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"RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES IN SPACE AND EARTH SCIENCES (ROSES) 2007,"
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New proposal opportunity in [Appendix D.12: ASTROPHYSICS STRATEGIC MISSION CONCEPT STUDIES](#)

This amendment establishes a new program element in Appendix D.12 of ROSES-2007 entitled "Astrophysics Strategic Mission Concept Studies." This new program element solicits concept studies for strategic space flight science missions that may be carried out in the next decade or for which technology development funding is sought in the next decade. These concept studies will be used for midterm and far-term forward planning of a diverse astrophysics mission portfolio and for obtaining a simultaneous and uniform assessment of future technology development needs for the Astrophysics Division. Study results and information related to the technical maturity of proposed mission components are expected to be provided as input to the panels convened by the National Research Council for the upcoming 2010 Astronomy and Astrophysics Decadal Survey. Notices of Intent to propose are due September 20, 2007, and proposals are due November 20, 2007.

[Table 2](#) and [Table 3](#) of the [Summary of Solicitation](#) for this NRA have been updated to reflect this change.

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