

whether the information will have practical utility;

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

III. Current Actions

ETA seeks to provide both the public and private sectors with the capability to make occupational coding inquiries. Members of the public sometimes need to know where their own occupational

speciality or job title fits within the O*NET-SOC system. Therefore, a continuing need exists for this service.

The occupational analyst uses the information collection in form ETA 741—Occupational Code Assignment—Part A and Occupational Code Assignment—Request for Additional Information to aid them in assigning the most appropriate occupational code and title to the job or specialty described in the information submitted.

The form was changed in order to correlate more closely with the information in the O*NET system. For example, the OCA form requests new information items including skills, physical activities, knowledge areas, interactions, education, and training and experience.

Type of Review: Revision.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: Occupational Code Assignment.

OMB Number: 1205-0137.

Affected Public: Federal government, State and local government, business or other for-profit/not-for profit institutions, and individuals.

Cite/Reference/Form/etc.: Occupational Code Request form was form ETA 741. The "Occupational Code Assignment—Part A" is the name of the newly revised form. The "Occupational Code Assignment—Request for Additional Information" is a newly added form. It will be used only in situations where more detailed information is needed to make an occupation code assignment. See chart below.

Total Respondents: 177.

Frequency: On occasion.

Total Responses: 177.

Average Time per Response: 30 minutes for the OCA—Part A; and 40 minutes for OCA—Part A and the OCA—Request for Additional Information combined.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 92.

| Cite/reference | Total respondents | Frequency | Total responses | Average time per response (hours) | Burden (hours) |
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| OCA—Part A | 159 | On occasion | 159 | .5 | 79.5 |
| OCA—Part A and OCA—Request for additional information. | 18 | On occasion | 18 | .67 | 12 |
| Totals | | | 177 | | 91.5 |

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): \$0.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintaining): \$95.06.

Comments submitted in response to this comment request will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection request; they will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: July 22, 2003.

Maria K. Fynn,

Acting Administrator, Office of Policy Development, Evaluation and Research Employment and Training Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of Workers' Compensation Programs; OMB Approval of Information Collection; Federal Employees' Compensation Act, As Amended

AGENCY: Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, Employment Standards Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice of OMB approval under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

SUMMARY: The Office of Workers' Compensation Programs (OWCP) is announcing that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has approved, under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, a new collection of information under the Federal Employees' Compensation Act, as amended. This notice announces both the OMB approval number and expiration date.

COMPLIANCE DATE: As of July 29, 2003, affected parties must comply with the new information collection requirements described below, which have been approved by OMB under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), 44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Shelby Hallmark, Director, Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, Employment Standards Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room S-3524, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210. Telephone: 202-693-0036 (this is not a toll-free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On April 11, 2003, OWCP requested OMB approval under the PRA of a new information collection for the Federal Employees' Compensation Act, as amended (FECA), 5 U.S.C. 8101 *et seq.* The new information collection requirements that needed OMB approval are derived from sections 8131 and 8132 of the FECA, and its implementing regulations at 20 CFR 10.707 and 10.710, and consist of requests for information necessary to calculate the amount of the United States' statutory right to a refund out of the proceeds of a judgment or settlement of an action against a third party liable to pay damages for an injury compensable under the FECA.

On July 14, 2003, OMB approved this information collection request for three years. The OMB control number assigned to this information collection is 1215-0200. The approval for this information collection will expire on July 31, 2006.

Signed at Washington, DC this 22nd day of July, 2003.

Shelby Hallmark,

Director, Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, Employment Standards Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Mine Safety and Health Administration

Petitions for Modification

The following parties have filed petitions to modify the application of existing safety standards under section 101(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977.

1. B and B Coal Company

[Docket No. M-2003-050-C]

B and B Coal Company, 225 Main Street, Joliett, Tremont, Pennsylvania 17981 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.334(a)(2), (e), and (f)(3) (Worked-out areas and areas where pillars are being recovered) to its Rock Ridge Slope (MSHA I.D. No. 36-07741) located in Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania. The petitioner requests a modification of the existing standard to permit its former ventilation system and plan to be approved and reinstated for the Rock Ridge Slope anthracite coal mine in lieu of requiring that areas be sealed or ventilated. The petitioner asserts that certain areas of the existing standard would result in risk taking for personnel at the mine. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

2. Rosebud Mining Company

[Docket No. M-2003-051-C]

Rosebud Mining Company, 301 Market Street, Kittanning, Pennsylvania 16201 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.1100-2(e)(2) (Quantity and location of firefighting equipment) to its Little Toby Deep Mine (MSHA I.D. No. 36-08847) located in Elk County, Pennsylvania. The petitioner proposes to use two (2) portable fire extinguishers or one fire extinguisher of twice the required capacity at all temporary electrical installations in lieu of using one fire extinguisher and 240 pounds of rock dust. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard and would not cause a diminution of safety to the miners.

Request for Comments

Persons interested in these petitions are encouraged to submit comments via e-mail to comments@msha.gov, or on a computer disk along with an original hard copy to the Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances, Mine Safety and Health Administration, 1100 Wilson Boulevard, Room 2352, Arlington, Virginia 22209. All comments must be postmarked or received in that office on or before August 30, 2003. Copies of these petitions are available for inspection at that address.

Dated at Arlington, Virginia, this 22nd day of July 2003.

Marvin W. Nichols, Jr.,

Director, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (03-084)]

NASA Advisory Council, Space Science Advisory Committee; Meeting

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration announces a forthcoming meeting of the NASA Advisory Council (NAC), Space Science Advisory Committee (SScAC).

DATES: Monday, August 11, 2003, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, August 12, 2003, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and Wednesday, August 13, 2003, 8:30 a.m. to Noon.

ADDRESSES: National Aeronautics and Space Administration, room 6H46, 300 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20546.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Marian R. Norris, Code SB, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546, (202) 358-4452.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting will be open to the public up to the capacity of the room. The agenda for the meeting includes the following topics:

- AA program Status Report.
- Division Status and Subcommittee Meeting Reports.
- Presentations and Discussion on Explorer and Discovery Program Cost Caps.
- Review of GPRA Science Theme Progress Assessments.

- Technology Management Update.

Attendees will be requested to sign a register and to comply with NASA security requirements, including the presentation of a valid picture ID, before receiving an access badge. To expedite admittance, attendees can provide identifying information three business days in advance by contacting Ms. Marian Norris via e-mail at mnorris@nasa.gov or by telephone at 202/358-4452. Foreign nationals attending this meeting will be required to provide the following information by close of business August 5: full name; gender; date/place of birth; citizenship; visa/greencard information (number, type, expiration date); employer/affiliation information (name of institution, address, country, phone); title/position of attendee. Foreign nationals will be escorted at all times.

It is imperative that the meeting be held on these dates to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants. Any member of the public may file a written statement with the Committee; such statements should be provided to the contact above no later than five working days before the meeting. Visitors to the meeting will be requested to sign a visitor's register.

June W. Edwards,

Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

Sunshine Act; Notice of Meeting

TIME AND DATE: 10 a.m., Thursday, July 31, 2003.

PLACE: Board Room, 7th Floor, Room 7047, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-3428.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Quarterly Insurance Fund Report.
2. Reprogramming of NCUA's Operating Budget for 2003.
3. Final Rule: Section 701.21(c)(7)(ii)(C) of NCUA's Rules and Regulations, Interest Rate Ceiling.

RECESS: 11:15 a.m.

TIME AND DATE: 11:30 a.m., Thursday, July 31, 2003.

PLACE: Board Room, 7th Floor, Room 7047, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-3428.

STATUS: Closed.