

Description: These application instructions will be used by eligible nonprofit organizations and public agencies requesting assistance in establishing community service, innovative or demonstration programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics, Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice.

In compliance with section 35006(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics announces the proposed extension of a public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed 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 DoD's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or forms of information technology.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by January 28, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to the Defense Standardization Program Office (DSPO), Defense Logistics Agency, J-307, Attention: Ms. Karen Bond, 8725 John J. Kingman Road, STOP 6233, Fort Belvoir, VA 22060-6221; telephone: (703) 767-6871.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please contact the Defense Standardization Program Office (DSPO) at (703) 767-6871.

Title, Associated Forms, and OMB Number: Acquisition Management Systems and Data Requirements Control List (AMSDDL); Numerous Forms; 0704-0188.

Needs and Uses: The Acquisition Management Systems and Data Requirements Control List (AMSDDL) is a list of data requirements used in Department of Defense (DoD) contracts. The information collected will be used by DoD personnel and other DoD contractors to support the design, test, manufacture, training, operation, and maintenance of procured items, including weapons systems critical to the national defense.

Notice: The Acquisition Management Systems and Data Requirements Control List (AMSDDL) will be canceled once reference to it has been removed from the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation. The data item descriptions listed in the AMSDDL will be listed in the Department of Defense Index of Specifications and Standards (DoDISS). The extension of this information collection will be revised when the AMSDDL has been canceled.

Affected Public: Business or Other For-Profit; Not-For-Profit Institutions.

Annual Burden Hours: 52,628,400.

Number of Respondents: 886.

Responses per Respondent: 540.

Average Burden per Response: 110 hours.

Frequency: On occasion.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Summary of Information Collection

The Acquisition Management Systems and Data Requirements Control List (AMSDDL) is a list of data requirements used in Department of Defense contracts. Information collection requests are contained in DoD contract actions for supplies, services, hardware, and software. This information is collected and used by DoD and its component Military Departments and Agencies to support the design, test, manufacture, training, operation, maintenance, and logistical support of procured items, including weapons systems. The collection of such data is essential to accomplishing the assigned mission of the Department of Defense. Failure to collect this information would have a detrimental effect on the DoD acquisition programs and the National Security.

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Patricia L. Toppings,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Defense Science Board

AGENCY: Department of Defense

ACTION: Notice of Advisory Committee Meetings.

SUMMARY: The Defense Science Board Task Force on DoD Roles and Missions in Homeland Security will meet in closed session on January 7-8, 2003; February 19-20, 2003, March 29-20, 2003; April 22-23, 2003; May 28-29, 2003; June 24-25, 2003; and July 16-17, 2003, at Strategic Analysis Inc., 3601 Wilson boulevard, Arlington, VA. The Task Force will review the Department of Defense (DoD) roles and missions in Homeland Security.

The mission of the Defense Science Board is to advise the Secretary of Defense and the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology & Logistics on scientific and technical matters as they affect the perceived needs of the Department of Defense. At these meetings, the Task Force will address: the definition of "Homeland Security" and the specific roles and missions DoD will be responsible for accomplishing; the prioritized goals for these DoD roles and missions in a national security emergency; the DoD strategy and plans for the employment of National Guard and Reserve forces capabilities to participate in Homeland Security and also respond to warfighting demands overseas; the other primary Federal agencies and the evolving new Department of Homeland Security with which DoD must develop an integrated security strategy, planning function and operational capabilities and inter-agency processes that need to be put in place; the known and many unknown vulnerabilities to DoD force projection and how projections issues and responsibilities will be addressed in the larger context of Homeland Security; and the classes of technologies and systems that DoD should have the lead in developing and fielding which have applications for homeland security as well.

In accordance with section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. II), it has been determined that these Defense Science Board Task Force meetings concern matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1) and that, accordingly, these meetings will be closed to the public.