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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5531-8]

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Auto Refinishing Industry Solvent-Use Survey (ARSUS)

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the following Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval: Auto Refinishing Industry Solvent-Use Survey (ARSUS) EPA ICR No. 1786.01. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected burden and cost; where appropriate, it includes the actual data collection instrument.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before August 2, 1996.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY CALL:** Sandy Farmer at EPA, (202) 260-2740, and refer to EPA ICR No. 1786.01.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title:* Auto Refinishing Industry Solvent-Use Survey EPA ICR No. 1786.01. This is a new collection.

*Abstract:* This information collection is a voluntary one-time survey of automobile refinishers requested by the Emissions Characterization and Prevention Branch (ECPB) of the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Air Pollution and Prevention Control Division (APPCD) to support the overall EPA program to investigate the emissions of ozone precursors both nationally and at the metropolitan level. Data collected are used to validate existing and proposed model-based estimates of emissions, develop statistically valid estimates of precursors usage in the auto refinishing industry, and investigate functional relationships between emissions and factors that may be useful predictors of emissions.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are listed in 40 CFR Part 9 and 48 CFR Chapter

15. The Federal Register Notice required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on 02/09/96 (61 FR 4992-4993); three (3) sets of comments were received.

*Burden Statement:* The annual public reporting and recordkeeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 47 minutes per response. Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

*Respondents/Affected Entities:* Entities potentially affected by this action are those which are the owners and operators of the facilities that are classified in the following standard industrial classification (SIC) code: SIC 7532—Top, Body, and Upholstery Repair Shops and Paint Shops, as well as the owners and operators of the facilities that are classified with the SICs listed below, and that use SIC 7532 (Top, Body, and Upholstery Repair Shops and Paint Shops) as an auxiliary classifier:

- 5012—Wholesale: Automobiles and Other Motor Vehicles
- 5511—Motor Vehicle Dealers (New and Used)
- 5521—Motor Vehicle Dealers (Used Only)
- 7538—General Automotive Repair Shops
- 7539—Automotive Repair Shops, Not Elsewhere Classified

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 6,000.

*Frequency of Response:* once.

*Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden:* 3,525 hours.

*Estimated Total Annualized Cost Burden:* 0.

Send comments on the Agency's need for this information, the accuracy of the provided burden estimates, and any suggested methods for minimizing respondent burden, including through the use of automated collection techniques to the following addresses.

Please refer to EPA ICR No. 1786.01 in any correspondence.

Ms. Sandy Farmer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, OPPE Regulatory Information Division (2137), 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460.

and  
Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Attention: Desk Officer for EPA 725 17th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: June 27, 1996.

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[FRL-5531-7]

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; the 1997 Hazardous Waste Report (Biennial Report) Under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA)

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the following Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval: 1997 Hazardous Waste Report, OMB No. 2050-0024, expiring August 31, 1996. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected burden and cost; where appropriate, it includes the actual data collection instrument.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before August 2, 1996.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY CALL:** Sandy Farmer at EPA, (202) 260-2740, and refer to EPA ICR No. 0976.08.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title:* 1997 Hazardous Waste Report (Biennial Report) Under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, OMB Control No. 2050-0024; EPA ICR No. 0976.08. This is a request for extension of a currently approved collection.

*Abstract:* Generators and owners/operators of hazardous waste management facilities must compile, under RCRA sections 3002 and 3004, a biennial report of information on location, amount, and description of hazardous waste handled. EPA uses the information to define the population of