

packages via SAIG, as described below. Foreign institutions for which the Department has not yet established SAIG access will continue to receive their cohort default rate notification documents in hardcopy and will also receive an encrypted password protected CD-ROM. In these cases, the regulatory time periods for the institution to submit challenges, adjustments, and appeals will begin on the date of receipt by the institution of the encrypted password protected CD-ROM and the letter with the password for decrypting the CD-ROM.

The eCDR delivery process that the Department already uses for domestic institutions and that will be used for foreign institutions is as follows: For each electronic distribution of default rate notifications (draft and official) to institutions, the Department will announce on its Information for Financial Aid Professionals (IFAP) Web site (<http://www.ifap.ed.gov>) the date of the electronic transmission of cohort default rate information to the Destination Point Administrator (DPA) designated by each institution. Except as described in the following paragraph, the time periods for submitting challenges, adjustments, and appeals under 34 CFR part 668, subpart M, begins with the sixth business day after the date the default rate notification packages were transmitted to the SAIG destination points, as noted in the IFAP announcement.

If an institution believes that a technical problem caused by the Department resulted in the institution not being able to access its eCDR information, it must notify the Department no later than five business days after the transmission date announced on IFAP. By doing so, and if we agree that the Department caused the problem, we will extend the challenge, adjustment, and appeal timeframes to allow for a re-transmission of the information after the technical problem is resolved. Reports of technical problems must be made via e-mail and addressed to our Default Prevention and Management share post at: fsa.schools.default.management@ed.gov. Each institution is responsible for updating its SAIG enrollment whenever a change is needed to its DPA. Failure of an institution to enroll in or update SAIG for the eCDR process is not a valid, timely technical problem.

To implement the eCDR process, every foreign institution must, upon the Department's notification that its access to SAIG has been established, complete the enrollment package provided by the Department and return the package

within the timeframe specified by the Department. Once the SAIG enrollment process is completed, the institution's DPA will receive the institution's next notification package under the eCDR process.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Science; Notice of Renewal of the Fusion Energy Sciences Advisory Committee

Pursuant to Section 14(a)(2)(A) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C., App., and in accordance with Title 41 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Section 102-3.65, and following consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration, notice is hereby given that the Fusion Energy Sciences Advisory Committee has been renewed for a two-year period.

The Committee will provide advice to the Director, Office of Science, on long-range plans, priorities, and strategies for advancing plasma science, fusion science and fusion technology—the knowledge base needed for an economically and environmentally attractive fusion energy source. The Secretary has determined that the renewal of the Fusion Energy Sciences

Advisory Committee is essential to the conduct of the Department's business and in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed upon the Department of Energy by law. The Committee will continue to operate in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of Energy Organization Act (Pub. L. 92-463), the General Services Administration Final Rule on Federal Advisory Committee Management, and other directives and instruction issued in implementation of those acts.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Bonneville Power Administration

Notice of Final Policy; Bonneville Power Administration Long-Term Regional Dialogue Policy

AGENCY: Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of final policy.

SUMMARY: The Regional Dialogue Policy defines BPA's power supply and marketing role for the long term and does so in a way that meets key regional and national energy goals. This Policy sets the parameters for moving forward into the next phase of the Regional Dialogue process. The goal is to have new 20-year power sales contracts signed by the end of 2008. A 20-year contract time span gives the Pacific Northwest region greater certainty about its future power supply.

DATES: On July 19, 2007, the BPA Administrator signed the Long-Term Regional Dialogue Policy Record of Decision.

ADDRESSES: The Long-Term Regional Dialogue Policy and Record of Decision are available on the BPA Web site at <http://www.bpa.gov/power/pl/regionaldialogue/announcements.shtml>. Copies are also available by contacting BPA's Public Information Center at (800) 622-4520.

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