

**This proposed sale supports the Iraqi Prime Minister al-Maliki Initiative to train and equip an additional 30,000 additional Iraqi soldiers to accelerate the transition of combat operations in Iraq from Coalition to Iraqi National Forces, and is funded by Iraqi national funds. This proposed sale is critical in that it helps the Iraqi Government overcome internal contracting shortcomings, make effective use of Calendar Year 2007 fiscal resources, and make substantial investments in its own defense. The proposed sale will fund the establishment of new brigade headquarters and new battalions to increase the Iraqi force structure.**

**The vehicles will advance the U. S. Government's efforts to transition combat operations to the Iraqi Armed Forces.**

**The proposed sale of this equipment and support will not affect the basic military balance in the region.**

**The contractors are unknown at this time. There are no known offset agreements proposed in connection with this potential sale.**

**Implementation of this proposed sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government representatives or contractor representatives to Iraq.**

**There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.**

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Meeting of the Defense Department Advisory Committee on Women in the Services (DACOWITS)

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 10(a), Public Law 92-463, as amended, notice is hereby given of a forthcoming meeting of the Defense Department Advisory Committee on Women in the Services (DACOWITS). The purpose of the Committee meeting is to introduce new members and conduct orientation training. The meeting is open to the public, subject to the availability of space.

Interested persons may submit a written statement for consideration by the Committee and make an oral presentation of such. Persons desiring to make an oral presentation or submit a written statement to the Committee must notify the point of contact listed below no later than 5 p.m., 29 December 2006. Oral presentations by members of

the public will be permitted only on Wednesday, 3 January 2007 from 4:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. before the full Committee. Presentations will be limited to two minutes. Number of oral presentations to be made will depend on the number of requests received from members of the public. Each person desiring to make an oral presentation must provide the point of contact listed below with one (1) copy of the presentation by 5 p.m., 29 December 2006 and bring 35 copies of any material that is intended for distribution at the meeting. Persons submitting a written statement must submit 35 copies of the statement to the DACOWITS staff by 5 p.m. on 29 December 2006.

**DATES:** 3 January 2007 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., 4 January 2007, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., 5 January 2007, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

*Location:* Double Tree Hotel Crystal City National Airport, 300 Army Navy Drive, Arlington, VA 22202.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** CPT Arnalda Magloire, USA, DACOWITS, 4000 Defense Pentagon, Room 2C548A, Washington, DC 20301-4000. Telephone (703) 697-2122. Fax (703) 614-6233.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Meeting agenda.

**Wednesday 3, January 2007 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.**

Welcome & Administrative Remarks.  
2006 Report Review.  
Public Forum.

**Thursday 4, January 2007 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.**

Welcome & Administrative Remarks.  
2006 Report Review.

**Friday 5, January 2007 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.**

Welcome & Administrative Remarks.  
2006 Report Review.

**Note:** Exact order may vary.

Dated: December 12, 2006.

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**SUMMARY:** The IC Clearance Official, Regulatory Information Management Services, Office of Management invites comments on the submission for OMB