

## 2010 Current Fiscal Year Report: Quadrennial Defense Review Independent Panel

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### 1. Department or Agency

Department of Defense

### 2. Fiscal Year

2010

### 3. Committee or Subcommittee

Quadrennial Defense Review  
Independent Panel

### 3b. GSA

### Committee No.

70465

### 4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

### 5. Current Charter

09/16/2009

### 6. Expected Renewal Date

09/16/2011

### 7. Expected Term Date

09/15/2011

### 8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

Yes

### 8b. Specific Termination Authority

### 8c. Actual Term Date

01/29/2010

### 9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Terminate

### 10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

No

### 10b. Legislation Pending?

### 11. Establishment Authority

Statutory (Congress Created)

### 12. Specific Establishment Authority

10 U.S.C. § 118(f)

### 13. Effective Date

10/16/2006

### 14. Committee Type

Continuing

### 14c. Presidential?

No

### 15. Description of Committee

Other Committee

### 16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for  
this Fiscal Year

### 17a. Open

0

17b. Closed0

17c. Partially Closed0

Other Activities0

17d. Total0

### Meetings and Dates

No Meetings

Current Next  
FY FY

<b>18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18d. Total</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)</b>	0.00 0.00

**20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?**

The Panel, pursuant to 10 U.S.C § 118(f), shall provide the Committees on the Armed Services of the Senate and House of Representatives an assessment of the Department of Defense's Quadrennial Defense Review. The Panel is not subject to FACA and the charter has been withdrawn.

**20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?**

The Panel shall be comprised of no more than twelve members appointed by the Secretary of Defense, and shall be bipartisan. The Secretary of Defense shall appoint Panel members to serve for the duration of this Quadrennial Defense Review;

and those members, who are not full-time or permanent part-time federal employees, shall be appointed as experts and consultants under the authority of 5 U.S.C. § 3109 and serve as Special Government Employees. The Secretary of Defense shall appointed two co-chairmen from the twelve members appointed, and these individuals shall be divided equally on a bipartisan basis. Any vacancy in the Panel shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment and, with the exception of travel and per diem for official travel, Panel members shall serve without compensation. The Panel is not subject to FACA and the charter has been withdrawn.

**20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?**

Estimated Number of Meetings per Year - 3. The Panel is not subject to FACA and the charter has been withdrawn.

**20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?**

The committee is directed by Act of Congress -- 10 U.S.C. § 118(f). The Panel is not subject to FACA and the charter has been withdrawn.

**20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?**

Meetings are not closed to the public unless the Department of Defense determines that items on the planned agenda meet the closed meeting provisions of 5 U.S.C. § 552b(c). Pursuant to DoD policy closed meetings can only be authorized by the DoD Sponsor, who is the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy or designee, and only after consultation with the Office of the DoD General Counsel. The Panel is not subject to FACA and the charter has been withdrawn.

## 21. Remarks

Subsequent to chartering this advisory committee the Department of Defense, in consultation with GSA and DoD OGC, determined that the advisory committee was not subject to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972. As such, the charter was withdrawn.

## Designated Federal Officer

N/A N/A N/A N/A

## Narrative Description

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## What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?

Checked if  
Applies

Improvements to health or safety	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trust in government	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Major policy changes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Advance in scientific research	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effective grant making	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improved service delivery	<input type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Outcome Comments

The committee has not be formally re-established as of this date.

## What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input type="checkbox"/>
Under \$100,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$100,000 - \$500,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Over \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost Savings Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

### **Cost Savings Comments**

The committee has not be formally re-established as of this date.

**What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?**

0

### **Number of Recommendations Comments**

The committee has not be formally re-established as of this date.

**What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?**

0%

### **% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments**

The committee has not be formally re-established as of this date.

**What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?**

0%

### **% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments**

The committee has not be formally re-established as of this date.

**Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?**

Yes ☐ No ☐ Not Applicable ☒

### Agency Feedback Comments

The committee has not be formally re-established as of this date.

### What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?

Checked if Applies

- |                                   |                          |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Reorganized Priorities            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Reallocated resources             | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Issued new regulation             | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Proposed legislation              | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Approved grants or other payments | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other                             | <input type="checkbox"/> |

### Action Comments

The committee has not be formally re-established as of this date.

### Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?

No

### Grant Review Comments

The committee has not be formally re-established as of this date.

### How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?

Checked if Applies

- |                           |                          |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Contact DFO               | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Online Agency Web Site    | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Online Committee Web Site | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Online GSA FACA Web Site  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Publications              | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other                     | <input type="checkbox"/> |

### Access Comments

The committee has not be formally re-established as of this date.