

NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES**Meetings of Humanities Panel**

AGENCY: The National Endowment for the Humanities, NFAH.

ACTION: Notice of meetings.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), notice is hereby given that the following meetings of the Humanities Panel will be held at the Old Post Office, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Laura S. Nelson, Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Humanities, Washington, DC 20506; telephone (202) 606-8322. Hearing-impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Endowment's TDD terminal on (202) 606-8282.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed meetings are for the purpose of panel review, discussion, evaluation and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the agency by the grant applicants. Because the proposed meetings will consider information that is likely to disclose trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential and/or information of a personal nature the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, pursuant to authority granted me by the Chairman's Delegation of Authority to Close Advisory Committee meetings, dated July 19, 1993, I have determined that these meetings will be closed to the public pursuant to subsections (c) (4), and (6) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

1. **Date:** October 23, 2001.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Library & Archival Preservation and Access/Reference Materials, submitted to the Division of Preservation and Access at the July 1, 2001 deadline.

1. **Date:** October 26, 2001.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Library & Archival Preservation and Access/Reference Materials, submitted to the Division of

Preservation and Access at the July 1, 2001 deadline.

Laura S. Nelson,

Advisory Committee, Management Officer.

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NATIONAL INDIAN GAMING COMMISSION**Paperwork Reduction Act**

AGENCY: National Indian Gaming Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The National Indian Gaming Commission (NIGC), in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, intends to submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and extend approval for the information collection activity associated with the submission of an annual audit report pursuant to 25 CFR 542.3(d) by Indian tribes conducting gaming under the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act. As to this information collection activity, the NIGC solicits public comment on: The need for the information; the practical utility of the information and whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of NIGC functions; the accuracy of the burden estimate; and ways that the NIGC might minimize this burden, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES AND ADDRESSES: Comments regarding the NIGC's evaluation of the information collection activity and its request to OMB to extend approval for the information collection must be received by December 14, 2001. When providing comment, a respondent should specify the particular collection activity to which the comment pertains. Send comments to: National Indian Gaming Commission (Attn: Michele Mitchell), 1441 L Street NW., Suite 9100, Washington, DC 20005. The NIGC regulation to which the information collection pertains is available on the NIGC website, www.nigc.gov. The regulation is also available by written request to the NIGC (Attn: Michele Mitchell), 1441 L Street NW., Suite 9100, Washington, DC 20005, or by telephone request at (202) 632-7003. This is not a toll-free number. All other requests for information should be submitted to Michele Mitchell at the above address for the NIGC.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Minimum Internal Control Standards.

OMB Number: 3141-0009.

Abstract: The Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, 25 U.S.C. 2701 *et seq.*, authorizes the NIGC to promulgate regulations sufficient to shield Indian gaming from corrupting influences, to ensure that the tribes are the primary beneficiaries of gaming and to assure that Indian gaming is fair and honest. The NIGC's Minimum Internal Control standards provide a baseline from which to gauge whether a tribe has implemented controls sufficient to protect the assets of its gaming operation(s). The information required by 25 CFR 542.3(d) is essential to the Commission's ability to fulfill its oversight responsibilities. This evaluation may be completed within the annual financial audit of the gaming operation and does not require a separate audit of the gaming operation's internal control system.

Respondents: Indian tribal gaming operations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 320.

Estimated Annual Responses: 320.

Estimated Annual Burden Hours per Respondent: 92 hrs.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 29,440 hours.

Jacqueline Agtuca,

Chief of Staff.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION**Business and Operations Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting**

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

Name: Business and Operations Advisory Committee (9556).

Date/Time: October 29, 2001 8:30 am-5:15 pm (EDT) and October 30, 2001 8:30 am-2 pm (EDT).

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 110, Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Mary Ann Birchett, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230 (703) 292-8200.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice concerning issues related to the oversight, development, and enhancement of NSF's business operations.

Agenda

October 29, 2001

- Update of Recent Activities
- Follow-up of Discussion Items from Spring Meeting