91), the EIA is obliged to carry out a central, comprehensive, and unified energy data and information program. As part of this program, EIA collects, evaluates, assembles, analyzes, and disseminates data and information related to energy resource reserves, production, demand, and technology, and related economic and statistical information relevant to the adequacy of energy resources to meet demands in the near and longer term future for the Nation's economic and social needs. In disseminating data,