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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Food and Consumer Service

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request Form FCS-654, WIC Annual Participation Report

**AGENCY:** Food and Consumer Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the Food and Consumer Service's (FCS) intention to request an extension for a currently approved information collection, the WIC Annual Participation Report.

**DATES:** Comments on this notice must be received by June 13, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** 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 will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (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 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. Comments may be sent to: Patricia N. Daniels, Acting Director, Supplemental Food Programs Division, Food and Consumer Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22302.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval, and will become a matter of public record.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection form and instructions should be directed to: Patricia N. Daniels, (703) 305-2749.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title:* WIC Annual Participation Report.

*OMB Number:* 0584-0347.

*Expiration Date:* 8-31-97.

*Type of Request:* Extension of a Currently Approved Collection Form.

*Abstract:* Section 17(f)(1)(C)(vii) of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (CNA)(42 U.S.C. 1786(f)(1)(C)(vii)) provides that each State agency's plan of operation and administration shall include "a plan for reaching and enrolling eligible women in the early months of pregnancy, including provisions to reach and enroll eligible migrants." Related requirements reflecting the need to target program benefits to individuals who are most at risk are found in sections 17(f)(1)(D)(7)(C) and 17(g)(4) of the CNA. Section 17(f)(1)(D)(7)(C) provides that information concerning the availability of program benefits shall be distributed "in a manner designed to provide the information to potentially eligible individuals who are most in need of the benefits, including pregnant women in the early months of pregnancy." Additionally, section 17(g)(4) of the CNA provides "[o]f the sums appropriated for any fiscal year for programs authorized under this section, not less than nine-tenths of 1 percent shall be available first for services to eligible members of migrants populations." WIC State agencies report their annual average participation by priority group (see 7 CFR 246.25(b)(2)) and their annual average migrant participation on the WIC Annual Participation Report to document that program benefits are targeted to persons eligible for the highest priority groups and to document service to migrant populations. FCS uses this data to monitor targeting success and to allocate funds to States; States use this data to monitor targeting success and to allocate caseload slots to local agencies.

*Estimate of Burden:* Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 1 hour per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and

completing and reviewing the collection of information.

*Respondents:* Directors or Administrators of WIC State and local agencies.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 2088 respondents.

*Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* One.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* 2088 hours.

Dated: April 4, 1997.

**William E. Ludwig,**

*Administrator, Food and Consumer Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Food and Consumer Service

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request Form FCS-498, WIC Monthly Financial Management and Participation Report

**AGENCY:** Food and Consumer Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the Food and Consumer Service's (FCS) intention to request an extension for a currently approved information collection, the WIC Monthly Financial Management and Participation Report.

**DATES:** Comments on this notice must be received by June 13, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** 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 will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (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 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. Comments may be sent to:

Patricia N. Daniels, Acting Director,  
Supplemental Food Programs Division,  
Food and Consumer Service, U.S.  
Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park  
Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22302.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval, and will become a matter of public record.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection form and instructions should be directed to: Patricia N. Daniels, (703) 305-2749.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* WIC Monthly Financial Management and Participation Report.

*OMB Number:* 0584-0045.

*Expiration Date:* 8-31-97.

*Type of Request:* Extension of a Currently Approved Collection Form.

*Abstract:* Section 17(f)(4) of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1786(f)(4)) provides that "State agencies shall submit monthly financial reports and participation data to the Secretary." (See 7 CFR 246.25(b)(1).) State agencies complete the WIC Monthly Financial Management and Participation Report to comply with this requirement. The States and FCS use the reported information for program monitoring, funds management, budget projections, monitoring caseload, policy development, and responding to requests from Congress and the interested public.

*Estimate of Burden:* Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 0.5421 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

*Respondents:* Directors or Administrators of WIC State and local agencies.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 2088 respondents.

*Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* Seventeen.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* 19,242 hours.

Dated: April 4, 1997.

