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The purpose of this notice is to allow for an additional 30 days for public comment until October 25, 2006. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the items contained in this notice, especially the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20503. Additionally, comments may be submitted to OMB via facsimile to (202) 395–5806. 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, without change, of a currently approved collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Annuity Broker Qualification Declaration Form.

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* The Civil Division, United States Department of Justice is sponsoring the collection.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Individuals. This declaration is to be submitted annually

to determine whether a broker meets the qualifications to be listed as an annuity broker pursuant to Section 11015(b) of Public Law 107–273.

(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 400 respondents will complete the form annually within approximately 1 hour.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* There are an estimated 400 total annual burden hours associated with this collection.

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

Dated: September 19, 2006.

**Lynn Bryant,**

*Department Clearance Officer, Department of Justice.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

[OMB Number 1122–0006]

#### Office on Violence Against Women; Agency Information Collection Activities: Revision of a Currently Approved Collection

**ACTION:** 60-Day Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Semi-Annual Progress Report for the Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program.

The Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) 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. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for “sixty days” until November 24, 2006. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the items contained in this notice, especially the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20503. Additionally, comments may be

submitted to OMB via facsimile to (202) 395–5806.

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:

(1) 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;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) 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:* Revision of a currently approved collection

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Semi-Annual Progress Report for Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* Form Number: 1122–0006. U.S. Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* The affected public includes the approximately 200 grantees of the Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program (Arrest Program) whose eligibility is determined by statute. The Arrest Program was authorized through the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) and reauthorized and amended by the Violence Against Women Act of 2000 (VAWA 2000) and by the Violence Against Women Act of 2005 (VAWA 2005). The Arrest Program promotes mandatory or pro-arrest policies and encourages jurisdictions to treat domestic violence and sexual assault as a serious crime, establish coordinated community responses and facilitate the enforcement of protection orders. By

statute, eligible grantees for the Arrest Program are States, Indian tribal governments, State and local courts including juvenile courts, tribal courts, and units of local government. For the purpose of this Program, a unit of local government is any city, county, township, town, borough, parish, village, or other general-purpose political subdivision of a State; an Indian tribe that performs law enforcement functions as determined by the Secretary of Interior; or, for the purpose of assistance eligibility, any agency of the District of Columbia government or the United States Government performing law enforcement functions in and for the District of Columbia, and any Trust Territory of the U.S.

(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 it will take the 200 respondents (Arrest Program grantees) approximately one hour to complete a semi-annual progress report. The semi-annual progress report is divided into sections that pertain to the different types of activities that grantees may engage in, i.e. training or developing a protection order registry, and the different types of grantees that receive funds, i.e. law enforcement agencies, prosecutors' offices, courts, victim services agencies, etc. An Arrest Program grantee will only be required to complete those sections of the form that pertain to their own specific activities.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* The total annual hour burden to complete the data collection forms is 400 hours, that is 200 grantees completing a form twice a year with an estimate completion time for the form being one hour.

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

Dated: September 19, 2006.

**Lynn Bryant,**

*Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice.*

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**LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION**

**Sunshine Act Meeting of the Board of Directors**

**Amended Notice**

*Changes to the Agenda and Reconvening of Meeting*

*Notice:* The Legal Services Corporation (LSC) is announcing amendments to the notice of the September 18, 2006 meeting of the Board of Directors (Board). This meeting was announced in the **Federal Register** dated September 12, 2006, Volume 71, Number 176. The amendment is being made to reflect a change to the meeting Agenda. Notice is also being given of the reconvening of the Board's meeting.

*Reconvening of Meeting*

There being insufficient time for the Board to conclude its business on September 18, 2006, the Board voted to recess the meeting and reconvene on Friday, September 22, 2006, at which time it will meet telephonically until its business is concluded.

*Times and Date(s):* At 9 a.m., on Friday, September 22, 2006, the Legal Services Corporation Board of Directors will reconvene the meeting recessed on September 18, 2006. The meeting will be by telephone. Members of the public wishing to attend the meeting in person may do so by coming to the Corporation's 3rd floor Conference Center at the address given below. The call-in information for members of the public wishing to participate in the meeting by telephone follows.

*Toll-free number:* 1-888-323-2717.

*Call Leader:* Patricia Batie.

*Pass Code:* Victor Fortunato.

*Location:* The Legal Services Corporation, 3rd Floor Conference Center, 3333 K Street, NW., Washington, DC.

*Status of Meetings:* Open, except as noted below.

- *Status:* Board of Directors Meeting—Open, except that a portion of the meeting of the Board of Directors may be closed to the public pursuant to a vote of the Board of Directors. At the closed session, the Board will receive briefings<sup>1</sup> from the Inspector General on the investigation requested by Congressmen Enzi, Grassley and Cannon, and a separate briefing from LSC management on the same matter. The closing will be authorized by the relevant provisions of the Government in the Sunshine Act [5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(9)(b)] and the Legal Services

Corporation's corresponding regulation, 45 CFR 1622.5(g).

*Amended Agenda*

During the September 18, 2006 meeting of the Board of Directors, the agenda was amended as indicated below. Changes appear in italicized, bold print.

**Open Session**

1. Approval of agenda.
2. Approval of minutes of the Board's meeting of July 29, 2006.
3. Approval of minutes of the Executive Session of the Board's meeting of July 29, 2006.
4. Consider and act on Staff report on document requests dated April 12, 2006, June 19, 2006 and August 8, 2006 that were received from Congress and LSC's responses thereto.
5. Consider and act on Staff report on the CBS News story of August 13, 2006 and the Associated Press story of August 14, 2006 and LSC's response(s) thereto.
6. Chairman's report.
7. Consider and act on report of the Board's Finance Committee.
8. Consider and act on other business.
9. Consider and act on whether to authorize the Chairman of the Board, after consultation with the Board's Vice Chairman and the Chairman of the Board's Finance Committee, to communicate to the Congress the Board's view of H.R. 5974.
10. Public comment.
11. Consider and act on whether to authorize non-public briefings of the Board and discussion by the Board as per the items listed below under Closed Session.

**Closed Session**

12. Briefing by the OIG on status of CRLA investigation.
  13. Briefing by management on CRLA referral issues.
  14. Briefing by the OIG on status of the investigation requested by Chairmen Enzi, Grassley and Cannon.
  15. Briefing by LSC Management on the investigation requested by Chairmen Enzi, Grassley and Cannon.
  16. Discussion of above briefings.
  17. Briefing on recent developments in litigation involving the Corporation.
  18. Consider and act on motion to adjourn meeting.
- The agenda amendments to the agenda were authorized by a majority vote of the Board of Directors as indicated below.

<sup>1</sup> Any portion of the closed session consisting solely of staff briefings does not fall within the Sunshine Act's definition of the term "meeting"

and, therefore, the requirements of the Sunshine Act do not apply to such portion of the closed

session. 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(a)(2) and (b). See also 45 CFR 1622.2 & 1622.3