

Paragraph 1915.152(b) requires the employer to assess work activities to determine whether there are hazards present, or likely to be present, which necessitate the employee's use of PPE. If such hazards are present, or likely to be present, the employer must: (1) Select the type of PPE that will protect the affected employee from the hazards identified in the occupational-hazard assessment; (2) communicate selection decisions to affected employees; (3) select PPE that properly fits each affected employee; and (4) verify that the required occupational hazard assessment has been performed through a document that contains the following information: Occupation, the date(s) of the hazard assessment, and the name of the person performing the hazard assessment.

(B) *Verification That Hazard Assessment Has Been Performed (1915.152(e)(4))*. Paragraph 1915.152(e)(4) requires that the employer verify that each affected employee has received the PPE training through a document that contains the following information: Name of each employee trained, the date(s) of training, and the type of training the employee received.

Ira L. Mills,

Departmental Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Senior Community Service Employment Program

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice of Procedures for Recapture and Reobligation of Unexpended Program Year Grant Funds.

SUMMARY: the Employment and Training Administration interprets Federal law requirements pertaining to the 2000 Amendments to the Older Americans Act (OAA), Pub. L. 106-501, for the administration of the Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) authorized under Title V of the Act. These interpretations are issued in Older Worker Bulletins transmitted to SCSEP grantees. The Older Worker Bulletin described below is published in the **Federal Register** in order to inform the public.

Older Worker bulletin No. 03-04 advises SCSEP grantees of the procedures for the recapture and reobligation of unexpended Program Year SCSEP grant funds, as authorized under section 515(c) of the OAA. The recaptured funds will retain their original fiscal identity—*e.g.*, recaptured Program Year 2001 funds will still be

considered as Program Year 2001 funds when reobligated.

The Employment and Training Administration is authorized to reobligate such funds within two succeeding Program Years to be used for incentive grants technical assistance or grants or contracts for any other SCSEP program. The operating instructions in Older Worker bulletin No. 03-04 are issued to SCSEP grantees as guidance provided by the Employment and Training Administration in its role as administrator of Title V of the OAA.

Pending the issuance of regulations implementing the provisions of the 2000 Amendments to the OAA, the procedures in Older Worker Bulletin No. 03-04 constitute the controlling guidance for SCSEP grantees relative to this section of the Amendments.

Signed at Washington, DC this 27 day of May, 2003.

Emity Stover DeRocco,

Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Attachment: Older Worker Bulletin No. 03-04.

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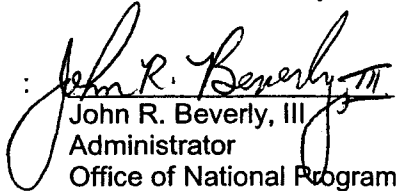
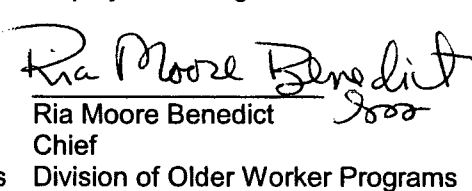


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ADVISORY : Older Worker Bulletin No. 03-04

TO : All Senior Community Service Employment Program Grantees

FROM :



 John R. Beverly, III Ria Moore Benedict
 Administrator Chief
 Office of National Programs Division of Older Worker Programs

SUBJECT: Procedures for Recapture and Reobligation of Unexpended Program Year Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) Grant Funds

1. **REFERENCES:** 2000 Amendments to the Older Americans Act (OAA), P.L. 106-501.
2. **BACKGROUND:** Under section 515(c) of the OAA, the Department has the authority to recapture unexpended funds from SCSEP recipients at the end of the Program Year (PY) and reobligate such funds within the two succeeding PYs to be used for incentive grants, technical assistance or grants or contracts for any other SCSEP program.
3. **PROCEDURES:** The SCSEP grant closeout process will be used to identify and recapture unexpended funds for use in subsequent SCSEP grant cycles. The Department currently intends to recapture PY 2001 funds for use in PY 2003. Such funds may be used to support activities as authorized under section 515(c).
4. **ACTION REQUIRED:** The grant closeout procedures identified under 20 CFR 641.414 of the current regulations will govern this process, beginning with the now-expired PY 2001 SCSEP grants. All PY 2001 recipients who have not yet submitted their closeout packages must do so as soon as possible, consistent with the closeout procedures required at 29 CFR 97.50 (for States) and 29 CFR 95.71 (for non-profits). Failure to timely submit closeout packages is one of the grounds for finding a grantee non-responsible. The final Financial Status Report



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(SF 269) should be simultaneously entered into the Sponsor Support System, so as to notify the Division of Older Workers Program staff of a closeout package submission at the same time as the Grant Officer's staff.

Upon receipt of all required closeout documents, the Department will notify the grantees of any financial discrepancies, and make appropriate adjustment to the available allotment. If there is a difference between payments received by the grantee from the Payment Management System (PMS) and costs incurred by the grantee, the grantee must refund to the Department the difference immediately upon completion of closeout documents. After Department/agency financial reconciliation, the PMS account will be closed accordingly. After the grant has been officially closed, later disallowances and adjustments, as authorized at 29 CFR 97.51 (for States) and 29 CFR 95.51 (for non-profits) may occur.

Grantee cooperation in expediting the completion and submittal of PY 2001 grant closeout packages is of critical import since recaptured PY 2001 funds will enable the Department to increase amounts for incentive grants, technical assistance or for other SCSEP programs.

5. **EFFECTIVE DATE:** Immediately.
6. **INQUIRIES:** Questions should be directed to your Federal Representative.

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RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

Agency Forms Submitted for OMB Review

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35), the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) has submitted the following proposal(s) for the collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget for review and approval.

Summary of Proposal(s)

- (1) *Collection title:* Employee Representatives' Status and Compensation Reports.
- (2) *Form(s) submitted:* DC-2a, DC-2.
- (3) *OMB Number:* 3220-0014.
- (4) *Expiration date of current OMB clearance:* 7/31/2003.
- (5) *Type of request:* Extension of a currently approved collection.
- (6) *Respondents:* Business or other for-profit.
- (7) *Estimated annual number of respondents:* 65.
- (8) *Total annual responses:* 65.
- (9) *Total annual reporting hours:* 33.
- (10) *Collection description:* Benefits are provided under the Railroad

Retirement Act (RRA) for individuals who are employee representatives as defined in section 1 of the RRA. The collection obtains information regarding the status of such individuals and their compensation.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Copies of the forms and supporting documents can be obtained from Chuck Mierzwa, the agency clearance officer (312-751-3363).

Comments regarding the information collection should be addressed to Ronald J. Hodapp, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611-2092 and to the OMB Desk Officer for the RRB, at the Office of Management and Budget, Room 10230, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Chuck Mierzwa,

Clearance Officer.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Notice of Applications for Deregistration Under Section 8(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

May 30, 2003.

The following is a notice of applications for deregistration under section 8(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 for the month of May, 2003. A copy of each application may be obtained for a fee at the SEC's Public Reference Branch, 450 Fifth St., NW., Washington, DC 20549-0102 (tel. 202-942-8090). An order granting each application will be issued unless the SEC orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing on any application by writing to the SEC's Secretary at the address below and serving the relevant applicant with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the SEC by 5:30 p.m. on June 24, 2003, and should be accompanied by proof of service on the applicant, in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons who wish to be notified of a