

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION****Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests**

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Proposed collection; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before January 20, 1998.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Patrick J. Sherrill, (202) 708-8196.

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, Monday through Friday.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, publishes this notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department, (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner, (3) is the estimate of burden accurate, (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected, and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.

Dated: November 17, 1997.

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*Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

**Office of Postsecondary Education**

*Type of Review:* Extension.

*Title:* Application for the Upward Bound and Upward Bound Math and Science Centers Program.

*Frequency:* Annually.

*Affected Public:* Not-for-profit institutions; State, local or Tribal Gov't, SEAs or LEAs.

*Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:*

Responses: 1,500.

Burden Hours: 51,000.

*Abstract:* The application form is needed to conduct a national competition for program year 98-99 for the Upward Bound and Upward Bound Math and Science Centers. These applications provide federal financial assistance in the form of grants to institutions of higher education, public and private agencies and organizations, combinations of institutions and agencies, and in exceptional cases, secondary schools to establish and operate projects designed to generate skills and motivation necessary for success in education beyond secondary school. The Math and Science Centers provide an intensive six-week summer math-science curriculum program.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. CP98-74-000]

**ANR Pipeline Company v. Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Complaint**

November 17, 1997.

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, ANR Pipeline Company (ANR),

500 Renaissance Center, Detroit, Michigan 48243, filed with the Commission in Docket No. CP98-74-000 a complaint against Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Company (Transco) P.O. Box 1396, Houston, Texas 77251 requesting that the Commission direct Transco to establish an interconnection that will enable ANR to make deliveries to Transco in Evangeline Parish, Louisiana, all as more fully set forth in the complaint on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

ANR states that since January 1997, ANR and Transco have discussed the construction of an interconnection between their respective mainline facilities in Evangeline Parish, Louisiana that would allow ANR to make firm deliveries of up to 300 MMCF of gas per day to Transco to satisfy requests of certain shippers on the ANR system. ANR indicates that it has advised Transco that ANR will reimburse Transco for the cost of these facilities. ANR claims that in July 1997, Transco advised ANR that it would not consent to the construction of an interconnection that would allow gas to be delivered on a firm basis from ANR's mainline into Transco's mainline. ANR asserts that Transco informed ANR that, as an alternative, it would be willing to accept deliveries on behalf of ANR's shippers at an existing point of interconnection between ANR's facilities and a lateral pipeline owned by Transco and operated by Transco's affiliate, Williams Field Services, which is located at Enice, Louisiana. ANR states that ANR informed Transco that its alternate proposal for receiving gas from ANR was not acceptable because it did not satisfy the needs of ANR's shippers.

ANR claims that because Transco has declined to construct the facilities the dispute between ANR and Transco has reached an impasse. ANR requests that the Commission promptly resolve the dispute by ordering Transco to install the requested minor interconnection facilities.

Any person desiring to be heard or make a protest with reference to ANR's complaint should file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene or protest in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 or 385.214). All such motions, together with the answer of Respondent to the complaint and motions, should be filed on or before December 17, 1997. Any person desiring to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies