

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION****Submission for OMB Review;  
Comment Request****AGENCY:** Department of Education.**SUMMARY:** The Leader, Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer invites comments on the submission for OMB review by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before July 3, 2000.**ADDRESSES:** Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Danny Werfel, Desk Officer, Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, N.W., Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503 or should be electronically mailed to the internet address DWERFEL@OMB.EOP.GOV.**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Leader, Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer, publishes that notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these aspects to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment.

Dated: April 26, 2000.

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Office of the Chief Information Officer.***Office of Special Education and  
Rehabilitative Services***Type of Review:* Reinstatement.*Title:* Projects with Industry.*Frequency:* Annually.*Affected Public:* Individuals or households; Not-for-profit institutions; State, Local, or Tribal Gov't, SEAs or LEAs.*Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:* Responses: 350—Burden Hours: 14,000.*Abstract:* The Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA) requests OMB approval to extend currently approved data collection form for use through December 31, 2000.Requests for copies of the proposed information collection request may be accessed from <http://edicsweb.ed.gov>, or should be addressed to Vivian Reese, Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651. Requests may also be electronically mailed to the internet address OCIO\_IMG\_Issues@ed.gov or faxed to 202-708-9346. Please specify the complete title of the information collection when making your request. Comments regarding burden and/or the collection activity requirements should be directed to Sheila Carey at (202) 708-6287 or via her internet address Sheila\_Carey@ed.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339.

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**BILLING CODE 4000-01-M****DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION****Notice of waivers granted by the U.S. Secretary of Education under the waiver authority in Title XIV of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act and of deadlines for the submission of future requests****SUMMARY:** The Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), as reauthorized by the Improving America's Schools Act (Pub. L. 103-382), permits the Secretary of Education to grant waivers of certain Federal program requirements in order to further effective innovation and improvements in teaching and learning in accordance with specific local needs. As of December 31, 1999, the U.S. Department of Education had approved 471 requests for waivers. This notice identifies the 104 waivers approved by the Department of Education from January 1, 1999 through December 31, 1999 under the waiver authority in section 14401 of the ESEA.**Waivers Approved Under the General Waiver Authority in Section 14401 of the ESEA**

(1) Applicant: California Department of Education, Sacramento, CA.

Requirement Waived: Section 307(c)(2)(C) of the Department of Education Appropriations Act of 1999, as enacted by section 101(f) of Division A of P.L. 105-277 (hereinafter referred to as the Class-Size legislation).

*Duration of Waiver:* Three years.*Date Granted:* April 5, 1999.

(2) Applicant: Utah State Office of Education, Salt Lake City, UT.

Requirement Waived: Section 307(b)(2) of the Class-Size legislation.

*Duration of Waiver:* Three years.*Date Granted:* April 15, 1999.

(3) Applicant: California Department of Education, Sacramento, CA.

Requirement Waived: Section 14201(a) of the ESEA.

*Duration of Waiver:* Three years.*Date Granted:* May 13, 1999.

(4) Applicant: Pasco County School District on behalf of Schrader Elementary School, Hudson Elementary School, M.P. Locke Elementary School, and Anclote Elementary School, Land O' Lakes, FL.

Requirement Waived: Section 1113(a)(3)(B) of the ESEA.

*Duration of Waiver:* Two years.*Date Granted:* May 19, 1999.

(5) Applicant: Lincoln County School District on behalf of Love Elementary School, Lincolnton, NC.

Requirement Waived: Section 1114(a)(1)(B) of the ESEA.

*Duration of Waiver:* Three years.*Date Granted:* May 19, 1999.

(6) Applicant: South Carolina Department of Education, Columbia, SC.

Requirement Waived: Section 307(b)(2) of the Class-Size legislation.

*Duration of Waiver:* Three years.*Date Granted:* June 1, 1999.

(7) Applicant: School District of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA.

Requirement Waived: Section 307(c)(2)(C) of the Class-Size legislation.

*Duration of Waiver:* Three years.*Date Granted:* June 2, 1999.

(8) Applicant: Minnesota Department of Education, Roseville, MN.

Requirement Waived: Section 307(b)(2) of the Class-Size legislation.

*Duration of Waiver:* Three years.*Date Granted:* June 2, 1999.

(9) Applicant: Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, Jefferson City, MI.

Requirement Waived: Section 307(b)(2) of the Class-Size legislation.

*Duration of Waiver:* Three years.*Date Granted:* June 2, 1999.

(10) Applicant: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, Bismarck, ND.

Requirement Waived: Section 307(b)(2) of the Class-Size legislation.

*Duration of Waiver:* Three years.*Date Granted:* June 2, 1999.