

have previously expressed or are known to have an interest in activities associated with the closure of Fort McClellan. Additionally, two public scoping meetings will be held. One meeting will be held in Talladega, AL and the other scoping meeting will be held in Anniston, Alabama. The public, as well as Federal, State, and local agencies are encouraged to participate in these scoping meetings and/or submit data, information, and comments by mail identifying relevant environmental and socioeconomic issues to be addressed in this environmental analysis. Comments and information should be mailed to Mr. L Z Johnson at the above address. Requests to be placed on the mailing list for announcements and the Draft EIS should also be sent to Mr. L Z Johnson. The first public scoping meeting will be held at the Colony House Motel, Banquet Room, 65600 Highway 77 North, Talladega, AL at 7:30 PM, CST, on Tuesday, March 16, 1999. The second public scoping meeting will be held at the City Meeting Center, Meeting Room B, 1615 Noble Street, Anniston, AL at 7:30 PM, CST, on Wednesday, March 17, 1999.

4. Related Documents

Environmental Assessment For the Center for Domestic Preparedness, Fort McClellan, Alabama, U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, July 1998 and Final Environmental Impact Statement for Disposal and Reuse of Fort McClellan, Alabama, U.S. Department of the Army, August 1998.

Laurie Robinson,

Assistant Attorney General, Office of Justice Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Review

February 16, 1999.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection request (ICR) 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). A copy of the ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of Labor, Departmental Clearance Officer, Todd R. Owen ({202} 219-5096 ext. 143) or by E-Mail to Owen-Todd@dol.gov.

Comments should be sent to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for the Office of the Secretary, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 ({202} 395-7316), on or before March 22, 1999. 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 assumption 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: Office of the Secretary.

Title: Applicant Background

Questionnaire.

OMB Number: 1225-0072 (Revision).

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Applicants for positions recruited in the Department of Labor.

Number of Respondents: 3,000.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 5 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 250.

Total Annualized Capital/startup

Costs: \$0.

Total Annual (operating/
maintaining): \$0.

Description: The Applicant Background Questionnaire gathers information concerning the gender, race or ethnic background, and disability status of applicants for employment. Applicants for employment are asked to voluntarily complete this form to assist the agency in evaluating and improving its efforts to publicize job openings and to encourage applications for employment, from a diverse group of qualified candidates, including minorities and persons with disabilities. The Department will use the information to assess the effectiveness of specific outreach efforts and means of communicating information on job vacancies. The form is revised to delete the applicant's Social Security Number for the requested responses, and to add a question concerning whether an

applicant's disability is among a list of targeted disabilities.

Todd R. Owen,

Departmental Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment Standards Administration; Wage and Hour Division

Minimum Wages for Federal and Federally Assisted Construction; General Wage Determination Decisions

General wage determination decisions of the Secretary of Labor are issued in accordance with applicable law and are based on the information obtained by the Department of Labor from its study of local wage conditions and data made available from other sources. They specify the basic hourly wage rates and fringe benefits which are determined to be prevailing for the described classes of laborers and mechanics employed on construction projects of a similar character and in the localities specified therein.

The determinations in these decisions of prevailing rates and fringe benefits have been made in accordance with 29 CFR Part 1, by authority of the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act of March 3, 1931, as amended (46 Stat. 1494, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 276a) and of other Federal statutes referred to in 29 CFR Part 1, Appendix, as well as such additional statutes as may from time to time be enacted containing provisions for the payment of wages determined to be prevailing by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act. The prevailing rates and fringe benefits determined in these decisions shall, in accordance with the provisions of the foregoing statutes, constitute the minimum wages payable on Federal and federally assisted construction projects to laborers and mechanics of the specified classes engaged on contract work of the character and in the localities described therein.

Good cause is hereby found for not utilizing notice and public comment procedure thereon prior to the issuance of these determinations as prescribed in 5 U.S.C. 553 and not providing for delay in the effective date as prescribed in that section, because the necessity to issue current construction industry wage determinations frequently and in large volume causes procedures to be impractical and contrary to the public interest.

General wage determination decisions, and modifications and supersedes decisions thereto, contain no expiration dates and are effective from their date of notice in the **Federal Register**, or on the date written notice is received by the agency, whichever is earlier. These decisions are to be used in accordance with the provisions of 29 CFR Parts 1 and 5. Accordingly, the applicable decision, together with any modifications issued, must be made a part of every contract for performance of the described work within the geographic area indicated as required by an applicable Federal prevailing wage law and 29 CFR Part 5. The wage rates and fringe benefits, notice of which is published herein, and which are contained in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under The Davis-Bacon and Related Acts," shall be the minimum paid by contractors and subcontractors to laborers and mechanics.

