

Firearms Manufacturing and
Exportation Report Under 18 U.S.C.
Chapter 44, Firearms.

The Department of Justice (DOJ), Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), 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 25, 2006. 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, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or additional information, please contact Charlayne Armentrout, Enforcement Programs and Services, Room 5250, 650 Massachusetts Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20226.

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

- 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;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- 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) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Annual Firearms Manufacturing and Exportation Report Under 18 U.S.C. Chapter 44, Firearms.

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the*

Department of Justice sponsoring the collection: Form Number: ATF F 5300.11. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Business or other for-profit. Other: Federal Government, State, local, or tribal government. ATF collects this data for the purpose of witness qualifications, congressional investigations, court decision and disclosure and furnishing information to other Federal agencies.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* It is estimated that 1,500 respondents will complete a 45 minute form.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* There are an estimated 1,125 annual total burden hours associated with this collection.

If additional information is required contact: Lynn Bryant, Department Deputy Clearance Officer, Policy and Planning Staff, Justice Management Division, Department of Justice, Patrick Henry Building, Suite 1600, 601 D Street, NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: June 20, 2006.

Lynn Bryant,

*Department Deputy Clearance Officer,
Department of Justice.*

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comments Requested

ACTION: 60-Day Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Manufacturers of Ammunition, Records and Supporting Data of Ammunition Manufactured and Disposed of.

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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, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or additional information, please contact Thomas McDermott, Firearms Enforcement Branch, Room 7400, 650 Massachusetts Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20226.

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

- 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;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
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Overview of this information collection:

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

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Manufacturers of Ammunition, Records and Supporting Data of Ammunition Manufactured and Disposed of.

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection:* Form Number: ATF REC 5000/2. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives.

(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. These records are used by ATF in criminal investigations and compliance inspections in fulfilling the Bureau's mission to enforce the Gun Control Law.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* It is estimated that 50

respondents will take 15 minutes per line entry and that 26 entries will be made per year per respondent.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* There are an estimated 325 annual total burden hours associated with this collection.

If additional information is required contact: Lynn Bryant, Department Deputy Clearance Officer, Policy and Planning Staff, Justice Management Division, Department of Justice, Patrick Henry Building, Suite 1600, 601 D Street, NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: June 20, 2006.

Lynn Bryant,

*Department Deputy Clearance Officer,
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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Drug Enforcement Administration

[AAG/A Order No. 009-2006]

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

AGENCY: Drug Enforcement Administration, DOJ.

ACTION: New system of records.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a, notice is given that the Department of Justice (DOJ) proposes to establish a new Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) system of records entitled, "El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC) Seizure System (ESS)" DOJ/DEA-022. ESS incorporates two previous systems of records, the Clandestine Laboratory Seizure System notice, Justice/DEA-002, last published in the **Federal Register** January 27, 2003 (68 FR 3894), and the Automated Intelligence Records System (Pathfinder), last published in the **Federal Register** November 26, 1990 (55 FR 49182), for the purpose of combining both previously existing systems into a single collection of records.

DATES: In accordance with the requirements of 5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(4) and (11), the public is given a 30 day period in which to comment. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB), which has oversight responsibility under the Act, has 40 days in which to conclude its review of the system. Therefore please submit any comments by August 7, 2006.

ADDRESSES: The public, OMB and the Congress are invited to submit any comments to Mary E. Cahill,

Management and Planning Staff, Justice Management Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530 (Room 1400 National Place Building), facsimile number 202-307-1853.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mary E. Cahill 202-307-1823.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This system of records is established in connection with the EPIC Open Connectivity Project that implements as a major component of this system the EPIC Portal. The EPIC Portal is designed to allow vetted users electronic access to data maintained in this system that was previously available to authorized users under the previously approved system notices for the Clandestine Laboratory Seizure System notice (Justice/DEA-002) and the Automated Intelligence Records System notice (Justice/DEA-INS-111). Under the previous protocol, authorized law enforcement personnel contacted EPIC directly with their requests for information. EPIC provided information from available databases to the requester. The use of the EPIC Portal under this system will allow authorized law enforcement personnel to query the ESS by means of a secure internet connection. A principal purpose of ESS is to ensure that law enforcement entities can more effectively investigate, disrupt and deter criminal activities. ESS furthers this purpose by providing a single point of entry to vetted users to submit a request for information from relevant data sources available to the ESS. Results obtained through a search of ESS databases are provided in near real time to the user. Both previously existing systems will continue to operate in parallel with this system for as long as is necessary to migrate existing data and users. At a date to be determined after the successful migration of data and users into this new system, the previously existing systems will be cancelled.

In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552a(r), the Department has provided a report to OMB and the Congress.

Dated: June 19, 2006.

Lee J. Lofthus,

*Acting Assistant Attorney General for
Administration.*

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE/DEA-022

SYSTEM NAME:

EPIC Seizure System (ESS).

SYSTEM CLASSIFICATION:

Sensitive But Unclassified.

SYSTEM LOCATION:

Department of Defense, Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA), Booz Allen Hamilton (contractor), 5201

Leesburg Pike, Suite 400, Falls Church, VA 22041, and Department of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration, El Paso Intelligence Center, 11339 SSG Sims Street, El Paso, TX 79908-8098.

CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

1. Categories consist of individuals identified or referenced in the course of investigations relating to:

(a) The illicit manufacture, distribution, sale or possession of, or trafficking in controlled substances;

(b) The illicit manufacture, distribution, sale or possession of, or trafficking in or alteration of identification documents, merchant mariner licenses and/or merchant mariner documents;

(c) Reports of lost, stolen or fraudulent use of identification documents;

(d) Businesses, vessels, and aircraft possibly associated with terrorism;

(e) Crewman desertions or stowaways;

(f) Movement of drugs, weapons, aliens or other contraband using vessels, commercial and/or non-commercial aircraft, or vehicles;

(g) Tactical boarding of vessels suspected of smuggling drugs, weapons, aliens, or other contraband into the United States.

2. Categories also consist of individuals identified or referenced in requests for information:

(a) In support of U.S. Coast Guard and other law enforcement personnel conducting routine boardings;

(b) On crew lists of in-bound vessels that are 96 hours in advance of arrival to the United States;

(c) On personnel lists for individuals associated with work on or around Government or Government-contracted vessels;

(d) On personnel lists for individuals working in or around U.S. waterways, piers, and bridges;

(e) On pilots, passengers, owners, businesses and aircraft in support of Customs and Border Protection granting permission for aircraft to fly over the nearest Port of Entry;

(f) On Civil Air Patrol pilots supporting Drug Enforcement Administration or Immigration and Customs Enforcement operations;

(g) On reported stolen aircraft.

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

Records consist of:

(1) Personal identification and location data which may include name (including aliases and similar sounding names), occupation(s), race, sex, date and place of birth, height, weight, hair color, eye color, citizenship, nationality/