

(b) The condition and quantity of stored water will be confirmed by inspection on a monthly basis, and written instructions for conservation of water will be provided with the refuge supplies.

(7) For compressed oxygen, the petitioner proposes to supply only medical or airline quality oxygen in refuge areas. A supply of not less than 550 liters of oxygen per day per person for a minimum of 5 days will be provided.

(a) Oxygen cylinders will be stored in a safe manner and in compliance with 30 CFR 57.16005 and 57.16006, and away from flammable and combustible materials. A system of regulating the flow of oxygen and monitoring the reserve available will be provided with the refuge area supplies.

(b) Equipment designed for monitoring the oxygen and carbon dioxide level of the ambient air in the refuge area will be provided with the refuge area supplies.

(c) A purge valve will be installed or provided for rapid installation. The condition of the cylinders will be inspected and pressure tested on a monthly basis.

(d) Sufficient carbon dioxide absorbent material will be provided to maintain a carbon dioxide level below 2.0 percent for the duration and number of miners for which the refuge area is designed.

(e) Written instructions for monitoring and maintaining gas levels within the refuge area will be provided with the refuge supplies.

The petitioner asserts that implementation of the proposed modification will enhance the safety of the miners under emergency conditions and mitigate inherent safety issues with regard to the terms of the existing standard and the proposed alternative method will at all times guarantee no less than the same measure of protection afforded by the existing standard.

*Docket Number:* M-2011-009-M.

*Petitioner:* Celite Corporation, 2500 Miguelito Road, Lompoc, California 93436.

*Mine:* Lompoc Plant, MSHA I.D. No. 04-02848, located in Santa Barbara County, California.

*Regulation Affected:* 30 CFR 56.20001 (Intoxicating beverages and narcotics).

*Modification Request:* The petitioner requests a modification of the existing standard to permit alcohol slow-fermented from starch, bearing an alcohol content of less than 10 percent alcohol by volume, commonly called "beer", to be used at the Lompoc Plant for use in chemical testing that is part of product quality control and research.

The Lompoc Mine is a surface diatomaceous earth mine and processing facility. One of the commercial applications of the finished diatomaceous earth products is as a filtration agent utilized during the brewing process for beer. The finished diatomaceous earth products are integrated onto a fine mesh screen, with other ingredients, thereby creating a "filter-cake." At the end of the brewing process, following fermentation, which results in the creation of the alcohol-containing liquid that is called "beer," the beer is passed-through the filter-cake to remove undesirable contaminants. This results in higher clarity of the beer, which is commercially desirable.

Although diatomaceous earth can be an excellent filtration aid in the production of beer, it also contains naturally-occurring iron, which is undesirable in beer production. If the beer absorbs too much iron, the beer will develop a bitter taste, which is not commercially desirable. Soluble iron in beer also has a deleterious effect on beer stability, which is also not commercially desirable. Accordingly, one of the most critical properties of the diatomaceous earth products is its beer-soluble iron ("BSI") content.

To ensure that the diatomaceous earth products meet the BSI and other applicable specifications, Celite must engage in testing on-site at the Lompoc Plant to identify the BSI content of the diatomaceous earth products as they are processed. The petitioner proposes to:

(1) Store containers of beer at the Lompoc Plant in secure locations with restricted access;

(2) Use the beer for purposes of quality control testing, statistical method control testing, and research testing; and

(3) Store open containers of beer that may be used during more than one testing event at the Lompoc Plant in secure locations with restricted access.

The petitioner states that the consumption of any intoxicating beverages and narcotics (including beer) will be prohibited, and persons under the influence of alcohol or narcotics will not be permitted on site.

The petitioner asserts that modification of the standard will further the goals of the Mine Act by providing an equivalent level of protection for miners as is provided by the existing standard, and will allow Celite to maintain the commercial viability of the products that are mined at the Lompoc Plant.

Dated: October 12, 2011.

**Patricia W. Silvey,**  
*Certifying Officer.*

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## NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (11-097)]

### NASA Advisory Council; Information Technology Infrastructure Committee; Meeting

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice of Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration announce a meeting for the Information Technology Infrastructure Committee of the NASA Advisory Council.

**DATES:** Tuesday, November 1, 2011, 8:30 a.m.-12 p.m., Local Time.

*Meet-Me-Number:* 1-877-906-3018, #5343670.

**ADDRESSES:** NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, 8800 Greenbelt Road, Building 34, Room W305, Greenbelt, MD 20771. (Note that visitors will first need to go to the GSFC Main Gate to gain access).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Karen Harper, Executive Secretary for the Information Technology Infrastructure Committee, National Aeronautics and Space Administration Headquarters, Washington, DC 20546, (202) 358-1807.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The topics of discussion for the meeting are the following:

- NASA IT Summit.
- Goddard Technologies.

