

management plans, and design or conduct response actions with respect to the presence of asbestos-containing materials in school buildings. AHERA also requires states to develop model accreditation plans for persons who perform asbestos inspections, develop management control plans, and design or conduct response actions. This information collection addresses the burden associated with recordkeeping requirements imposed on LEAs by the asbestos in schools rule, and reporting and recordkeeping requirements imposed on states and training providers related to the model accreditation plan rule.

Responses to the collection of information are mandatory (see 40 CFR part 763, subpart E).

Burden Statement: The annual public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to range between 6 hours and 140 hours per response, depending upon the category of respondent, for an estimated 107,551 respondents making one or more submissions of information annually. These estimates include 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. No person is required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for these regulations are displayed in 40 CFR part 9.

Respondents/Affected Entities: Entities potentially affected by this action are local education agencies and states with recordkeeping and/or reporting responsibilities under the Asbestos-Containing Materials in Schools rule, and training providers and states with recordkeeping and/or reporting responsibilities under the Model Accreditation Plan rule.

Estimated No. of Respondents: 107,551.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 2,367,293 hours.

Frequency of Collection: On occasion.
Changes in Burden Estimates: There is a decrease of 19,857 hours in the total estimated respondent burden as compared with that identified in the

information collection request most recently approved by OMB, from 2,387,150 hours currently to an estimated 2,367,293 hours. Most of this decrease reflects the completion of startup costs associated with the Model Accreditation Plan. A smaller portion of the decrease is due to the reduction in the number of training providers and changes in the numbers of school buildings containing friable asbestos.

According to the procedures prescribed in 5 CFR 1320.12, EPA has submitted this ICR to OMB for review and approval. Any comments related to the renewal of this ICR should be submitted within 30 days of this document, as described above.

Dated: January 12, 1998

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Director, Regulatory Information Division.

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Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 OR (202) 564-7153.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements Filed January 05, 1998 Through January 09, 1998 Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 980000, Draft EIS, COE, MN, WI, Duluth-Superior Harbor Phase II, Dredge Material Management Plan, Cities of Duluth, St. Louis County, MN and Douglas County, WI, Due: March 02, 1998, Contact: Terry A. Long (313) 226-6758.

EIS No. 980001, Draft EIS, BLM, AK, Northern Intertie Project, Construction of 230 kV Transmission Line from Healy to Fairbanks, AK, Application for Right-of-Way Grant, Gold Valley Electric Association, AK, Due: March 05, 1998, Contact: Gary Foreman 1 (800) 437-7021.

EIS No. 980002, FINAL EIS, FHW, AK, Kenai River Bridge Crossing Project, Construction from Sterling Highway to Funny River Road, Funding, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, US CGD Permit and EPA NPDES Permit, Kenai Peninsula, AK, Due: March 03, 1998, Contact: Jim Bryson (907) 586-7428.

EIS No. 980003, Draft EIS, UMC, CA, Tustin Marine Corps Air Station (MCAS) Disposal and Reuse, Implementation, Orange County, CA, Due: March 02, 1998, Contact: Cpt. George Opria (714) 726-5565.

EIS No. 980004, Draft EIS, AFS, AK, Canal-Hoya Timber Sale, Implementation, Stikine Area, Tongass National Forest, Value Comparison Unit (VCU), AK, Due: March 02, 1998, Contact: Scott Posner (907) 874-2323.

EIS No. 980005, DRAFT EIS, NPS, OR, Oregon Caves National Monument, General Management Plan, Development Concept Plan, Josephine County, OR, Due: March 13, 1998, Contact: Craig Ackerman (541) 592-2100.

Amended Notices

EIS No. 970489, DRAFT EIS, DOE, KY, TN, OH, TN, Programmatic EIS—Alternative Strategies for the Long-Term Management and Use of Depleted Uranium Hexafluoride, Paducah Site, McCracken County, KY; Portsmouth Site, Pike County, OH; and K-25 Site on the Oak Ridge Reservation, Anderson and Roane Counties, TN, Due: April 23, 1998, Contact: Charles E. Bradley (301) 903-4781. Published FR-12-24-97—Due Date Correction.

EIS No. 970497, FINAL EIS, URC, UT, Provo River Restoration Project (PRRP), Riverine Habitat Restoration, Reconstruction and Realignment of the existing Provo River Channel and Floodplain System between Jordanell Dam and Deer River Reservoir, Wasatch County, UT, Due: February 06, 1998, Contact: Mark A. Holden (801) 524-3146. Published FR-1-2-98—Due Date Correction.

Dated: January 13, 1998.

William D. Dickerson,

Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared December 29, 1997 Through January 02, 1998 pursuant to the Environmental Review Process (ERP), under Section 309 of the Clean Air Act and Section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act as amended. Requests for copies of EPA comments can be directed to the Office of Federal Activities at (202) 564-7167. An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements