

Officer, Washington, DC 20530. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of this collection:

(1) Type of Information Collection: Extension of currently approved collection.

(2) Title of the Form/Collection: National Sexual Offender Registry.

(3) Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection: Form: None. Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(4) Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract: National sexual offender registry data is collected from the 50 states, 5 territories, and the District of Columbia. The registry was established by the FBI in accordance with federal law (42 U.S.C. 14072) in order to track the whereabouts and movements of persons convicted of a criminal offense against a victim who is a minor; a sexually violent offense; and/or are deemed sexually violent predators.

(5) An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond: Estimated number of respondents: 56 Estimated time for average respondent to respond: 2 minutes per transaction (.033 hours).

(6) An estimate of the total of public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: Approximately 1500 annual burden hours.

If additional information is required contact: Robert B. Briggs, Department of Clearance Office, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff Justice Management Division, Suite 1220, National Place, Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: April 17, 2001.

**Robert B. Briggs,**

*Department Clearance Officer, Department of Justice.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Bureau of Labor Statistics

#### Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee; Notice of Open Meeting and Agenda

The third meeting of the Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee will be held on June 7-8, 2001 in the Postal Square Building, 2 Massachusetts Avenue NE., Washington, DC.

The Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee is a technical committee composed of economists, statisticians, and behavioral scientists who are recognized for their attainments and objectivity in their respective fields. Committee members are called upon to analyze issues involved in producing Federal economic statistics and recommend practices that will lead to optimum efficiency, effectiveness, and cooperation among the Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis and Bureau of the Census.

The meeting will be held in Meeting Rooms 1 and 2 of the Postal Square Building Conference Center. The schedule and agenda for the meeting are as follows:

#### Thursday, June 7

9:30 a.m.—Opening Session

10:00 a.m.—Measurement of hours worked

1:00 p.m.—Time use survey

3:00 p.m.—Statistics Canada Unified Enterprise Survey

4:00 p.m.—Service sector price measures, continuation

4:45 p.m.—Priorities for future meetings, part I

5:30 p.m.—Conclude (approximate time)

#### Friday, June 8

9:00 a.m.—Small area estimation

11:00 a.m.—Non-wage compensation: health benefits

1:00 p.m.—Priorities for future meetings, part II

1:30—Conclude (approximate time)

The meeting is open to the public. Any questions concerning the meeting should be directed to Margaret Johnson, Federal Economic Research Advisory

Committee, on Area Code (202) 691-5600. Individuals with disabilities, who need special accommodations, should contact Ms. Johnson at least two days prior to the meeting date.

Signed at Washington, D.C. the 12th day of April 2001.

**Katharine G. Abraham,**

*Commissioner of Labor Statistics.*

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## LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

### Copyright Office

[Docket No. RM 2001-3]

#### Public Roundtable on Intellectual Property Aspects of a Draft Convention on Jurisdiction and Foreign Judgments

**AGENCY:** Copyright Office, Library of Congress.

**ACTION:** Notice Announcing Public Forum.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Copyright Office announces a public roundtable discussion on the intellectual property aspects of the preliminary draft Convention on Jurisdiction and Foreign Judgments in Civil and Commercial Matters being negotiated by the Hague Conference on Private International Law that provides special jurisdiction rules for, among other things, international torts.

*Date and Time:* The roundtable will be held on Tuesday, May 15, 2001, beginning at 9:30 a.m. and ending at 5:00 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Library of Congress, John Adams Building, Room LA-202, 110 Second Street, SE., Washington, DC. Any member of the public wishing to attend and requiring special services, such as sign language interpretation or other ancillary aids, should contact the Library of Congress at least five (5) working days prior to the hearing by telephone or electronic mail at the respective contact points listed immediately below.

Registration is not required to attend the roundtable. Seating will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Requests for participation as a member of the roundtable are required and should be directed (preferably via e-mail) to Marla Poor, Attorney-Advisor, Office of Policy and International Affairs, U.S. Copyright Office, Library of Congress, *mpoor@loc.gov.*; (202)707-2694 telephone, (202)707-8366 fax. Requests for participation as a member

of the roundtable should indicate the following information:

- The name of the person desiring to participate;
- The organization or organizations represented by that person, if any;
- Contact information (address, telephone, and e-mail);
- Information on the specific focus or interest of the participant (or his or her organization) and any questions or issues the participant would like to raise.

This request may be sent by e-mail (preferred), by mail, by fax or by hand-delivery. If sent by e-mail: requests to participate in the roundtable should be sent to Marla Poor at [mpoor@loc.gov](mailto:mpoor@loc.gov).

If delivered by mail: requests to participate in the roundtable should be addressed to Marla Poor, Attorney-Advisor, GC/I&R, PO Box 70400, Southwest Station, Washington, DC, 20024.

