

NIST Center for Neutron Research, for determination of future funding.

*Agenda:* Review and evaluate progress of NIST Center for Neutron Research, for determination of future funding.

*Reason for Closing:* The Center being reviewed includes information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463 as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meetings:

*Name:* Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research (1203).

*Dates & Times:* October 27, 2000; 8 a.m.—5 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 1060, Arlington, VA.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Bruce A. MacDonald, Program Director, Metals Program, Division of Materials Research, Room 1065, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone (703) 292-4935.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

*Agenda:* Review and evaluate proposals as part of the selection process to determine finalists considered for support for the FY 2001 Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER) proposals submitted for the Metals Program.

*Reason for Closing:* The proposals being evaluated include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research; Notice of Meetings

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463 as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

*Name:* Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research (1203).

*Time:* 8 a.m.—5 p.m.

*Date/Place:*

October 5-6, 2000—Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA

October 17-18, 2000—University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

October 26-27, 2000—University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

December 6-7, 2000—University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA

December 11-12, 2000—Columbia University, New York, NY

January 16-17, 2001—Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA

January 24-25, 2001—University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL

February 7-8, 2001—University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY

February 22-23, 2001—Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

March 7-8, 2001—University of Colorado, Boulder

March 22-23, 2001—Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

April 3-4, 2001—Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

*Type of Meetings:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Carmen Huber, tel (703) 292-4939, or Dr. Ulrich Strom, tel (703) 292-4938, Program Directors, Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers, Division of Materials Research, Room 1065, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning progress of Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers.

*Agenda:* Review and evaluate progress of Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers.

*Reason For Closing:* The Centers being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463 as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meetings.

*Name:* Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research (1203).

*Dates & Times:* October 17, 2000; 8 a.m.—5 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 1060, Arlington, VA.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. LaVerne D. Hess, Program Director, Electronic Materials Program, Division of Materials Research, Room 1065, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone (703) 292-4937.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

*Agenda:* Review and evaluate proposals as part of the selection process to determine finalists considered for support for the FY 2001 Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER) proposals submitted for the Electronic Materials Program.

*Reason for Closing:* The proposals being evaluated include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### Hartford Life Insurance Company, et al.

September 11, 2000.

**AGENCY:** Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission").

**ACTION:** Notice of application for an order pursuant to section 6(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 ("1940 Act" or "Act") granting exemptions from sections 2(a)(32), 22(c) and 27(i)(2)(A) of the Act and Rule 22c-1 thereunder.

### Applicants

Hartford Life Insurance Company ("Hartford Life"), Hartford Life and Annuity Insurance Company ("Hartford L&A"), Hartford Life Insurance