Form Number(s): PTO Form 1583, 1963, 4.16, PTO/TM/1593, 4.16. Agency Approval Number: 0651–

00xx. *Type of Request:* New collection. *Burden:* 19,748 hours.

Number of Respondents: 129,787 responses.

Âvg. Hours Per Response: 3 to 30 minutes. This includes time to gather the necessary information, create the documents, and mail the completed request. The time estimates shown for the electronic forms in this collection are based on the average amount of time needed to complete and electronically file the associated form.

Needs and Uses: The information in this collection is a matter of public record and is used by the public for a variety of private business purposes related to establishing and enforcing trademark rights. At this time, the USPTO is proposing to split collection 0651-0009, Trademark Processing, into four separate collections based upon the structure of the Trademark business processes. The USPTO believes that dividing this extensive collection into smaller, more manageable, information collection requests will result in a more efficient updating and renewal process. This new collection is one of the newly created, or "split" groups. The USPTO has split the

The USPTO has split the amendments/corrections/surrenders category to include amendments and corrections as one category. Surrenders are treated as a separate category. The remaining eight items in this collection were part of the existing approved 0651–0009 collection.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; business or other for-profit; not-for-profit institutions; farms, the Federal Government, and State, Local or Tribal Governments.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: David Rostker, (202) 395–3897.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by any of the following methods:

• E-mail: *Susan.Brown@uspto.gov.* Include "0651–0031 copy request" in the subject line of the message.

• Fax: 571–273–0112, marked to the attention of Susan Brown.

• Mail: Susan K. Brown, Records Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, Office of Data Architecture and Services, Data Administration Division, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313–1450.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent on or before September 12, 2005 to David Rostker, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: August 3, 2005.

Susan K. Brown,

Records Officer, USPTO, Office of Data Architecture and Services, Data Administration Division. [FR Doc. 05–15887 Filed 8–10–05; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–16–P

DEFENSE BASE CLOSURE AND REALIGNMENT COMMISSION

Notice of the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission—Open Meeting (Arlington, VA)

AGENCY: Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission. **ACTION:** Notice; Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission—Open Meeting to Make the Base Closure and Realignment Recommendations the Commission Will Forward to the President (Arlington, VA).

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission will hold an open meeting on August 24, 25, 26 and 27, 2005 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m., 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. on each day indicated at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City, 2799 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington VA 22202. The Commission requests that the public consult the 2005 Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission Web site, http://www.brac.gov, for updates. The Commission will make the base closure and realignment recommendations the Commission will forward to the President. This deliberative meeting will be open to the public, subject to the availability of space. Sign language *interpretation* will be provided. DATES: August 24, 25, 26 and 27, 2005 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m., 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. on each day indicated.

ADDRESSES: Hyatt Regency Crystal City, 2799 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington VA 22202.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Please see the 2005 Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission Web site, *http://www.brac.gov.* The Commission invites the public to provide direct comment by sending an electronic message through the portal provided on the Commission's Web site or by mailing comments and supporting documents to the 2005 Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission,

2521 South Clark Street Suite 600, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3920. The Commission requests that public comments be directed toward matters bearing on the decision criteria described in The Defense Base Closure and Realignment Act of 1990, as amended, available on the Commission Web site. Sections 2912 through 2914 of that Act describe the criteria and many of the essential elements of the 2005 BRAC process. For questions regarding this announcement, contact Mr. Dan Cowhig, Deputy General Counsel and Designated Federal Officer, at the Commission's mailing address or by telephone at 703-699-2950 or 2708.

Dated: August 5, 2005.

Jeannette Owings-Ballard,

Administrative Support Officer. [FR Doc. 05–15907 Filed 8–10–05; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 5001–06–P

DEFENSE BASE CLOSURE AND REALIGNMENT COMMISSION

Notice of the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission—Open Meeting

AGENCY: Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission.

ACTION: Notice; Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission—Open Meeting To Receive Department of Defense Comment on Various Base Closure and Realignment Recommendations (Washington, DC).

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission will hold an open meeting on August 20, 2005 from 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Senate Hart Hearing Room 216, Constitution Avenue, Washington DC 20510. The delay of this notice resulted from the short time-frame established by statute for the operations of the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission and the necessity of coordinating this meeting with a variety of Federal government officials. The Commission requests that the public consult the 2005 Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission Web site, http:// www.brac.gov, for updates. The Commission will meet to receive Department of Defense comment on various recommendations for closure or realignment of installations. This meeting will be open to the public, subject to the availability of space.

DATES: August 20, 2005 from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.