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Dated: June 6, 1996.

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Director, Information Resources Group.

Office of the Under Secretary

Type of Review: New.

Title: Evaluating States' Planning and Implementation of Goals 2000 and the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA).

Frequency: One Time.

Affected Public: State, local or Tribal Government, SEAs or LEAs.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 500.

Burden Hours: 500.

Abstract: The Department of Education is charged with evaluating Title I of ESEA and other elementary and secondary education legislation enacted by the 103rd Congress. These surveys will collect information on the operations and effects at the state level of legislative provisions and federal assistance, in the context of state education reform efforts. Findings will be used in reporting to Congress and

improving information dissemination. Respondents are managers in nine programs in all 50 state education agencies.

Office of Vocational and Adult Education

Type of Review: New.

Title: Descriptive, Comparative Analysis and Evaluation of the Business and Education Standards Projects.

Frequency: End of Program.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit; State, Local or Tribal Government

Reporting and Recordkeeping Burden:

Responses: 16.

Burden Hours: 40.

Abstract: The purpose of this evaluation is to describe, analyze, compare and evaluate the 16 skill Standards projects funded by the Business and Education Standards projects. The study is intended to inform the National Skill Standards Board, authorized by the Goals 2000: Educate America Act, regarding endorsement criteria for establishment of occupational clusters, establishment of partnerships to create skill standards and identification of areas regarding more research in the skill standard arena. The study will also inform policy makers within the Department of Education about what has been learned from the projects that could assist in the broader education reform agenda being pursued by the Department.

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Office of Postsecondary Education Federal Work-Study Programs

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice of the closing date for institutions that participate in the Federal Work-Study (FWS) Program to submit the Campus-Based Reallocation Form (ED Form E40-4P).

SUMMARY: The Secretary gives notice to institutions of higher education of the deadline for an institution that participated in the FWS Program for the 1995-96 award year (July 1, 1995 through June 30, 1996) to submit a Campus-Based Reallocation Form to request supplemental FWS funds for the 1996-97 award year (July 1, 1996 through June 30, 1997). The information collected is used to determine whether an institution is eligible to receive supplemental FWS funds for the 1996-97 award year.

DATES: *Closing Date for Submitting a Campus-Based Reallocation Form.* If an institution that participated in the FWS

Program for the 1995-96 award year wants to ensure that it will be considered for supplemental FWS funds for the 1996-97 award year, the institution must submit the Campus-Based Reallocation Form by July 12, 1996. The Department will not accept a form submitted by facsimile transmission.

ADDRESSES: *Campus-Based Reallocation Form Delivered by Mail.* The Campus-Based Reallocation Form delivered by mail must be addressed to the U.S. Department of Education, SFAP, AFMS, Institutional Financial Management Division (Room 4714, ROB-3), 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20202-5458. An applicant must show proof of mailing consisting of one of the following: (1) A legibly dated U.S. Postal Service postmark; (2) a legible mail receipt with the date of the mailing stamped by the U.S. Postal Service; (3) a dated shipping label, invoice, or receipt from a commercial carrier; or (4) any other proof of mailing acceptable to the Secretary of Education.

If a Campus-Based Reallocation Form is sent through the U.S. Postal Service, the Secretary does not accept either of the following as proof of mailing: (1) A private metered postmark, or (2) a mail receipt that is not dated by the U.S. Postal Service. An institution should note that the U.S. Postal Service does not uniformly provide a dated postmark. Before relying on this method, an institution should check with its local post office. An institution is encouraged to use certified or at least first-class mail.

Campus-Based Reallocation Form Delivered by Hand. A Campus-Based Reallocation Form delivered by hand must be taken to the Campus-Based Financial Operations Branch, Institutional Financial Management Division, Accounting and Financial Management Service, Student Financial Assistance Programs, U.S. Department of Education, Room 4714, Regional Office Building 3, 7th and D Streets, S.W., Washington, D.C. Hand-delivered reallocation forms will be accepted between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. (Eastern time) daily, except Saturdays, Sundays, and Federal holidays. A Campus-Based Reallocation form that is delivered by hand will not be accepted after 4:30 p.m. on the appropriate closing date.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department will reallocate unexpanded FWS Federal funds from the 1995-96 award year as supplemental allocations for the 1996-97 award year under the FWS Program. Supplemental allocations

will be issued this fall in accordance with the reallocation procedures contained in the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended (HEA). Under section 442(e) of the HEA, unexpended FWS funds returned to the Secretary must be reallocated to eligible institutions that used at least 10 percent of the total FWS Federal funds granted to the institution to compensate students employed in community services. Because reallocated FWS funds will be distributed on the basis of fair share shortfall criteria, institutions must also have a fair share shortfall to receive these funds. Institutions must use all the reallocated FWS Federal funds to compensate students employed in community services. To ensure consideration for supplemental FWS Federal funds for the 1996-1997 award year, an institution must submit the Campus-Based Reallocation Form by July 12, 1996.

