

**MILLENNIUM CHALLENGE CORPORATION**

[MCC FR 11-13]

**Notice of the December 15, 2011, Millennium Challenge Corporation Board of Directors Meeting; Sunshine Act Meeting**

**AGENCY:** Millennium Challenge Corporation.

**TIME AND DATE:** 3 p.m. to 5 p.m., Thursday, December 15, 2011.

**PLACE:** Department of State, 2201 C Street NW., Washington, DC 20520.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Information on the meeting may be obtained from Melvin F. Williams, Jr., Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary via email at [Corporatesecretary@mcc.gov](mailto:Corporatesecretary@mcc.gov) or by telephone at (202) 521-3600.

**STATUS:** Meeting will be closed to the public.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Millennium Challenge Corporation ("MCC") will hold a meeting to discuss the Cape Verde Compact and the 2012 Selection Process. The agenda items are expected to involve the consideration of classified information and the meeting will be closed to the public.

Dated: November 28, 2011.

**Melvin F. Williams, Jr.,**

*VP/General Counsel and Corporate Secretary, Millennium Challenge Corporation.*

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**NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION****National Science Board; Sunshine Act Meetings; Notice**

The National Science Board's *ad hoc* Committee on Honorary Awards, pursuant to NSF regulations (45 CFR part 614), the National Science Foundation Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1862n-5), and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), hereby gives notice in regard to the scheduling of meetings for the transaction of National Science Board business and other matters specified, as follows:

**DATE AND TIME:** Monday, December 5, 2011 at 3 p.m., EST.

**SUBJECT MATTER:** Continued discussion of candidates for the 2012 Vannevar Bush Award and 2012 National Science Board Public Service Award.

**STATUS:** Closed.

This meeting will be held by teleconference originating at the National Science Board Office, National

Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230.

Please refer to the National Science Board Web site (<http://www.nsf.gov/nsb>) for information or schedule updates, or contact: Ann Ferrante, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-7000.

**Ann Bushmiller,**

*NSB Senior Legal Counsel.*

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**NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION****National Science Board; Sunshine Act Meetings; Notice**

The National Science Board's Subcommittee on Facilities, Committee on Strategy and Budget, pursuant to NSF regulations (45 CFR part 614), the National Science Foundation Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1862n-5), and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), hereby gives notice in regard to the scheduling of meetings for the transaction of National Science Board business as follows:

**DATE AND TIME:** Monday, December 5, 2011 at 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., EST.

**SUBJECT MATTER:** Discuss and approve COMPETES Mid-scale Instrumentation Report.

**STATUS:** Open.

**LOCATION:** This meeting will be held by teleconference at the National Science Board Office, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. A public listening room will be available for this teleconference meeting. All visitors must contact the Board Office (call (703) 292-7000 or send an email message to [nationalsciencebrd@nsf.gov](mailto:nationalsciencebrd@nsf.gov)) at least 24 hours prior to the teleconference for the public room number and to arrange for a visitor's badge. All visitors must report to the NSF visitor desk located in the lobby at the 9th and N. Stuart Streets entrance on the day of the teleconference to receive a visitor's badge.

**UPDATES AND POINT OF CONTACT:** Please refer to the National Science Board Web site <http://www.nsf.gov/nsb> for additional information and schedule updates (time, place, subject matter or status of meeting). The point of contact for this meeting is: Blane Dahl, National Science Board Office, 4201 Wilson

Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-7000.

**Ann Bushmiller,**

*NSB Senior Legal Counsel.*

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**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION****Advisory Committee on the Medical Uses of Isotopes: Meeting Notice**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) will convene a teleconference meeting of the Advisory Committee on the Medical Uses of Isotopes (ACMUI) on December 15, 2011, to discuss the ACMUI's recommendations on proposed revisions to the Abnormal Occurrence medical event criteria. A copy of the agenda for the meeting will be available at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/acmui/agenda> or by contacting Ms. Ashley Cockerham using the information below.

**DATES:** The teleconference meeting will be held on Thursday, December 15, 2011, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. Eastern Standard Time (EST).

**Public Participation:** Any member of the public who wishes to participate in the teleconference discussions should contact Ms. Cockerham using the contact information below.

**Contact Information:** Ashley M. Cockerham, email: [ashley.cockerham@nrc.gov](mailto:ashley.cockerham@nrc.gov), telephone: (240) 888-7129.

**Conduct of the Meeting**

Leon S. Malmud, M.D., will chair the meeting. Dr. Malmud will conduct the meeting in a manner that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. The following procedures apply to public participation in the meeting:

1. Persons who wish to provide a written statement should submit an electronic copy to Ms. Cockerham at the contact information listed above. All submittals must be received by December 8, 2011, and must pertain to the topic on the agenda for the meeting.

2. Questions and comments from members of the public will be permitted during the meetings, at the discretion of the Chairman.

3. The transcripts will be available on the ACMUI's web site (<http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/acmui/tr/>) approximately 30

calendar days following the meeting, on January 16, 2012. A meeting summary will be available approximately 30 business days following the meeting, on January 31, 2012.

The meetings will be held in accordance with the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (primarily Section 161a); the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App); and the Commission's regulations in Title 10, *U.S. Code of Federal Regulations*, Part 7.

