

**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****Employment and Training Administration****Proposed Collection; Comment Request****ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)]. This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Employment and Training Administration is soliciting comments concerning the proposed extension/reinstatement of the data retention required by 20 CFR 652.8(d)(5) of the Wagner-Peyser Act, which requires each state to retain applications and job orders for a minimum of one year. A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice or at this Web site: <http://www.doleta.gov/OMBControlNumber.cfm>.

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below on or before February 13, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments to: Christine Ollis, U.S. Department of Labor/Employment and Training Administration, Office of Workforce Investment, Room S-4231, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210. Telephone (202) 693-3046 (this is not a toll-free number), fax (202) 693-3015, or e-mail [ollis.christine@dol.gov](mailto:ollis.christine@dol.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****I. Background**

State Workforce Agencies serve employers and jobseekers within the One-Stop Career Center system by posting job orders and taking work applications (commonly referred to as registrations). This information is essential to the core operations of One-Stop Career Centers. The exact information collected on job orders and

work applications and the manner in which it is collected is determined by the state. At a minimum, states must comply with 20 CFR 652.8(d)(5), which requires that each state retain applications and job orders for one year.

**II. Review Focus**

The Department of Labor is particularly interested in comments which:

- 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 agency's 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 submissions of responses.

**III. Current Actions**

*Type of Review:* Reinstatement, without change, of a previously approved collection.

*Agency:* Employment & Training Administration.

*Title:* Work Application/Job Orders Record Retention.

*OMB Number:* 1205-0001.

*Recordkeeping:* Record Retention.

*Affected Public:* State Governments.

*Cite/Reference/Form/:* 20 CFR 652.8(d)(5).

*Total Respondents:* 52.

*Frequency:* Quarterly.

*Total Responses:* N/A.

*Average Time per Response:* N/A.

*Estimated Total Burden Hours:* 416.

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

Signed at Washington, DC this 8th day of December 2006.

**Gay M. Gilbert,**

*Administrator, Office of Workforce Investment, Employment and Training Administration.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****Employment and Training Administration****Request for Certification of Compliance—Rural Industrialization Loan and Grant Program**

**AGENCY:** Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Employment and Training Administration is issuing this notice to announce the receipt of a "Certification of Non-Relocation and Market and Capacity Information Report" (Form 4279-2) for the following:

*Applicant/Location:* Southern Monterey County Memorial Hospital/King City, California.

*Principal Product:* The loan, guarantee, or grant applicant plans to restructure debt and create additional employment. The NAICS industry code for this enterprise is 622110 (Health Care—General Medical and Surgical Hospitals).

**DATES:** All interested parties may submit comments in writing no later than December 29, 2006. Copies of adverse comments received will be forwarded to the applicant noted above.

**ADDRESSES:** Address all comments concerning this notice to Anthony D. Dais, U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Room N-4514, Washington, DC 20210; or e-mail [Dais.Anthony@dol.gov](mailto:Dais.Anthony@dol.gov); or transmit via fax 202-693-3015 (this is not a toll-free number).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Anthony D. Dais, at telephone number (202) 693-2784 (this is not a toll-free number).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 188 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act of 1972, as established under 29 CFR part 75, authorizes the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) to make or guarantee loans or grants to finance industrial and business activities in rural areas. The Secretary of Labor must review the application for financial assistance for the purpose of certifying to the Secretary of Agriculture that the assistance is not calculated, or likely, to result in: (a) A transfer of any employment or business activity from one area to another by the loan applicant's business operation; or, (b) An increase in the production of goods, materials, services, or facilities in an area where there is not sufficient