

Form Number: IRS Forms 1023 and Form 872-C.
Type of Review: Extension.
Title: Application for Recognition of Exemption Under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (1023); and Consent Fixing Period of Limitation Upon Assessment of Tax Under Section

4940 of the Internal Revenue Code (872).
Description: Form 1023 is filed by applicants seeking Federal income tax exemption as organizations described in section 501(c)(3). IRS uses the information to determine if the applicant is exempt and whether the applicant is a private foundation. Form

872-C extends the statute of limitations for assessing tax under section 4940.
Respondents: Not-for-profit institutions.
Estimated Number of Respondents/Recordkeeper: 29,409.
Estimated Burden Hours Per Respondent/Recordkeeper:

Form/schedule	Recordkeeping	Learning about the law or the form	Preparing and sending the form to the IRS
1023 Parts I to IV	55 hr., 43 min	5 hr., 0 min.	8 hr., 32 min.
1023 Schedule A	7 hr., 10 min	0 min	7 min.
1023 Schedule B	4 hr., 46 min	30 min	36 min.
1023 Schedule C	5 hr., 1 min	35 min	42 min.
1023 Schedule D	4 hr., 4 min	42 min	47 min.
1023 Schedule E	9 hr., 19 min	1 hr., 5 min	1 hr., 17 min.
1023 Schedule F	2 hr., 37 min	2 hr., 52 min	3 hr., 3 min.
1023 Schedule G	2 hr., 37 min	0 min	2 min.
1023 Schedule H	1 hr., 54 min	42 min	45 min.
1023 Schedule I	3 hr., 35 min	0 min	3 min.
872-C	1 hr., 25 min	24 min	25 min.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.
Estimated Total Reporting/Recordkeeping Burden: 2,069,267 hours.
OMB Number: 1545-1591.
Revenue Procedure Number: Revenue Procedure 98-23.
Regulation Project Number: REG-251701-96 NPRM.
Type of Review: Extension.
Title: Qualified Subchapter S Trust Conversions to Electing Small Business Trusts (REG-251701-96); and Electing Small Business Trust (Rev. Proc. 98-23).
Description: The revenue procedure and regulation provide a method for taxpayers to obtain the Secretary's consent to convert a Qualified Subchapter S Trust (QSST) to an Electing Small Business Trust (ESBT) as well as to convert an ESBT to a QSST.
Respondents: Business or other for-profit.
Estimated Number of Respondents: 2,500.
Estimated Burden Hours Per Respondent: 1 hour.
Frequency of Response: Other (once).
Estimated Total Reporting Burden: 2,500 hours.

OMB Number: 1545-1729.
Regulation Project Number: REG-107186-00 NPRM and Temporary.
Type of Review: Extension.
Title: Electronic Payee Statements.
Description: In general, under these regulations, a person required to furnish a statement on Form W-2 under Code sections 6041(d) or 6051, or Forms 1098-T or 1098-E under Code section 6050S, may furnish these statements electronically if the recipient consents to receive them electronically, and if the person furnishing the statement (1) makes certain disclosure3s to the

recipient, (2) annually notifies the recipient that the statement is available on a website, and (3) provides access to the statement on that website for a prescribed period of time.
Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Individuals or households.
Estimated Number of Respondents/Recordkeeper: 15,200.
Estimated Burden Hours Per Respondent/Recordkeeper: 6 minutes.
Frequency of Response: Annually.
Estimated Total Reporting/Recordkeeping Burden: 2,844,950 hours.
Clearance Officer: Garrick Shear, Internal Revenue Service, Room 5244, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20224.
OMB Reviewer: Alexander T. Hunt (202) 395-7860, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

April 18, 2001.

The Department of Treasury has submitted the following public information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. Copies of the submission(s) may be obtained by calling the Treasury Bureau Clearance Officer listed. Comments regarding this

information collection should be addressed to the OMB reviewer listed and to the Treasury Department Clearance Officer, Department of the Treasury, Room 2110, 1425 New York Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20220.
DATES: Written comments should be received on or before May 24, 2001 to be assured of consideration.

Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

OMB Number: 1545-0232.
Form Number: IRS Form 6497.
Type of Review: Extension.
Title: Information Return of Nontaxable Energy Grants or Subsidized Energy Financing.
Description: Form 6497 is used by any governmental agency or its agents that make nontaxable grants or subsidized financing for energy conservation or production programs. IRS uses the information from the form to ensure that recipients have not claimed tax credits or other benefits with respect to the grant or subsidized financing (no "double dipping").
Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Federal Government, State, Local or Tribal Government.
Estimated Number of Recordkeepers: 250.
Estimated Burden Hours Per Recordkeeper:
 Recordkeeping—2 hr. 23 min.
 Learning about the law or the form—24 min.
 Preparing, copying, and sending the form to the IRS—27 min.
Frequency of Response: Annually.
Estimated Total Reporting/Recordkeeping Burden: 810 hours.
OMB Number: 1545-0763.

