

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

34 CFR Part 668

RIN 1840-AB80, 1840-AB85 and 1840-AC09

Student Assistance General Provisions

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Final regulations.

SUMMARY: The Secretary amends the regulations governing the Student Assistance General Provisions to add the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number to certain sections of the regulations. Those sections contain information collection requirements approved by OMB. The Secretary takes this action to inform the public that these requirements have been approved, and therefore affected parties must comply with them.

EFFECTIVE DATE: These regulations are effective on August 15, 1995.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Final regulations for the Student Assistance General Provisions; Federal Family Education Loan Programs were published in the **Federal Register** on November 29, 1994 at (59 FR 61142) and the Student Assistance General Provisions at (59 FR 61192). Compliance with information collection requirements in certain sections of these regulations was delayed until those requirements were approved by OMB under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980. OMB approved the information collection requirements in the regulations on January 26, 1995.

Waiver of Proposed Rulemaking

It is the practice of the Secretary to offer interested parties the opportunity to comment on proposed regulations. However, the publication of OMB control numbers simply shows that OMB has approved the paperwork collection requirements that correspond to the above-referenced regulations, and does not establish substantive policy. Therefore, the Secretary has determined under 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(B), that public comment on this technical amendment to the regulations is unnecessary and contrary to the public interest.

List of Subjects in 34 CFR Part 668

Administrative practice and procedure, Colleges and universities,

Consumer protection, Education, Grant programs—education, Loan programs—education, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Student aid, Vocational education.

Dated: August 9, 1995.

David A. Longanecker,
Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education.

The Secretary amends Part 668 of Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations as follows:

PART 668—STUDENT ASSISTANCE GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The authority citation for Part 668 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1085, 1088, 1091, 1092, 1094, 1099c, and 1141 unless otherwise noted.

§§ 668.3, 668.8, 668.15, 668.16, 668.17, 668.22, 668.23 [Amended]

2. Sections 668.3, 668.8, 668.15, 668.16, 668.17, 668.22, and 668.23, are amended by adding the OMB control number following each section to read as follows:

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1840-0537)

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