

ACTION: Notice of intent to renew information collection #3038-0018—Information Concerning Warehouses.

SUMMARY: The Commodity Futures Trading Commission is planning to renew information collection 3038-0018, Information Concerning Warehouses, which is due to expire on May 31, 1997. The collection enables the Commission to obtain information on the amount of a commodity available for delivery from approved contract markets who are required to file information concerning delivery notices issued and stopped and warehouses regular for delivery. In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Commission solicits comments to:

(1) Evaluate whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimize the burden of the collection of the 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.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before May 16, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to comment on this information collection should contact the CFTC Clearance Officer, 1155 21st Street NW, Washington, DC 20581, (202) 418-5160.

Title: Information Concerning Warehouses.

Control Number: 3038-0018.

Action: Extension.

Respondents: Contract Markets.

Estimated Annual Burden: 31 hours.

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Jean A. Webb,

Secretary to the Commission.

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Public Information Collection Requirement

AGENCY: Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

ACTION: Notice of intent to renew information collection #3038-0046—risk assessment for holding company systems.

SUMMARY: The Commodity Futures Trading Commission is planning to renew information collection 3038-0046, Risk Assessment for Holding Company Systems, which is due to expire on May 31, 1997. The information collected enhances the Commission's financial surveillance program by providing access to information concerning the activities of affiliates of registered futures commission merchants (FCMs). The rules require registered FCM's to maintain certain records concerning the financial activities of such material affiliates, to file certain information with the Commission and to provide additional information to the Commission upon the occurrence of specified events. In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Commission solicits comments to:

(1) Evaluate whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimize the burden of the collection of the 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.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before May 16, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to comment on this information collection should contact the CFTC Clearance Officer, 1155 21st Street NW, Washington, DC 20581, (202) 418-5160.

Title: Risk Assessment for Holding Company Systems.

Control Number: 3038-0046.

Action: Extension.

Respondents: FCMs, IBs.

Estimated Annual Burden: 1524 hours.

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Jean A. Webb,

Secretary to the Commission.

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Public Information Collection Requirement

AGENCY: Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

ACTION: Notice of intent to renew information collection # 3038-0017: Market Surveys.

SUMMARY: The Commodity Futures Trading Commission is planning to renew information collection 3038-0017, Market Surveys, which is due to expire on June 30, 1997. Section 8(a) (i) and (ii) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") provide that for the efficient execution of the provisions of the Act and in order to inform Congress, the Commission may make investigations concerning futures markets and may publish general statistical information from such investigations. In certain instances in response to abrupt and substantial changes in market prices, Congressional inquiry or other reasons, the Commission may conduct full market investigation requiring that all persons holding futures positions on the date in question in a specific market be identified. In such cases the Commission issues its call for survey information pursuant to rule 21.02. In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Commission solicits comments to:

(1) Evaluate whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimize the burden of the collection of the 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.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before May 16, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to comment on this information collection should contact the CFTC Clearance Officer, 1155 21st Street NW, Washington, DC 20581, (202) 418-5160.

Title: Market Surveys.

Control Number: 33038-0017.

Action: Extension.

Respondents: Businesses.

Estimated Annual Burden: 700 hours.

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Secretary to the Commission.

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