

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**Parole Commission****Sunshine Act Meeting**

United States Parole Commission; An additional item added to the agenda of the open meeting held at 5550 Friendship Boulevard, Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815; Correction.

Pursuant To The Government In the Sunshine Act (Public Law 94-409) [5 U.S.C. Section 552b].

AGENCY: Department of Justice, United States Parole Commission.

ACTION: Notice of correction of previous published agenda.

SUMMARY: This notice corrects the agenda previously published in the **Federal Register** December 5, 2001 [66 FR 63260] by adding an additional item to the open meeting of the Commission held in Chevy Chase, Maryland. The following item has been added to the agenda: Approval of Rules and Procedures Memorandum concerning hearing examiner authority to make a probable cause finding and determine location of a revocation hearing and witnesses; instructions for handling warrant requests; and deletion of inaccurate statement regarding the satisfactory evidence standard.

Dated: December 7, 2001.

Rockne Chickinell,

General Counsel, U.S. Parole Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Occupational Safety and Health Administration**

[Docket No. ICR-1218-0011(2002)]

Extension of the Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) Approval of Information-Collection (Paperwork) Requirements

AGENCY: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Labor.

ACTION: Request for comment.

SUMMARY: OSHA solicits comments concerning its proposal to decrease the existing burden-hour estimates for, and to extend OMB approval of, the information-collection requirements of subparts A and B of 29 CFR part 1915.¹ The paperwork requirements specified by subparts A and B ensures that confined and enclosed spaces and other dangerous atmospheres in shipyards are safe for employee entry, and protect shipyard employees from explosive, combustible, and toxic hazards contained in these spaces.

DATES: Submit written comments on or before February 11, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments to the Docket Office, Docket No. ICR-1218-0011(2002), OSHA, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-2625, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210; telephone (202) 693-2350. Commenters may transmit written comments of 10 pages or less by facsimile to (202) 693-1648.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Theda Kenney, Directorate of Safety Standards Programs, OSHA, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-3609, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210; telephone (202) 693-2222. A copy of the Agency's Information-Collection Request (ICR) supporting the need for the information

¹ Based on its assessment of the paperwork requirements contained in these subparts, the Agency estimates that the total burden hours decreased compared to its previous burden-hour estimate. Under this notice, OSHA is *not* proposing to revise these paperwork requirements in any substantive manner, only to decrease the burden hours imposed by the existing paperwork requirements.

collections specified by subparts A and B of 29 CFR part 1915 is available for inspection and copying in the Docket Office, or by requesting a copy from Theda Kenney at (202) 693-2222, or Todd Owen at (202) 693-2444. For electronic copies of the ICR, contact OSHA on the Internet at <http://www.osha.gov>, and select "Information Collection Requests."

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**I. Background**

The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent (i.e., employer) burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the public with an opportunity to comment on proposed and continuing information-collection requirements in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA-95) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This program ensures that information is in the desired format, reporting burden (time and costs) is minimal, collection instruments are understandable, and OSHA's estimate of the information-collection burden is correct.

In subpart A, paragraph (b) of § 1915.7 ("Competent Person") specifies that employers must maintain a roster of designated competent persons (for inspecting and testing spaces covered by subpart B), or a statement that a marine chemist will perform these inspections and tests. Under paragraph (d) of this standard, employers must: Ensure that competent persons, marine chemists, and certified industrial hygienists make a record of each inspection and test they perform; post the record near the covered space while work is in progress; and file the record for a specified period. In addition, employers must make the roster or statement, and the inspection and test records, available to designated parties on request. Maintaining the required roster or statement as specified by paragraph (b) assures employees and OSHA that qualified competent persons are performing the inspections and tests. The recordkeeping requirement under paragraph (d) provides important information regarding the inspection and test results; this information allows employers to implement atmospheric controls and other safety procedures to furnish employees with a safe and healthful workplace, and permits employees and OSHA to determine the appropriateness of these controls and procedures.

Subpart B consists of several standards governing employee entry into confined and enclosed spaces and other dangerous atmospheres. These standards require employers to: Warn