DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Request; OMB No. 0925–0177 “Special Volunteer and Guest Researcher Assignment,” Form 590

SUMMARY: In compliance with the requirement of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, for opportunity for public comment on proposed information collection, the Office of Human Resources, the National Institutes of Health (NIH) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects to be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval.

Proposed Collection: Title: Special Volunteer and Guest Researcher Assignment for use in NIH facilities.

Type of Information Collection Request: Reinstatement, OMB 0925–0177, Expiration Date July 31, 2005. Need and Use of Information Collection Request:

Form Number: NIH–590. A single Form NIH–590 is completed by an NIH official for each Guest Researcher or Special Volunteer prior to his/her arrival at NIH. The information on the form is necessary for the approving official to reach a decision on whether to allow a Guest Researcher to use NIH facilities, or whether to accept volunteer services offered by a Special Volunteer. If the original assignment is extended, another form noting the extension is completed to update the file.

Frequency of Response: Once.

Affected Public: Individuals.

Type of Respondents: Non-federal scientific professionals and/or individuals.

The annual Reporting burden is as follows:

Estimated Number of Respondents: 1660;
Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 1.0;
Average Burden Hours per Response: 0.1; and
Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours Requested: 166. The estimated annualized cost to respondents is $2,275.

Request for Comments: Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies are invited on one or more of the following points: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) 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) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, contact Mrs. Wanda Darwin, Office of Human Resources, Office of The Director, NIH, Building 31, Room 1C31E, One Center Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892–2269, or call non-toll-free number 301–402–2820, or E-mail your request, including your address to: [darwinw@od.nih.gov].

Comments Due Date: Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received within 60 days of the date of this publication.

Dated: August 18, 2010.

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Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Resource for the Collection and Evaluation of Human Tissues and Cells From Donors With an Epidemiology Profile (NCI)

Summary: Under the provisions of Section 3507(a)(1)(D) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the National Cancer Institute (NCI), the National Institutes of Health (NIH), has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve the information collection listed below. This proposed information collection was previously published in the Federal Register on June 16, 2010 (75 FR 34146) and allowed 60-days for public comment. One public comment was received on 7/16/2010 from a business informing us that they are able to provide a time-saving “batch processing service” to locate and verify “the most current addresses and phone numbers” of survey respondents. A response was sent on 7/26/2010 to the business which indicated the existence of similar devices and/or procedures in the current design of the project. The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comment. The National Institutes of Health may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection that has been extended, revised, or implemented on or after October 1, 1995, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Proposed Collection: Title: Resource for the Collection and Evaluation of Human Tissues and Cells from Donors with an Epidemiology Profile (NCI).

Type of Information Collection Request: New: Need and Use of Information Collection: Under the auspices of three NCI IRB-approved protocols and instruments, the Laboratory of Human Carcinogenesis conducts case-control studies to investigate the relations between biomarkers, the environment, and human cancer. Human subjects recruited from the general population are needed as controls (Population Controls) for bio-specimens and personal histories (social, occupational and health) that serve as references for the significance of the frequency and prevalence of bio-markers found in cancer patients and thought to be important in the development, progression, and/or response to treatment of the malignant growths in cancer patients. The questionnaires will be used to obtain the personal histories to compare to the life styles and exposures and the biospecimens will serve as controls for the assay results obtained from cancer patients. The collection of information and specimens from the cancer cases received NIH Clinical Exemption (Request #2009–09–002) on October 28, 2009. Frequency of Response: Once. Affected Public: Adult and senior members of the licensed driver population in Baltimore, Maryland and eleven near-by counties, including the Eastern Shore. Type of Respondents: Responders will be English speaking, male and female, Caucasian, African-American and Asian. The total annual reporting burden is estimated to be 692 (see table below). There are no Capital Costs, Operating Costs, and/or Maintenance Costs to report.