

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Patrick J. Sherrill, (202) 708-9915.

Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Services (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 3517 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 3517) requires that the Director of OMB provide interested Federal agencies and persons an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations.

The Director, Information Resources Group, publishes this notice with the attached proposed information collection request prior to submission of this request to OMB. This notice contains the following information:

- (1) Type of review requested, e.g., expedited;
- (2) Title;
- (3) Abstract;
- (4) Additional Information;
- (5) Frequency of collection;
- (6) Affected public; and
- (7) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. Because an expedited review is requested, a description of the information to be collected is also included as an attachment to this notice.

Dated: January 11, 1995.

**Gloria Parker,**

*Director, Information Resources Group.*

**Office of Postsecondary Education**

*Type of Review:* Expedited

*Title:* Educational Research and Development Center Program; and Jacob K. Javits Gifted and Talented Education Program

*Frequency:* Annually

*Affected Public:* Not-for-profit institutions; State, Local or Tribal Governments

*Reporting Burden:*

Responses: 52

Burden Hours: 20,800

*Recordkeeping Burden:*

Recordkeepers: 0

Burden Hours: 0

*Abstract:* This collection of information is necessary in order to allow institutions of higher education and other eligible parties to present proposals for awards for research and development centers in gifted and talented education and other mission

areas. The information is to be used to determine which applicants propose the most promising research and development activities.

*Additional Information:* An expedited review is being requested for February 22, 1994. The request for expedited review of this package is based on the program's interest in making a center award for a center in gifted and talented education research within fiscal year 1995. Such an award is specifically called for by the Jacob K. Javits Gifted and Talented Education Act of 1994. This activity has twice been subject to various delays that have already occurred. An expedited review will give the program office 15 days to review public comment, determine whether any changes are required, and go forward with the grant competition without any delay.

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**Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests**

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Notice of proposed information collection requests.

**SUMMARY:** The Director, Information Resources Group, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before February 17, 1995.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Dan Chenok: Desk Officer, Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 3208, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503. Requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.

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Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Director of the Information Resources Group, publishes this notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contain the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Frequency of collection; (4) The affected public; (5) Reporting burden; and/or (6) Recordkeeping burden; and (7) Abstract. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

Dated: January 11, 1995.

**Gloria Parker,**

*Director, Information Resources Group.*

**Office of Postsecondary Education**

*Type of Review:* Revision

*Title:* Consolidation Loan Rebate Fee Report

*Frequency:* Monthly

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profit; State, Local or Tribal Government

*Reporting Burden:*

Responses: 12

Burden Hours: 4,800

*Recordkeeping Burden:*

Recordkeepers: 400

Burden Hours: 400

*Abstract:* The information collected on the Consolidation Loan Rebate Fee Report will be used to document Federal Consolidation loans held by lenders who are responsible for sending interest payment rebate fees to the Secretary of Education. The Department will use the information to submit interest payment rebate fees to Education for Federal Consolidation Loans disbursed on or after October 1, 1993.

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