Regulation Project Number: LR-200-76 Final.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Qualified Conservation Contributions.

Description: The information is necessary to comply with various substantive requirements of section 170(h), which describes situation in which a taxpayer is entitled to an income tax deduction for a charitable contribution for conservation purposes of a partial interest in real estate.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Individuals or households, Not-for-profit institutions, Farms, Federal Government, State, Local or Tribal Government.

Estimated Number of Respondents/Recordkeeper: 1,000.

Estimated Burden Hours Per

Recordkeeper: 1 hour, 15 minutes

Estimated Total Recordkeeping Burden: 1,250 hours.

OMB Number: 1545-1308.

Regulation Project Number: PS-260-82 Final.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Election, Revocation, Termination, and Tax Effect of Subchapter S Status.

Description: Sections 1.1362-1 through 1.1362-7 of the Income Tax Regulations provide the specific procedures and requirements necessary to implement section 1362, including the filing of various elections and statements with the Internal Revenue Service.

Respondents: Individuals or households, Business or other for-profit, Farms.

Estimated Number of Respondents/Recordkeeper: 133.

Estimated Burden Hours Per

Respondent/Recordkeeper: 2 hours, 25 minutes.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated Total Reporting/Recordkeeping Burden: 322 hours.

OMB Number: 1545-1595.

Revenue Procedure Number: Revenue Procedure 98-25.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Automatic Data Processing.

Description: Revenue Procedure 98-25 specifies the basic requirements that the IRS considers to be essential in cases where a taxpayer's records are maintained within an Automatic Data Processing System (ADP). If machine-sensible records are lost, stolen, destroyed, or materially inaccurate, the Revenue Procedure requires that a taxpayer promptly notify its District Director and submit a plan to replace the affected records. The District Director will notify the taxpayer of any

objection(s) to the taxpayer's plan. Also, the Revenue Procedure provides that a taxpayer who maintains machine-sensible records may request to enter into a Record Retention Limitation Agreement (RRLA) with its District Director. The taxpayer's request must identify and describe those records the taxpayer proposes not to retain and explain why those records will not become material to the administration of any internal revenue law. The District Director will notify the taxpayer whether or not the District Director will enter into an RRLA. Finally, Revenue Procedure 98-25 provides that the District Director may conduct an evaluation of a taxpayer's machine-sensible records and may initiate testing to establish the authenticity, readability, completeness, and integrity of such records.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Individuals or households, Not-for-profit institutions, Farms, Federal Government, State, Local or Tribal Government.

Estimated Number of Respondents/Recordkeeper: 3,000.

Estimated Burden Hours Per

Respondent/Recordkeeper: 40 hours.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated Total Reporting/Recordkeeping Burden: 120,000 hours.

OMB Number: 1545-1722.

Form Number: IRS Form 8873.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Extraterritorial Income Exclusion.

Description: A taxpayer uses Form 8873 to claim the gross income exclusion provided for by section 114 of the Internal Revenue Code.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, Individuals or households.

Estimated Number of Respondents/Recordkeeper: 1,000,000.

Estimated Burden Hours Per Respondent/Recordkeeper:

Recordkeeping 21—21 hr., 45 min.

Learning about the law or the form—1 hr., 53 min.

Preparing, copying, assembling, and sending the form to the IRS—2 hr., 19 min.

Frequency of Response: Annually.

Estimated Total Reporting/Recordkeeping Burden: 25,970,000 hours.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Treasury, 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)). Currently, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning the User-Limited Permit (Explosives).

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before June 25, 2001 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Linda Barnes, 650 Massachusetts Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20226, (202) 927-8930.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the form(s) and instructions should be directed to Guy Hummel, Chief, Arson and Explosives Programs Division, 650 Massachusetts Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20226, (202) 927-7930.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: User-Limited Permit (Explosives).

OMB Number: 1512-0242.

Form Number: ATF F 5400.6.

Abstract: The user-limited permit is useful to the person making a one-time purchase from out-of-state. It is used one time only and is nonrenewable. The explosives distributor makes entries on the form and returns the form to the permittee to prevent reuse of the permit. Dealers maintain copies of the form on file for a period of 5 years.

Current Actions: There are no changes to this information collection and it is being submitted for extension purposes only.