**William E. Ludwig,**

Administrator, Food and Consumer Service.  
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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**Forest Service**

[AZ-910-0777-61-241A]

**Availability of Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the Cyprus Miami Mining Corporation Leach Facility Expansion Project, Gila County, AZ**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior and Forest Service, Agriculture.  
**ACTION:** Notice of availability.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Land Management, Phoenix Field Office and the Tonto National Forest, in response to an Operating Plan filed by Cyprus Miami Mining Corporation (CMMC), have prepared a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS). The DEIS analyzes the environmental impacts of a proposed mining operation expansion, northwest of Miami, Arizona in Gila County. The Operating Plan proposal includes the development of three leach pad facilities, one waste rock disposal site, and associated facilities including access and utility corridors. The DEIS analyzes three alternatives in detail—the Proposed Action, Alternative A—Modified Development Sequence (Agency Preferred Alternative), and No Action. In summary, the DEIS (1) assesses the environmental impacts of the proposed expansion as described in the Proposed Action, Alternative A (Agency Preferred Alternative), and the No Action Alternative; (2) determines if there are beneficial, adverse, direct, indirect and cumulative impacts; and (3) identifies necessary mitigative measures. This DEIS was prepared to comply with the Council on Environmental Quality's regulations (40 CFR parts 1500-1508) for implementing the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, 43 U.S.C.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and requests for copies of the draft EIS should be mailed to: Shela McFarlin, Project Manager, Bureau of Land Management, Arizona State Office, 222 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85004-2203, or to Paul Stewart, Project Manager, Tonto National Forest, 2324 E. McDowell Rd., Phoenix, AZ 85006. Under Forest Service policy, names and addresses submitted in response to this solicitation, including the names and addresses of those who comment, will be considered part of the public record on this proposed action and will be available for public inspection.

Comments submitted anonymously will be accepted and considered; however, those who submit anonymous comments will not have standing to appeal the subsequent decision under 36 CFR Parts 215 or 217. Additionally, pursuant to 7 CFR 1.27(d), any person may request the agency to withhold a submission from the public record by showing how the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) permits such confidentiality. Persons requesting such confidentiality may be granted in only very limited circumstances, such as to protect trade secrets. The Forest Service will inform the requester of the agency's decision regarding the request for confidentiality, and where the request is denied, the agency will return the submission and notify the requester that the comments may be resubmitted with or without name and address within 60 days. Copies of the Draft EIS are available for public review at the following locations: BLM Arizona State Office, Public Room, 222 N. Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85004; Tonto National Forest, Supervisor's Office, 2324 E. McDowell Rd., Phoenix, AZ 85006; BLM Phoenix Field Office, 2015 West Deer Valley Rd., Phoenix, AZ 85027; Tonto National Forest, Globe Ranger District, Six Shooter Cyn. Rd., Globe, AZ 85501; Cyprus Miami Mining Corp., Land Department, 4342 E. U.S. Hwy. 60/70, Claypool, AZ 85532; Arizona State University, Hayden Library, Government Documents, Tempe, AZ 85287-1006; Mesa Public Library, 64 E. 1St Street, Mesa, AZ 85201; Globe Public Library, 339 S. Broad, Globe, AZ 85501; Miami Memorial Library, 1052 Adonis Avenue, Miami, AZ 85539. The DEIS is available via the Internet (<http://azwww.blm.gov/-cm/cm.htm>).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
Shela McFarlin, BLM Project Manager, (602) 417-9568; or Paul Stewart, Tonto National Forest Project Manager, (602) 225-5200.

**DATES:** Written comments must be postmarked by June 10, 1997 (or 60 days after the publication date in the **Federal Register** of the Notice of Availability by the Environmental Protection Agency). Written or oral comments may also be presented at the two public hearings to be held:

**Wednesday, May 14, 1997—7:00-9:00 p.m.**

Tri-Cities Fire Station, 4280 East Broadway, Claypool, AZ 85532