

potential of UAV and UCAV systems and, further, recommend how these constraints might be mitigated or removed.

In accordance with Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. no. 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II), it has been determined that this Defense Science Board Task Force meeting concerns matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1) and that, accordingly, the meeting 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 meeting.

SUMMARY: The Defense Science Board Task Force on Exploiting Technology to Transform Military Manpower will meet in closed session on April 18, 2003, at SAIC, 4001 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA. This Task Force will identify technology options that will reduce military manpower burden of asynchronous threat operations at home and abroad, and recommend a strategic approach to transforming military manpower beginning with the force Protection mission.

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 this meeting, the Task Force will address longer term technology options for optimizing manpower utilization and for providing manpower flexibility across the full spectrum of operations. Specifically, the Task Force will undertake a broader, more strategic analysis of military manpower requirements and provide the Department with a long term approach for exploiting technology to support overall military manpower transformation. The Department has identified eight functional domains pertinent to DoD missions that may serve the Task Force as a constructive point of departure: training and education; command, control,

communications (C³); security and police; manpower utilization; logistics; repair and maintenance; intelligence analysis; and reduced manning weapons systems/platforms.

In accordance with section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II), it has been determined that this Defense Science Board Task Force meeting concerns matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1) and that, accordingly, the meeting 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 Task Force on Ends vice Means will meet in closed session on March 25, 2003; April 30, 2003; and May 20, 2003, at SAIC, 4001 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA. The Task Force will review and evaluate alternative ways of managing US foreign intelligence endeavors in support of national security, by focusing not on the means by which intelligence information is collected, but rather the ends it is to serve.

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 Defense Science Board Task Force will: define the DoD needs for better integrated intelligence products (e.g., products to support DoD missions from an effects based perspective); review and evaluate, within the current context, recent, extant prescriptions for reform of US intelligence; identify those individuals currently charged with answering intelligence questions and ascertain the actual degree of influence they wield over the process; solicit from current Program Managers in the Intelligence Community their ideas on how the processes they now manage can be made more responsive to intelligence ends; articulate the vision for managing

US intelligence according to "ends" instead of "means"; prescribe the core changes that would be required to reorient the US Intelligence Community toward the ends satisfied rather than means undertaken; and evaluate the potential costs and benefits of such reformation, recognizing the debilitation that can accompany significant change.

In accordance with section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II), it has been determined that these Defense Science Board Task Force 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

Department of the Navy

Notice of Availability of Government-Owned Inventions; Available for Licensing

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, DoD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The inventions listed below are assigned to the United States Government as represented by the Secretary of the Navy and are available for licensing by the Department of the Navy. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/068,315 entitled "Generation of Viable Cell Active Biomaterial Patterns by Laser Transfer", Navy Case No. 83,665, filed 8 February 2002 and Navy Case No. 84,150 entitled "Network Pump", Disclosure of Invention filed 16 August 2002.

ADDRESSES: Requests for copies of the inventions cited should be directed to the Naval Research Laboratory, Code 1004, 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20375-5320, and must include the Navy Case number.

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