Applicable Regulations

The following regulations apply to the Federal Work-Study Program:

- (1) Student Assistance General Provisions, 34 CFR Part 668.
- (2) Federal Work-Study Programs, 34 CFR Part 675.
- (3) Institutional Eligibility Under the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, 34 CFR Part 600.
- (4) New Restrictions on Lobbying, 34 CFR Part 82.
- (5) Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (NonProcurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants), 34 CFR Part 85.
- (6) Drug-Free Schools and Campuses, 34 CFR Part 86.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

For technical assistance concerning the Campus-Based Reallocation Form or other operational procedures of the campus-based programs, contact Ms. Judy Norris, Campus-Based Financial Operations Branch, Institutional Financial Management Division, Accounting and Financial Management Service, Student Financial Assistance Programs, U.S. Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., (Room 4714, ROB-3), Washington, D.C. 20202-5458. Telephone (202) 708-9757. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

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Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education.
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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Notice of Intent To Prepare Environmental Impact Statement; Shutdown of the River Water System at the Savannah River Site

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of intent.

SUMMARY: The Department of Energy (DOE) announces its intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, for the proposed shutdown of the River Water System at the Savannah River Site (SRS). The River Water System was originally constructed to pump large quantities of cooling water from the Savannah River to five nuclear reactors at SRS. Since all of the reactors are shut down, no cooling water is required. DOE invites the public, organizations, and agencies to present oral or written comments concerning (1) the scope of the EIS, (2) the issues the EIS should address, and (3) the alternatives the EIS should analyze.

DATES: The public scoping period will continue until July 12, 1996. Written comments submitted by mail should be postmarked by that date to ensure consideration. DOE will consider comments mailed after that date to the extent practicable. On June 27, 1996, DOE will conduct a public scoping meeting to assist in defining the appropriate scope of the EIS and identifying significant environmental issues to be addressed. This meeting will be held at the following times and location: June 27, 1996; 1-4 and 6-9 pm; North Augusta Community Center, 495 Brookside Drive, North Augusta, S.C.

ADDRESSES: Please direct comments or suggestions on the scope of the EIS, requests to speak at the public scoping meeting, and questions concerning the project to: Mr. Andrew R. Grainger, U.S. Department of Energy, Savannah River Operations Office, P.O. Box A, Aiken, S.C. 29802, 1-800-242-8269, E-mail: nepa@barms036.br.com

Mark the envelopes: "River Water System EIS Comments".

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For general information on the DOE NEPA process, please contact: Ms. Carol M. Borgstrom, Director, Office of NEPA Policy and Assistance (EH-42), U.S.

Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585, telephone: 202-586-4600 or leave a message at 1-800-472-2756.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: SRS is an 800-square-kilometer (300 square mile) controlled area located in southwestern South Carolina. The Site is approximately 25 miles southeast of Augusta, Georgia, and 20 miles south of Aiken, South Carolina. Since its establishment, the mission of SRS has been to produce nuclear materials that support the defense, research, and medical programs of the United States.

Because of the end of the Cold War and the reduction in the size of the U.S. nuclear weapons stockpile, the need for production of new nuclear materials has been reduced dramatically. As a result, activities at SRS have shifted from nuclear material production to cleanup and environmental restoration. DOE developed the Savannah River Operations Office Strategic Plan in order to guide SRS in meeting this changing mission. The Strategic Plan directs SRS to identify excess infrastructure and develop action plans for its disposition. DOE has identified the River Water System as potential surplus infrastructure.

The River Water System was originally constructed to pump large quantities of cooling water from the Savannah River to all five production reactors at SRS. Heated discharge water from the reactors was returned to the Savannah River via several onsite streams and creeks. In 1958, Par Pond was constructed to dissipate the thermal effluent from P- and R-Reactors. In 1984, L-Lake was constructed to dissipate the thermal effluent from L-Reactor. However, all production reactors are now shut down. Operationally, there is no longer a need to provide cooling water, except for some small air conditioning and equipment cooling loads in K-, L-, and P-Reactor Areas.

The River Water System maintains L Lake and Par Pond water levels at their normal operating values. As analyzed in an Environmental Assessment performed in 1995 (Environmental Assessment for the Natural Fluctuation of Water Level in Par Pond and Reduced Water Flow in Steel Creek Below L Lake at the Savannah River Site, DOE/EA-1070), Par Pond water level is currently allowed to fluctuate naturally, but the River Water System is used to prevent the water level from falling below 195 feet above mean sea level.

Proposed Action and Alternatives

The Department proposes to shut down the River Water System and to