If sent by fax: requests to participate in the roundtable should be addressed to Marla Poor at 202-707-8366.

If delivered by hand: requests to participate in the roundtable should be delivered to Marla Poor, Office of Policy and International Affairs, Copyright Office, Library of Congress, LM-403, James Madison Memorial Building, 101 Independence Avenue, SE., Washington, DC.

The deadline for receipt of requests to participate in the roundtable is 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 10, 2001.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Marla Poor, Attorney-Advisor, Office of Policy and International Affairs, U.S. Copyright Office, Library of Congress (202) 707-2694, [mpoor@loc.gov](mailto:mpoor@loc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background**

The draft Convention would create jurisdictional rules governing international lawsuits and provide for recognition and enforcement of judgments by the courts of Member States. Member States would be required to recognize and enforce judgments covered by the Convention if the jurisdiction in the court rendering the judgment is founded on one of the bases of jurisdiction required by the Convention.

Discussions on the draft Convention began in 1992, and various meetings have been held since then. The most recent meetings include an informal meeting on intellectual property aspects held in Geneva on February 1, 2001; a public roundtable sponsored by the Federal Trade Commission on dispute resolution for online business-to-consumer contracts held in Washington,

DC on February 6, 2001; and a week long series of informal meetings (with an emphasis on electronic commerce and intellectual property) held in Ottawa the week of February 26, 2001. The Hague Conference posts various documents from these meetings, such as summaries of discussions, notes and reports, on its website ([www.hcch.net](http://www.hcch.net)).

The current text of the draft Convention was provisionally adopted by the Special Commission on June 18, 1999, and then was revised at a meeting held at The Hague from October 25-30, 1999. The current text of the draft Convention is available on The Hague Conference website ([www.hcch.net](http://www.hcch.net)). The first part of a Diplomatic Conference is planned for June 2001, and the second part will be held in 2002.

On October 17, 2000, the Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) published a **Federal Register** Notice requesting comments on the draft Convention. PTO received 27 comments. Specifically PTO was interested in assessing support for or opposition to the U.S. effort to negotiate the draft Convention as it relates to intellectual property. The public was asked for their views generally on the draft Convention and to comment on 16 questions that were presented in the Notice.

The purpose of the Copyright Office roundtable will be to bring together various parties, such as representatives from the copyright industries, representatives of users of copyrighted works, such as the American Library Association, consumer organizations and representatives from industries engaged in electronic commerce who are interested in the draft Convention. The participants should be prepared to identify and discuss more fully the issues and problems associated with the draft Convention, and to propose solutions that will aid the U.S. delegation to the Hague Conference as it participates in upcoming meetings to further the treaty negotiations.

Specific issues under discussion at the roundtable may include (but are not limited to):

- Does the draft Convention affect in any way the substantive law that applies to an activity of any party with respect to intellectual property?
- If a basis for jurisdiction is determined by where the injury occurs, in the context of electronic commerce, will this subject a seller to jurisdiction in an unforeseen country? Will there be any difference if the seller is an individual or a company?
- With respect to copyright liability issues, how will ISP's be implicated under the draft Convention?

- What effect could this Convention have on the enforcement of intellectual property rights with respect to the Internet?

- Under the draft Convention, will right holders be able to sue U.S. residents in foreign countries for intellectual property infringement for activities which are lawful in the United States? Will libraries, schools, businesses and individual consumers of information resources be required to defend themselves in courts far removed from their normal residence?

- In what circumstances will a U.S. court have to enforce a judgment of a foreign country's court against the U.S. user of intellectual property?

- What effect will the proposed Convention have on the ability to ensure consistent and predictable interpretation of licensing terms through choice of forum provisions in license agreements?

- What will be the practical impact of treaty provisions concerning the exercise of jurisdiction premised solely on a defendant's presence in the forum?

- How will the draft Convention affect traditional contractual freedom for parties to enter into agreements that typically designate the choice of jurisdiction and law?

- Will the draft Convention provide a predictable legal regime that will facilitate electronic commerce or impede electronic commerce? Will the draft Convention disrupt the predictability of conducting global business and electronic commerce?

Dated: April 18, 2001.

**Marybeth Peters,**

*Register of Copyrights, United States Copyright Office.*

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**NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION**

**[Notice (01-048)]**

**NASA's Aerospace Technology Enterprise's 3rd Annual Turning Goals Into Reality Conference**

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** NASA's Aerospace Technology Enterprise is holding its 3rd Annual Turning Goals Into Reality Conference in Washington DC. This year's theme is "Innovation in Aerospace Transportation". Luncheon and Reception keynotes will speak to the future of our aerospace