

meeting will be open to the public. Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, (Pub. L. 92-463).

DATES: September 21, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Sheraton National Hotel, Columbia Pike & Washington Blvd., Arlington, VA.

PROPOSED SCHEDULE AND AGENDA: The DoD Healthcare Quality Initiatives Review Panel will meet in open session from approximately 8:30 am to 5:30 pm on September 21, 1999.

This meeting will include:

- Welcoming remarks and introductions
- Historical overview
- Review of statue
- Review of charter
- Orientation/Overview for Panel
- Suggested process for operation of the Panel; deliverable and timelines
- Twenty minutes for public comments

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Public seating for this meeting is limited and is available on a first-come, first-served basis. For information please contact Gia Edmonds at (703) 933-8325.

Dated: September 3, 1999.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Group of Advisors to the National Security Education Board Meeting

AGENCY: National Defense University.

ACTION: Notice of Meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Public Law 92-463, notice is hereby given of a forthcoming meeting of the Group of Advisors to the National Security Education Board. The purpose of the meeting is to review and make recommendations to the Board concerning requirements established by the David L. Boren National Security Education Act, Title VIII of Public Law 102-183, as amended.

DATES: October 5, 1999.

ADDRESSES: National Security Education Program Office, 1101 Wilson Boulevard—Suite 1210, Arlington, Virginia 22209.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Edmond J. Collier, Deputy Director, National Security Education Program, 1101 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 1210, Rosslyn P.O. Box 20010, Arlington, Virginia 22209-2248; (703) 696-1991. Electronic mail address: colliere@ndu.edu.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Group of Advisors meeting is open to the public.

Dated: September 3, 1999.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison officer,

Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Advisory Committee Meeting Notice

AGENCY: U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC), DoD.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Section 10 (a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), announcement is made of the following meeting:

Name of Committee: Distance Learning/ Training Technology Subcommittee of the Army Education Advisory Committee.

Date: 5-6 October 1999.

Place: Fort Eustis, Virginia.

Time: 0830-1630 (5 Oct 99); 0830-1640 (6 Oct 99).

Proposed Agenda: Swearing in of new members, a Command Overview briefing, and review of The Army Distance Learning Program (TADLP). This will include multimedia authoring standards, DL infrastructure, Deployable Training, Video Teletraining, a demonstration of DL Classroom, and demonstrations of CD ROM and Internet training products.

For Further Information Contact: All communications regarding this subcommittee should be addressed to Mr. Richard Karpinski, at Commander, Headquarters TRADOC, ATTN: ATTG-CF (Mr. Karpinski), Fort Monroe, VA 23651-5000; telephone number (757) 728-5531.

Supplementary Information: Meeting of the advisory committee is open to the public. Because of restricted meeting space, attendance will be limited to those persons who have notified the Advisory Committee Management Office in writing at least five days prior to the meeting of their intention to attend. Contact Mr. Karpinski (757) 728-5531 for meeting agenda and specific locations.

Any member of the public may file a written statement with the committee before, during, or after the meeting. To the extent that time permits, the committee chairman may allow public presentations or oral statements at the meeting.

Gregory D. Showalter,

Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers

Availability of the Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (dPEIS) for the Dredged Material Management Plan (DMMP) for the Port of New York/New Jersey (PANY/NJ)

AGENCY: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District, DOD.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The responsible lead agency is the U.S. Army Engineer District New York. The DMMP project area is in and surrounds the Port of New York/New Jersey and includes the New York Bight Apex, the Lower Bay Complex, which includes the Lower Bay, Raritan and Sandy Hook Bays, the Upper Bay Complex which includes the Hudson and East Rivers, Kill Van Kull, and Newark Bay, and the lands contiguous to these water bodies for a radius of approximately 20 miles. The document contains three reports the dPEIS, the DMMP, and the Technical Appendix for the DMMP. The dPEIS explores the available options and the Recommended Course of Action identified in the DMMP.

DATES: Written comments received within 45 days of the publication of the Environmental Protection Agency's Notice of Availability in the **Federal Register** will be considered by the Corps in decision-making for the final PEIS.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Questions regarding the scoping process or requests for the draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement may be directed to Mr. Robert J. Kurtz, EIS Coordinator, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Planning Division-Technical Services, New York District, Jacob K. Javits Federal Building, New York, New York 10278-0090, (212) 264-2230.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Several authorities exist to conduct navigation studies and maintain the New York Harbor, these include the Rivers and Harbors Appropriation Act of 1899 (33 U.S.C. 401-466n), the Federal Water Pollution Control Act of 1972 (Clean Water Act—CWA), and the Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act of 1972 (MPRSA). With respect to the preparation of the DMMP, Corps planning guidance stated in EC1165-2-200 requires each district to maintain responsibility for preparation of long-term plans to accomplish the mission defined in the above documents.

The linked problems associated with dredging in the Port are that sedimentation creates shallow depths,