

electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

#### Overview of This Information Collection

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* Requirements: Data Collection Application for the Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant Program.

(3) The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection: *New collection;* Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: State. Pub. L. 105-405, November 13, 1997, Making Appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1998, and for subsequent funded fiscal years.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/reply:* Fifty-six (56) respondents will complete a 1-hour follow-up information form for each unit of local government receiving JAIBG funds and on funds retained by the State for program expenditure.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* The estimated total burden hours associated with this information collection 4,200.

If additional information is required contact: Brenda E. Dyer, Deputy Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Justice Management Division, Policy and Planning Staff, Patrick Henry Building, Suite 1600, 601 D Street NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: January 8, 2004.

#### **Brenda E. Dyer,**

*Deputy Clearance Officer, Department of Justice.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Employment and Training Administration

#### Proposed Information Collection Request; Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

**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 and Training Administration is soliciting comments concerning the proposed collection of data from organizations that have been awarded H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants by the Employment and Training Administration.

**DATES:** Submit written comments on or before March 15, 2004.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments to: Mindy Feldbaum, Federal Program Officer, Office of Workforce Investment, Employment and Training Administration, United States Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Ave. NW., Room N4665, Washington DC 20210, telephone 202-693-3382 (this is not a toll-free number), Internet address: [feldbaum.mindy@dol.gov](mailto:feldbaum.mindy@dol.gov) and fax: 202-693-2982.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **I. Background**

The DOL/ETA intends to use the requested data and information to monitor adherence to the grant award agreement provisions, assess progress of the grantees in meeting program goals and objectives and amass data sufficient to analyze outcomes and the overall effectiveness of the H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants program as required by the American Competitiveness in the Twenty-first Century Act of 2000 (AC-21) and 29 CFR 95.51. The information and data will also be used to respond to inquiries regarding the H-1B Grants program that come from the Executive branch,

Congress, the General Accounting Office, the media and others. To date, the DOL/ETA has awarded 129 grants under the H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants program.

##### **II. Desired Focus of Comments**

The Department of Labor is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proposed 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.

A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) may be obtained by contacting the office listed in the Addressee section of this notice.

##### **III. Current Actions**

*Type of Review:* Existing collection in use without an OMB control number.

*Agency:* Employment and Training Administration.

*Title:* H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants Program Reporting Requirements.

*Recordkeeping:* H-1B Technical Skills Training Grantees are required to retain records in accordance with their respective grant award agreements.

*Affected Public:* Organizations awarded grants under ETA's H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants Program.

*Form:* The proposed collection of information will use ETA's Web-based Enterprise Information Management System (EIMS) to collect quarterly requested information. The final report will be submitted in hard copy. The information to be collected is shown on the ICR.

*Total Respondents:* Organizations that have received H-1B grant awards under the provisions of the American Competitiveness in the Twenty-first Century Act (AC-21) are the respondents. To date, 86 awards have been made under AC-21.

*Frequency:* Quarterly, for the progress report; once upon project completion for the final project report.

*Total Responses:* Estimated at between 332 and 484 reports annually

(number of respondents multiplied by the number of reports submitted annually).

*Average time per response:* 12 hours for the quarterly report; 40 hours for the one-time final report.

*Estimated Total Burden Hours:* see Burden Table below.

**BURDEN HOUR TABLE FOR H-1B.—TECHNICAL SKILLS TRAINING GRANT PROGRAM INFORMATION COLLECTION REQUEST**  
 [DOL/ETA Reporting Burden for H-1B Technical Skills Training Grant Performance Reporting]

	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006
Number of Performance reports per grantee per quarter .....	1	1	1
Number of Performance reports per grantee per year .....	2	4	4
Average number of hours required for Performance reporting per grantee per quarter per report (see Note 1) .....	12	12	12
Average number of hours required for Performance reporting per grantee per year .....	24	48	48
Number of grantees submitting Performance reports (See Note 2) .....	93	121	83
Average number of hours required for reporting burden per year .....	2,232	5,808	3,984
SF269 Financial Status Report burden hours (OMB Control 0348-0043) @ 30 minutes per grantee per quarter .....	186	242	166
Grantee Final Project Report burden hours @ 40 hours per grantee (see Note 3) times # of grants ending in each year .....	80	1,520	520
<b>TOTAL BURDEN HOURS</b> .....	<b>2,498</b>	<b>7,570</b>	<b>4,670</b>
Total Performance reporting, SF269 and Final Report burden cost @ \$15.57 per hour (see Note 4) .....	\$38,893.86	\$117,864.90	\$72,711.90

**Notes:**

1. The estimate of hourly reporting burden per quarter for each grantee includes the time spent by the grantee to collect necessary information and to enter the information into ETA's EIMS.

2. Number of grantees varies during the course of the year. Some grants are completed and others will start during any given year. However, each grantee will be required to submit one progress report per quarter. The total number of reports submitted during a year thus varies depending on the number of operational grants in a particular year.

3. A final report is required once from each grantee. On average, the final report burden is estimated at 40 hours, including gathering of project statistics from existing data sources and writing and editing the report.

4. The total burden cost was based upon the median hourly wage for an Administrative Assistant/Executive Assistant using data for year 2001 (latest year for which data are available) from DOL's O\*Net system.

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

Dated: January 7, 2004.

**Emily Stover DeRocco,**

*Assistant Secretary, Employment and Training, Department of Labor.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**Employment and Training Administration**

**Solicitation for Grant Applications (SGA) for H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants; Cancellation**

**AGENCY:** Employment and Training Administration (ETA), Labor.

**ACTION:** Notice of cancellation.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Labor (DOL) is canceling the SGA published in the **Federal Register** of January 6, 2003 (68 FR 567), concerning the availability of grant funds for H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants for training unemployed and employed American workers.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 16, 2004.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

James Stockton, Grant Officer, Division of Federal Assistance, Telephone (202) 693-3301. (This is not a toll-free number).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** As

authorized in the ACWIA 1998 (PL 105-227, the American Competitiveness and Workforce Improvement Act of 1998) and AC-21 (PL 106-313, the American Competitiveness in the Twenty-First Century Act), DOL provides grants for technical skills training from user fees that have been paid by employers hiring foreign workers under H-1B non-immigrant visas. We identified our goals and underlying principles for these grants, along with application procedures, in an SGA published in the **Federal Register** at 68 FR 567 (January 6, 2003). In order to reconsider these goals and principles, the Department is canceling the Solicitation for Grant Applications (SGA/DFA 03-100) for H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants. This cancellation will be effective two days after the publication of this **Federal Register** notice. We will not accept applications received after 5 p.m. Eastern Standard Time on January 16, 2004. However, the Department will review applications received prior to this cancellation and may consider

possible funding for those found eligible for funding in accordance with the review process specified in the SGA.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 9th day of January, 2004.

**James W. Stockton,**  
*Grant Officer.*

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**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

[Docket No. 030-34340]

**Notice of Finding of No Significant Impact and Availability of Environmental Assessment for License Amendment of Materials License No. 37-30369-01; Adolor Corporation, Malvern, PA**

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Kathy Dolce Modes, Nuclear Materials Safety Branch 2, Division of Nuclear Materials Safety, Region I, 475 Allendale Road, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, 19406, telephone (610)