Any person, organization, or governmental agency having an interest in the rates determined as prevailing is encouraged to submit wage rate and fringe benefit information for consideration by the Department. Further information and self-explanatory forms for the purpose of submitting this data may be obtained by writing to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment Standards Administration, Wage and Hour Division, Division of Wage Determinations, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room S-3014, Washington, D.C. 20210.

Modifications to General Wage Determination Decisions

The number of decisions listed in the Government Printing Office document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts" being modified are listed by Volume and State. Dates of publication in the **Federal Register** are in parentheses following the decisions being modified.

Volume I:

None

Volume II:

None

Volume III:

None

Volume IV:

None

Volume V:

Nebraska:

NE990003 (FEB. 19, 1999)

NE990011 (FEB. 19, 1999)
NE990025 (FEB. 19, 1999)
NE990038 (FEB. 19, 1999)
NE990044 (FEB. 19, 1999)

Volume VI:

None

Volume VII:

California:

CA990029 (FEB. 19, 1999)
CA990030 (FEB. 19, 1999)

General Wage Determination Publication

General wage determinations issued under the Davis-Bacon and related Acts, including those noted above, may be found in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under The Davis-Bacon and Related Acts." This publication is available at each of the 50 Regional Government Depository Libraries and many of the 1,400 Government Depository Libraries across the country.

The general wage determinations issued under the Davis-Bacon and related Acts are available electronically by subscription to the FedWorld Bulletin Board System of the National Technical Information Service (NTIS) of the U.S. Department of Commerce at 1-800-363-2068

Hard-copy subscriptions may be purchased from: Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, (202) 512-1800.

When ordering hard-copy subscription(s), be sure to specify the State(s) of interest, since subscriptions may be ordered for any or all of the seven separate volumes, arranged by State. Subscriptions include an annual edition (issued in January or February) which includes all current general wage determinations for the States covered by each volume. Throughout the remainder of the year, regular weekly updates are distributed to subscribers.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 11 day of February 1999.

Carl J. Poleskey,

Chief, Branch of Construction Wage Determinations.

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LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION

Notice of Availability of 1999 Competitive Grant Funds for Service Area CO-2, NCO-1 AND MCO in Colorado

AGENCY: Legal Services Corporation.

ACTION: Solicitation of Proposals for the Provision of Civil Legal Services for the Basic Field-General service area (CO-2), which comprises: Alamosa, Archuleta, Baca, Bent, Cheyenne, Conejos, Costilla, Crowley, Delta, Dolores, Elbert, Garfield, Hinsdale, Huerfano, Kiowa, Kit Carson, La Plata, Larimer, Las Animas, Lincoln, Logan, Mesa, Mineral, Montezuma, Montrose, Morgan, Otero, Ouray, Phillips, Prowers, Rio Grande, Saguache, San Juan, San Miguel, Sedgwick, Washington, Weld, and Yuma counties in Colorado; the Basic Field-Migrant service area (MCO), which encompasses migrant farmworkers living in the state of Colorado; and the Basic Field Native American service area (NCO-1), which encompasses Native Americans living in all counties in Colorado, including those who live on the Ute and southern Ute Indian reservations.

SUMMARY: The Legal Services Corporation (LSC or Corporation) is the national organization charged with administering federal funds provided for civil legal services to the poor. Congress has adopted legislation requiring LSC to utilize a system of competitive bidding for the award of grants and contracts.

The Corporation hereby announces that it is reopening competition for 1999 competitive grant funds and is soliciting grant proposals from interested parties who are qualified to provide effective, efficient and high quality civil legal services to the eligible client population in service areas CO-2, NCO-1 and MCO in Colorado. Two grant terms will be funded. The tentative date of the first grant term is as early as July 1, 1999 through December 31, 1999 (six months). The tentative grant amounts for the first grant term are \$446,752 for Basic Field-General (CO-2), \$62,802 for Basic Field-Migrant (MCO), and \$12,047 for Basic Field-Native American (NCO-1). The second grant term is for calendar year 2000 (twelve months). The exact amount of congressionally appropriated funds and the date and terms of their availability for calendar year 2000 are not known, although it is anticipated that the funding amount will be similar to calendar year 1999 funding, which was \$893,500 for Basic Field-General (CO-2), \$125,610 for Basic Field-Migrant (MCO), and \$24,095 for Basic Field-Native American (NCO-1).

DATES: Request for Proposals (RFP) will be available after February 19, 1999. A Notice of Intent to Compete is due by May 10, 1999. Grant proposals must be received at LSC offices by 5 p.m. EDT, June 1, 1999.