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Allan Hopkins,

IRS Reports Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Internal Revenue Service

Proposed Collection; Comment Request for Electronic Sales Kit: Interview Guide

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). Currently, the IRS is soliciting comments concerning the Electronic Sales Kit: Interview Guide.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before July 11, 2006 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Glenn P. Kirkland, Internal Revenue Service, room 6516, 1111 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20224.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of information collection should be directed to Allan Hopkins, at (202) 622-6665, or at Internal Revenue Service, room 6516, 1111 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20224, or through the Internet, at Allan.M.Hopkins@irs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Electronic Sales Kit: Interview Guide.

OMB Number: 1545-1853.

Abstract: A guide used by IRS Wage & Investment Division (W&I)—Stakeholder Partnerships, Education and Communication (SPEC) and Small

Business/Self-Employed Division (SB/SE)—Taxpayer Education and Communication (TEC) Field employees containing suggested questions to ask during in-person visitations and/or telemarketing calls with tax professionals to better direct a conversation leading to encouraging the tax professional to e-file.

Current Actions: There is no change to this collection at this time.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 2,000.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 1 hour, 30 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 3,000.

The following paragraph applies to all of the collections of information covered by this notice:

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a collection of information must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any internal revenue law. Generally, tax returns and tax return information are confidential, as required by 26 U.S.C. 6103.

Request for Comments: Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

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Glenn P. Kirkland,

IRS Reports Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Veterans' Disability Benefits Commission; Amended—Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under Public Law 92-463 (Federal Advisory Committee Act) that the Veterans' Disability Benefits Commission has amended the location, schedule and agenda for its meeting on May 18-19, 2006. The sessions will take place at the FDIC/Seidman Training Center, 3501 Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA. On May 18, the meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m. and end at 4 p.m. On May 19, the meeting will begin at 8 a.m. and end at 3 p.m. The meeting is open to the public.

The agenda on May 18 will feature an overview of the Department of Defense program for assessing and filling the adaptive equipment needs of injured or disabled service members retooling for employment. The agenda will also feature updates on the progress of the studies being conducted by the Institute of Medicine (IOM), a report of the Commission's site visits to Illinois and Missouri, and a briefing on Quality of Life. The Government Accountability Office will present its findings on the disability benefits available to Federal, state and local employees who serve the public in high-risk occupations and are injured in the line of duty. The agenda for the meeting on May 19 will feature updates on the progress of the studies being conducted by the Center for Naval Analyses (CNA), with the results of CNA's literature review; and a continuing discussion of Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI), to include a panel of veterans service organizations presenting views on SSDI.

Interested persons may attend and present oral statements to the Commission on May 19. Oral presentations will be limited to five minutes or less, depending on the number of participants. Interested parties may provide written comments for review by the Commission prior to the meeting, by e-mail to veterans@vetscommission.intranets.com or by mail to Mr. Ray Wilburn, Executive Director, Veterans' Disability Benefits Commission, 1101 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., 5th Floor, Washington, DC 20004.

Dated: May 3, 2006.

By Direction of the Secretary.

E. Philip Riggan,

Committee Management Officer.

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