

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Internal Revenue Service****Advisory Committee to the Internal Revenue Service; Meeting**

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Information Reporting Program Advisory Committee (IRPAC) will hold a public meeting on Thursday, November 16, 2006.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Caryl Grant, National Public Liaison, CL:NPL:SRM, CP6 4-39, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20224. Telephone: 202-927-3641 (not a toll-free number). E-mail address: *public_liaison@irs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988), a public meeting of the IRPAC will be held on Thursday, November 16, 2006 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Room B&C, 2nd Floor, Mint Building, 801 9th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005. Issues to be discussed include: Electronic Transcript Delivery and Notice Delivery; FIRE, Publication 1212, List of Original Issue Discount Instruments, Enhancements; Widely Held Fixed Investment Trusts Directory; Nonresident Alien Withholding and Reporting; Tax exempt interest reporting; Truncated TINs; Basis Reporting; Internet Auction Sales; Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts; Complexity of Employment Tax Reporting and Improvements to Be Made; Increase in the Form 1099-MISC Reporting Threshold form Medical and Health Care Payments; FBAR; Form 990 and Schedule A; Form 1098-T, Designated Roth Contributions and Distributions; Tax Reporting of Retirement Accounts, Including IRAs that are Closed due to Escheatment and/or a Customer Identification Program (CIP) Failure; Employee Plans Compliance Resolution System (EPCRS); Form 5500, Schedule SSA, Form 5500, Schedule R; SIMPLE IRA Plan Compliance Communication Effort; Practitioner Reference Guide; Self Employed Worksheet for Health Insurance Adjustment to Income; Reporting of Social Security Benefits on Form 1040/1040A; Publication 2184; Form 1099C—Cancellation of Debt/1099A Acquisition and Abandonment of Secured Property. Reports from the four IRPAC sub-groups, Tax Exempt & Government Entities, Large and Mid-size Business, Small Business/Self-

Employed, and Wage & Investment, will also be presented and discussed. Last minute agenda changes may preclude advance notice. Due to limited seating and security requirements, please call or e-mail Caryl Grant to confirm your attendance. Ms. Grant can be reached at 202-927-3641 or *Caryl.S.Grant@irs.gov*. Attendees are encouraged to arrive at least 30 minutes before the meeting begins to allow sufficient time for purposes of security clearance. Should you wish the IRPAC to consider a written statement, please call 202-927-3641, or write to: Internal Revenue Service, Office of National Public Liaison, CL:NPL:SRM, CP6 4-39, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20224 or e-mail: *public_liaison@irs.gov.

Dated: October 19, 2006.

Cynthia Vanderpool,

Branch Chief, National Public Liaison.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Internal Revenue Service****Advisory Council to the Internal Revenue Service; Meeting**

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Internal Revenue Service Advisory Council (IRSAC) will hold a public meeting on Wednesday, November 15, 2006.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Jacqueline Tilghman, National Public Liaison, CL:NPL, PE 3E1, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20224. Telephone: 202-283-8878 (not a toll-free number). E-mail address: *public_liaison@irs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988), a public meeting of the IRSAC will be held on Wednesday, November 15, 2006, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Congressional Room A of the Hyatt Regency Washington on Capitol Hill, 400 New Jersey Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20001. Issues to be discussed include: Hiring Initiatives, Burden Reduction, Abusive Tax Shelter Enforcement Strategies, Corporate E-File Requirement, Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC), Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA), Tax Gap and the Cash Economy, Customer Satisfaction, Improving the Performance of Tax Preparers, and Examination Recruit Hire

Curriculum Redesign. Reports from the three IRSAC sub-groups, Large and Mid-size Business, Small Business/Self-Employed, and Wage & Investment, will also be presented and discussed. Last minute agenda changes may preclude advance notice. The meeting room accommodates approximately 80 people, IRSAC members and Internal Revenue Service officials inclusive. Due to limited seating, please call Jacqueline Tilghman to confirm your attendance. Ms. Tilghman can be reached at 202-283-8878. Attendees are encouraged to arrive at least 30 minutes before the meeting begins. Should you wish the IRSAC to consider a written statement, please call 202-283-8878, or write to: Internal Revenue Service, Office of National Public Liaison, CL:NPL:PE 3E1, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20224 or e-mail: *public_liaison@irs.gov.

Dated: October 16, 2006.

J. Chris Neighbor,

Designated Federal Official, Branch Chief, Liaison/Tax Forum Branch.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**Research Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses; Notice of Meeting**

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under Public Law 92-463 (Federal Advisory Committee Act) that the Research Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses will meet on November 6-7, 2006. On November 6, the session will be held in the Community Center, Dallas VA Medical Center, 4500 South Lancaster Road, Dallas, Texas, from 9 a.m. until 6:15 p.m. On November 7, the session will be held at the Dallas/Fort Worth Airport Marriott-North, 8440 Freeport Parkway, Irving, Texas, from 8:30 a.m. until 3 p.m. All sessions will be open to the public.

The purpose of the Committee is to provide advice and make recommendations to the Secretary of Veterans Affairs on proposed research studies, research plans and research strategies relating to the health consequences of military service in the Southwest Asia Theater of operations during the Gulf War.

The Committee will review VA program activities related to Gulf War veterans' illnesses and updates on scientific research on Gulf War illnesses published since the last Committee

meeting. Additionally, there will be scientific presentations on research programs and studies related to Gulf War illnesses at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School, an update on the VA Gulf War tissue repository, and discussion of committee business and activities.

Members of the public may attend and present oral statements. Oral presentations will be limited to five minutes each. Individuals presenting oral statements are invited to submit 1–2 page summaries of their comments at the time of the meeting for inclusion in the official meeting record. Members of the public may also submit written statements for the Committee's review to Dr. Lea Steele, RAC–Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses (T–GW), U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, 2200 S.W. Gage Blvd., Topeka, KS 66622.

Any member of the public seeking additional information should contact Dr. William Goldberg, Designated Federal Officer, at (202) 254–0294 or Dr. Steele, Scientific Director, at (785) 350–3111 ext. 54617.

Dated: October 19, 2006.

By direction of the Secretary.

E. Philip Riggan,

Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Special Medical Advisory Group; Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under Public Law 92–463 (Federal Advisory Committee Act) that the Special Medical Advisory Group will meet on November 13, 2006. The meeting will be held in Room 830 at VA Central Office, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC. The meeting is open to the public.

The purpose of the Group is to advise the Secretary of Veterans Affairs and the Under Secretary for Health on the care and treatment of disabled veterans, and other matters pertinent to the Department's Veterans Health Administration (VHA).

The agenda for the meeting will include discussion of VHA's leadership transition, an update of the information technology reorganization, CARES, Project HERO, graduate medical education, staff tenure, the physician pay bill, and public relations with regard to the Operation Iraqi Freedom/ Operation Enduring Freedom (OIF/OEF) population.

Any member of the public wishing to attend should contact Juanita Leslie, Office of Administrative Operations (10B2), Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs at (202) 273–5882. No time will be set aside at this meeting for receiving oral presentations from the public. Statements, in written form, may be submitted to Juanita Leslie before the meeting or within 10 days after the meeting.

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By direction of the Secretary.

E. Philip Riggan,

Committee Management Officer.

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