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**Affected Public:** Business or other for-profit; not-for-profit institutions; federal government.

**Annual Burden Hours:** 1 hour per respondent.

**Number of Respondents:** 300,000.

**Responses to Respondent:** 1.

**Average Burden Per Response:** 1 hour.

**Frequency:** Government contractors, estimated at 300,000 currently, will register once initially. On an annual basis the contractor will be required to certify their registration information in CCR.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Summary of Information Collection**

Respondents are contractors wishing to do business with the Department of Defense who provide numerous products and services. These vendors are currently required to submit a completed Solicitation Mailing List Application (SF129) to each buying activity with which they wish to do business. In addition, a significant percentage of this data is required in solicitation responses as certification and representation of the contractors size and status. Each completed form is entered into a local data base and the hard copy SF129 is manually filed. The current redundant manual process is labor intensive resulting in high error rate and inconsistent data. A central

registration system eliminates the redundancy of the governments information as well as the duplication of efforts on the part of the contractor.

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Office of the Secretary**

**Defense Partnership Council Meeting**

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense (DoD) announces a meeting of the Defense Partnership Council. Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act. This meeting is open to the public. The topics to be covered include the routine administrative business of the Council an informational briefings on matters related to the DoD civilian workforce.

**DATES:** The meeting is to be held July 21, 1997, in room 1E801, Conference Room 7, the Pentagon, from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. Comments should be received by July 14, 1997, in order to be considered at the July 21 meeting.

**ADDRESSES:** We invite interested persons and organizations to submit written comments or recommendations.

Mail or deliver your comment or recommendations to Mr. Kenneth Oprisko at the address shown below. Seating is limited and available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Individuals wishing to attend who do not possess an appropriate Pentagon building pass should call the below listed telephone number to obtain instructions for entry into the Pentagon. Handicapped individuals wishing to attend should also call the below listed telephone number to obtain appropriate accommodations.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Department of the Air Force**

**Cost Comparison Studies**

The Air Force is conducting the following cost comparison in accordance with OMB Circular A-76, Performance of Commercial Activities.

| Installation       | State | USAF project title                 |
|--------------------|-------|------------------------------------|
| Maxwell AFB        | AL    | General Library                    |
| Maxwell AFB        | AL    | Grounds Maintenance                |
| Clear              | AK    | Power Production                   |
| Eielson AFB        | AK    | Miscellaneous Services             |
| Eielson AFB        | AK    | Admin Telephone PBX                |
| Elmendorf AFB      | AK    | Power Production                   |
| Elmendorf AFB      | AK    | Military Family Housing Management |
| Edwards AFB        | CA    | Base Supply                        |
| Los Angeles AFS    | CA    | Communication Functions            |
| Los Angeles AFS    | CA    | Publications Distribution Office   |
| Los Angeles AFS    | CA    | Education Services                 |
| March AFB          | CA    | Airfield Operations & Weather      |
| March AFB          | CA    | Transient Aircraft Maintenance     |
| March AFB          | CA    | Base Operating Support             |
| Onizuka AFS        | CA    | Utilities Plant                    |
| Vandenberg AFB     | CA    | Base Operating Support             |
| Vandenberg AFB     | CA    | Structural Maintenance             |
| Buckley ANGB       | CO    | Airfield Management                |
| Falcon AFB         | CO    | Communication O&M                  |
| Falcon AFB         | CO    | Utilities Plant                    |
| Peterson AFB       | CO    | Base Operating Support             |
| USAF Academy       | CO    | Mess Attendants                    |
| Eglin AFB          | FL    | Library                            |
| Eglin AFB          | FL    | Education Services                 |
| Eglin AFB          | FL    | Acquisition Security               |
| Eglin AFB          | FL    | Civil Engineering                  |
| Homestead AFB      | FL    | Airfield Operations & Weather      |
| Homestead AFB      | FL    | Base Operating Support             |
| Hurlburt Com Field | FL    | Grounds Maintenance                |