

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Office of the Secretary****Proposed Collection; Comment Request**

AGENCY: Defense Finance and Accounting Service.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Defense Finance and Accounting Service announces the proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by August 24, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to the Defense Finance and Accounting Service—Finance Directorate, ATTN: Mr. Faafiti Malufau, 1931 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22240-5291.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to the above address, or call Mr. Faafiti Malufau, 703-607-5061.

Title, Associated Form, and OMB Number: Child Annuitant's School Certification form.

Needs and Uses: In accordance with 10 USC 1435 and 10 USC 1447 and DoD Financial Management Regulation, 7000.14-R, Volume 7B, a child annuitant between the age of 18 and 22 years of age must provide evidence of intent to continue study or training at a recognized educational institution. The certificate is required for the school semester or other period in which the school year is divided.

Affected Public: Individuals.

Annual Burden Hours: 720 hours.

Number of Respondents: 3,600.

Responses per Respondent: 1 each semester.

Average Burden per response: 12 minutes.

Frequency: Once each semester of full time school, ages 18 to 22.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Summary of Information Collection**

The Child Annuitant's School Certification form is submitted to the child for completion and return to this agency. The child will certify as to his or her intent for future enrollment and a school official must certify on the past or present school enrollment of the child. By not obtaining school certification, overpayment of annuities to children would exist. This information may be collected from some schools which are non-profit institutions such as religious institutions. If information is not received after the end of each school enrollment, over-disbursements of an annuity would be made to a child who elected not to continue further training or study.

Dated: June 19, 1998.

Patricia L. Toppings.

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Office of the Secretary****Submission For OMB Review; Comment Request**

ACTION: Notice.

The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Title, Associated Form, and OMB Number: Repatriation Automated Tracking System; DD Form 2585; OMB Number 0704-0334.

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Number of Respondents: 5,000.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 5,000.

Average Burden Per Response: 20 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 1,667.

Needs and Uses: Executive Order 12656 (E.O. 12656) establishes the responsibilities for the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) and the Department of Defense (DoD) to take care of any American citizen and family member that is evacuated from any country and ensure their personal needs are met. This information collection

provides evacuation information necessary to account for any military and civilian regardless of nationality. The DD Form 2885, "Repatriation Processing Center Processing sheet," is used to collect the necessary data which is entered into the Repatriation Automated Tracking System to produce a series of reports generated for and made available to the Department of Defense, Federal and State agencies.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; Federal Government; State, Local, or Tribal Government.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondents Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: Mr. Edward C. Springer.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Mr. Springer at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

DoD Clearance Officer: Mr. Robert Cushing.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Mr. Cushing, WHS/DIOR, 1215 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1204, Arlington, VA 22202-4302.

Dated: June 19, 1998.

Patricia L. Toppings,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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Office of Elementary and Secondary Education; Notice Inviting Applications From Local Educational Agencies in Oklahoma and Montana; Application Deadline Date Extension

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice extending the application deadline date.

SUMMARY: On April 9, 1998 (63 FR 17630), the Department of Education published in the **Federal Register** a notice inviting applications from local educational agencies in Oklahoma and Montana for fiscal year 1997 and 1998 funds under the Goals 2000: Educate America Act. The deadline for transmittal of applications was May 27, 1998.

On May 24, 1998, the area surrounding Deer Creek and Lamont, Oklahoma was struck by numerous tornadoes that caused significant

damage. The school district suffered damage to its facilities and was without electricity and water for days. During this period, school facilities served as a temporary shelter and a center for local assistance efforts. As a result of this disaster, district officials were unable to tend to usual business. The district has requested that the U.S. Department of education extend by one day the deadline for submission of its application for Goals 2000 funding. In light of the information provided by the district, the Assistant Secretary has extended until May 28, 1998 the deadline by which the Deer Creek—Lamont School District may file an application for fiscal years 1997 and 1998 Goals 2000 funding.

DATES: The new deadline for the applications from the Deer Creek—Lamont School District is May 28, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Cindy Cisneros, U.S. Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, SW., Portals Building, Room 4000, Washington, DC 20202-21110, Telephone: (202) 401-0039, Fax: (202) 204-0303. These contacts may also be reached via e-mail at cindy_cisneros@ed.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time.

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Note: The official version of a document is the document published in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: June 18, 1998.

Gerald N. Tirozzi,

Assistant Secretary for Elementary and Secondary Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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Office of Fossil Energy; Orders Granting, Amending and Transferring Authorizations To Import and/or Export Natural Gas and Liquefied Natural Gas

H.Q. Energy Services (U.S.) Inc., The Washington Water Power Company, Chevron

U.S.A. Inc., AEC Storage and Hub Services Inc., PG&E Texas VGM, L.P., The Montana Power Trading & Marketing Company, USGEN New England, Inc. (Successor to New England Power Company), West Texas Gas, Inc., Burlington Resources Trading Inc., and Applied LNG Technologies USA, L.L.C.

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of orders.

SUMMARY: The Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy gives notice that it has issued Orders granting, amending and transferring various natural gas and liquefied natural gas import and export authorizations. These Orders are summarized in the attached appendix.

These Orders may be found on the FE web site at http://www.fe.doe.gov., or on the electronic bulletin board at (202) 586-7853.

They are also available for inspection and copying in the Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum Import and Export Activities, Docket Room 3E-033, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585, (202) 586-9478. The Docket Room is open between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued in Washington, DC, on June 19, 1998.

John W. Glynn,

Manager, Natural Gas Regulation, Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum Import and Export Activities, Office of Fossil Energy.

APPENDIX—ORDERS GRANTING, AMENDING AND TRANSFERRING IMPORT/EXPORT AUTHORIZATION

Order No.	Date issued	Importer/exporter FE docket No.	Two-year maximum		Comments
			Import volume	Export volume	
1380	05/06/98	H.Q. Energy Services (U.S.) Inc., 98-31-NG	100 Bcf	100 Bcf	Import and export each from both Canada and Mexico.
1381	05/07/98	The Washington Water Power Company, 98-33-NG.	100 Bcf .....	.....	Import from Canada beginning on first delivery after June 25, 1998.
1383	05/08/98	Chevron U.S.A. Inc., 98-32-NG	73 Bcf .....	.....	Import from Canada beginning July 1, 1998, through June 30, 2000.
1384	05/18/98	AEC Storage and Hub Services Inc., 98-34-NG.	200 Bcf		Import and export up to a combined total from and to Canada and Mexico beginning on the date of first import or export.
1297-A	05/20/98	PG&E Texas VGM, L.P. (Formerly Valero Gas Marketing, L.P.), 97-59-NG.	.....	.....	Name changed.
1386	05/28/98	The Montana Power Trading & Marketing Company, 98-36-NG.	.....	30 Bcf	Export to Canada beginning on date of the first delivery.
1348-A	05/28/98	USGen New England, Inc. (Successor to New England Power Company), 97-109-NG.	.....	.....	Transfer of authority.