

L4945, Contact with the Representative Payee, and SSA-L4947, Contact with Beneficiary, to inform respondents and conduct quality reviews of payments made under the titles II and XVI (Old-Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance/ Supplemental Security Income) programs. Cases for the review will be selected randomly and the information solicited will be used for verification of payment data on record in the claims folder and SSA's Master Beneficiary Record. Form SSA-L4945 will be used to notify Representative Payees who have the responsibility of managing payments for an SSA Beneficiary that the case has been selected for the review process and to request the required information. Form SSA-L4947 will be used to notify beneficiaries that their case has been selected for the review process and request the needed information. Both letters contain information that must be verified and returned to SSA under the review process. The respondents are beneficiaries and representative payees for beneficiaries receiving title II and title XVI benefits.

Type of Request: Extension of an OMB-approved information collection.

Number of Respondents: 200.

Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 15 minutes.

Estimated Annual Burden: 50 hours.

2. Early Intervention Project/ Employment Services Provider Survey/ 0960-NEW.

Background

The Employment Services Provider Survey is being conducted as part of a process demonstration authorized by the Ticket to Work and Work Incentives Improvement Act of 1999. The process demonstration, Early Intervention (EI), will provide employment services and supports to certain applicants for Social Security disability insurance.

The purpose of the Early Intervention Project is to encourage applicants to begin the return to work process immediately after the onset of a disability. Many experts believe early intervention to be one of the most important factors in successful rehabilitation. Therefore, EI will immediately focus on a person's ability to work as opposed to proving they are unable to work as they do during the existing title II disability determination process. The proposed process demonstration is necessary to test the instruments and procedures targeted towards these objectives.

The EI Survey

Beginning in early 2005, EI will be piloted in three states. In New Mexico, EI will be piloted in the Albuquerque, Roswell/Carlsbad/Hobbs and Clovis areas. In Vermont, EI will be piloted throughout the entire state. In Wisconsin, EI will be piloted in the following counties: Green, Jefferson, Rock, Walworth, and Waukesha.

Information collected through the IE survey will be used by SSA for the purposes of project design, implementation and evaluation. The information will assist in designing how linkages are formed between participants and providers for EI. SSA's EI project staff will use the information to identify appropriate employment service providers for project participants. Project evaluators will use the information collected from the survey as a baseline assessment of the provider market in each area. The respondents to the IE survey are employment service providers in the pilot states.

Type of Request: New information collection.

Number of Respondents: 150.

Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 30 minutes.

Estimated Annual Burden: 75 hours.

II. The information collection listed below has been submitted to OMB for clearance. Your comments on the information collection would be most useful if received by OMB and SSA within 30 days from the date of this publication. You can obtain a copy of the OMB clearance packages by calling the SSA Reports Clearance Officer at 410-965-0454, or by writing to the address listed above.

1. Authorization for the Social Security Administration to Obtain Account Records from a Financial Institution—20 CFR 416.200 and 416.203—0960-0293. Form SSA-4641-U2 provides financial institutions with the customer's authorization to disclose records. Responses to the questions are used, in part, to determine whether resource requirements are met in the Supplemental Security Income program. The respondents are financial institutions (banks, savings and loans, credit unions, etc.).

Type of Request: Extension of an OMB-approved information collection.

Number of Respondents: 500,000.

Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden per Response: 6 minutes.

Estimated Annual Burden: 50,000 hours.

Dated: September 1, 2004.

Elizabeth A. Davidson,

Reports Clearance Officer, Social Security Administration.

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SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

Privacy Act of 1974 as Amended; Computer Matching Program (SSA/ Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Veterans Benefit Administration (VBA) Match Number 1008

AGENCY: Social Security Administration (SSA).

ACTION: Notice of a renewal of a computer matching program.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the provisions of the Privacy Act, as amended, this notice announces a renewal of a computer matching program that SSA will conduct with VBA.

DATES: SSA will file a report of the subject matching program with the Committee on Governmental Affairs of the Senate, the Committee on Government Reform of the House of Representatives and the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB). The matching program will be effective as indicated below.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties may comment on this notice either by telefax to (410) 965-8582 or writing to the Associate Commissioner for Income Security Programs, 245 Altmeyer Building, 6401 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21235-6401. All comments received will be available for public inspection at this address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The Associate Commissioner for Income Security Programs as shown above.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. General

The Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988 (Pub. L. 100-503), amended the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. § 552a) by describing the manner in which computer matching involving Federal agencies could be performed and adding certain protections for individuals applying for and receiving Federal benefits. Section 7201 of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990 (Pub. L. 101-508) further amended the Privacy Act regarding protections for such individuals.

