associated with landing Orion at a general open ocean or terrestrial site in the Western continental U.S. However, at this time NASA is still conducting early technical analyses of the relative feasibility and desirability of returning Orion to Earth in the open ocean or at terrestrial landing sites in the Western continental U.S. As a result, the number of potential landing sites is so large that it is not practical to address specific sites during the present scoping period. However, NASA welcomes any public comments or concerns related to potential environmental impacts of ocean landings or landings in the Western continental U.S. At such time as the technical analyses of landing alternatives become more mature, NASA may reopen the public scoping period as it relates to landing sites. Alternatively, if such results are not available during the Programmatic EIS process, NASA will prepare tiered NEPA documentation that will involve a public scoping process.

Written public input on alternatives and environmental issues and concerns associated with the Constellation Program that should be addressed in the Programmatic EIS are hereby requested.

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NASA Case No. LAR–17149–1: Mechanically Strong, Thermally Stable, and Electrically Conductive Nanocomposite Structure and Method of Fabricating Same; NASA Case No. LAR–17073–1: Tunable Optical Assembly With Vibration Damping;

NASA Case No. LAR–16571–2: Magnetic Field Response Sensor for Conductive Media;

NASA Case No. LAR–17154–1: Sol-Gel Based Oxidation Catalyst and Coating System Using Same;


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NASA Case No. NPO–41757–1: A Readout Scheme for Squid High Resolution Thermometry;

NASA Case No. NPO–42312–1: Slow Light in Chains of Vertically Coupled Whispering Gallery Mode Resonators;

NASA Case No. NPO–42188–1: WGM Resonators for Studying Orbital Angular Momentum of a Photon, and Methods;


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