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In accordance with Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II, (1988)), it has been determined that these DSB Task Force meetings concern matters listed in 5 U.S.C. § 552b(c)(1) (1988), and that accordingly these meetings will be closed to the public.

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Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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Defense Science Board Task Force on Privatization and Outsourcing

ACTION: Notice of Advisory Committee Meeting.

SUMMARY: The Defense Science Board Task Force on Privatization and Outsourcing will meet in open session on January 16-17, 1996 at TASC, 1101 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia.

The mission of the Defense Science Board is to advise the Secretary of Defense and the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology on scientific and technical matters as they affect the perceived needs of the Department of Defense.

Persons interested in further information should call Ms. Julia Vindasius at (703) 695-7178 or Ms. Lois Lembo 358-9090 ext 6430.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Notice of Public Meeting for Request for Expressions of Interest for Tritium Production

AGENCY: U.S. Department of Energy (DOE).

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: On December 6, 1995, the Department announced a formal Record of Decision implementing a dual-track strategy to assure a future tritium source. The Department's preferred strategy for acquiring new supplies of tritium is to pursue the two most promising production alternatives: (1) to purchase irradiation services from one or more existing Commercial Light Water Reactors (CLWRs), or purchase and convert a CLWR for tritium production; and (2) to design, build and test critical components of an Accelerator-Produced Tritium system to be used for tritium production.

On December 13, 1996, a Request for Expression of Interest was published in the Federal Register (60 FR 64104) concerning DOE's possible acquisition of one or more Commercial Light Water Reactors, or acquisition of irradiation services from CLWRs, for the production of tritium.

As indicated in the Request, the Department is announcing that it intends to host a public meeting to discuss issues related to this Request and to provide information for potentially interested parties.

DATES AND ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held on January 16, 1996, at 9:00 a.m. in room 1E-245 of the Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C.

To update the preliminary schedule in the Appendix of the Request, initial expressions of interest should be submitted on or before January 29, 1996. Supplementary information regarding the expressions of interest should be submitted on or before February 26, 1996. Submissions should be directed to: Stephen M. Sohinki, Director, Office of Reconfiguration, DP-25, United States Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585, Attention: Tritium EOI, Telephone: (202) 586-0838.

A copy of the reports describing technical work accomplished, thus far, during the Tritium Target Development Project is available in the DOE Headquarters reading room at 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C.

A record of the meeting including answers to questions that, in DOE's

judgement, are of general interest and applicability to all potential respondents will be mailed to all attendees as well as other parties requesting such information, and will be made available for review along with a full text copy of the Request, in the Public Reading Room at DOE headquarters in Washington, D.C., and on the Internet at <http://web.fie.com/web/fed/doe/doeoor.htm> or modem toll free 1-800-783-3349.

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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

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Carnegie Interstate Pipeline Company; Notice of Petition for Approval of Exit Fee Stipulation

December 19, 1995.

Take notice that on December 13, 1995, pursuant to Rule 207 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.207, Carnegie Interstate Pipeline Company (CIPCO) filed a petition with the Commission for approval of a stipulation entered into by CIPCO and Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation (TETCO) on December 12, 1995.

CIPCO states that the stipulation provides for CIPCO to: (1) pay a negotiated exit fee to TETCO for the early termination of CIPCO's contract for firm transportation capacity on TETCO; (2) recover 100 percent of the exit fee from its customers through a direct bill; and (3) abandon its obligations under its contract with TETCO.

CIPCO states that the expeditious action on the petition will relieve CIPCO of the continued payment of reservation charges for its upstream capacity on TETCO, which are presently being collected through CIPCO's Transportation Cost Rate (TCR). CIPCO requests that its petition be disposed of under the shortened procedures in Rules 801 and 802 of the Commission's Rule of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.801-802.

Any person desiring to be heard or protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Sections