

and L5 overview presentations, and an afternoon session (1 p.m. to 4 p.m.) for technical presentations on both new signals. The morning agenda includes: Overview of GPS Modernization Program; the New L2 Civil Signal; the New L5 Civil Signal and the GPS JPO Interface Control Document (ICD) Review and Approval Process. The afternoon agenda includes: Technical Description of the Planned L2 Design; Laboratory Implementation of the New L2 Civil Signal; Technical Description of the Planned L5 Signal Design. Copies of the April 16, 2001 "NAVSTAR GPS Space Segment/User Segment L5 Interfaces (ICD-GPS-705)," the May 31, 2001 "Pre-Proposed Interface Revision Notice to ICD-GPS-200C for L2 Civil (L2C) Signal (PPIRN-200C-007)" and the briefing charts to the May 2, 2001 "GPS L2 and L5 Civil Signal Industry Day" presentations are now available on the GPS JPO public website [https://gps.losangeles.af.mil/gpslibrary/2000\\_public/2100\\_html/documents.html](https://gps.losangeles.af.mil/gpslibrary/2000_public/2100_html/documents.html).

This event will be held in the FAA Auditorium, 800 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20591. The Industry Day conference is unclassified and formal visit requests are not necessary, but for security purposes, the GPS JPO must provide a list of all attendees to the FAA not later than June 22, 2001. Therefore, attendees should provide attendance notification to Veronique Benjamins (SAIC), phone (310) 363-6515, fax (310) 363-1581 by June 20, 2001. To expedite check-in security procedures, all attendees should provide e-mail notification to Veronique.Benjamins@LOSANGELES.AF.MIL. Please include the words, "29 June 2001 GPS L2/L5 Civil Signal Public Forum Attendee" in the subject line of your e-mail. The FAA Auditorium allows seating for 175 attendees and seating will be on a first come basis. The Government will not pay for any costs associated with attending this briefing or for any information. Picture identification will be required for admittance.

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**DATES:** If you intend to participate in these meetings, please submit your e-mail notification not later than June 21, 2001.

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#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **Background**

The Global Positioning System employs a constellation of 24 satellites and associated ground stations to provide continuously transmitted world-wide positioning, navigation, and timing signals for use with appropriately configured GPS user equipment. The current generation GPS space vehicles transmit signals at the L1 and L2 frequencies. In the future, new civil signals will be transmitted on the L2 and L5 frequencies. The international civilian and military communities employ the dual use Global Positioning System.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

### **Office of the Secretary**

#### **Defense Science Board**

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice of Advisory Committee Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Defense Science Board (DSB) Summer Study will meet in closed session August 13-24, 2001, at the Beckman Center, Irvine, CA. At these meetings, the Defense Science Board will discuss interim findings and recommendations resulting from two ongoing Task Force activities: Defense Science & Technology (S&T) and Precision Targeting.

The mission of the Defense Science Board is to advise the Secretary of Defense and the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology & Logistics on scientific and technical matters as they affect the perceived needs of the Department of Defense. At these meetings, the Board will address the issues involved in assuring that the U.S. continues to gain access to and develop technology from which to gain military advantage. They will consider future technologies that should be developed and exploited for military applications, particularly potential technologies that provide the U.S. military an asymmetric advantage in conflict, in deployment, and at home; the appropriate mix of in-house, contractor, university and commercial providers of basic and applied research and of advanced development; how DoD can leverage technology that is under

development and produced globally in commercial industry, as well as that which is being discovered and demonstrated in the S&T programs funded by both other U.S. agencies and other nations; the situation of and the contribution of the DoD laboratories in this changing world; and how to maintain excellence in in-house S&T endeavors.

The Board will also examine the full range of the precision weapons targeting in tactical military operations, from target execution, location, and identification through mission execution and damage assessment. Specifically, all planned precision weapons programs and procurements will be examined to determine the degree to which these weapons are compatible with targeting requirements for different target classes; the degree to which existing and planned reconnaissance and surveillance assets are used to effectively develop target sets, real time targeting data and perform battle damage assessment under varied degrees of cover, concealment and deception; our ability to identify and precisely locate targets while minimizing false alarms using automatic target recognition techniques and precision location technologies; and our ability to attack moving targets.

In accordance with Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, P.L. No. 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II), it has been determined that these Defense Science Board meetings, concern matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1), and that accordingly these meetings will be closed to the public.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

### **Office of the Secretary**

#### **Defense Science Board**

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice of Advisory Committee Meetings.

**SUMMARY:** The Defense Science Board (DSB) Task Force on E-Commerce will meet in closed session on September 25-26, 2001, and October 23, 2001, at SAIC, Inc., 4001 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA. This Task Force will review the DoD's current implementation status of e-commerce tools and make any appropriate