

carbon monoxide area) that lead to ozone reductions inside nonattainment and maintenance area boundaries? Similar concerns may exist for coarse particulate matter (PM-10) which may be more hot spot oriented and fine particulate matter (PM-2.5) which may exhibit the same transport phenomenon as ozone.

Fifth, there is only a fixed amount of funds that are available for CMAQ projects in each State in each year. Any expansion of CMAQ eligibility to allow the expenditures for projects outside of nonattainment or maintenance areas will reduce the amount available in each State in each year. Any expansion of CMAQ eligibility to allow the expenditures for projects outside of nonattainment or maintenance areas will reduce the amount available in each State in each year. Any expansion of CMAQ eligibility to allow the expenditures for projects outside of nonattainment or maintenance areas will reduce the amount available for projects within such areas.

Both the FHWA and the FTA invite interested parties to submit comments on all of the issues mentioned above.

**Authority:** 23 U.S.C. 315; sec. 1110, Pub. L. 105-178, 112 Stat. 107 (1999); 49 CFR 1.48 and 1.51.

Issued on: March 24, 2000.

**Walter L. Sutton, Jr.,**  
*Acting Deputy Administrator,*  
**Nuria I. Fernandez,**  
*Acting Administrator.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Maritime Administration (MARAD)

#### Reports, Forms and Recordkeeping Requirements Agency Information Collection Activity Under OMB Review

**AGENCY:** Maritime Administration, DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the information collection abstracted below has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment. Described below is the nature of the information collection and its expected burden. The **Federal Register** notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments on the following collection was published on January 20, 2000 [65 FR 3266].

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before May 1, 2000.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Melvin Geller, Office of National Security Plans, Maritime Administration, 400 Seventh Street, SW, Room P1-1303, Washington, DC 20590, telephone number 202-366-5910. Copies of this collection can also be obtained from that office.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Maritime Administration

*Title of Collection:* "EUSC/Parent Company".

*OMB Control Number:* 2133-0511.

*Type of Request:* Approval of an existing information collection.

*Affected Public:* Foreign register American vessel owners.

*Form(s):* None.

*Abstract:* The collection of information consists of an inventory of foreign register vessels owned by Americans. Specifically, the collection consists of responses from vessel owners verifying or correcting vessel ownership data and characteristics found in commercial publications. The information obtained could be vital in a national or international emergency, and is essential to the logistical support planning operations conducted by MARAD officials. The information obtained will be used for contingency planning for sealift requirements primarily as a source of ships to move essential oil and bulk cargoes in support of the national economy.

*Annual Estimated Burden Hours:* 46 hours.

#### Addressee

Send comments to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, 725-17th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20503, Attention MARAD Desk Officer.

#### Comments Are Invited on

Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Department, including whether the information will have practical utility; the accuracy of the Department's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. A comment to OMB is best assured of having its full effect if OMB receives it within 30 days of publication.

Dated: March 27, 2000.

**Joel C. Richard,**  
*Secretary, Maritime Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation

#### Advisory Board; Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463; 5 U.S.C. App. I) notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Advisory Board of the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation (SLSDC), to be held at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 12, 2000, at the Governor's Club, 777 South Flagler Drive, 1209e West Palm Beach, Florida. The agenda for this meeting will be as follows: Opening Remarks; Consideration of Minutes of Past Meeting; Review of Programs; New Business; and Closing Remarks.

Attendance at meeting is open to the interested public but limited to the space available. With the approval of the Administrator, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing further information should contact not later than April 7, 2000, Marc C. Owen, Advisory Board Liaison, Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20590; 202-366-6823.

Any member of the public may present a written statement to the Advisory Board at any time.

Issued at Washington, DC on March 24, 2000.

**Marc C. Owen,**  
*Advisory Board Liaison.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Bureau of Transportation Statistics

#### Advisory Council on Transportation Statistics

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Transportation Statistics, DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 10(A)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 72-363; 5 U.S.C. App. 2) notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Bureau of Transportation Statistics (BTS) Advisory Council on Transportation Statistics (ACTS) to be held Monday, April 10, 2000, 10:00 to 4:00 pm. The meeting will take place at the U.S. Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC, in conference room 3202-04 of the Nassif Building.

