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*DoD Clearance Officer:* Ms. Patricia Toppings. Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Toppings at WHS/ESD/Information Management Division, 1777 North Kent Street, RPN, Suite 11000, Arlington, VA 22209-2133.

Dated: December 14, 2007.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Docket No. DoD-2007-DARS-0139]

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice.

The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by January 22, 2008.

*Title and OMB Number:* Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) part 211, Describing Agency Needs, and related clauses in DFARS 252.211; OMB Control Number 0704-0389.

*Type of Request:* Extension.

*Number of Respondents:* 581.

*Responses Per Respondent:* 3.032.

*Annual Responses:* 1,762.

*Average Burden Per Response:* .978 hours.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 1,724.

*Needs and Uses:* This information collection permits offerors to propose alternatives to military preservation, packaging, or packing specifications. DoD uses the information in the offeror's proposal to determine if the alternate preservation, packaging, or packing will meet the Government's needs. In addition, this information collection permits offerors to propose Single Process Initiative (SPI) processes as alternatives to military or Federal

specifications and standards cited in DoD solicitations for previously developed items. DoD uses the information in the offeror's proposal to verify Government acceptance of an SPI process as a valid replacement for a military or Federal specification or standard.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit; not-for-profit institutions.

*Frequency:* On Occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*OMB Desk Officer:* Ms. Susan Jennifer Haggerty. Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Haggerty at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503. You may also submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by the following method:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Docket No. DoD-2007-OS-0107]

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice.

The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the

Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by January 22, 2008.

*Title, Form, and OMB Number:* Application for Former Spouse Payments from Retired Pay; DD Form 2293; OMB Control Number 0730-0008.

*Type of Request:* Revision.

*Number of Respondents:* 27,090.

*Responses Per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 27,090.

*Average Burden Per Response:* 15 minutes.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 6,772.

*Needs and Uses:* Under 10 U.S.C. 1408, State courts may divide military retired pay as property or order alimony and child support payments from that retired pay. The former spouse may apply to the Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) for direct payment of these monies by using DD Form 2293. This information collection is needed to provide DFAS the basic data needed to process the request.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*OMB Desk Officer:* Ms. Sharon Mar.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Mar at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

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