

including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

\* Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

\* 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.

*Agency:* Office of the Assistant Secretary for Administration and Management (OASAM).

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Title:* Applicant Background Questionnaire.

*OMB Number:* 1225-0072.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households and Federal Government.

*Type of Response:* Voluntary reporting.

*Number of Respondents:* 3,000.

*Number of Annual Responses:* 3,000.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 5 minutes.

*Total Burden Hours:* 250.

*Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs:* \$0.

*Total Annual Costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services):* \$0.

*Description:* The U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) provides a wide range of services to a diverse American workforce. As part of its obligation to provide equal employment opportunities, DOL is charged with ensuring that qualified individuals in groups that have historically been underrepresented in various employments are included in applicant pools for Department positions [See 5 U.S.C. 7201(c); 29 U.S.C. 791; 5 CFR 720.204]. To achieve this goal, DOL employment offices have targeted recruitment outreach to a variety of sources. Included in these sources are educational institutions that historically serve a high concentration of minorities, women, and persons with disabilities. Outreach efforts are also extended to professional organizations, newspapers and magazines, as well as participation in career fairs and conferences, many of which reach high concentrations of Hispanics, Blacks, Native Americans, and persons with disabilities.

Without the information from this collection, DOL does not have the ability to evaluate the effectiveness of any of these targeted recruiting strategies because collection of racial and ethnic information only would

occur at the point of hiring. DOL needs to collect data on the pools of applicants which result from the various targeted recruiting strategies listed above. With the information from this collection, DOL can adjust and redirect its targeted recruitment to ensure that the applicant pools contain candidates from historically underrepresented groups.

**Ira L. Mills,**

*Departmental Clearance Officer.*

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## MEDICARE PAYMENT ADVISORY COMMISSION

### Commission Meeting

**AGENCY:** Medicare Payment Advisory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission will hold its next public meeting on Thursday, April 25, 2002, and Friday, April 26, 2002, at the Ronald Reagan Building, International Trade Center, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC. The meeting is tentatively scheduled to begin at 10 a.m. on April 25, and 9 a.m. on April 26.

*Topics for discussion include:*

Coverage of nonphysician practitioners, payment for non-physician practitioners; beneficiaries' access to Medicare hospice care; assessing the Medicare benefit package: Successes, challenges and options for change; proposed prospective payment system for long-term care hospitals; quality in traditional Medicare; risk-adjustment in Medicare+Choice; and state-level variations in Medicare spending; preliminary observations. Agendas will be mailed on April 16, 2002. The final agenda will be available on the Commission's Web site ([www.MedPAC.gov](http://www.MedPAC.gov)).

**ADDRESSES:** MedPAC's address is: 1730 K Street, NW., Suite 800, Washington, DC 20006. The telephone number is (202) 653-7220.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Diane Ellison, Office Manager, (202) 653-7220.

**Murray N. Ross,**

*Executive Director.*

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## FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Meeting

April 3, 2002.

**TIME AND DATE:** 10 a.m., Thursday, April 11, 2002.

**PLACE:** Room 6005, 6th Floor, 1730 K Street, NW., Washington, DC

**STATUS:** Open.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Commission will consider and act upon the following:

1. Watkins Engineers and Constructors, Docket Nos. WEST 99-280-M, etc. (Issues include whether the judge erred in determining that (a) the Lyons Cement plant falls within the jurisdiction of the Mine Act and (b) Congress' grant of authority to the Secretary of Labor in section 3(h)(1) of the Mine Act to construe the word "milling" is not an unconstitutional delegation of legislative power).

Any person attending an open meeting who requires special accessibility features and/or auxiliary aids, such as sign language interpreters, must inform the Commission in advance of those needs. Subject to 29 CFR 2706.150(a)(3) and 2706.160(d).

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFO:** Jean Ellen (202) 653-5629/(202) 708-9300 for TDD Relay/1-800-877-8339 for toll free.

**Jean H. Ellen,**

*Chief Docket Clerk.*

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## NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (02-050)]

### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of agency report forms under OMB review.

