

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE****Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration****Advisory Committee Meeting**

Pursuant to the provisions of section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), notice is hereby given of the following committee meeting:

*Name:* Grain Inspection Advisory Committee.

*Date:* November 19-20, 1997.

*Place:* Omni Royal Orleans Hotel, 621 St. Louis Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.

*Time:* 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. on November 19 and 20, 1997.

*Purpose:* To provide advice to the Administrator of the Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA) with respect to the implementation of the U.S. Grain Standards Act (7 U.S.C. 71 et seq.).

The agenda includes a review and discussion of GIPSA's financial status, strategic plan, and moisture meter implementation plan.

The meeting will be open to the public. Public participation will be limited to written statements, unless permission is received from the Committee Chairman to orally address the Committee. Persons, other than members, who wish to address the Committee or submit written statements before or after the meeting, should contact the Administrator, GIPSA, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, STOP 3601, Washington, D.C. 20250-3601, telephone (202) 720-0219 or FAX (202) 205-9237.

Dated: October 20, 1997.

**James R. Baker,**

*Administrator.*

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**ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY****Determination to Close Meetings of the Director's Advisory Committee**

The Director's Advisory Committee (DirAC) will hold meetings in Albuquerque, New Mexico on October 27 and 28, 1997, and in Washington, DC, on December 11 and 12, 1997.

The entire agenda of these meetings will be devoted to specific national security policy and arms control issues. In accordance with section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat 770 (1972) (codified at 5 U.S.C. App 2 510(a)(1) (1996)), it has been determined that discussions during the meetings are likely to disclose matters covered under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1). Materials to be discussed at the meetings have been

properly classified and are specifically authorized under criteria established by Executive Order 12958, 60 FR 19,825 (1995), to be kept secret in the interests of national defense and foreign policy.

Therefore, in accordance with section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat 770 (1972) (codified at 5 U.S.C. App 2 510(a)(1) (1996)), I have determined that, because of the need to protect the secrecy of such national security matters, the meetings should be closed to the public.

This notice is being published less than 15 days before the first meeting day, in order to enable more Committee members to attend.

**John D. Holum,**

*Director.*

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**COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED****Procurement List; Proposed Additions**

**AGENCY:** Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

**ACTION:** Proposed additions to Procurement List.

**SUMMARY:** The Committee has received proposals to add to the Procurement List commodities and services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

**COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE:** November 24, 1997.

**ADDRESS:** Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Crystal Square 3, Suite 403, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3461.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Beverly Milkman (703) 603-7740.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 47(a) (2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the possible impact of the proposed actions.

If the Committee approves the proposed additions, all entities of the Federal Government (except as otherwise indicated) will be required to procure the commodities and services listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities. I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial

number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

2. The action does not appear to have a severe economic impact on current contractors for the commodities and services.

3. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

4. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the commodities and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List. Comments on this certification are invited. Commenters should identify the statement(s) underlying the certification on which they are providing additional information.

The following commodities and services have been proposed for addition to Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

**Commodities**

Pen, Metal Barrel & Refills

7520-01-445-7221

7520-01-445-7226

7520-01-445-7230

7520-01-445-7237

7510-01-446-4835

7510-01-446-4845

7510-01-446-4846

7510-01-446-4850

*NPA:* Industries for the Blind, Inc., Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Pad, Floor Polishing

7910-01-363-6975

*NPA:* Beacon Lighthouse, Inc., Wichita Falls, Texas

**Services**

Janitorial/Custodial

USARC

Middletown, Connecticut

*NPA:* Greater Enfield Allied Rehabilitation Centers, Inc., Enfield, Connecticut

Janitorial/Custodial

Paul J. Sutcovoy, USARC

Waterbury, Connecticut

*NPA:* Greater Enfield Allied Rehabilitation Centers, Inc., Enfield, Connecticut