through a flexible balancing approach like fair use? What role should be played by voluntary guidelines such as the Fair Use Guidelines for Educational Multimedia (sometimes referred to as the Consortium of College and University Media Centers (CCUMC) guidelines)?

- (c) If a new or amended exemption or exemptions for distance education were to be adopted:
- Which section 106 rights should or should not be covered?
- What categories of works should or should not be covered?
- To what extent should there be quantitative limitations on the portions of a work that can be used?
- Who should be entitled to the benefits of such an exemption? Accredited or nonprofit institutions only?
- How should the class of eligible recipients be defined?
- Should such an exemption be limited to nonprofit distance education activities?
- Should the use of technological measures to protect against unauthorized access to, and use or retention of, copyrighted materials be required? If so, what types of measures?
- To what extent should the availability of licenses for the use of copyrighted works be considered in assessing eligibility?
- Should there be limitations on student copying or retention of the copyrighted materials?
- Should the provision of electronic reserves be included?
- Should the provision of any information about copyright law be required as a condition for eligibility?
- Are there other factors that should be taken into account?
- (d) What would be the economic impact of such an exemption, including the impact on the actual or potential markets of copyright owners of different types of works?
- (e) What would be the international implications of such an exemption? Would it be consistent with U.S. treaty obligations?

Dated: December 18, 1998.

#### Marybeth Peters,

Register of Copyrights.

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## **NATIONAL COUNCIL ON DISABILITY**

## **Advisory Committee Conference Calls.**

**AGENCY:** National Council on Disability (NCD).

**SUMMARY:** This notice sets forth the schedule of the forthcoming conference calls for NCD's advisory committees—International Watch and Technology Watch. Notice of this meeting is required under Section 10 (a)(1)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92–463).

INTERNATIONAL WATCH: The purpose of NCD's International Watch is to share information on international disability issues and to advise NCD's International Committee on developing policy proposals that will advocate for a foreign policy that is consistent with the values and goals of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

**DATE:** January 20, 1999, 12:00 noon-1:00 p.m. est.

FOR INTERNATIONAL WATCH INFORMATION, CONTACT: Lois T. Keck, Ph.D., Research Specialist, National Council on Disability, 1331 F Street NW, Suite 1050, Washington, D.C. 20004–1107; 202–272–2004 (Voice), 202–272–2074 (TTY), 202–272–2022 (Fax), lkeck@ncd.gov (e-mail).

TECHNOLOGY WATCH: NCD's Technology Watch (Tech Watch) is a community-based, cross-disability consumer task force on technology. Tech Watch provides information to NCD on issues relating to emerging legislation on technology and helps monitor compliance with civil rights legislation, such as Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended. DATE: January 15, 1998, 1:15 p.m.-3:15 p.m. est.

FOR TECHNOLOGY WATCH INFORMATION, CONTACT: Jamal Mazrui, Program Specialist, National Council on Disability, 1331 F Street NW, Suite 1050, Washington, D.C. 20004–1107; 202–272–2004 (Voice), 202–272–2074 (TTY), 202–272–2022 (Fax), jmazrui@ncd.gov (e-mail).

AGENCY MISSION: The National Council on Disability is an independent federal agency composed of 15 members appointed by the President of the United States and confirmed by the U.S. Senate. Its overall purpose is to promote policies, programs, practices, and procedures that guarantee equal opportunity for all people with disabilities, regardless of the nature of severity of the disability; and to empower people with disabilities to achieve economic self-sufficiency, independent living, and inclusion and integration into all aspects of society.

These committees are necessary to provide advice and recommendations to NCD on international disability issues and technology accessibility for people with disabilities.

We currently have balanced membership representing a variety of disabling conditions form across the United States.

### **Open Conference Calls**

These advisory committee conference calls of the National Council on Disability will be open to the public. However, due to fiscal constraints and staff limitations, a limited number of additional lines will be available. Individuals can also participate in the conference calls at the NCD office. Those interested in joining these conference calls should contact the appropriate staff member listed above.

Records will be kept of all International Watch and Tech Watch conference calls and will be available after the meeting for public inspection at the National Council on Disability.

Signed in Washington, DC, on December 16, 1998.

#### Ethel D. Briggs,

Executive Director.

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# NATIONAL GAMBLING IMPACT STUDY COMMISSION

## Meeting

**AGENCY:** National Gambling Impact Study Commission, Indian Gambling Subcommittee.

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**DATES:** Thursday, January 7, 1999, 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (PST).

ADDRESSES: The meeting site will be: Doubletree Hotel Seattle Airport, 18740 Pacific Highway South, Seattle, WA 98188, (206) 246–8600.

**STATUS:** The meeting is open to the public. However, seating may be limited. Members of the public wishing to attend are kindly requested to contact Dr. Kate Spilde at (202) 523–8217 to make arrangements.

