

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**Advisory Council on Education Statistics, Policy Committee**

AGENCY: National Center on Education Statistics, Education.

ACTION: Notice of closed meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the schedule and proposed agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the Policy Committee of the Advisory Council on Education Statistics (ACES). Notice of this meeting is required under Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

DATES: January 28, 1998.

TIMES: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., (closed).

LOCATION: 555 New Jersey Avenue, NW, Board Room #100, Washington DC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Barbara Marenus, National Center on Education Statistics, 555 New Jersey Ave., NW, Room 400j, Washington, DC 20208-5530 (202) 219-1835.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Advisory Council on Education Statistics (ACES) is established under Section 406(c)(1) of the Education Amendments of 1974, Pub. L. 93-380. The Council is established to review general policies for the operation of the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) in the Office of Educational Research and Improvement and is responsible for advising on standards to insure that statistics and analyses disseminated by NCES are of high quality and are not subject to political influence. In addition; ACES is required to advise the Commissioner of NCES and the National Assessment Governing Board on technical and statistical matters related to the National Assessment of Education Progress (NAEP).

The proposed agenda for the Policy Committee's meeting includes the following:

- Review and discussion of cost estimates for planned procurements in the year 2000. Because the discussion will include information on cost estimates on future procurements, this session must be closed to the public. The public disclosure of this information would be likely to significantly frustrate the implementation of planned agency action if conducted in open session. Such matters are protected by exemption (9)(B) of section 552(c) of title 5 U.S.C.

A summary of the activities and related matters, which are informative to the public and consistent with the policy of 5 U.S.C. 552b, will be available

to the public within 14 days after the meetings. Records are kept of all Council proceedings and are available for public inspection at the Office of the Executive Director, Advisory Council on Education Statistics, 555 New Jersey Avenue, NW, Room 400J, Washington, DC 20208-7575.

Ricky Takai,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Educational Research and Improvement.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Department of Energy, Los Alamos National Laboratory**

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Los Alamos National Laboratory.

DATES: Saturday, January 24, 1998: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. 10:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. (public comment session).

ADDRESSES: San Ildefonso Pueblo, Tewa Center, State Route 4.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Ann DuBois, Los Alamos National Laboratory Citizens' Advisory Board, 528 35th Street, Los Alamos, NM 87544, (505) 665-5048.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Advisory Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda

9:00 a.m.

Call to Order

Adoption of Bylaws

Election of Officers

9:30 a.m. Old Business

10:00 a.m. New Business

10:30 a.m. Public Comment Session

12:00 p.m. Adjourn

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Ms. Ann DuBois, at (505) 665-

5048. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Official is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. This notice is being published less than 15 days in advance of the meeting due to programmatic issues that needed to be resolved.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9:00 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to Joe Vozella, Department of Energy, Los Alamos Area Office, 528 35th Street, Los Alamos, NM 87185-5400.

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Rachel Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Secretary of Energy Advisory Board; Notice of Open Meeting**

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

SUMMARY: Consistent with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat. 770), notice is hereby given of the following advisory committee meeting:

Name: Secretary of Energy Advisory Board—Task Force on Education.

Dates and Times: Monday, February 2, 1998, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Addresses: Madison Hotel, Dolley Madison Ballroom, 15th & M Streets, NW., Washington, DC.

For Further Information Contact: Bruce Bornfleth, Secretary of Energy Advisory Board (AB-1), U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-4040 or (202) 586-6279 (fax).

Supplementary Information: The purpose of the Task Force on Education is to provide information and recommendations to the Secretary of Energy Advisory Board on ways to make the Department's scientific, technical and supercomputing capabilities more available to our Nation's schools, colleges and universities, and to provide recommendations on how the Department can best enhance science, technology, engineering and mathematics education in the United States. The Task Force on Education will prepare a report for submission to the Secretary of Energy Advisory Board.