The Privacy Act, as amended, regulates the use of computer matching by Federal agencies when records in a

system of records are matched with other Federal, State, or local government records. It requires Federal agencies involved in computer matching programs to:

(1) Negotiate written agreements with the other agency or agencies participating in the matching programs;

(2) Obtain the approval of the matching agreement by the Data Integrity Boards (DIB) of the participating Federal agencies;

(3) Publish notice of the computer matching program in the **Federal Register**;

(4) Furnish detailed reports about matching programs to Congress and OMB;

(5) Notify applicants and beneficiaries that their records are subject to matching; and

(6) Verify match findings before reducing, suspending, terminating or denying an individual's benefits or payments.

B. SSA Computer Matches Subject to the Privacy Act

We have taken action to ensure that all of SSA's computer matching programs comply with the requirements of the Privacy Act, as amended.

Dated: August 23, 2004.

Martin H. Gerry,

Deputy Commissioner for Disability and Income Security Programs.

(SSA Match 1008) Notice of Computer Matching Program (SSA/ Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Veterans Benefit Administration (VBA) Match Number 1008

A. PARTICIPATING AGENCIES

SSA and VBA.

B. PURPOSE OF THE MATCHING PROGRAM

The purpose of this matching program is to establish conditions for VBA as the source agency, to disclose VA compensation and pension payment data to the SSA, the recipient agency. This disclosure will provide SSA with information necessary to identify certain Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Special Veterans Benefit (SVB) recipients under Title XVI and Title VIII of the Social Security Act ("Act") respectively who receive VA-administered benefits, and to update their SSI/SVB records to reflect the presence of such payments.

The disclosure will also enable SSA to efficiently implement a Medicare outreach program mandated by Section 1144 of Title XI of the Act. Information disclosed by the VA will enable SSA to identify income limits for certain individuals and to determine their potential eligibility for Medicare

Savings Programs (MSP) and enable SSA, in turn, to identify these individuals to the States.

C. AUTHORITY FOR CONDUCTING THE MATCHING PROGRAM

The legal authority for SSA to conduct this matching activity is contained in sections 1631(e)(1)(B) and 1631(f) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. 1383(e)(1)(B) and 1383(f)(SSI), and section 806(b) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. 1006(b)(SVB) and section 1144 of the Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1320b-14. SSA is required to verify declarations of applicants for and recipients of SSI payments before making a determination of eligibility or payment amount. Section 1631(f) of the Act (42 U.S.C. § 1383(f)(SSI) cited above requires Federal agencies to provide SSA with information necessary to verify SSI eligibility or benefit amounts or to verify other information related to these determinations.

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS AND INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE MATCHING AGREEMENT

VBA will disclose to SSA the data file as described below: VBA will provide SSA with electronic files containing compensation and pension payment data from its system of records entitled the Compensation, Pension, Education and Rehabilitation Records-VA (58VA21/22). SSA will then match VBA data with SSI/SVB payment information maintained in its system of records entitled Supplemental Security Income Record and Special Veterans Benefits (SSA/OEEAS 60-0103) most recently published at 66 FR 11079, dated 02/21/2001. Routine use 21 of 58VA21/22 and routine use 3 of 60-0103 permit disclosure of the subject records for matching purposes.

INCLUSIVE DATES OF THE MATCH

The matching agreement for this program shall become effective no sooner than 40 days after notice of the matching program is sent to Congress and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) or 30 days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register** whichever is later. The matching program will continue for 18 months from the effective date and may be extended for an additional 12 months thereafter, if certain conditions are met.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 4826]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition; Determinations: "Queen of Sheba: Legend and Reality, Treasures of the British Museum"

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 [79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459], Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 [112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 note, *et seq.*], Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999 [64 FR 56014], Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999 [64 FR 57920], as amended, and Delegation of Authority No. 257 of April 15, 2003 [68 FR 19875], I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibition, "Queen of Sheba: Legend and Reality, Treasures of the British Museum," imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, are of cultural significance. The objects are imported pursuant to a loan agreement with the foreign lender. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at the Bowers Museum of Cultural Art, Santa Ana, California, from on or about October 17, 2004, to on or about March 24, 2005, and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public Notice of these determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information or a list of exhibit objects, contact Paul W. Manning, Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, 202/619-5997, and the address is United States Department of State, SA-44, Room 700, 301 4th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20547-0001.

Dated: August 31, 2004.

C. Miller Crouch,

Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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