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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forest Service

#### Southwest Oregon Province Interagency Executive Committee (PIEC) Advisory Committee

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Southwest Oregon PIEC Advisory Committee will meet on January 5, 1999 in Grants Pass, Oregon at the Josephine County Fairgrounds, 1451 Fairgrounds Road. The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. and continue until 4:30 p.m. Agenda items to be covered include: (1) local issues presentation by management representatives of the Siskiyou National Forest; (2) Public comment; (3) Applegate Adaptive Management Area Guide; and (4) Discussion by Advisory Committee members about content of Province Advisory Committee meetings.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Direct questions regarding this meeting to Chuck Anderson, Province Advisory Committee Coordinator, USDA, Forest Service, Rogue River National Forest, 333 W. 8th Street, Medford, Oregon 97501, phone (541) 858-2322.

Dated: December 15, 1998.

**Charles J. Anderson,**

*Acting Designated Federal Official.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Submission For OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

**Agency:** Bureau of Economic Analysis.

**Title:** Annual Survey of Foreign Direct Investment in the United States.

**Form Number(s):** BE-15(LF), BE-15(SF), BE-15 Supplement C.

**Agency Approval Number:** 0608-0034.

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

**Burden:** 128,000 hours.

**Number of Respondents:** 4,975.

**Avg Hours Per Response:** 26 hours.

**Needs and Uses:** The annual survey collects enterprise-level data on the financial and operating characteristics of U.S. companies that are foreign-owned. Data from the survey are used to derive universe estimates covering all foreign-owned U.S. companies. The data are needed to measure the economic significance of, and monitor changes in, foreign direct investment in the United States, and to analyze its effect on the U.S. economy. They will also be used in formulating, and assessing the impact of, U.S. policy on foreign direct investment.

**Affected Public:** Businesses or other for-profit institutions.

**Frequency:** Annually (except years in which a BE-12 benchmark survey is taken).

**Respondent's Obligation:** Mandatory.

**Legal Authority:** Title 22 U.S.C., Sections 3101-3108, as amended.

**OMB Desk Officer:** Paul Bugg, (202) 395-3093.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Paul Bugg, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10201, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: December 15, 1998.

**Madeleine Clayton,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce (DOC) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

**Agency:** Bureau of Export Administration (BXA).

**Title:** Statement by Ultimate Consignee and Purchaser

**Agency Form Number:** BXA-711.

**OMB Approval Number:** 0694-0021.

**Type of Request:** Extension of a currently approved collection of information.

**Burden:** 4,022 hours.

**Average Time Per Response:** 31 minutes per response.

**Number of Respondents:** 7,785 respondents.

**Needs and Uses:** The Form BXA-711 or letter puts the importer on notice of the special nature of the goods and receive a commitment against illegal disposition. In order to effectively control commodities, BXA must have sufficient information regarding the end-use and end-user of the U.S. origin commodities to be exported. The information will assist the licensing officer in making the proper decision on whether to approve or reject the application for the license.

**Affected Public:** Individuals, businesses or other for-profit institutions.

**Respondent's Obligation:** Required to obtain or retain a benefit.

**OMB Desk Officer:** David Rostker, (202)-395-7340.

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