

required by the OPIC Amendments Act of 1985, and this notice is being published to facilitate public participation. The notice also describes OPIC and the subject matter of the hearing.

**DATES:** The hearing will be held on December 21, 1999, and will begin promptly at 2 p.m. Prospective participants must submit to OPIC before close of business December 14, 1999, notice of their intent to participate.

**ADDRESSES:** The location of the hearing will be: Overseas Private Investment Corporation, 1100 New York Avenue, NW, 12th Floor, Washington, DC. Notices and prepared statements should be sent to Harvey Himberg, Financial Management and Statutory Review Department, Overseas Private Investment Corporation, 1100 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20527 (e-mail at [hhimb@opic.gov](mailto:hhimb@opic.gov) or facsimile at (202) 218-0177).

#### *Procedure*

(a) *Attendance; Participation.* The hearing will be open to the public. However, a person wishing to present views at the hearing must provide OPIC with advance notice on or before December 14, 1999. The notice must include the name, address and telephone number of the person who will make the presentation, the name and address of the organization which the person represents (if any) and a concise summary of the subject matter of the presentation.

(b) *Prepared Statements.* Any participant wishing to submit a prepared statement for the record must submit it to OPIC with the notice or, in any event, not later than 5 p.m. on December 17, 1999. Prepared statements must be typewritten, double spaced and may not exceed twenty-five (25) pages.

(c) *Duration of Presentations.* Oral presentations will in no event exceed ten (10) minutes, and the time for individual presentations may be reduced proportionately, if necessary, to afford all prospective participants on a particular subject an opportunity to be heard or to permit all subjects to be covered.

(d) *Agenda.* Upon receipt of the required notices, OPIC will prepare an agenda for the hearing setting forth the subject or subjects on which each participant will speak and the time allotted for each presentation. OPIC will provide each prospective participant with a copy of the agenda.

(e) *Publication of Proceedings.* A verbatim transcript of the hearing will be compiled. The transcript will be available to members of the public at the cost of reproduction.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** OPIC is a U.S. Government agency which provides, on a commercial basis, political risk insurance and financing in friendly developing countries and emerging democracies for environmentally sound projects which confer positive developmental benefits upon the project country while creating employment in the U.S. OPIC is required by section 231A(b) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended ("the Act") to hold at least one public hearing each year.

Among other issues, OPIC's annual public hearing has, in previous years, provided a forum for testimony concerning section 231A(a) of the Act. This section provides that OPIC may operate its programs only in those countries that are determined to be "taking steps to adopt and implement laws that extend internationally recognized worker rights to workers in that country (including any designated zone in that country)."

Based on consultations with Congress, OPIC complies with annual determinations made by the Executive Branch with respect to worker rights for countries that are eligible for the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP). Any country for which GSP eligibility is revoked on account of its failure to take steps to adopt and implement internationally recognized worker rights is subject concurrently to the suspension of OPIC programs until such time as a favorable worker rights determination can be made.

For non-GSP countries in which OPIC operates its programs, OPIC reviews any country which is the subject of a formal challenge at its annual public hearing. To qualify as a formal challenge, testimony must pertain directly to the worker rights requirements of the law as defined in OPIC's 1985 reauthorizing legislation (Pub. L. 99-204) with reference to the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, and be supported by factual information.

#### **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THE PUBLIC HEARING CONTACT:**

Harvey A. Himberg, Financial Management and Statutory Review Department, Overseas Private Investment Corporation, 1100 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20527, (202) 336-8614, by e-mail at [hhimb@opic.gov](mailto:hhimb@opic.gov), or by facsimile at (202) 218-0177.

Dated: November 30, 1999.

**Richard C. Horanburg,**  
*Office of Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs.*

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## **INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION**

**[Investigations Nos. 731-TA-367-370 (Review)]**

### **Color Picture Tubes From Canada, Japan, Korea, and Singapore**

**AGENCY:** United States International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Revised scheduling of full five-year reviews concerning the antidumping duty orders on color picture tubes from Canada, Japan, Korea, and Singapore.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 30, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Diane J. Mazur (202-205-3184), Office of Investigations, US International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server (<http://www.usitc.gov>).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Effective July 12, 1999, the Commission established a schedule for the conduct of the subject five-year reviews (64 FR 38690, July 19, 1999). On November 24, 1999, counsel for parties in support of the continuation of the duty orders submitted a request for an extension of the Commission's deadline for its determinations in these reviews. On November 29, 1999, counsel for parties opposed to the continuation of the duty orders and that submitted comments, indicated that they did not object to the request for an extension. Accordingly, the Commission has determined to exercise further its authority to extend the review period by up to 90 days pursuant to 19 U.S.C. § 1675(c)(5)(B), and is hereby revising its schedule.

