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Petitions for Reconsideration and Clarification of Action in Rulemaking Proceedings

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Petitions for Reconsideration and Clarification have been filed in the Commission's Rulemaking proceedings listed in this Public Notice and published pursuant to 47 CFR 1.429(e). The full text of this document is available for viewing and copying in Room CY-B402, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC or may be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, Best Copy and Printing, Inc. (BCPI) (1-800-378-3160). Oppositions to these petitions must be filed by June 6, 2005. See section 1.4(b)(1) of the Commission's rules (47 CFR 1.4(b)(1)). Replies to an opposition must be filed within 10 days after the time for filing oppositions have expired.

Subject: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service (CC Docket No. 96-45).

Number of Petitions Filed: 1.

Subject: In the Matter of Presubscribed Interexchange Carrier Charges (CC Docket No. 02-53).

In the Matter of Unbundled Access to Network Elements (WC Docket No. 04-313).

Number of Petitions Filed: 3.

Subject: Review of the Section 251 Unbundling Obligations of Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers (CC Docket No. 01-338).

Number of Petitions Filed: 7.

Marlene H. Dortch,

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, HHS.

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is publishing the following summary of proposed collections for public comment. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

1. *Type of Information Collection Request:* New Collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Data Collection for Medicare Beneficiaries Receiving Implantable Cardioverter-defibrillators for Primary Prevention of Sudden Cardiac Death; *Form Nos.:* CMS-10151 (OMB # 0938-NEW); *Use:* CMS provides coverage for implantable cardioverter-defibrillators (ICDs) for secondary prevention of sudden cardiac death based on extensive evidence showing that use of ICDs among patients with a certain set of physiologic conditions are effective. Accordingly, CMS considers coverage for ICDs reasonable and necessary under Section 1862(a)(1)(A) of the Social Security Act. However, evidence for use of ICDs for primary prevention of sudden cardiac death is less compelling for certain patients. To encourage responsible and appropriate use of ICDs, CMS issued a Decision Memo for Implantable Defibrillators on January 27, 2005, indicating that ICDs will be covered for primary prevention of sudden cardiac death if the beneficiary is enrolled in either an FDA-approved category B Investigational Device Exemption (IDE) clinical trial (see 42 CFR § 405.201), a trial under the CMS Clinical Trial Policy (see NCD

Manual § 310.1) or a qualifying prospective data collection system (either a practical clinical trial or prospective systematic data collection, which is sometimes referred to as a registry); *Frequency:* Other—as needed; *Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit, Individuals or Households, and Not-for-profit institutions; *Number of Respondents:* 1217; *Total Annual Responses:* 50,000; *Total Annual Hours:* 4167.

2. *Type of Information Collection Request:* New Collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Data Collection for Medicare Beneficiaries Receiving FDG Positron Emissions Tomography (PET) for Brain, Cervical, Ovarian, Pancreatic, Small Cell Lung and Testicular Cancers; *Form Nos.:* CMS-10152 (OMB # 0938-NEW); *Use:* In the Decision Memo #CAG-00181N issued on January 27, 2005, CMS determined that the evidence is sufficient to conclude that for Medicare beneficiaries receiving FDG positron emission tomography (PET) for brain, cervical, ovarian, pancreatic, small cell lung, and testicular cancers is reasonable and necessary only when the provider is participating in and patients are enrolled in a systematic data collection project. CMS will consider prospective data collection systems to be qualified if they provide assurance that specific hypotheses are addressed and they collect appropriate data elements. The data collection should include baseline patient characteristics; indications for the PET scan; PET scan type and characteristics; FDG PET results; results of all other imaging studies; facility and provider characteristics; cancer type, grade, and stage; long-term patient outcomes; disease management changes; and anti-cancer treatment received; *Frequency:* Other—as needed; *Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit, Individuals or Households, and Not-for-profit institutions; *Number of Respondents:* 2,000; *Total Annual Responses:* 50,000; *Total Annual Hours:* 4167.

3. *Type of Information Collection Request:* Extension of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* HIPAA Standard Unique Employer Identifier and Supporting Regulations in 45 CFR Parts 160 and 162; *Form Nos.:* CMS-R-220 (OMB # 0938-0874); *Use:* Section 1173b of Subtitle F of Title II of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (P.L. 104-191) requires the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services to adopt standards for unique health identifiers for individuals, employers, health plans, and health care