SUMMARY: At the January 7 meeting of the Indian Gambling Subcommittee of the National Gambling Impact Study Commission, established under Public Law 104–169, dated August 3, 1996, the Members of the Subcommittee will hear testimony on Indian gambling issues as well as discuss the drafting of a subcommittee report to the full Commission.

**CONTACT PERSONS:** For further information on the agenda, meeting location or other matters contact Dr. Kate Spilde at (202) 523–8217 or write to 800 North Capitol St., N.W., Suite 450, Washington, D.C. 20002.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: Written comments can be sent to the Commission at any time at 800 North Capitol St., N.W., Suite 450, Washington, D.C. 20002. Visit the Commission's Web site at www.ngisc.gov.

### Tim Bidwill,

Special Assistant to the Chairman. [FR Doc. 98-33907 Filed 12-22-98; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6802-ET-P

# NATIONAL INDIAN GAMING COMMISSION

#### Fee Rates

**AGENCY:** National Indian Gaming Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given, pursuant to 25 CFR 514.1(a)(3), that the National Indian Gaming Commission has adopted final annual fee rates of 0.00% for tier 1 and 0.08% (.0008) for tier 2 for calendar year 1998. These rates shall apply to all assessable gross revenues from each gaming operation under the jurisdiction of the Commission.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Cindy Altimus, National Indian Gaming Commission, 1441 L Street, NW, Suite 9100, Washington, DC 20005; telephone 202/632/7003; fax 202/632/7066 (these are not toll-free numbers).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMAITON: The Indian Gaming Regulatory Act established the National Indian Gaming Commission which is charged with, among other things, regulating gaming on Indian lands.

The regulations of the Commission (25 CFR part 500) provide for a system of fee assessment and payment that is self-administered by the gaming operations. Pursuant to those regulations, the Commission is required to adopt and communicate assessment rates; the gaming operations are required to apply those rates to their revenues, compute the fees to be paid, report the revenues, and remit the fees to the Commission on a quarterly basis.

The regulations of the Commission and the rates being finalized today are effective for calendar year 1998.

## Montie R. Deer,

Chairman.

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# NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

## Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

**ACTION:** Notice of pending NRC action to submit an information collection request to OMB and solicitation of public comment.

**SUMMARY:** The NRC is preparing a submittal to OMB for review of continued approval of information collections under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Information pertaining to the requirement submitted:

- 1. The title of the information collection: General Assignment.
- 2. Current OMB approval number: NRC Form 450.
- 3. How often the collection is required: Once during the closeout process.
- 4. Who is required or asked to report: Contractors, Grantees, and Cooperators.
- 5. The number of annual respondents: 150.
- 6. The number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request: 300 hours (2 hours per response).
- 7. Abstract: During the contract closeout process, the NRC requires the contractor to execute a NRC Form 450, General Assignment. Completion of the form grants the government all rights, titles, and interest to refunds arising out of the contractor performance.

Submit, by February 22, 1999, comments that address the following questions:

- 1. Is the proposed collection of information necessary for the NRC to properly perform its functions? Does the information have practical utility?
  - 2. Is the burden accurate?
- 3. Is there a way to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected?
- 4. How can the burden of the information collection be minimized, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology?

A copy of the draft supporting statement may be viewed free of charge at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L. Street, NW (lower level), Washington, DC. OMB clearance requests are available at the NRC worldwide web site (http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/PUBLIC/OMB/index.html). The document will be

available on the NRC home page site for 60 days after the signature date of this notice.

Comments and questions about the information collection requirements may be directed to the NRC Clearance Officer, Brenda Jo. Shelton, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, T–6 F33, Washington, DC, 20555–0001, by telephone at 301–415–7233, or by Internet electronic mail at BJS1@NRC.GOV.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 17th day of December 1998.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

### Brenda Jo. Shelton,

NRC Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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# NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

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**SUMMARY:** The NRC is preparing a submittal to OMB for review of continued approval of information collections under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Information pertaining to the requirement to be submitted:

- 1. The title of the information collection: 10 CFR Part 100, "Reactor Site Criteria".
- 2. Current OMB approval number: 3150–0093.
- 3. How often the collection is required: As necessary in order for NRC to assess the adequacy of proposed seismic design bases and the design bases for other geological hazards for nuclear power and test reactors constructed and licensed in accordance with 10 CFR Parts 50 or 52 and the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.
- 4. Who is required or asked to report: Applicants and licensees for nuclear power and test reactors.
- 5. The number of annual respondents:
- 6. The number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request: 5,000.
- 7. Abstract: 10 CFR Part 100, "Reactor Site Criteria," establishes approval requirements for proposed sites for the