

registration requirements and provides for the maintenance of evidence that registrants have attended ethics training as required by Commission rules.
ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to comment on this information collection should contact Jeff Hill, Office of

Management and Budget, Room 3228, NEOB, Washington, DC 20502, (202) 395-7340. Copies of the submission are available from Joe F. Mink, Agency Clearance Officer, (202) 254-9735.
Title: Regulations and Forms Relating to Registration with the Commission.

Control Number: 3038-0023.
Action: Extension.
Respondents: APs of FCMs, IBs, CPOs, CTAs and APs and FCMs, IBs, CPOs and CTAs.
Estimated Annual Burden: 18,910.50 hours.

	Regulation (17 CFR)	Estimated number of respondents	Annual responses	Est. avg. hours per response
Respondents:				
APs	3.12	25.00	25.00	.50
CTAs, CPOs, FCMs and IBs	3.32	15.00	15.00	.20
	3.34	55,000.00	55,000.00	.33
Recordkeepers	3.34	5,800.00	5,800.00	.10

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 Jean A. Webb,
Secretary to the Commission.
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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[CFDA NO.: 84.031G]

Endowment Challenge Grant Program; Cancellation of competition for new awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 1996

SUMMARY: On August 10, 1995 a notice was published in the Federal Register (60 FR 40965) inviting applications for new awards under the Endowment Challenge Grant Program for FY 1996. Since the Congress did not appropriate FY 1996 funds for the Endowment Challenge Grant Program, the Department of Education cancels the competition for new awards for FY 1996 under this program. The Department will not make new awards in FY 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Louis J. Venuto, U.S. Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Portals Building, Suite 600C, Washington, D.C. 20202-5337. Telephone: (202) 708-8839. Internet address: Louis-Venuto@ED.GOV; Fax: (202) 401-7532. 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.

Program Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1065.
 Dated: June 17, 1996.

David A. Longanecker,
Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education.
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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Energy Information Administration

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection

AGENCY: Energy Information Administration, Department of Energy.
ACTION: Agency information collection activities: Proposed collection; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Energy Information Administration (EIA) is soliciting comments concerning the proposed extension to the "Recordkeeping Requirements of DOE's General Allocation and Price Rules," ERA-766R.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted by August 20, 1996. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below of your intention to do so as soon as possible.

ADDRESS: Send comments to Dan Bullington, General Counsel, GC-90, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20585-0103. Telephone (202) 586-7364, FAX (202) 586-0422.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Requests for additional information should be directed to Dan Bullington at the address listed above.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

- I. Background
- II. Current Actions
- III. Request for Comments

I. Background

In order to fulfill its responsibilities under the Federal Energy Administration Act of 1974 (Pub. L. No. 93-275) and the Department of Energy Organization Act (Pub. L. No. 95-91), the Energy Information Administration is obliged to carry out a central,

comprehensive, and unified energy data and information program. As part of this program, EIA collects, evaluates, assembles, analyzes, and disseminates data and information related to energy resource reserves, production, demand, and technology, and related economic and statistical information relevant to the adequacy of energy resources to meet demands in the near and longer term future for the Nation's economic and social needs.

The Energy Information Administration, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden (required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13)), conducts a presurvey consultation program to provide the general public and other Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing requirements. This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden is minimized, reporting forms are clearly understood, and the impact of collection or recordkeeping requirements on respondents can be properly assessed.

The recordkeeping requirements are authorized by section 203(a)(1) of the Economic Stabilization Act (ESA) of 1970, as amended (Pub. L. 92-210, 85 State. 743) and by section 13(g) of the Federal Energy Administration Act (FEAA) of 1974, as amended (Pub. L. 93-275).

The Economic Regulatory Administration (ERA) proposes to extend for three years the limited recordkeeping requirements presently contained in 10 CFR 210.1. The antecedent regulation was narrowed by amendment in January 1985.

The record retention requirements of 10 CFR 210.1 do not mandate the creation or retention of any new records. Instead, they require firms to preserve only historical records relating to