

Federal Reserve

Tuesday
November 28, 1995

Part XXIX

**National Foundation
on the Arts and the
Humanities**

Federal Council on the Arts and the
Humanities

Semiannual Regulatory Agenda

FEDERAL COUNCIL ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES (FCAH)

NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities

45 CFR Ch. XI

Unified Agenda of Regulations

AGENCY: Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities, NFAH.

ACTION: Publication of the unified agenda of regulations.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 601-612, and Executive Order 12866 "Regulatory Planning and Review," dated September 30, 1993, the Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities is required to publish, in April and October of each year, an agenda of proposed regulations that the Council has issued or expects

to issue and current rules that are under agency review.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael S. Shapiro, General Counsel, Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20506, (202) 606-8322.

Juan Mestas,
Deputy Chairman, National Endowment for the Humanities.

FEDERAL COUNCIL ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES (FCAH)

Long-Term Actions

3948. INDEMNITIES UNDER THE ARTS AND ARTIFACTS INDEMNITY ACT

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 20 USC 971 to 977

CFR Citation: 45 CFR 1160

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Arts and Artifacts Indemnity Act authorizes the Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities to enter into indemnification agreements for exhibitions of items determined by the Federal Council to be of educational, cultural, historical, or scientific value, the exhibition of which is certified by the Director of the United States Information Agency as being in the national interest. The

regulations permit the indemnification of eligible items from outside the United States while on exhibition in the United States. However, under current regulations, U.S.-owned loans may be indemnified only when exhibited abroad.

The Federal Council is considering an amendment that would permit the indemnification of eligible items from the United States while in this country in connection with an exhibition of eligible items from outside of the United States. The proposal is not intended to bring about a major shift in emphasis of the current policy or practice of the indemnity program. Specifically, exhibitions consisting solely of domestic items on exhibition

within the United States would continue to be ineligible for indemnification.

Timetable: Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

Agency Contact: Alice M. Whelihan, Indemnity Administrator, Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20506
Phone: 202 682-5442

RIN: 3134-AA00
[FR Doc. 95-24136 Filed 11-24-95; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 7536-01-F