The revised schedule for the conduct of the subject reviews is as follows: the prehearing staff report in the reviews will be placed in the nonpublic record on January 28, 2000; the deadline for filing prehearing briefs is February 8, 2000; requests to appear at the hearing should be filed in writing with the Secretary to the Commission on or before February 9, 2000; the prehearing conference will be held at the US International Trade Commission Building at 9:30 a.m. on February 11, 2000; the hearing will be held at the US

International Trade Commission Building at 9:30 a.m. on February 17, 2000; the deadline for filing posthearing briefs is February 29, 2000; the Commission will make its final release of information on March 22, 2000; and final party comments are due on March 24, 2000.

For further information concerning these five-year reviews see the Commission's notice cited above and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, part 201, subparts A through E (19 CFR part 201), and part 207, subparts A, D, E, and F (19 CFR part 207).

**Authority:** These reviews are being conducted under authority of title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930; this notice is published pursuant to section 207.62 of the Commission's rules.

Issued: December 1, 1999.

By order of the Commission.

**Donna R. Koehnke,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Office of Community Oriented Policing Services

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Reinstatement; Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice of Information Collection Under Review; COPS Department Initial Report.

Office of Management and Budget (OMB) reinstatement approval is being sought for the information collection listed below. This proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on May 10, 1999, allowing for a 60-day public comment period.

The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comment until January 5, 2000. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the items contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the COPS Office, PPSE Division, 1100 Vermont Ave, NW, Washington, DC 20530-0001. Additionally, comments may be submitted to COPS via facsimile to 202-616-5998. Comments may also be submitted to the Department of Justice (DOJ), Justice Management Division, Information Management and Security Staff, Attention: Department

Deputy Clearance Officer, Suite 1220, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies should address one or more of the following points:

(1) evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency/component, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

#### Overview of This Information

(1) *Type of information collection.* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(2) *The title of the form/collection.* COPS Department Initial Report.

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection.* COPS 012/01. Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, United States Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract: Primary: State, Local, or Tribal Governments.*

The COPS Initial Report will be mailed to all new COPS grant recipients. Recipients must complete the form within thirty days of the date of their first grant award to comply with their grant program requirements.

The COPS Department Initial Report will collect basic information about recipient's sworn personnel and the recipient's level of community policing plans and programs at the beginning of the grant period. Survey questions will allow the COPS Office to establish a baseline of each grant recipient's community policing plans and programs at the beginning of the grant period for the purpose of monitoring progress of grant recipients in implementing community policing programs and activities with their federal COPS grant.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time*

*estimated for an average respondent to respond:* COPS Department Initial Report: Approximately 1,600 respondents, at 1.5 hours per respondent (including record-keeping).

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection.* Approximately 2,400 hours.

If additional information is required contact: Mrs. Brenda E. Dyer, Deputy Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 1220, National Place, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: November 30, 1999.

**Brenda E. Dyer,**

*Department Deputy Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Office of Community Oriented Policing Services

#### Agency Information Collection

#### Activities: Proposed Reinstatement; Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice of Information Collection Under Review for Reinstatement; COPS Officer Progress Report.

Office of Management and Budget (OMB) reinstatement approval is being sought for the information collection listed below. This proposed reinstatement was previously published in the **Federal Register** on May 10, 1999, allowing for a 60-day public comment period.

The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comments from the date listed at the top of this page in the **Federal Register**. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 Code of Federal Regulation, Part 1320.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the items contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the COPS Office, PPSE Division, 1100 Vermont Ave, NW, Washington, DC 20530-0001. Additionally, comments may be submitted to COPS via facsimile to 202-616-5998. Comments may also be submitted to the Department of Justice (DOJ), Justice Management Division, Information Management and Security Staff, Attention: Department Clearance Officer, Suite 1220, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC, 20250.