

damages caused by heavy rainfall and flooding from Tropical Storm Barry that began on August 2, 2001. Applications for loans for physical damage as a result of this disaster may be filed until the close of business on October 22, 2001 and for economic injury until the close of business on May 21, 2002 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations: U.S. Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 2 Office; One Baltimore Place, Suite 300, Atlanta, GA 30308.

The interest rates are:

For Physical Damage

Homeowners With Credit Available Elsewhere—6.625%
Homeowners Without Credit Available Elsewhere—3.312%
Businesses With Credit Available Elsewhere—8.000%
Businesses and Non-Profit Organizations Without Credit Available Elsewhere—4.000%
Others (Including Non-Profit Organizations) With Credit Available Elsewhere—7.125%

For Economic Injury

Businesses and Small Agricultural Cooperatives Without Credit Available Elsewhere—4.000%

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 336011 and for economic injury the number assigned is 9M3900.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59002 and 59008)

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Hector V. Barreto,
Administrator.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

National Small Business Development Centers Advisory Board; Public Meeting

The National Small Business Development Center Advisory Board will hold a public meeting at 9 a.m. est on Thursday, Sept. 13, 2001 in the Windsor Room of the Hyatt Regency Hotel, 300 Reunion Boulevard, Dallas, Texas, to discuss such matters as may be presented by members, staff of the Small Business Administration, or others present. Anyone wishing to make an oral presentation to the Board must contact Ellen Thrasher, Designated Federal Officer, in writing by letter or fax no later than September 4, 2001, in order to be put on the agenda. Ellen Thrasher, Deputy Associate Administrator, U.S. Small Business

Administration, Office of Small Business Development Centers, 409 Third Street, SW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20416 phone (202) 205-6766 fax (202) 205-7727.

Steve Tupper,

SBA Committee Management Officer.

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SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Request and Comment Request

The Social Security Administration (SSA) publishes a list of information collection packages that will require clearance by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) in compliance with Pub Law 104-13 effective October 1, 1995, The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. SSA is soliciting comments on the accuracy of the agency's burden estimate; the need for the information; its practical utility; ways to enhance its quality, utility and clarity; and on ways to minimize burden on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Written comments and recommendations regarding the information collection(s) should be submitted to the OMB Desk Officer and the SSA Reports Clearance Officer and at the following addresses:

(OMB): Office of Management and Budget, Attn: Desk Officer for SSA, New Executive Office Building, Room 10230, 725 17th St., NW., Washington, DC 20503.

(SSA): Social Security Administration, DCFAM, Attn: Frederick W. Brickenkamp, 1-A-21 Operations Bldg., 6401 Security Blvd., Baltimore, MD 21235.

I. The information collection listed below will be submitted to OMB within 60 days from the date of this notice. Therefore, your comments should be submitted to SSA within 60 days from the date of this publication. You can obtain copies of the collection instruments by calling the SSA Reports Clearance Officer at 410-965-4145, or by writing to him at the address listed above.

1. *Statement Regarding Students' School Attendance—0960-0113.* Form SSA-2434 is used by the Social Security Administration to determine student entitlement status of the children of coal miners, children of their widows or the brothers of deceased miners eligible for Black Lung benefits. This form collects

information from students about to attain age 18, for the express purpose of evaluating their continuing eligibility for program benefits under the Federal Mine Safety Act of 1977. The respondents are entitled black lung children of coal miner's or their widow, or the brother of deceased black lung coal miners.

Number of Respondents: 50.

Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 10 minutes.

Estimated Annual Burden: 8 hours.

II. The information collections listed below have been submitted to OMB for clearance. Your comments on the information collections would be most useful if received by OMB and SSA within 30 days from the date of this publication. You can obtain a copy of the OMB clearance package by calling the SSA Reports Clearance Officer on (410) 965-4145, or by writing to him at the address listed above.

1. *Employee Identification Statement—0960-0473.* The information collected on Form SSA-4156 is needed in scrambled earnings situations when two or more individuals have used the same social security number (SSN), or when an employer (or employers) have reported earnings for two or more employees under the same SSN. The information on the form is used to help identify the individual (and the SSN) to whom the earnings belong. The respondents are employers who have reported erroneous wages.

Number of Respondents: 4,750.

Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 10 minutes.

Estimated Average Burden: 792 hours.

2. *Plan for Achieving Self-Support—0960-0559.* The information on form SSA-545 is collected by SSA when a Supplemental Security Income (SSI) applicant/recipient desires to use available income and resources to obtain education and/or training in order to become self-supportive. The information is used to evaluate the recipient's plan for achieving self-support to determine whether the plan may be approved under the provisions of the SSI program. The respondents are SSI applicants/recipients who are blind or disabled.

Number of Respondents: 7,000.

Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 2 hours.

Estimated Average Burden: 14,000 hours.

3. *Electronic Death Registration Survey—0960-0625.* Section 205(r) requires the Social Security Administration (SSA) to enter into