Dated: November 25, 2011.

**Andrew L. Bates,**

*Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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## POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. MT2011-3; Order No. 998]

### Standard Mail Market Test

**AGENCY:** Postal Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission is noticing a recently-filed Postal Service application for an exemption from the annual revenue limitation that applies to market tests of experimental market dominant products. It seeks the exemption for Every Door Direct Mail Retail, a Standard Flats experiment now underway. This document describes the Postal Service's reasons for seeking the exemption, addresses procedural aspects of the filing, and invites public comment.

**DATES:** *Comment deadline:* December 5, 2011; *reply comment deadline:* December 12, 2011.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments electronically via the Commission's Filing Online system at <http://www.prc.gov>. Those who cannot submit comments electronically should contact the person identified in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section by telephone for advice on filing alternatives.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Stephen L. Sharfman, General Counsel, (202) 789-6820 or [stephen.sharfman@prc.gov](mailto:stephen.sharfman@prc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On November 18, 2011, the Postal Service filed a request, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3641, for an exemption from the \$10,000,000 revenue limitation in any year during the test of an experimental market dominant product.<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to

39 U.S.C. 3641, the Commission previously approved the market test.<sup>2</sup>

EDDM-R is a Standard Mail Flats experimental product. It must meet the preparation requirements of the Simplified Address option for Standard Mail Saturation Mail, be flat-shaped, and weigh less than 3.3 ounces. Neither a permit nor mailing fee is required but it must be entered and paid for at a local Destination Delivery Unit (DDU) and not exceed 5,000 pieces per delivery unit. Request at 1.

The Postal Service explains that EDDM-R service commenced on March 31, 2011, and since then revenue has grown rapidly to about \$8.5 million. If growth continues, revenue for FY 2012 will reach the \$10 million limitation within 2 or 3 months. *Id.* at 2.

Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3641(e), revenues from a test product may not exceed \$10 million in any year unless, upon written application, the Commission exempts the test from that limit, up to \$50 million in any year subject to an adjustment for inflation under 39 U.S.C. 3641(g). The Commission shall approve the application for exemption if it determines under 39 U.S.C. 3641(e)(2) that the product is likely to benefit the public and meet an expected demand; likely to contribute to the financial stability of the Postal Service; and not likely to result in unfair or otherwise inappropriate competition.

The Postal Service asserts EDDM-R is likely to benefit the public and meet an expected demand. In support, it points to widespread interest in the product, revenues of \$3.4 million this fiscal year, and 87 percent of revenues are from new customers. EDDM-R permits small and medium-sized businesses to communicate at low cost in their marketing areas by mailing without permits or fees and simplifying mail entry. *Id.* at 3. The Postal Service states EDDM-R revenue has been about \$8.5 million and contribution to date has been approximately \$4.9 million which contributes to financial stability. *Id.* at 4. The Postal Service also states EDDM-R is unlikely to result in unfair or inappropriate competition. All customers, including Mail Service Providers (MSPs) are eligible to participate in the program. *Id.* EDDM-R does not eliminate or increase the cost to small or medium-sized businesses that use or may use MSP services. Non-

Retail, November 18, 2011 (Request). The product was originally named Marketing Mail Made Easy, but was renamed Every Door Direct Mail (EDDM)—Retail. Request at 1.

<sup>2</sup> Order Approving Market Test of Experimental Product—Marketing Mail Made Easy (Order No. 687), March 1, 2011.

mail options for advertising have remained competitive. Rather than a substitute for other media, EDDM-R enhances businesses' ability to use mail as a part of an integrated marketing plan. *Id.* at 5.

The Commission will receive comments on the Postal Service's Request. Interested persons may submit comments on whether the Postal Service's Request is consistent with the policies of 39 U.S.C. 3641(e)(2) and (g). Comments are due not later than December 5, 2011. Reply comments are due not later than December 12, 2011. The filing can be accessed via the Commission's Web Site (<http://www.prc.gov>).

The Commission has previously appointed Larry Fenster to serve as Public Representative in this docket.

*It is ordered:*

1. The Commission will receive comments on the Request in this Docket No. MT2011-3 for consideration of the matters raised by the Request.

2. Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505, Larry Fenster remains appointed to serve as officer of the Commission (Public Representative) to represent the interests of the general public in this proceeding.

3. Comments by interested persons are due no later than December 5, 2011.

4. Reply comments are due no later than December 12, 2011.

5. The Secretary shall arrange for publication of this order in the **Federal Register**.

By the Commission,

**Ruth Ann Abrams,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## POSTAL SERVICE

### Board of Governors; Sunshine Act Meeting

**DATE AND TIME:** Tuesday, December 13, 2011, at 9 a.m.

**PLACE:** Washington, DC, at U.S. Postal Service Headquarters, 475 L'Enfant Plaza SW.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

**Tuesday, December 13, at 9 a.m. (Closed)**

1. Strategic Issues.
2. Financial Matters.
3. Pricing.
4. Personnel Matters and Compensation Issues.
5. Governors' Executive Session—Discussion of prior agenda items and Board Governance.

<sup>1</sup> Request of the United States Postal Service for Exemption from Revenue Limitation on Market Test of Experimental Product—Every Door Direct Mail