The meeting will be open to the public up to the seating capacity of the room. This meeting is also available telephonically by dialing the Meet-Me-Number 1-877-906-3018, #5343670. Visitors will need to show a valid picture identification such as a driver's license to enter into the NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, and must state that they are attending the NASA Advisory Council, Information Technology Infrastructure Committee meeting in Building 34, Room W305. All U.S. citizens desiring to attend the Information Technology Infrastructure Committee at the Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC) must provide their full name, company affiliation (if applicable), to the GSFC Protective

Services Division no later than the close of business on October 28, 2011. All non-U.S. citizens must submit their name, current address, citizenship, company affiliation (if applicable) to include address, telephone number, and their title, place of birth, date of birth, U.S. visa information to include type, number, and expiration date, U.S. Social Security Number (if applicable), Permanent Resident Alien card number and expiration date (if applicable), place and date of entry into the U.S., and Passport information to include Country of issue, number, and expiration date to the GSFC Security Office no later than the close of business on October 19, 2011. If the above information is not received by the noted dates, attendees should expect a minimum delay of two (2) hours. All visitors to this meeting will report to the Main Gate where they will be processed through security prior to entering GSFC. Please provide the appropriate data, via fax 301-286-1230, noting at the top of the page "Public Admission to the NASA Advisory Council, Information Technology Infrastructure Committee Meeting at GSFC". For security questions, please call Pam Starling at 301-286-6865 or [pamela.a.starling@nasa.gov](mailto:pamela.a.starling@nasa.gov) or Alternate: Debbie Brasel at 301-286-6876 order [deborah.a.brasel@nasa.gov](mailto:deborah.a.brasel@nasa.gov).

Dated: October 13, 2011.

**P. Diane Rausch,**

*Advisory Committee Management Officer,  
National Aeronautics and Space  
Administration.*

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**NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND  
SPACE ADMINISTRATION**

[Notice 11-098]

**NASA Advisory Council; Science  
Committee; Planetary Science  
Subcommittee; Meeting**

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) announces a meeting of the Planetary Science Subcommittee of the NASA Advisory Council (NAC). This Subcommittee reports to the Science Committee of the NAC. The meeting will be held for the purpose of soliciting, from the scientific community and other persons scientific, and technical information relevant to program planning.

**DATES:** Wednesday, November 2, 2011, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Thursday, November 3, 2011, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Local Time.

**ADDRESSES:** NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street, SW., Room 6H46, Washington, DC 20546.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Marian Norris, Science Mission Directorate, NASA Headquarters, Washington, DC 20546, (202) 358-4452, fax (202) 358-4118, or [mnorris@nasa.gov](mailto:mnorris@nasa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The meeting will be open to the public up to the capacity of the room. This meeting is also available telephonically and by WebEx. Any interested person may call the USA toll free conference call number 888-324-3907, pass code PSS, to participate in this meeting by telephone. The WebEx link is <https://nasa.webex.com>, meeting number on November 2 is 991 967 440, and password *PSS@Nov2*; the meeting number on November 3 is 996 034 764, and password *PSS@Nov3*. The agenda for the meeting includes the following topics:

- Status of Impacts on the Planetary Science Division
- Status of Joint NASA—European Space Agency Mars Program
- Europa Jupiter System Mission Descope Options
- Status of European Space Agency JUPitor ICy moon Explorer Potential Mission
- Status of Planetary Research and Analysis Program
- Status of Planetary Science Subcommittee "Assessment" Report and Recommendations to Planetary Science Division
- Assessment Group Reports

It is imperative that the meeting be held on these dates to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants. Attendees will be requested to sign a register and to comply with NASA security requirements, including the presentation of a valid picture ID, before receiving an access badge. Foreign nationals attending this meeting will be required to provide a copy of their passport, visa, or green card in addition to providing the following information no less than 10 working days prior to the meeting: full name; gender; date/place of birth; citizenship; visa/green card information (number, type, expiration date); passport information (number, country, expiration date); employer/affiliation information (name of institution, address, country, telephone); title/position of attendee. To

expedite admittance, attendees with U.S. citizenship can provide identifying information 3 working days in advance by contacting Marian Norris via e-mail at [mnorris@nasa.gov](mailto:mnorris@nasa.gov) or by telephone at (202) 358-4452.

October 13, 2011.

**P. Diane Rausch,**

*Advisory Committee Management Officer,  
National Aeronautics and Space  
Administration and Space Administration.*

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**NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS  
BOARD**

**Appointments of Individuals to Serve  
as Members of Performance Review  
Boards**

5 U.S.C. 4314 (c) (4) requires that the appointments of individuals to serve as members of performance review boards be published in the **Federal Register**. Therefore, in compliance with this requirement, notice is hereby given that the individuals whose names and position titles appear below have been appointed to serve as members of performance review boards in the National Labor Relations Board for the rating year beginning October 1, 2010 and ending September 30, 2011.

**Name and Title**

William B. Cowen—Solicitor

Kathleen A. Nixon—Deputy Chief Counsel to the Chairman

Gary W. Shinnners—Deputy Executive Secretary

Robert Schiff—Executive Assistant to the Chairman

Barry J. Kearney—Associate General Counsel, Division of Advice

Anne G. Purcell—Associate General Counsel, Division of Operations Management

Gloria Joseph—Director of Administration, Division of Administration

John H. Ferguson—Associate General Counsel, Division of Enforcement Litigation

Dated: Washington, DC, October 13, 2011.

By Direction of the Board.

**Gary W. Shinnners,**

*Deputy Executive Secretary.*

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