

DATES: We must receive your written comments on or before September 7, 2004.

ADDRESSES: You may send comments to Sandra Turner, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, at any of these addresses:

- P.O. Box 14412, Washington, DC 20044-4412;

- 202-927-8525 (facsimile); or
- formcomments@ttb.gov (e-mail).

Please reference the information collection's title, form or recordkeeping requirement number, and OMB number (if any) in your comment. If you submit your comment via facsimile, send no more than five 8.5 x 11 inch pages in order to ensure electronic access to our equipment.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To obtain additional information, copies of the information collection and its instructions, or copies of any comments received, contact Sandra Turner, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, P.O. Box 14412, Washington, DC 20044-4412; or telephone 202-927-8210.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Federal Firearms and Ammunition Excise Tax Deposit.

OMB Number: 1513-0096.

TTB Form Number: 5300.27.

Abstract: A federal excise tax is imposed by 26 U.S.C. 4181 on the sale of pistols and revolvers, other firearms, shells and cartridges sold by firearms, manufacturers, producers, and importers. Sections 6001, 6301, and 6302 of Title 26 U.S.C. establish the authority for a deposit of excise tax to be made. The information on the form identifies the taxpayer and establishes the taxpayer's deposit.

Current Actions: There are no changes to this information collection and it is being submitted for extension purposes only.

Type of Review: Extension.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit, individuals or households.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 283.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 770.

Request for Comments

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be included or summarized in our request for Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval of this information collection. All comments are part of the public record and subject to disclosure. Please not do include any confidential or inappropriate material in your comments.

We invite comments on: (a) Whether this information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency's functions, including whether the information has practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the information collection's burden; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; (d) ways to minimize the information collection's burden on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide the requested information.

Dated: June 15, 2004.

William H. Foster,

Chief, Regulations and Procedures Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

VETERANS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION; NOTICE OF MEETING

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under Public Law 92-463 (Federal Advisory Committee Act) that the Veterans' Advisory Committee on Education will meet on Monday, July 26, 2004, from 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m.; Tuesday, July 27, 2004, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and Wednesday, July 28,

2004, from 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. The meeting will be held at the Roosevelt Hotel, Conference Level, Riverside Room, Madison Avenue at 45th Street, New York, New York. The meeting is open to the public.

The purpose of the Committee is to advise the Secretary of Veterans Affairs on the administration of education and training programs for veterans and servicemembers, reservists, and dependents of veterans under Chapters 30, 32, 35, and 36 of Title 38 and Chapter 1606 of Title 10, United States Code.

On July 26, the Committee will host a town hall-style meeting with VA Education Liaison Representatives, certifying officials, veteran students, and State Approving Agency Directors. On July 27, the meeting will begin with opening remarks and an overview by Mr. James Bombard, Committee Chair. In addition, this session will include discussions on pending and new legislation, and briefings from subcommittees on accelerated payment issues, the Veterans' Education Outreach Program, Chapter 1606 restructuring, and other Chapter 1606 reserve issues. On July 28, the Committee will review and summarize issues addressed during this meeting.

Interested parties may file written statements to the Committee before the meeting, or within 10 days after the meeting, with Mr. Stephen Dillard, Designated Federal Officer, Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Benefits Administration (225B), 810 Vermont Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20420. Oral statements will be heard on Wednesday, July 28, 2004, at 9:15 a.m. Any member of the public wishing to attend the meeting should contact Mr. Stephen Dillard or Mr. Michael Yunker at (202) 273-7187.

Dated: June 24, 2004.

E. Philip Riffin,

Committee Management Office.

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