collections to HUD. The information is needed to assist HUD in determining the acceptability of a proposed management agent. Without these documents, HUD's ability to screen out unacceptable management agents and control fraud would be limited, and the incidents of defaults and unauthorized use of subsidy funds would increase.

Agency form numbers, if applicable: HUD-9832, HUD-9839A, HUD-9839B, & HUD-9839C.

Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response: The estimated total number of burden hours needed to prepare the information collection is 4,350; the number of respondents is estimated to be from 900 to 3,600 generating approximately 10,800 annual responses; the frequency of response is on occasion; and the estimated time needed to prepare the response varies from 10 minutes to 2 hours.

Status of the proposed information collection: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Authority: The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C., Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: March 26, 2003.

Sean G. Cassidy,

General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner. [FR Doc. 03–7855 Filed 4–1–03; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4210–27–M

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4820-N-10]

Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Comment Request; Mortgagee's Certification and Application for Interest Reduction Payments

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for housing-Federal Housing Commissioner, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: the proposed information collection requirement described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

DATES: Comments Due Date: June 2, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB

Control Number and should be sent to: Wayne Eddins, Reports Management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., L'Enfant Plaza Building, Room 8003, Washington, DC 20410 or Wayne Eddins@hud.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Beverly, J. Miller, Director, Office of Multifamily Asset Management, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW., Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708–3730 (this is not a toll free number) for copies of the proposed forms and other available information.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department is submitting the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Mortgagee's Certification and Application for Interest Reduction payments.

OMB Control Number, if applicable: 2502–0445.

Description of need for the information and proposed use: This information is necessary to authorize and disburse monthly interest reduction payments to approved HUD mortgagees servicing non-insured multifamily mortgages.

Agency form numbers, if applicable: HUD-3111.

Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response: the estimated number of respondents is 100 generating approximately 1,200 annual responses; the frequency of response is monthly; the estimated time to prepare the information collection is 1 hour; and the

estimated total annual burden is 1,200 hours

Status of the proposed information collection: Reinstatement, without change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired.

Authority: the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C., Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: March 24, 2003.

Sean G. Cassidy,

General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Housing—Deputy Federal Housing Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Availability of the Record of Decision for the Final General Management Plan/Environmental Impact Statement, Fort Frederica National Monument, Georgia

SUMMARY: On November 15, 2002, the Director, Southeast Region, approved the Record of Decision for the Final General Management Plan (GMP) and Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for Fort Frederica National Monument. The purpose of the Record of Decision (ROD) is to document the National Park Service (NPS) selection of the proposed action for the final GMP/EIS. The plan is designed to afford a high level of protection to the national monument's resources and to provide for appropriate types and levels of high quality visitor experiences. This will be accomplished through management zoning and suitable interpretive methods and strategies including but not limited to costumed demonstrations, encampments, ghost structures, period landscape plantings, and living history demonstrations.

Management zones will provide guidance for managing specific areas for desired resource conditions and visitor experiences. The Historic Preservation zone, which encompasses the entire historic town site as well as Old Military Road and the burial ground, will be the focus of the greatest visitor activities including ranger led tours, encampments, crafts demonstrations, and costumed interpretation. The marshes on the northwest side of the National Monument as well as the western side of the Frederica River will be a Natural Resource Protection zone in which natural processes and natural ecosystem succession will predominate. The same will be true of the marshy areas and the wooded area on the