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Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Kathy Plowitz-Worden, Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC 20506, or call 202/682-5691.

Dated: October 17, 1997.

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**NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE  
ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES**

**National Endowment for the Arts**

**Combined Arts Panel**

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Combined Arts Advisory Panel, Theater Section B (Creation & Presentation category) to the National Council on the Arts will be held on November 17-21, 1997. The panel will meet from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on November 17-19; from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on November 20; and from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on November 21, in Room 730 at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506. A portion of this meeting, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 20, will be open to the public for a policy discussion of guidelines, planning, field needs and trends, and Leadership Initiatives.

The remaining portions of this meeting, from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on November 17-19, from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on November 20, and from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on November 21, are for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of March

31, 1997, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c)(4), (6) and (9)(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

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The remaining portions of this meeting, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. on November 12, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on November 13, and from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on November 14, are for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications

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**NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION**

**Special Emphasis Panel in Advanced  
Scientific Computing; Notice of  
Meeting**

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

*Name:* Special Emphasis Panel in Advanced Scientific Computing (#1185).

*Date and Time:* November 13, 1997, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 1120, Arlington, VA 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. John Van Rosendale, Program Director, New Technologies Program, Suite 1122, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, (703) 306-1962.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide recommendations and advice concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.