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Final text released. Appendix A.20: Making Earth System data records for Use in Research Environments

This amendment replaces the draft text for Appendix A.20. It also renames Appendix A.20 to Making Earth System data records for Use in Research Environments (MEaSURES). The former name of Appendix A.20 was Research, Applications, and Education Solutions Network (REASoN). The overall objective of MEaSURES solicitations is to select projects providing Earth science data products and services driven by NASA's Earth science goals and contributing to advancing NASA Earth system "missions to measurements" concept. MEaSURES may include infusion or deployment of applicable science tools that contribute to data product quality improvement, consistency, merging or fusion, or understanding. Through the MEaSURES program, NASA is continuing its commitment to expand understanding the Earth system using consistent records. This program builds on a rich history of past NASA programs including Pathfinder Data Sets, Type 2 Earth Science Information Partners, and most lately Research REASoN projects.

NASA also announces new due dates for the MEaSURES program. Notices of Intent to propose are due January 2, 2007, and proposals are due March 5, 2007.

[Appendix A.20](#) is replaced in its entirety. [Table 2](#) and [Table 3](#) of the [Summary of Solicitation](#) for this NRA have been updated to reflect this change.

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