**SUMMARY:** The National Aeronautics and Space Administration, 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 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). The purpose of this collection is to measure the effectiveness of interventions and improvements in general aviation safety.

**DATES:** Comments on this proposal should be received within 30 calendar days from the date of this publication.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments should be addressed to Desk Officer for NASA; Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs; Office of Management and Budget; Room 10236; New Executive Office Building; Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Nancy Kaplan, NASA Reports Officer, (202) 358-1372.

*Title:* National Aviation Operations Monitoring Service.

*OMB Number:* 2700-0099.

*Type of review:* Extension.

*Need and Uses:* The information developed by the National Aviation Operations Monitoring Service will be used by NASA Aviation Safety Program managers to evaluate the progress of their efforts to improve aviation over the next decade.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Number of Respondents:* 8,000.

*Responses Per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 8,000.

*Hours Per Request:* Approximately 1/2 hour.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 5,455.

*Frequency of Report:* Quarterly; annually.

**David B. Nelson,**

*Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Administrator.*

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## NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (02-049)]

### NASA Advisory Council, Earth Systems Science and Applications Advisory Committee; Meeting

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration announces a meeting of the NASA Advisory Council (NAC), Earth Systems Science and Applications Advisory Committee (ESSAAC).

**DATES:** Tuesday, May 7, 2002, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; and Wednesday, May 8, 2002, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Channel Inn Hotel, 650 Water Street SW, Captain's Room, Washington, DC 20024.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Gregory Williams, Code Y, National

Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546, 202/358-0241.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The meeting will be open to the public up to the seating capacity of the room. The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- Welcome/Introduction/Logistics
- State of the Enterprise/Discussion
- Remarks from NASA Administrator/Discussion
- Office of Earth Science (OES) Actions to Implement Agency Priorities
- FY 03 Budget
- Earth Observing System Data and Information System (EOSDIS)
- Summary of first day
- Science Roadmaps and Research Strategy Revision
- Center Management Discussion
- Applications Strategy & Next Steps
- Solid Earth Science Working Group Update
- Committee Deliberations/Writing Session

It is imperative that the meeting be held on these dates to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants. Visitors will be requested to sign a visitors' register.

Dated: April 10, 2002.

**Sylvia K. Kraemer,**

*Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.*

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## NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

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

**AGENCY:** National Archives and Records Administration (NARA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** NARA is giving public notice that the agency proposes a three-year generic clearance to conduct user satisfaction research for our Internet sites. The information will be used to better understand customer needs, identify areas of our Internet sites requiring improvement in either content or delivery, quantify the effectiveness/efficiency of current tools and delivery, and align web offerings with identified user needs. The public is invited to comment on the proposed information collection pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Written comments must be received on or before June 17, 2002, to be assured of consideration.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments should be sent to: Paperwork Reduction Act Comments

(NHP), Room 4400, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Rd, College Park, MD 20740-6001; or faxed to 301-837-3213; or electronically mailed to [tamee.fechhelm@nara.gov](mailto:tamee.fechhelm@nara.gov).

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the proposed information collection and supporting statement should be directed to Tamee Fechhelm at telephone number 301-837-1694, or fax number 301-837-3213.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13), NARA invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed information collections. The comments and suggestions should address one or more of the following points: (a) Whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of NARA; (b) the accuracy of NARA's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways, including the use of information technology, to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents. The comments that are submitted will be summarized and included in the NARA request for Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. In this notice, NARA is soliciting comments concerning the following information collection:

*Title:* Generic clearance for user satisfaction research on Internet sites.

*OMB number:* 3095-NEW.

*Agency form number:* N/A.

*Type of review:* Regular.

*Affected public:* Individuals and households.

*Estimated number of respondents:* 4,000.

*Estimated time per response:* 5 minutes.

*Frequency of response:* On occasion.

*Estimated total annual burden hours:* 333 hours.

*Abstract:* This is a request for a three-year generic clearance to conduct user satisfaction research for our Internet sites. This effort is made according to Executive Order 12862, which directs Federal agencies that provide significant services directly to the public to survey customers to determine the kind and quality of services they want and their level of satisfaction with existing services.