

projects, and owners of private multifamily residential building projects. Total projected cost estimates are requested the first month and monthly progress reports are requested until the project is completed.

The Census Bureau uses the information collected on these forms to publish estimates of the monthly value of construction put in place: (1) For nonresidential projects owned by private companies or individuals; (2) for projects owned by state and local agencies; and (3) for multifamily residential building projects owned by private companies or individuals. Statistics from CPRS become part of the monthly "Value of Construction Put in Place" series that is used extensively by the Federal Government in making policy decisions and become part of the gross domestic product (GDP). Construction now accounts for more than eight percent of GDP.

Published statistics are used by all levels of government to evaluate economic policy, to measure progress toward national goals, to make policy decisions, and to formulate legislation. For example, the Bureau of Economic Analysis uses the data to develop national accounts. The Federal Reserve Board and the Department of the Treasury use the value of construction put in place data to forecast GDP. The private sector uses the statistics for market analysis and other research such as estimating the demand for building materials and to schedule production distribution and sales efforts.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; Business or other for-profit; State, local or tribal government; Not-for-profit institutions.

Frequency: Monthly.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

Legal Authority: Title 13 U.S.C., section 182.

OMB Desk Officer: Susan Schechter, (202) 395-5103.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482-0266, Department of Commerce, room 6625, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at dhynek@doc.gov).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Susan Schechter, OMB Desk Officer either by fax (202-395-7245) or email (susan_schechter@omb.eop.gov).

Dated: February 27, 2004.

Madeleine Clayton,

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission For OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: U.S. Census Bureau.

Title: 2004 Coverage Research Followup Test.

Form Number(s): Questionnaire: DB-1301 (CRFU), Followup Quality Control Questionnaire: DB-1302, Privacy Act Notice: DB-31 (CRFU).

Agency Approval Number: None.

Type of Request: New collection.

Burden: 4,800 hours.

Number of Respondents: 16,000.

Avg Hours Per Response: 18 minutes.

Needs and Uses: The U.S. Census

Bureau requests authorization from the Office of Management and Budget to conduct the 2004 Coverage Research Followup (CRFU). Improved coverage is one of the four major goals for Census 2010. As part of the effort to meet this goal, the Census Bureau is planning to conduct a new operation in conjunction with the 2004 Census Test. CRFU is intended to evaluate the effectiveness of revised procedures for improving coverage and reducing duplication. The CRFU operation will be conducted in both 2004 Census Test sites—Northwest Queens, NY, and three rural counties in Georgia (Colquitt, Tift, and Thomas). The CRFU operation will gather information regarding the effectiveness of the wording and presentation of the residence rules instructions and the two coverage questions included in the 2004 Census Test questionnaire. CRFU also will obtain information about the types of possible duplicates for which a household (HH) should be contacted in order to resolve residence status.

The CRFU operation will be followed by a Quality Control procedure designed to ensure that the CRFU enumerators completed their interviews and recorded respondent information correctly.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Frequency: One time.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.

Legal Authority: Title 13 U.S.C. 141 and 193.

OMB Desk Officer: Susan Schechter, (202) 395-5103.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: Bureau of Economic Analysis.

Title: BEA Customer Satisfaction Survey.

Form Number(s): Not applicable.

Agency Approval Number: None.

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Burden: 125 hours.

Number of Respondents: 500.

Average Hours Per Response: 15 minutes.

Needs and Uses: The Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) would like to conduct a Customer Satisfaction Survey to obtain feedback from customers on the quality of BEA products and services. The results of the information collected will serve to assist BEA in improving the quality of its data products and its methods of dissemination.

BEA needs to inform and educate all of its staff about the public's perception of the agency. This customer satisfaction survey will give us first-hand knowledge of what our customers want, need, and expect from BEA. To more effectively inform and educate the public on what we do, how we do it, and why we do it, we need to obtain reliable information on how the public

views our output. The results of this survey will serve that purpose.

The Survey and a cover letter with instructions on how to complete the survey will be mailed to 5,000 potential respondents. BEA will request that responses be returned 30 days after the mailing. The survey will also be posted on BEA's Web site for 2,000 potential respondents. The survey will be designed so that all responses are anonymous and therefore eliminates the necessity for record keeping of respondents.

Affected Public: Individuals from profit and non-profit organizations and individuals from other Federal, state, and local government agencies.

Frequency: Annually.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

Legal Authority: Executive Order 12862, Section (b), of September 11, 1993.

OMB Desk Officer: Paul Bugg, (202) 395-3093.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Diana Hynek, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6625, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230, (202) 482-0266, (or via e-mail at dHynek@doc.gov).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Paul Bugg, OMB Desk Officer, room 10201, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: February 27, 2004.

Madeleine Clayton,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Advocacy Quality Assurance Survey

ACTION: Proposed collection; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burdens, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(2)(A)).

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before May 3, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6625, 14th & Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230. E-mail: dHynek@doc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Request for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to: Erin Butler, 14th & Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; Phone number: (202) 482-1170; E-mail: erin.butler@mail.doc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

The International Trade Administration's U.S. Commercial Service is mandated by Congress to help U.S. businesses, particularly small and medium-sized companies, export their products and services to global markets.

As part of its mission, the U.S. Commercial Service uses "Quality Assurance Surveys" to collect feedback from the U.S. business clients it serves. These surveys ask the client to evaluate the U.S. Commercial Service on its customer service provision. Results from the surveys are used to make improvements to the agency's business processes in order to provide better and more effective export assistance to U.S. companies.

The purpose of the attached survey is to collect feedback from U.S. businesses that receive advocacy services from the U.S. Commercial Service. In providing these services, the U.S. Commercial Service advocates on behalf of a U.S. company that is bidding on a project or government contract, trying to recover payment or goods, or facing a barrier to market entry.

II. Method of Collection

Form ITA-XXXX is sent to U.S. companies that receive advocacy assistance from the U.S. Commercial Service.

III. Data

OMB Number: 0625-XXXX.

Form Number: ITA-XXXX.

Type of Review: Regular Submission.

Affected Public: U.S. companies who receive advocacy services from USFCS international posts.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 227.5.

Estimated Time Per Response: 10 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 37.92 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Costs: The estimated annual cost for this collection is \$1,327.08.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and costs) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: February 27, 2004.

Madeleine Clayton,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings from Taiwan: Extension of Time Limit for the Preliminary Results of the Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

EFFECTIVE DATE: insert date published in the Federal Register.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joe Welton, AD/CVD Enforcement, Group III, Office 9, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington DC, 20230, telephone (202) 482-0165.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On June 2, 2003, the Department of Commerce ("Department") published a notice of opportunity to request an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on stainless steel butt-weld pipe fittings from Taiwan for the period June 1, 2002, through May 31, 2003. *See Notice of Opportunity to Request Administrative Review of Antidumping or*