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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

[Docket No. DHS-2010-0094]

### National Protection and Programs Directorate; National Infrastructure Advisory Council Meeting

**AGENCY:** National Protection and  
Programs Directorate, DHS.

**ACTION:** Committee Management; Notice  
of Federal Advisory Council Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The National Infrastructure  
Advisory Council (NIAC) will meet on  
Tuesday, January 18, 2011, at the JW  
Marriott Washington DC, Salon I, 1331  
Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.,  
Washington, DC 20004.

**DATES:** The NIAC will meet Tuesday,  
January 18, 2011, from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30  
p.m. The meeting may close early if the  
committee has completed its business.  
For additional information, please  
consult the NIAC Web site, <http://www.dhs.gov/niac>, or contact the NIAC  
Secretariat by phone at 703-235-2888  
or by e-mail at [NIAC@dhs.gov](mailto:NIAC@dhs.gov).

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at  
the JW Marriott Washington DC, Salon  
I, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.,  
Washington, DC 20004.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice of  
this meeting is given under the Federal  
Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App.  
(Pub. L. 92-463). The NIAC shall  
provide the President through the  
Secretary of Homeland Security with  
advice on the security of the critical  
infrastructure sectors and their  
information systems.

The NIAC will meet to address issues  
relevant to the protection of critical  
infrastructure as directed by the  
President. At this meeting the  
committee will receive work from a  
NIAC working group to review,  
deliberate on, and provide further  
direction to the working group.

#### Meeting Agenda:

- I. Opening of Meeting
- II. Roll Call of Members
- III. Opening Remarks and Introductions
- IV. Approval of October 19, 2010,  
Minutes
- V. Deliberation: Information Sharing  
Study
- VI. Public Comment
- VII. Closing Remarks
- VIII. Adjournment

#### Procedural:

While this meeting is open to the  
public, participation in the NIAC  
deliberations is limited to committee  
members and appropriate Federal  
Government officials. Discussions may  
include committee members,  
appropriate Federal Government  
officials, and other invited persons  
attending the meeting to provide  
information that may be of interest to  
the Council.

Immediately following the committee  
member deliberation and discussion  
period, there will be a limited time  
period for public comment on listed  
agenda items only. Relevant public  
comments may be submitted in writing  
or presented in person for the Council  
to consider. Off-topic questions or  
comments will not be permitted or  
discussed. In-person presentations will  
be limited to three minutes per speaker,  
with no more than 30 minutes for all  
speakers. Parties interested in making  
in-person comments must register no  
less than 15 minutes prior to the  
beginning of the meeting at the meeting  
location. Oral comments will be  
permitted based upon the order of  
registration; all registrants may not be  
able to speak if time does not permit.  
Written comments may be sent to Nancy  
Wong, Department of Homeland  
Security, National Protection and  
Programs Directorate, 245 Murray Lane,  
Mail Stop 0607, Washington, DC 20528-  
0607. Written comments must be  
received by Nancy Wong no later than  
January 11, 2011, identified by Federal  
Register Docket Number DHS-2010-  
0094, and may be submitted by any one  
of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the  
instructions for submitting written  
comments.
- *E-mail:* [NIAC@dhs.gov](mailto:NIAC@dhs.gov). Include the  
docket number in the subject line of the  
message.
- *Fax:* 703-603-5098.
- *Mail:* Nancy Wong, National  
Protection and Programs Directorate,  
Department of Homeland Security, 245  
Murray Lane, Mail Stop 0607,  
Washington, DC 20528-0607.

**Instructions:** All written submissions  
received must include the words  
"Department of Homeland Security" and  
the docket number for this action.  
Written comments received will be  
posted without alteration at <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal  
information provided.

**Docket:** For access to the docket to  
read background documents or  
comments received by the NIAC, go to  
<http://www.regulations.gov>.

#### Information on Services for Individuals with Disabilities:

For information on facilities or  
services for individuals with disabilities  
or to request special assistance at the  
meeting, contact the NIAC Secretariat at  
703-235-2888 as soon as possible.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Nancy Wong, National Infrastructure  
Advisory Council Designated Federal  
Officer, Department of Homeland  
Security, telephone 703-235-2888.

Signed: December 17, 2010.

**Nancy J. Wong,**

Designated Federal Officer for the NIAC.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Coast Guard

[Docket No. USCG-2009-0166]

### Nationwide Use of High Frequency and Ultra High Frequency Active SONAR Technology; Draft Programmatic Environmental Assessment and Draft Finding of No Significant Impact

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DHS.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability and  
request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Coast Guard (USCG)  
announces the availability of the Draft  
Programmatic Environmental  
Assessment (PEA) for the Nationwide  
Use of High Frequency (HF) and Ultra  
High Frequency (UHF) Sound  
Navigation and Ranging (SONAR)  
Technology and Draft Finding of No  
Significant Impact (FONSI). The USCG  
is proposing the nationwide use of  
active SONAR technologies that operate  
at frequencies of 50 kilohertz (kHz) and  
greater from mobile platforms. Active  
SONAR technology would be used in  
support of USCG missions to locate,  
image, and classify submerged/  
underwater targets of interest (TOI). The  
PEA is a program-level document that  
will provide the USCG with  
management-level analysis of the  
potential impacts of each alternative on  
the human and natural environments.

**DATES:** Comments and related material  
must either be submitted to our online  
docket via <http://www.regulations.gov>  
on or before January 31, 2011, or reach  
the Docket Management Facility by that  
date.

**ADDRESSES:** The Draft PEA and Draft  
FONSI have been published and can be  
downloaded at <http://www.regulations.gov>, docket number  
USCG-2009-0166. You may submit