

2. Approval of minutes of the Committee's meeting of February 20, 1999.

3. Report by the Corporation's Office of Program Performance on the state planning process.

4. Consider and act on other business.

5. Public comment.

CONTACT PERSON FOR INFORMATION:

Victor M. Fortuno, General Counsel and Secretary of the Corporation, at (202) 336-8810.

SPECIAL NEEDS: Upon request, meeting notices will be made available in alternate formats to accommodate visual and hearing impairments. Individuals who have a disability and need an accommodation to attend the meeting may notify Shannon Nicko Adaway, at (202) 336-8810.

Dated: April 6, 1999.

Victor M. Fortuno,

General Counsel.

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NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: National Archives and Records Administration (NARA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: NARA is giving public notice that the agency proposes to request extension of a currently approved information collection used when veterans or other authorized individuals request information from or copies of documents in military service records. The public is invited to comment on the proposed information collection pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before June 8, 1999 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be sent to: Paperwork Reduction Act Comments (NHP), Room 3200, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Rd, College Park, MD 20740-6001; or faxed to 301-713-6913; or electronically mailed to tamee.fechhelm@arch2.nara.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the proposed information collections and supporting statements should be directed to Tamee Fechhelm

at telephone number 301-713-6730, or fax number 301-713-6913.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13), NARA invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed information collections. The comments and suggestions should address one or more of the following points: (a) whether the proposed collection information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of NARA; (b) the accuracy of NARA's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collections; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including the use of information technology. The comments that are submitted will be summarized and included in the NARA request for Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. In this notice, NARA is soliciting comments concerning the following information collection:

Title: Request Pertaining to Military Records.

OMB number: 3095-0029.

Agency form number: SF 180.

Type of review: Regular.

Affected public: Veterans, their authorized representatives, state and local governments, and businesses.

Estimated number of respondents: 850,100.

Estimated time per response: 5 minutes.

Frequency of response: On occasion (when respondent wishes to request information from a military personnel record).

Estimated total annual burden hours: 172,300 hours.

Abstract: In accordance with rules issued by the Department of Defense (DOD) and Department of Transportation (DOT, US Coast Guard), the National Personnel Records Center (NPRC) of the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) administers military service records of veterans after discharge, retirement, and death. When veterans and other authorized individuals request information from or copies of documents in military service records, they must provide in forms or in letters certain information about the veteran and the nature of the request. Federal agencies, military departments, veterans, veterans' organizations, and the general public use Standard Forms

(SF) 180, Request Pertaining to Military Records, in order to obtain information from military service records stored at NPRC. The authority for this information collection is contained in 36 CFR 1228.162.

Dated: April 5, 1999.

L. Reynolds Cahoon,

Assistant Archivist for Human Resources and Information Services.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY: Institute of Museum and Library Services.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the National Museum Services Board. This notice also describes the function of the board. Notice of this meeting is required under the Government through the Sunshine Act (Public Law 94-409) and regulations of the Institute of Museum and Library Services, 45 CFR 1180.84.

TIME AND DATE: 10:30 am-12:30 pm—Friday, May 14, 1999.

STATUS: Open.

ADDRESSES: The Westin Crown Center Hotel, One Pershing Road, Kansas City, MO 64108, (816) 474-4400.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Elizabeth Lyons, Special Assistant to the Director, Institute of Museum and Library Services, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Room 510, Washington, DC 20506, (202) 606-4649.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Museum Services Board is established under the Museum Services Act, Title II of the Arts, Humanities, and Cultural Affairs Act of 1976, Public Law 94-462. The Board has responsibility for the general policies with respect to the powers, duties, and authorities vested in the Institute under the Museum Services Act.

The meeting on Friday, May 14, 1999 will be open to the public. If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact: Institute of Museum and Library Services, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506—(202) 606-8536—TDD (202) 606-8636 at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting date.

Agenda

75th Meeting of the National Museum Services Board

The Westin Crown Center Hotel, One Pershing Drive, Kansas City, MO, Friday, May 14, 1999

10:30–12:30 pm

I. Chairperson's Welcome and Minutes of the 74th NMSB Meeting—February 5, 1999

II. Director's Report

III. Appropriations Report

IV. Legislative/Public Affairs Report

V. Office of Research and Technology Report

VI. Office of Museum Services Program Reports

A. David Ucko's Report on the 21st Century Learners Meeting in Washington, DC on March 22–23, 1999

VII. Office of Library Services Program Reports

Dated: April 1, 1999.

Linda Bell,

Director of Policy, Planning and Budget, National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities, Institute of Museum and Library Services.

