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Enforcement Consultants 5:30 p.m.

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Conservation and Management Act, provided the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency.

Special Accommodations

These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Ms. Carolyn Porter at 503-820-2280 at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: March 16, 2004.

Bruce C. Morehead,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service. [FR Doc. 04-6227 Filed 3-18-04; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510-22-S

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 031604E]

South Atlantic Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of a public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Southeast Data and **Review (SEDAR) Steering Committee** will meet to discuss the SEDAR process and assessment priorities. See SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.

DATES: The SEDAR Steering Committee will meet at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, April 7, 2004.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at NOAA Fisheries' Southeast Fisheries Science Center, 75 Virginia Beach Drive, Miami, FL 33149; telephone: (305)361-4200.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John Carmichael, SEDAR Coordinator, SEDAR/SAFMC, One Southpark Circle, Suite 306, Charleston, SC 29407; telephone: (843) 571-4366 or toll free (866) SAFMC-10; fax: (843) 769-4520.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The South Atlantic, Gulf of Mexico, and Caribbean Fishery Management Councils; in conjunction with NOAA Fisheries, the **Atlantic States Marine Fisheries** Commission, and the Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commission; implemented the Southeast Data, Assessment and Review (SEDAR) process, a multi-step method for determining the status of fish stocks. The SEDAR Steering Committee provides oversight of the SEDAR

process and establishes assessment priorities.

The SEDAR Steering Committee will meet April 7, 2004, to discuss assessment priorities for the next 3 SEDAR cycles to be held in 2004 and 2005, review the SEDAR process, evaluate funding, and consider the role of SEDAR in assessing highly migratory stocks with particular emphasis on future coastal shark assessments.

The times and sequence specified on this agenda are subject to change. Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this group for discussion, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during this meeting. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically identified in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, provided the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to the SEDAR office (see FOR FURTHER **INFORMATION CONTACT**) at least 5 business days prior to the meeting.

Dated: March 16, 2004.

Bruce C. Morehead,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service. [FR Doc. 04-6229 Filed 3-18-04; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510-22-S

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Notice of Availability for Public **Comment of the Reserve Operations** Plan for the Northwestern Hawaiian Islands Coral Reef Ecosystem Reserve

AGENCY: National Marine Sanctuary Program (NMSP), National Ocean Service (NOS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce (DOC). ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On December 4, 2000, Executive Order 13178 established the Northwestern Hawaiian Islands Coral Reef Ecosystem Reserve, pursuant to the National Marine Sanctuaries Amendments Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106-513, section 6g, November 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2385). The Reserve extends

approximately 1200 nautical miles long and 100 nautical miles wide. Pursuant to the Executive Order, NOAA prepared a Draft Reserve Operations Plan (ROP) that focuses on priority issues and actions. The Draft ROP also provides a guide for management of the Reserve during a process that will consider designating the Northwestern Hawaiian Islands as a National Marine Sanctuary.

The Draft ROP was released in March 2002 for an extensive public review. All comments were considered, and necessary and appropriate changes were made to the document. The draft Final ROP was developed in cooperation with the State of Hawaii and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service with significant and extensive input from the Reserve Advisory Council.

This notice announces the availability of the draft Final ROP for public review. Given the amount of time since the initial public review, NOAA is releasing the draft Final ROP until May 15, 2004, during which time public comment will be accepted. After the close of the comment period, NOAA will consider the comments received and may make changes, if appropriate. NOAA anticipates releasing the Final ROP by Summer 2004.

DATES AND ADDRESSES: The public review starts March 19, 2004, and ends on May 15, 2004. Written comments may be sent to NWHI Coral Reef Ecosystem Reserve, 6700 Kalaniana'ole Highway, #215, Honolulu, Hawaii 96825; faxed to (808) 397–2662; or emailed to *nwhi@noaa.gov*. Comments will be available for public review at the office address above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Robert P. Smith, (808) 933–8181, *nwhi@noaa.gov.*

Authority: 16 U.S.C. Section 1431 *et seq.,* Pub. L. 106–513.

(Federal Domestic Assistance Catalog Number 11.429 Marine Sanctuary Program) Dated: March 8, 2004.

Jamison S. Hawkins,

Deputy Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Command and General Staff College Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Department of the Army, DOD. **ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

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:

Name of Committee: U.S. Army Command and General Staff College (CGSC) Advisory Committee.

Date of Meeting: March 31–April 2, 2004.

Place of Meeting: Bell Hall, Room 113, 1 Reynolds Ave., Fort Leavenworth, KS 66027–1352.

Time of Meeting: 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. (March 31, 2004); 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (April 1, 2004); and 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. (April 2, 2004).

Proposed Agenda: Review of CGSC educational program and Executive Session and Report to Commandant (10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., April 2, 2004).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Robert F. Baumann, Committee's Executive Secretary, USACGSC Advisory Committee, 1 Reynolds Ave., Bell Hall, Room 119, Fort Leavenworth, KS 66027–1352; or phone (913) 684– 2742.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the meeting is for the Advisory Committee to examine the entire range of college operations and, where appropriate, to provide advice and recommendations to the College Commandant and faculty.

The meeting will be open to the public to the extent that space limitations of the meeting location permit. Because of these limitations, interested parties are requested to reserve space by contacting the Committee's Executive Secretary at the above address or phone number.

Brenda S. Bowen,

Alternate Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Navy

Meeting of the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) Executive Panel

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, DOD. **ACTION:** Notice of closed meeting.

SUMMARY: The CNO Executive Panel is to report recommendations of the Near Term Assessment Study Group to the CNO regarding recent trends in basing, technology, alliances, and defense policy and their effect on Navy policy and operations. **DATES:** The meeting will be held on Thursday, March 25, 2004, from 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Chief of Naval Operations office, Room 4E542, 2000 Navy Pentagon, Washington, DC 20350–2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Commander Jon Huggins, CNO Executive Panel, 4825 Mark Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22311, (703) 681– 6207.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 2), these matters constitute classified information that is specifically authorized by Executive Order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense and are, in fact, properly classified pursuant to such Executive Order.

Accordingly, the Secretary of the Navy has determined in writing that the public interest requires that all sessions of the meeting be closed to the public because they will be concerned with matters listed in section 552b(c)(1) of title 5, United States Code.

Dated: March 15, 2004.

S.K. Melancon,

Paralegal Specialist, Office of the Judge Advocate General, Alternate Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of Education. **SUMMARY:** The Acting Leader, Regulatory Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer invites comments on the submission for OMB review as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before April 19, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Melanie Kadlic, Desk Officer, Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503 or should be electronically mailed to the Internet address *Melanie_Kadlic@omb.eop.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of