

Advisory Committee of Experts, Washington, DC 20340-1328, telephone (202) 231-3507.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The entire meeting is devoted to the discussion of classified information as defined in Section 552b(c)(1), Title 5 of the U.S. Code, and therefore will be closed to the public. The Board will receive briefings on and discuss several current critical intelligence issues and advise the Director, DIA, on related scientific and technical matters.

Dated: January 31, 2002.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Defense Advisory Committee on Military Personnel Testing

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Public Law 92-463, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Defense Advisory Committee on Military Personnel Testing is scheduled to be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on February 28, 2002 and from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on March 1, 2002. The meeting will be held at the Catamaran Hotel in San Diego, California. The purpose of the meeting is to review planned changes and progress in developing computerized and paper-and-pencil enlistment tests and renorming of the tests. Persons desiring to make oral presentations or submit written statements for consideration at the Committee meeting must contact Dr. Jane M. Arabian, Assistant Director, Accession Policy, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Force Management Policy), Room 2B271, The Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-4000, telephone (703) 697-9271, no later than February 15, 2002.

Dated: January 31, 2002.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Overseas Dependents' School National Advisory Panel on the Education of Dependents with Disabilities

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense Education Activity (DoDEA), DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Public Law 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. app. II), the Federal Advisory Committee Act, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the National Advisory Panel (NAP) on the Education of Dependents with Disabilities is scheduled to be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on April 16-18, 2002. The meeting is open to the public and will be held in the Holiday Inn Hotel conference room at 4610 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22203. The purpose of the meeting is to (1) review the responses to the panel's recommendations from its May 8-10, 2001 meeting; (2) review and comment on data and information provided by DoDEA; and (3) review and comment on reports from subcommittees. Persons desiring to attend the meeting or desiring to make oral presentations or submit written statements for consideration by the panel must contact Ms. Diana Patton at (703) 696-4386 extension 1947.

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[CFDA Nos. 84.116A, 84.116B]

#### Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education—Comprehensive Program (Preapplications and Applications); Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 2002

**Purpose of Program:** To provide grants or enter into cooperative agreements to improve postsecondary education opportunities.

**Eligible Applicants:** Institutions of higher education or combinations of those institutions and other public and private nonprofit institutions and agencies.

**Applications Available:** February 1, 2002.

**Deadline for Transmittal of Preapplications:** March 13, 2002.

**Deadline for Transmittal of Final Applications:** May 24, 2002.

**Note:** All applicants must submit a preapplication to be eligible to submit a final application.

**Deadline for Intergovernmental Review:** July 23, 2002.

**Available Funds:** \$9,958,000.

**Estimated Range of Awards:** \$50,000–\$275,000 per year.

**Estimated Average Size of Awards:** \$156,000 per year.

**Estimated Number of Awards:** 60–65.

**Note:** the Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.

**Project Period:** Up to 36 months.

**Applicable Regulations:** The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) in 34 CFR parts 74, 75, 77, 79, 80, 82, 85, 86, 97, 98, and 99.

### Invitational Priorities

While applicants may propose any project within the scope of 20 U.S.C. 1138(a), under 34 CFR 75.105(c)(1) the Secretary is particularly interested in applications that meet one or more of the following invitational priorities. However, an application that meets one or more of these invitational priorities does not receive competitive or absolute preference over other applications.

#### Invitational Priority 1

Projects to improve the quality of K-12 teaching through new models of teacher preparation and through new kinds of partnerships between schools and colleges and universities that enhance students' preparation for, access to, and success in college.

#### Invitational Priority 2

Projects to promote innovative reforms in the curriculum and instruction at the college preparation, undergraduate, and graduate/professional levels, especially through student-centered or technology-mediated strategies.

#### Invitational Priority 3

Projects designing more cost-effective ways of improving postsecondary instruction and operations, i.e., to promote more student learning relative to institutional resources expended.

#### Invitational Priority 4

Projects to support new ways of ensuring equal access to postsecondary education, and to improve rates of retention and program completion, especially for underrepresented students whose retention and completion rates continue to lag behind those of other groups.