

1. Blood Donor Locator Service—0960-0501. Regulation 20 CFR 401.200 requires that requesting State agencies provide to the SSA Blood Donor Locator Service (BDLS) specific information on blood donors who have tested positive for Human Immunodeficiency Virus. The information is used to identify the donor, locate the donor's address in SSA records and assure that States meet regulatory requirements to qualify for using the BDLS. SSA will retain no record of the request or the information after processing has been completed. The respondents are requesting State agencies acting on behalf of authorized blood facilities.

Number of Respondents: 10.

Frequency of Response: 5.

Average Burden Per Response: 15 minutes.

Estimated Average Burden: 13 hours.

2. Child Relationship Statement—0960-0116. The information collected on Form SSA-2519 is used to help determine children's entitlement to Social Security benefits under Section 216(h)(3) of the Social Security Act (deemed child provision). The respondents are persons providing information about the relationship between the worker and his/her alleged biological child, in connection with a child's application for benefits.

Number of Respondents: 50,000.

Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 15 minutes.

Estimated Average Burden: 12,500 hours.

Written comments and recommendations regarding the information collection(s) should be directed within 30 days to the OMB Desk Officer and SSA Reports Clearance Officer at the following addresses:

(OMB)

Office of Management and Budget,
OIRA, Attn: Laura Oliven, New
Executive Office Building, Room
10230, 725 17th St., NW, Washington,
D.C. 20503.

(SSA)

Social Security Administration,
DCFAM, Attn: Nicholas E. Tagliareni,
1-A-21 Operations Bldg., 6401
Security Blvd., Baltimore, MD 21235.

To receive a copy of any of the forms or clearance packages, call the SSA Reports Clearance Officer on (410) 965-4125 or write to him at the address listed above.

Dated: November 17, 1997.

Nicholas E. Tagliareni,

Reports Clearance Officer, Social Security Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 2635]

The Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs (OES/S); 60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: U.S.-Egypt Science and Technology Joint Fund Annual Grant Program

SUMMARY: The Department of State is seeking Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the information collection described below. The purpose of this notice is to allow 60 days for public comment in the **Federal Register** preceding submission to OMB. This process is conducted in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

The following summarizes the information collection proposal submitted to OMB:

Type of Request: Emergency extension of a currently approved collection.

Originating Office: The Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs (OES/S).

Title of Information collection: U.S.-Egypt Science and Technology Joint Fund Annual Grants Program.

Frequency: Annually.

Form Number: None.

Respondents: Researchers requesting funding for science and technology programs.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 250.

Average Hours Per Response: 2 hours.

Total Estimated Burden: 500 hours.

Public comments are being solicited to permit the agency to—

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency functions.

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection.

- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of technology.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Comments regarding the collection listed in this notice or requests for

copies of the proposed collection and supporting documents should be directed to Charles S. Cunningham, Directives Management Branch, U.S. Department of State, Washington, DC 20520, (202) 647-0596.

Dated: November 4, 1997.

Eliza McClenaghan,

Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 2636]

Bureau of Consular Affairs; 60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection; Application For Consular Report of Birth Abroad of a Citizen of the United States of America

SUMMARY: The Department of State is seeking Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the information collection described below. The purpose of this notice is to allow 60 days for public comment in the **Federal Register** preceding submission to OMB. This process is conducted in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

The following summarizes the information collection proposal submitted to OMB:

Type of Request: Reinstatement, with change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired.

Originating Office: The Bureau of Consular Affairs (CA).

Title of Information Collection: Application For Consular Report of Birth Abroad of a Citizen of the United States of America.

Frequency: On occasion.

Form Number: FS-579.

Respondents: American parent of persons born abroad.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 40,000.

Average Hours Per Response: 20 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 13,334 hours.

Public comments are being solicited to permit the agency to—

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency functions.

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection.

- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including