

No changes have been made in the planned activities of ATM Forum. Membership remains open, and the members intend to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On April 19, 1993, ATM Forum filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the Federal Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on June 2, 1993 (58 FR 31415).

The last notification was filed with the Department on August 8, 1995. A notice has not yet been published in the Federal Register.

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### Information Collection Under Review

The proposed information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for "sixty days" from the date listed at the top of this page in the Federal Register. This process is conducted in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

This collection covers:

(1) Type of Information Collection: Revision of a Currently Approved Collection

(2) The title of the form/collection; Supplement on "Police Use of Force" to the National Crime Victimization Survey (NCVS)

(3) The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection; Form number: None. Sponsored by the Bureau of Justice Statistics, United States Department of Justice.

(4) Who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract; Primary: Individuals or households. This data collection will be only a pretest for the purpose of ascertaining the feasibility and cost of learning about use of force by law enforcement officers through interviews with an existing random sample of household members. If the pretest shows this method is feasible and cost-effective, data to be collected via the NCVS will be only one of several data collection activities that will be sponsored by the Bureau of Justice Statistics in response to a requirement for an annual statistical report as set forth in section 210402 of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994. The draft of the supplement which is being submitted for review will be asked of all surveyed participants, whether or not they believe they have been the victim of a crime, and will begin by inquiring about any contacts with police officers on official duty during the previous year. The data collection will, consequently, obtain information about contacts such as police providing

information to citizens, as well as incidents in which police arrested the respondent or threatened to use or used physical force on the respondent. Because one purpose of the pretest is to obtain accurate estimates of the percentage of respondents who will answer more than the lead-in screener questions on this supplement, and the burden on such respondents, comments are specifically invited at this time on issues of the clarity and adequacy of the wording of the questions as drafted for exploring issues related to police use of force. Copies of the draft data collection instrument named in (2) above are available for review by writing to Dr. Chaiken or Mr. Briggs at the addresses shown above. The Bureau of Justice Statistics uses information it collects in published reports, and for the U.S. Congress, the Executive Office of the President, practitioners, researchers, and others in the criminal justice community. In the case of this pretest, the results will be used primarily in determining whether or not to design and undertake data collection through the NCVS on the topic of police use of force, and if so to design the final data collection instrument.

(4) An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond; and 12,000 respondents for the pretest during the period April 1996 to July 1996, of whom 11,400 are estimated to be eligible for the lead-in screening questions only (0.0167 hours or 1 minute) and 600 will require 0.167 hours, or 10 minutes.

(5) An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection. 290 burden hours for the pretest.

Request written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhanced the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology. e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

If you have additional comments or suggestions, please include them with your written response. If a copy of the proposed collection instrument with instructions is not published in this notice please contact the agency representative list below if you wish to receive a copy. Contact: Mr. Lawrence

A. Greenfield, Telephone: 202-616-3281. Bureau of Justice Statistics, United States Department of Justice, Room 1012, 633 Indiana Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20531.

Comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to Dr. Jan M. Chaiken, Director, Bureau of Justice Statistics, 633 Indiana Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20531 or call 202-307-0765.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Systems Policy Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: November 29, 1995.

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### Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 as Amended

In accordance with Department of Justice policy, 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed consent decree in *United States v. Western Publishing Company, Inc., et al.*, 94-CV-1247 (CGC/DNH), was lodged on November 28, 1995, with the United States District Court for the Northern District of New York. The decree resolves claims of the United States against defendant I.S.A. In New Jersey, Inc. ("I.S.A.") in the above-referenced action under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA") for contamination at the Hertel Landfill Superfund Site in the Town of Plattekill, Ulster County, New York (the "Site"). In the proposed consent decree, the defendant agrees to pay the United States \$190,000 in settlement of the United States' claims for past response costs incurred by the Environmental Protection Agency at the Site and \$30,000 in settlement of the United States' claims for civil penalties and damages for I.S.A.'s failure or refusal to comply with a unilateral administrative order issued to it by EPA pursuant to section 106 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9606. The payments will be made from an escrow account as noted below.

In 1991, I.S.A. and other entities and individuals were indicted by a grand