The Advisory Council, called for under Section 6007 of Public Law 102-240, Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991, December 18, 1991, and chartered on June 19, 1995, was created to advise the Director of BTS on transportation statistics and analyses, including whether or not the statistics and analysis disseminated by the Bureau are of high quality and are based upon the best available objective information.

The agenda for this meeting will include, Director's programs update, data quality issues, safety conference, Committee on Transportation Statistics (CTSTAT), identification of substantive issues, review of plans and schedule, other items of interest, discussion and agreement of date(s) for subsequent meetings, and comments from the floor.

Since access to the DOT building is controlled, all persons who plan to attend the meeting must notify Ms. Lillian "Pidge" Chapman, Council Liaison, on (202) 366-1270 prior to April 5, 2000. Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space available. With the approval of the Chair, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Noncommittee members wishing to present oral statements, obtain information, or who plan to access the building to attend the meeting should also contact Ms. Chapman.

Members of the public may present a written statement to the Council at any time.

Persons with a disability requiring special services, such as an interpreter for the hearing impaired, should contact Ms. Chapman (202) 366-1270 at least seven days prior to the meeting.

Issued in Washington, DC, on March 22, 2000.

**Ashish Sen,**  
Director.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Submission for OMB review; comment request

March 24, 2000.

The Department of Treasury has submitted the following public information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. Copies of the submission(s) may be obtained by calling the Treasury Bureau Clearance Officer listed. Comments regarding this information collection should be

addressed to the OMB reviewer listed and to the Treasury Department Clearance Officer, Department of the Treasury, Room 2110, 1425 New York Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20220.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before May 1, 2000, to be assured of consideration.

### Financial Management Service (FMS)

*OMB Number:* 1510-0008.

*Form Number:* None.

*Type of Review:* Extension.

*Title:* Pools and Associations—Annual Letter.

*Description:* The information is collected for the determination of an acceptable percentage for each pool and association to allow Treasury certified companies credit on their Schedule F for authorized ceded reinsurance in determining the companies underwriting limitations.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 100.

*Estimated Burden Hours Per Respondent:* 1 hour, 30 minutes.

*Frequency of Response:* Annually.

*Estimated Total Reporting Burden:* 150 hours.

*OMB Number:* 1510-0013.

*Form Number:* FMS Form 2208.

*Type of Review:* Extension.

*Title:* States Where Licensed for Surety.

*Description:* Information is collected from insurance companies in order to provide Federal bond approving officers with this information. The listing of states, by company, appear in Treasury's Circular 570, "Surety Companies Acceptable on Federal Bonds."

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 318.

*Estimated Burden Hours Per Respondent:* 1 hour.

*Frequency of Response:* Annually.

*Estimated Total Reporting Burden:* 318 hours.

*Clearance Officer:* Juanita Holder, Financial Management Service, 3700 East West Highway, Room 144, PGP II, Hyattsville, MD 20782.

*OMB Reviewer:* Alexander T. Hunt, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503, (202) 395-7860.

**Lois K. Holland,**

*Departmental Reports Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

March 23, 2000.

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**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before May 1, 2000, to be assured of consideration.

### Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

*OMB Number:* 1545-0013.

*Form Number:* IRS Form 56.

*Type of Review:* Extension.

*Title:* Notice Concerning Fiduciary Relationship.

*Description:* Form 56 is used to inform the IRS that a person is acting for another person in a fiduciary capacity so that the IRS may mail tax notices to the fiduciary concerning the person for whom he/she is acting. The data is used to ensure that the fiduciary relationship is established or terminated and to mail or discontinue mailing designated tax notices to the fiduciary.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit, individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents/Recordkeepers:* 25,000.

*Estimated Burden Hours Per Respondent/Recordkeeper:*

Recordkeeping: 8 min.

Learning about the law or the form: 32 min.

Preparing the form: 46 min.

Copying, assembling, and sending the form to the IRS: 15 min.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Estimated Total Reporting/Recordkeeping Burden:* 292,800 hours.

*OMB Number:* 1545-0892.

*Form Number:* IRS Form 8300.

*Type of Review:* Extension.

*Title:* Report of Cash Payments Over \$10,000 Received in a Trade or Business.

*Description:* Anyone in a trade or business who, in the course of such trade or business, receives more than \$10,000 in cash or foreign currency in one or more related transactions must report it to the IRS and provide a