

proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(e) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) 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.

Overview of this information collection:

(1) *Type of information collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* Application for Registration (DEA Form 224), Application for Registration Renewal (DEA Form 224A) and Affidavit for Chain Renewal DEA Retail Pharmacy Registration (DEA Form 224B).

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* Form No.: DEA Forms 224, 224a and 224B. Applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection: Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, U.S. Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Business or other for-profit. Other: Not-for-Profit Institutions; State, Local or Tribal Government. All firms and individuals who distribute or dispense controlled substances must register with the DEA under the Controlled Substances Act. Registration is needed for control measures over legal handlers of controlled substances, and is used to monitor their activities.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/reply:* There are approximately 67,451 respondents completing DEA Form 224, within 12 minutes for each response, resulting in approximately 13,490 burden hours. There are approximately 357,510 respondents completing DEA Form 224A, within 12 minutes for each response, resulting in approximately 71,502 burden hours. There are approximately 48 respondents completing DEA Form 224B, within 5 hours for each response, resulting approximately 240 burden hours.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* There are a total of approximately 85,232 annual burden

hours associated with this information collection.

If additional information is required contact Brenda E. Dyer, Department Deputy Clearance Officer, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Department of Justice, Patrick Henry Building, Suite 1600, 601 D Street NW., Washington, DC 20530.

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whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) 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.

Overview of this information collection:

(1) *Type of information collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* Application for Registration (DEA Form 363), Application for Registration Renewal (DEA Form 363a), and Application for Registration Renewal (chain) (DEA Form 363b).

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* Form No.: DEA Forms 363, 363a, 363b. Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, U.S. Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Business or other for-profit. Other: Not-for-profit institutions. Practitioners who dispense narcotic drugs to individuals for maintenance or detoxification treatment must register with the DEA under the Narcotic Addiction Treatment Act of 1974. Registration is needed for control measures and is used to prevent diversions.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/reply:* There are approximately 100 respondents completing form DEA 363, which will take the average respondent about .5 hours to complete resulting in approximately 50 annual burden hours. There are approximately 1,151 respondents completing form DEA 363a which will take the average respondent about .5 hours to complete resulting in approximately 575.5 annual burden hours. Currently no one has completed the form DEA 363b.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* There are 625.5 estimated total annual public burden hours

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Drug Enforcement Administration

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: 60-day notice of information collection under review; Extension of a currently approved collection, Application for Registration (DEA Form 363), Application for Registration Renewal (DEA Form 363a), and Application for Registration Renewal (chain) (DEA Form 363b).

The Department of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) has submitted the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The proposed information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for "sixty days" until August 9, 2002. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

If you have comments, especially on the estimated public burden or associated response time, suggestions, need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or need additional information, please contact Patricia M. Good, Chief, Liaison and Policy Section, Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, Washington, DC 20537.

Written comments and suggestions are requested from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including

associated with this information collection.

If additional information is required contact Brenda E. Dyer, Department Deputy Clearance Officer, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Department of Justice, Patrick Henry Building, Suite 1600, 601 D Street NW., Washington, DC 20530.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Drug Enforcement Administration

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: 60-day Notice of Information Collection Under Review; Extension of a currently approved collection; Application for Registration (DEA Form 225); Application for Registration Renewal (DEA Form 225A); Affidavit for Chain Renewal (DEA Form 225B).

The Department of Justice Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) has submitted the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The proposed information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until August 9, 2002. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

If you have comments, especially on the estimated public burden or associated response time, suggestions, need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or need additional information, please contact Patricia M. Good, Chief, Liaison and Policy Section, Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, Washington, DC 20537.

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(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including

whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) 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.

Overview of this information collection:

(1) *Type of information collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* Application for Registration (DEA Form 225); Application for Registration Renewal (DEA Form 225A); Affidavit for Chain Renewal (DEA Form 225B).

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* Form No.: DEA Forms 225, 225a, 225B. Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, U.S. Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Business or other for-profit. Other: None. The Controlled Substances Act requires all persons who manufacture, distribute, import, export, conduct research or dispense controlled substances to register with DEA. Registration provides a closed system of distribution to control the flow of controlled substances through the distribution chain.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/reply:* There are approximately 1,353 respondents completing DEA Form 225, within 30 minutes for each response, resulting in approximately 676.5 burden hours. There are approximately 10,019 respondents completing DEA Form 225A, within 30 minutes for each response, resulting in approximately 5,009.5 burden hours. There are approximately 7 respondents completing DEA Form 225B, within 1 hour for each response, resulting in approximately 7 burden hours.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* There are a total of approximately 5,693 annual burden

hours associated with this information collection.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Mine Safety and Health Administration

Petitions for Modification

The following parties have filed petitions to modify the application of existing safety standards under section 101(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977.

1. Consolidation Coal Company

[Docket No. M-2002-045-C]

Consolidation Coal Company, Consol Plaza, 1800 Washington Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15241-1421 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.364(b)(2) (weekly examination) to its Blacksville No. 2 Mine (I.D. No. 46-01968) located in Monongalia County, West Virginia. The petitioner proposes to establish check point numbers B-CK-1, CK-2 and B-CK-3 to measure air quality and quantity at the inlet to the affected aircourse. The petitioner will also establish check point numbers B-CK-4, B-CK-5 and B-CK-6 to measure air quality and quantity at the outlet from the affected aircourse. The petitioner states that due to deteriorating roof conditions, traveling the affected areas of the return aircourse would expose persons to hazardous conditions. The petitioner asserts that the check points and all approaches to the check points will be maintained in a safe condition and a certified person will test the methane and quantity of air at each check point on a weekly basis. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

Request for Comments

Persons interested in these petitions are encouraged to submit comments via e-mail to "comments@msha.gov," or on a computer disk along with an original