

[OMB Control No. 9000-0007; FAR Case 94-780]

### OMB Clearance Request for Summary Subcontract Report

**AGENCIES:** Department of Defense (DOD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of request for a revision to an existing OMB clearance (9000-0007) for Standard Form 295.

**SUMMARY:** Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 (44 U.S.C. 3501), the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Secretariat has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request for a revision of a currently approved information collection requirement concerning Summary Subcontract Report (SF 295).

**DATES:** Comments may be submitted on or before March 20, 1995.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments to Mr. Peter Weiss, FAR Desk Officer, OMB, Room 3235, NEOB, Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Beverly Fayson, Office of Federal Acquisition Policy, GSA (202) 501-4755.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### A. Purpose

In accordance with the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 631, *et seq.*), contractors receiving a contract for more than \$10,000 agree to have small and small disadvantaged business concerns participate in the performance of the contract as far as practicable.

Contractors receiving a contract or a modification to a contract expected to exceed \$500,000 (\$1,000,000 for construction) must submit a subcontracting plan that provides maximum practicable opportunities for small and small disadvantaged business concerns. Specific elements required to be included in the plan are specified in section 8(d) of the Small Business Act and are implemented in FAR 19.7.

In conjunction with these plans, contractors must submit reports of their progress on SF 295, Summary Subcontract Report. In addition, OFPP Policy Letter 91-1, Government-Wide Small Business and Small Disadvantaged Business Goals for Procurement Contracts, requires Executive branch departments and agencies to report the number and dollar value of subcontracts awarded to small business, small disadvantaged business and women-owned small business. The report is being revised to delete the requirement to report Labor Surplus

Area Subcontracts and to collect subcontract goal achievement on contracts with women-owned small business concerns (DOD only). This information is required to implement Section 7105 of Public Law 103-355.

Information submitted on SF 295 is used to assess contractor's compliance with their subcontracting plans and to report achievement of goals for subcontract awards to small business, small disadvantaged business and women-owned small business.

##### B. Annual Reporting Burden

Total annual public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 99,024 hours, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to General Services Administration, FAR Secretariat, 18th & F Streets, NW, Room 4035, Washington, DC 20405, and to the FAR Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

The annual reporting burden is estimated as follows: Respondents, 1,542; responses per respondent, 3.6; total annual responses, 5,568; preparation hours per response, 17.78; and total response burden hours, 99,024.

##### C. Annual Recordkeeping Burden

The annual recordkeeping burden is estimated as follows: Recordkeepers, 1,542; hours per recordkeeper, 13; and total recordkeeping burden hours, 20,046.

##### Obtaining Copies of Proposals

Requester may obtain copies of OMB applications or justifications from the General Services Administration, FAR Secretariat (VRS), Room 4037, Washington, DC 20405, telephone (202) 501-4755. Please cite OMB Control No. 9000-0007, FAR case 94-780, Small Business (Pub. L. 103-355, Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act of 1994), in all correspondence.

Dated: January 11, 1995.

**Beverly Fayson,**

*FAR Secretariat.*

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[OMB Control No. 9000-0006; FAR Case 94-780]

### Clearance Request for Subcontracting Plans/Subcontracting Report for Individual Contracts (Standard Form 294)

**AGENCIES:** Department of Defense (DOD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of request for a revision to an existing OMB clearance (9000-0006).

**SUMMARY:** Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 (44 U.S.C. 3501), the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Secretariat has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve a revision of a currently approved information collection requirement concerning Subcontracting Plans/Subcontracting Reporting for Individual Contracts (Standard Form 294).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Beverly Fayson, Office of Federal Acquisition Policy, GSA (202) 501-4755.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### A. Purpose

In accordance with the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 631, *et seq.*) contractors receiving a contract for more than \$10,000 agree to have small and small disadvantaged business concerns participate in the performance of the contract as far as practicable. Contractors receiving a contract or a modification to a contract expected to exceed \$500,000 (\$1,000,000 for construction) must submit a subcontracting plan that provides maximum practicable opportunities for small and small disadvantaged business concerns. Specific elements required to be included in the plan are specified in section 8(d) of the Small Business Act and implemented in FAR subpart 19.7.

A satisfactory subcontracting plan is required before a contract exceeding \$500,000 (\$1,000,000 for construction) can be awarded. The contracting officer must examine the information in the proposed plan to determine if the plan is in compliance with the Small Business Act and the FAR. In addition, the information is used for policy and management control purposes.

In conjunction with these plans, contractors must submit semiannual reports of their progress on Standard Form 294, Subcontracting Report for Individual Contracts. Information submitted on Standard Form 294 is used

to assess contractors' compliance with their subcontracting plans. Under FAR case 94-780, the change in burden reflects the requirement in Public Law 103-355, Section 7105, that Government prime contractors, and certain subcontractors, develop subcontracting plans which include goals for awards to women-owned small businesses and report on achievements against those goals.

### B. Annual Reporting Burden

Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to General Services Administration, FAR Secretariat, 18th & F Streets, NW., Room 4037, Washington, DC 20405, and to the FAR Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

The annual reporting burden is estimated as follows: Respondents, 1,625; responses per respondent, 36; total annual responses, 58,500; preparation hours per response, 7.71; and total response burden hours, 450,600.

### C. Annual Recordkeeping Burden

The annual recordkeeping burden is estimated as follows: Recordkeepers, 1,625; hours per recordkeeper, 133; and total recordkeeping burden hours, 216,125.

### Obtaining Copies of Proposals

Requester may obtain copies of OMB applications or justifications from the General Services Administration, FAR Secretariat (VRS), Room 4037, Washington, DC 20405, telephone (202) 501-4755. Please cite OMB Control No. 9000-0006, FAR case 94-780, Small Business (Pub. L. 103-355, Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act of 1994), in all correspondence.

Dated: January 11, 1995.

**Beverly Fayson,**

*FAR Secretariat.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### 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.

### 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 Service (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 35) requires that the Office of Management and 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, contains 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 Educational Research and Improvement

*Type of Review:* Reinstatement

*Title:* 1996 National Postsecondary

*Student Aid Study*

*Frequency:* Annually

*Affected Public:* Individuals or

households; Businesses or other for-

profit; Not-for-profit institutions

*Reporting Burden:*

Response: 2,965

Burden Hours: 36,191

*Recordkeeping Burden:*

Recordkeepers: 0

Burden Hours: 0

*Abstract:* This study will collect data from a sample of students in postsecondary institutions, including institution financial aid data on sampled students, and a sample of students' parents. It will collect data to determine how students and families finance postsecondary education, addressing important issues in this area. This collection is for institutional, student, and parent data.

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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 proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980.

**DATES:** An expedited review has been requested in accordance with the Act, since allowing for the normal review period would adversely affect the public interest. Approval by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has been requested by February 22, 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, D.C. 20503. Requests for copies of the proposed information collection request should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.