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NATIONAL GAMBLING IMPACT STUDY COMMISSION

Meeting

AGENCY: National Gambling Impact Study Commission.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: At its twelfth regular meeting the National Gambling Impact Study Commission, established under Public Law 104–169, dated August 3, 1996, will conduct its normal meeting business; hear possible presentations from one or more subcommittees; continue its ongoing review of Commission research on economic and social gambling impacts; and deliberate on possible findings and recommendations for the Final Report.

DATES: Tuesday, April 27, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Wednesday, April 28, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting site will be: Hall of the States, Room 385, 444 North Capitol Street, NW, Washington, DC 20001.

Written comments can be sent to the Commission at 800 North Capitol Street, NW, Suite 450, Washington, DC 20002.

STATUS: The meeting will be open to the public both days.

CONTACT PERSONS: For further information contact Craig Stevens at (202) 523–8217 or write to 800 North Capitol St., NW, Suite 450, Washington, DC 20002.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting will be open to the public both days. However, due to limited seating, members of the media planning to attend are kindly asked to contact Craig Stevens to secure arrangements. Individual subcommittees, including the Regulation, Enforcement & Internet Subcommittee, may meet on Monday, April 26 from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. at the Phoenix Park Hotel located at 520 North Capitol Street. For information on individual subcommittee meetings, please contact Mr. Craig Stevens, Communications and Logistics Coordinator, at 202–523–8217.

Tim Bidwill,

Special Assistant to the Chairman.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[IA 98–058]

A. Abdulshafi, Ph.D.; Order Prohibiting Involvement in NRC-Licensed Activities

I

Dr. A. Abdulshafi, Ph.D. (Dr. Abdulshafi) is the Owner, President, and Radiation Safety Officer of DAS Consult, Inc. (DAS or Licensee), an NRC licensee who is the holder of Byproduct Material License No. 34–26551–01 issued by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC or Commission) pursuant to 10 CFR part 30. The license authorizes possession and use of moisture density gauges containing byproduct material in accordance with the conditions specified therein. The license was originally issued on February 2, 1994, and is due to expire on February 28, 2004.

II

Between June 19 and 25, 1998, a special inspection of licensed activities was conducted to determine if licensed material was being used, stored, or transferred in accordance with NRC requirements. The inspection was initiated because the Licensee failed to pay its annual fee, and attempts to contact the Licensee by telephone and by mail were unsuccessful. The inspector discovered that in January, 1997, the Licensee had sold its physical assets, including six moisture density gauges containing byproduct material,

to Diversified Global Enterprises Company (DGE), an entity which was not authorized to possess or use such material either by the NRC or by an Agreement State. The gauges contained sufficient quantities of cesium-137 and americium-241 to require persons who possess these devices to hold a specific NRC license. NRC regulations at 10 CFR 30.41, provide, in part, that licensees may not transfer byproduct material except to a person authorized to receive such byproduct material under the terms of a specific or general license issued by the Commission or an Agreement State.

In March 1997, two months after the sale of DAS physical assets to DGE, by a letter to NRC Region III dated March 24, 1997, Dr. Abdulshafi requested that the DAS license be amended to reflect a change in office location. The letter forwarded payment for the amendment as well as the annual fee. The letter did not indicate that the gauges had been sold or transferred. After May 1997, DGE moved the gauges to another location and the business association between Dr. Abdulshafi and DGE ended. As a result of the NRC special inspection, Dr. Abdulshafi retrieved the gauges from DGE and properly transferred them to another company authorized to possess and receive them.

On June 29, 1998, an investigation was initiated by the NRC Office of Investigations (OI) to determine whether the transfer of byproduct material to DGE was a willful violation. At the predecisional enforcement conference held with Dr. Abdulshafi and NRC staff by telephone on January 5, 1999, Dr. Abdulshafi agreed that a violation involving the improper transfer of licensed material occurred. He maintained that his actions were not deliberate, but were the result of personal problems and a misunderstanding between himself and DGE. In his OI testimony, however, Dr. Abdulshafi stated that during the negotiations preceding the January, 1997, sale of physical assets, he advised DGE that DGE must have an NRC license to possess the gauges, knowing that DGE did not possess a license. Moreover, Dr. Abdulshafi acknowledged continuing to advise Dr. El-Naggar, President of DGE, and possibly other DGE officials at various times between January and April 1997, that DGE needed to obtain an NRC license in order to possess the gauges. Based on the evidence obtained by OI and a predecisional enforcement conference with Dr. Abdulshafi on January 5, 1999, the NRC staff concludes that in January, 1997, Dr. Abdulshafi, Owner, President and Radiation Safety Officer of DAS,