

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****Bureau of the Census****1999 American Community Survey—  
Group Quarters Screening—Form  
ACS-2(GQ)**

**ACTION:** Proposed collection; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted on or before August 24, 1998.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Linda Engelmeier, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to John Paletta, Bureau of the Census, Room 3715-3, Washington, DC 20230, (301) 457-4269.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****I. Abstract**

In 1999 the American Community Survey (ACS) will be conducted in 53 counties. Data from the ACS will determine the feasibility of a continuous measurement system that provides socioeconomic data on a continual basis throughout the decade. The Census Bureau must provide a sample of persons residing in Group Quarters (GQs) the opportunity to be interviewed for the ACS. GQs include places such as student dorms, correctional facilities, hospitals, nursing homes, shelters, and military quarters. Obtaining characteristic information from the GQs will ensure that we include the necessary people residing at GQs in the 1999 ACS.

A GQ screening operation is being conducted in conjunction with 1998 ACS activities. This request revises the existing GQ clearance for use in the 1999 ACS. Major changes are in the estimated number of respondents and in the estimated time per response. In 1998 we are screening a sample of the GQs in eight counties. In 1999 we will screen a sample of the GQs in 53 counties. After completing one-third of the 1998

screening, we have learned that screening averages about 20 minutes per response instead of 10 minutes as originally estimated. In 1999 we will use the same questionnaire for screening that we are using in 1998, Form ACS-2(GQ), ACS GQ Screening.

We will telephone a sample of GQs in the 53 counties where the 1999 ACS will be conducted. We will verify/update information such as GQ name, address, type, and phone number. We will screen to determine if the residents stay for less than 30 days and have another place to live. If so, the GQ will be classified as out-of-scope for ACS interviewing. If the GQ is in-scope, we will screen to determine if we can complete ACS interviews of the GQ residents by mail, thus saving the expense of personal visits. We will obtain a list of rooms and/or residents from which we can select a sample. All ACS interviewing will be conducted under OMB clearance number 0607-0810.

**II. Method of Collection**

Telephone interviews will be conducted from Census Bureau's National Processing Center in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

**III. Data**

*OMB Number:* 0607-0836.

*Form Number:* ACS-2(GQ).

*Type of Review:* Regular Submission.

*Affected Public:* Individuals, businesses or other for-profit organizations, non-profit institutions and small businesses or organizations.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 900 GQs in the 1999 ACS.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 20 minutes (.33 hours).

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 300 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost:* The group quarters screening is part of the 1999 American Community Survey, the cost of which is estimated to be 38.8 million dollars.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Mandatory.

*Legal Authority:* Title 13, USC, Section 182.

**IV. Request for Comments**

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 shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (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 respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: June 19, 1998.

**Linda Engelmeier,**

*Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****International Trade Administration**

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**Certain Fresh Cut Flowers From  
Colombia; Final Results of  
Antidumping Duty Changed  
Circumstances Review**

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of final results of antidumping duty changed circumstances review.

**SUMMARY:** On May 8, 1998, the Department of Commerce published in the **Federal Register** the preliminary results of its antidumping duty changed circumstances review of certain fresh cut flowers from Colombia (63 FR 25447). We have now completed this review and determine that Flores El Talle S.A. is a member of the Flores Colombianas Group. Therefore, we will apply the revocation of the antidumping duty order with respect to the Flores Colombianas Group to Flores El Talle S.A.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 25, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Stephanie Hoffman, AD/CVD Enforcement, Office 1, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-4198.

**Applicable Statute and Regulations**

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act. In addition, unless