

Membership in the program remains open, and UTC intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in the membership or planned activities.

Constance K. Robinson,

Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

August 15, 1996.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection requests (ICRs) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). Copies of these individual ICRs, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of Labor Acting Departmental Clearance Officer, Theresa M. O'Malley ((202) 219-5095). Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TTY/TDD) may call (202) 219-4720 between 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for (BLS/DM/ESA/ETA/OAW/MSHA/OSHA/PWBA/VETS), Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 ((202) 395-7316), within 30 days from the date of this publication in the Federal Register.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- * Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including 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 submission of responses.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: Migrant and Seasonal Farmworker Program Customer Satisfaction Survey.

OMB Number: 1205-0new.

Frequency: On-time.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Number of Respondents: 1,680.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 20 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 560.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: 0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): 0.

Description: The Department of Labor proposes to conduct a customer satisfaction survey of current and former participants of the Migrant and Seasonal Farmworker Program. Responses will be used to examine the relationships between services and customer satisfaction. Results will be used to guide policy and program level decisions that are likely to improve services to customers.

Theresa M. O'Malley,

Acting Departmental Clearance Officer.

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Office of the Secretary; Advisory Committee on Veterans Employment and Training; Notice of Renewal

In accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act and Office of Management and Budget Circular A-63 of March 1974, and after consultation with GSA, the Secretary of Labor has determined that the renewal of the Advisory Committee on Veterans Employment and Training is in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed on the Department by section 4110 of title 38, United States Code.

The Advisory Committee on Veterans Employment and Training shall: assess the employment and training needs to veterans; determine the extent to which the programs and activities of the Department of Labor are meeting such needs; carry out such other activities that are necessary to make the reports and recommendations required by law; and, not later than July 1 of each year, report to Secretary of Labor on the employment and training needs of veterans.

The Committee shall consist of at least 12, but not more than 18, individuals appointed by the Secretary

of Labor to serve as members of the Advisory Committee, consisting of: representatives nominated by veterans' organizations that are chartered by Federal law and have a national employment program; and not more than 6 individuals who are recognized authorities in the fields of business, employment, training, rehabilitation, or labor and who are not employees of the Department of Labor.

The Advisory Committee will report to the Assistant Secretary for Veterans' Employment and Training. It will function solely as an advisory body and in compliance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, and its charter will be filed under the Act.

Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding the renewal of the Advisory Committee on Veterans Employment and Training. Such comments should be addressed to: Mr. Charles F. Lee, Executive Assistant, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Veterans' Employment and Training, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210, telephone (202) 219-9116.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 9th day of August, 1996.

Robert B. Reich,

Secretary of Labor.

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Employment Standards Administration

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)]. This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Employment Standards Administration is soliciting comments concerning the proposed extension collections of: Agreement and Undertaking (OWCP-1) and Request to be Selected as Payee

(CM-910). A copy of the proposed information collection requests can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below on or before October 18, 1996. The Department of Labor is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including 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.

ADDRESSES: Ms. Margaret J. Sherrill, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Ave., N.W., Room S-3201, Washington, D.C. 20210, telephone (202) 219-7601 (this is not a toll-free number), fax (202) 219-6592.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Agreement and Undertaking

I. Background

Coal mine operators and longshore companies desiring to be self-insurers are required by law (30 U.S.C. 933 BL and 33 U.S.C. 932 LS) to produce security in terms of an indemnity bond or security deposit. Once a company's application to become self-insured is reviewed by the Division of Coal Mine Workers' Compensation (DCMWC) or by the Division of Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation (DLHWC) and it is determined the company is potentially eligible, an amount of security is determined to guarantee the payment of benefits required by the Act. The OWCP-1 form is executed by the self-insurer who agrees to abide by the Department's rules and authorizes the Secretary, in the event of default, to file suit to secure payment from a bond underwriter or in the case of a Federal Reserve account, to sell the securities for the same purpose. A company

cannot be authorized to self-insure until this requirement is met. Regulations establishing this requirement are at 20 CFR 726.110 for Coal Mine/Black Lung and 20 CFR 703.304 for Longshore.

II. Current Actions

The Department of Labor seeks the extension of approval to collect this information in order to determine if a coal mine or longshore company is potentially eligible to become self-insured. The information is reviewed to ensure that the correct amount of negotiable securities are deposited or indemnity bond is purchased and that in case of default, OWCP has the authority to utilize the securities or bond. If this Agreement and Undertaking were not required, OWCP would not be empowered to utilize the company's security deposit to meet its financial responsibilities for the coal mine or longshore benefits in case of default.

Type of Review: Extension.
Agency: Employment Standards Administration.
Title: Agreement and Undertaking.
OMB Number: 1215-0034.
Agency Number: OWCP-1.
Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit.
Total Respondents: 300.
Frequency: On occasion.
Total Responses: 300.
Average Time per Response: 15 minutes.
Estimated Total Burden Hours: 75.
Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): \$0.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): \$105.

Request to be Selected Payee

I. Background

Benefits are payable by the Department of Labor to miners who are totally disabled due to pneumoconiosis and to certain survivors of a miner under the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977, as amended (30 U.S.C. 901). If a beneficiary is incapable of handling his affairs, the person or institution responsible for his care is required to apply to receive the benefit payments on the beneficiary's behalf. The CM-910 is the form that is completed by representative payee applicants. The payee applicant completes the form and mails it for evaluation to the district office that has jurisdiction over the beneficiary's claim file. The collection of this information is required under 20 CFR 725.504-513.

II. Current Actions

The Department of Labor seeks the extension of approval to collect this

information in order to carry out its responsibility to determine the relationship of the applicant to the beneficiary and to assess the applicant's ability to undertake the responsibilities of representative payee.

Type of Review: Extension.

Agency: Employment Standards Administration.

Title: Request to be Selected Payee.

OMB Number: 1215-0166.

Agency Number: CM-910.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; businesses or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions.

Total Respondents: 600.

Frequency: Once.

Total Responses: 600.

Average Time per Response: 20 minutes.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 200.

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

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): \$210.

Comments submitted in response to this notice 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: August 15, 1996.

Cecily A. Rayburn,

Director, Division of Financial Management, Office of Management, Administration and Planning, Employment Standards Administration.

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Bureau of Labor Statistics

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a pre-clearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)]. This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) is soliciting comments concerning the proposed