

Individuals that choose to participate will take part in the assessment over a 4-week period, at locations of their choice where an Internet connection is available. The assessment will require a total of two and a half (2.5) hours of the respondent's time, thus presenting a minimal burden to each respondent.

Participants will be asked to read and sign an electronic consent form granting their consent to participate in the assessment. Participants will then complete an online Entrance Form, which addresses their familiarity with computers, computer use in employment and leisure, common Web sites they visit and/or use, and expectations of the Tech Clearinghouse. They will then utilize and assess the Tech Clearinghouse by conducting specified and general searches and providing feedback through online assessment instruments (Structured Assessment Cases). After completing the Structured Assessment Cases, participants will complete an online Exit Form, which addresses the participant's satisfaction with and the overall usability of the Tech Clearinghouse and specific functions included in the Tech Clearinghouse. The electronic data collection forms will standardize the collection of information that is both necessary and sufficient for assessing the Tech Clearinghouse. All online assessment instruments were created using *mrInterview™ 4.0* software, which works in conjunction with the Statistical Package for the Social Sciences (SPSS™). Data collected from online assessment instruments will be analyzed using SPSS™ 15.0.

Data will be stored in password-protected computers accessible only to authorized personnel, and no data will be associated in any way with personally identifiable information (PII).

#### Overview of this Information Collection

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* New information collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Tech Clearinghouse.

*Agency Form Number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Homeland Security sponsoring the collection:* DHS Science & Technology Directorate.

(3) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Individuals; the data will be gathered from individuals who receive an invitation to participate in the National Online Electronic Assessment through sources such as the First Responder Technologies (R-Tech) User Working Group (UWG), the R-Tech Newsletter, and national and state-level

associations representing all first responder disciplines.

(4) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:*

a. *Estimate of the total number of respondents:* 100.

b. *An estimate of the time for an average respondent to respond:* 2.5 burden hours.

Dated: May 8, 2008.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Federal Law Enforcement Training Center

[Docket No. FLETC-2008-0002]

### State and Local Training Advisory Committee

**ACTION:** Committee Management; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Charter Renewal.

**SUMMARY:** The Secretary of Homeland Security has determined that the renewal of the charter of the State and Local Training Advisory Committee (SALTAC) is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center's performance of its duties in providing law enforcement training to state, local and tribal law professionals. This determination follows consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration.

*Name of Committee:* State and Local Training Advisory Committee.

**ADDRESSES:** If you desire to submit comments on this action, they must be submitted by July 1, 2008. Comments must be identified by FLETC-2008-0002 and may be submitted by one of the following methods:

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

- E-mail: [Reba.fischer@dhs.gov](mailto:Reba.fischer@dhs.gov).

Include the docket number in the subject line of the message.

- Fax: 912-267-3531.

- Mail: Reba Fischer, Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, 1131 Chapel Crossing Road, Townhouse 396, Glynco, GA 31524.

- Instructions: All submissions received must include the words

"Department of Homeland Security" and FLETC-2008-XXXX, the docket number for this action. Comments received will be posted without alteration at <http://www.regulations.gov> including any personal information provided.

- Docket: For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received, go to <http://www.regulations.gov>.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Reba Fischer, Designated Federal Officer, Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, 1131 Chapel Crossing Road, Townhouse 396, Glynco, GA 31524; 912-267-2343 (telephone); 912-267-3531 (fax), [reba.fischer@dhs.gov](mailto:reba.fischer@dhs.gov).

*Purpose and Objective:* The SALTAC advises and makes recommendations to the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC), Department of Homeland Security, on matters relating to the selection, development, content and delivery of training services by the Office of State and Local Training, FLETC, to its state, local, campus, and tribal law enforcement customers.

*Duration:* The committee's charter is effective March 24, 2008, and expires March 24, 2010.

*Responsible DHS Official:* Reba Fischer, Designated Federal Officer, Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, 1131 Chapel Crossing Road, Townhouse 396, Glynco, GA 31524; 912-267-2343 (telephone); 912-267-3531 (fax), [reba.fischer@dhs.gov](mailto:reba.fischer@dhs.gov).

Dated: May 5, 2008.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5191-N-14]

### Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Comment Request; Request for Credit Approval of Substitute Mortgage

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.