

required to complete the DD Form 2581-1, "Public and Community Service Organization Validation" to be validated as a PACS employer. This validation allows TERA retirees, being hired by a PACS organization, to earn additional retirement credit needed towards gaining full retirement for 20 years of creditable service. Once the retiree reaches age 62 he/she will be compensated for retirement for 20 years of service. The information from the DD Form 2581-1 is also used by the Department of Defense to validate that the employer meets the criteria of a PACS organization.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; state, local, or tribal government, businesses or other for-profit, Federal government; not-for-profit institutions.

Annual Burden Hours: 2,870.

Number of Respondents: 287.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 10 minutes.

Frequency: On occasion.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Summary of Information Collection

This information is needed to satisfy Public Law 101-510, the Defense Department's Fiscal Year 1991 Authorization Act, November 5, 1990, which directed the Secretary of Defense release to civilian employers, organizations and other appropriate entities, the names (and other pertinent information) of separating members of the Armed Forces, their spouses, and civilian employees who are seeking employment in the civilian sector. The collection is also required to satisfy Public Law 102-484, the Defense Department's Fiscal Year 1993 Authorization Act, October 23, 1992, which directed the Secretary of Defense to maintain a public and community service registry in which separating Service members would be encouraged to enter into employment in the public and community services arena. DD Form 2581, "Operation Transition Employer Registration," and DD Form 2581-1, "Public and Community Service Organization Validation," are used to support this effort.

Dated: October 14, 2003.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

DATES: Consideration will be given to all commenters received by November 20, 2003.

Title, Form, and OMB Number: Application for Trusteeship; DD Form 2827; OMB Number 0730-0013.

Type of Request: Extension.

Number of Respondents: 75.

Annual Responses: 75.

Average Burden Per Response: 15 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 18.75.

Needs and Uses: When members of the uniformed services are declared mentally incompetent, the need arises to have a trustee appointed to act on their behalf with regard to military pay matters. Individuals will complete this form to apply for appointment as a trustee on behalf of the member. The requirement to complete this form helps alleviate the opportunity for fraud, waste and abuse of government funds and member's benefits.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Frequency: On Occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to Obtain or Retain Benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: Ms. Jacqueline Zeiher. Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Zeiher at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

DOD Clearance Officer: Ms. Jacqueline Davis. Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Davis, WHS/DIOR, 1215 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1204, Arlington, VA 22202-4302.

Dated: October 8, 2003.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (14 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by November 20, 2003.

Title, Form, and OMB Number: Trustee Report; DD Form 2826; OMB Number 01730-0012.

Type of Request: Extension.

Number of Respondents: 600.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 600.

Average Burden Per Response: 30 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 300.

Needs and Uses: When members of the uniformed services are declared mentally incompetent, the need arises to have a trustee appointed to act on their behalf with regard to military pay matters. Trustees will complete this form to report the administration of the funds received on behalf of the member. The requirement to complete this form helps alleviate the opportunity for fraud, waste and abuse of government funds and member's benefits.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: Ms. Jacqueline Zeiher. Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Zeiher at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

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