

operations planning and other continuity planning. Also included are electronic copies of documents created using word processing and electronic mail. Proposed for permanent retention are recordkeeping copies of files relating to joint planning and organizational planning. This schedule authorizes the agency to apply the proposed disposition instructions to any recordkeeping medium.

7. Department of Homeland Security, Transportation Security Administration (N1-560-03-15, 4 items, 2 temporary items). Electronic copies of records created using electronic mail and word processing that are associated with the internal and external correspondence of the agency's Administrator, Deputy Administrator, and Chief of Staff. Recordkeeping copies of these files are proposed for permanent retention.

8. Department of Homeland Security, Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement (N1-563-04-1, 4 items, 4 temporary items). Inputs, outputs, master files, and documentation associated with the Student and Exchange Visitor Information System, an electronic system containing personal data used to track and monitor non-immigrant students, exchange visitors, and their dependents in the United States.

9. Department of the Treasury, Bureau of the Public Debt (N1-53-03-12, 5 items, 5 temporary items). Paper and microfilm inputs for the Special Purpose Securities System, electronic reports generated from this system, and Federal Housing Administration reports. Records relate to such matters as early redemption requests, redemption of time deposits, fund receipt reports, future and prior issues and payments, security rollovers, notices of assessments, payment summaries, and interest accruals.

10. Department of the Treasury, Air Transportation Stabilization Board (N1-56-03-9, 11 items, 4 temporary items). Routine correspondence and staff working papers relating to loan guarantee programs to assist air carriers for losses incurred as a result of the terrorist attacks on the United States that occurred on September 11, 2001. Also included are electronic copies of records created using electronic mail and word processing. Proposed for permanent retention are recordkeeping copies of loan guarantee application files, decision memorandums and supporting documentation, loan agreements, decision letters, meeting minutes, press releases, and quarterly loan monitoring reports.

11. Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Health Administration (N1-

15-02-6, 10 items, 10 temporary items). Paper and electronic records relating to the employment incentive scholarship program and the education debt reduction program. Records relate to participants in these programs as well as to non-selected applicants. Included are such files as applications, worksheets, payment summaries, and an electronic database used for tracking applications. Also included are electronic copies of records created using word processing and electronic mail.

12. Environmental Protection Agency, Agency-wide (N1-412-03-20, 3 items, 3 temporary item). Records relating to clearing persons and companies who require access to confidential business information. Also included are electronic copies of records created using electronic email and word processing.

13. National Archives and Records Administration, Government-wide (N1-GRS-04-1, 9 items, 8 temporary items). Addition to the General Records Schedules for records of temporary commissions, boards, councils, and committees. Included are such records as files relating to day-to-day administrative activities, web site records (except for records identified by NARA as historically valuable), and committee management records. Also included are electronic copies of records created using electronic mail and word processing. Recordkeeping copies of files documenting the establishment, membership, policies, organization, deliberations, findings, and recommendations of these bodies are proposed for permanent retention.

14. Small Business Administration, Office of Business Development (N1-309-03-10, 6 items, 6 temporary items). Inputs, outputs, master files, documentation, and backups of the Small Disadvantaged Business Tracking System, an electronic system used to track the Small Disadvantaged Business certification process.

15. Social Security Administration, Office of Disability and Income Security Programs (N1-47-03-1, 26 items, 26 temporary items). Claim files and other records related to Title II (Retirement, Survivors and Disability Insurance) and Title XVI (Supplemental Security Income for the Aged, Blind and Disabled) of the Social Security Act. Also included are electronic copies of records created using electronic mail and word processing. This schedule authorizes the agency to apply the proposed disposition instructions to any recordkeeping medium.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of Permit Applications Received Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (Pub. L. 95-541)

AGENCY: National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Notice of permit applications received under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978, Pub. L. 95-541.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish notice of permit applications received to conduct activities regulated under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. NSF has published regulations under the Antarctic Conservation Act at Title 45 part 670 of the Code of Federal Regulations. This is the required notice of permit applications received.

DATES: Interested parties are invited to submit written data, comments, or views with respect to this permit application by December 10, 2003. This application may be inspected by interested parties at the Permit Office, address below.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to Permit Office, Room 755, Office of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nadene G. Kennedy at the above address or (703) 292-7405.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Science Foundation, as directed by the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (Pub. L. 95-541), as amended by the Antarctic Science, Tourism and Conservation Act of 1996, has developed regulations for the establishment of a permit system for various activities in Antarctica and designation of certain animals and certain geographic areas requiring special protection. The regulations establish such a permit system to designate Antarctic Specially Protected Areas.

The applications received are as follows:

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