

### III. Data

*OMB Number:* 0607-0350.

*Form Number:* C-411.

*Type of Review:* Regular submission.

*Affected Public:* State and Local

Governments.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 2,000 per year.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 15 minutes.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 500 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost:* The total cost in fiscal year 1996 of the Building Permits Survey is \$2,067,000 all borne by the Bureau of the Census. The cost to the respondents is estimated to be \$7,335 based on an average hourly salary of \$14.67<sup>1</sup> for state and local government employees.

### IV. Request for Comments

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 the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: November 22, 1995.

Gerald Taché,

*Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.*

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### **Bureau of the Census; Survey of Environmental Products and Services; Proposed Agency Information Collection Activity; Comment Request**

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the

Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted on or before January 29, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Gerald Taché, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instruments and instructions should be directed to Elinor Champion, Bureau of the Census, Room 2135 FB-4, Washington, DC 20233, Telephone (301) 457-4683.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### I. Abstract

The Census Bureau plans to conduct a survey of environmental products and services. This data collection will provide a benchmark for measuring shipments of goods and the revenues for services that define an environmental industry. The survey forms will collect data on the value of products and services provided in 1995 for measuring, preventing, limiting or correcting environmental damage. The survey will also collect value of shipments and services which were exported. The survey results will be used to determine potential product and service classifications in the 1997 Economic Censuses. The survey results will also be used for monitoring and promoting the growth of the environmental industry.

##### II. Method of Collection

The Census Bureau will use mail out/mail back survey forms to collect the data. Companies will be asked to respond to the survey within 30 days of the initial mailing. Letters encouraging participation will be mailed to companies that have not responded by the designated time.

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*OMB Number:* Not assigned

*Form Number:* EPS-1, EPS-2.

*Type of Review:* Regular.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other non-profit organizations that produce goods or provide services.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 10,000.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 2 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 20,000 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost:* \$625,000.

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### **Bureau of the Census**

#### **The Census Advisory Committee (CAC) on the African American Population; et al.; Notice of Public Meetings**

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92-463 as amended by P.L. 94-409, P.L. 96-523, and P.L. 97-375), we are giving notice of a joint meeting followed by separate and jointly held (described below) meetings of the CAC on the African American Population, the CAC on the American Indian and Alaska Native Populations, the CAC on the Asian and Pacific Islander Populations, and the CAC on the Hispanic Population. The joint meeting will convene on December 11-13, 1995 at the Doubletree Hotel, 1515 Rhode Island Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005.

Each of these Committees is composed of nine members appointed by the Secretary of Commerce. They provide an organized and continuing channel of communication between the communities they represent and the Bureau of the Census on its efforts to reduce the differential in the count for the 2000 census and on ways the census data can be disseminated to maximum usefulness to their communities and other users.

The Committees will draw on past experience with the 1990 census

<sup>1</sup> Taken from the Census Bureau's Annual Survey of State and Local Government Employment.