owner/operator. TSA plans to collect information from businesses of all sizes in the course of conducting these surface mode CSRs.

TSA conducts these interviews to ascertain information on security measures and to identify security gaps. The interviews also provide the TSA with a method to encourage the surface transportation owners/operators affected by the CSRs to be diligent in effecting and maintaining security-related improvements. This program provides TSA with real-time information on current security practices within the trucking, school bus, and motor coach modes of the surface transportation sector. This information allows TSA to adapt programs to the changing threat dynamically, while incorporating an understanding of the improvements owners/operators make in their security posture. Without this information, the ability of the TSA to perform its security mission would be severely hindered.

Additionally, the relationships these face-to-face contacts foster are critical to the TSA’s ability to reach out to the surface transportation stakeholders affected by the CSRs. The relationships foster a sense of trust and a willingness to share information with the Federal Government. TSA assures respondents the portion of their responses deemed Sensitive Security Information (SSI) will be handled consistent with 49 CFR parts 15 and 1520.

The annual hour burden for this information collection is estimated to be 1,500 hours. While TSA estimates a total of 500 potential respondents, this estimate is based on TSA conducting 500 visits per year, each visit lasting two to three hours. TSA estimates no annual cost burden to respondents.

Issued in Arlington, Virginia, on April 20, 2011.

Joanna Johnson, Paperwork Reduction Act Officer, Office of Information Technology.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR–5487–N–12]

Notice of Proposed Information Collection for Public Comment; Indian Community Development Block Grant Information Collection

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.
the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998 creating a new subsection (h) entitled “Prohibition on Use of Assistance for Employment Relocation Activities.” This subsection prohibits the use of Community Development Block Grant funds to facilitate the relocation of for-profit businesses from one labor market to another if the relocation is likely to result in significant job loss. HUD’s regulations for the ICDBG program were amended to add § 1003.209, Prohibition on use of assistance from employment relocation activities, and revised § 1003.505, Records to be maintained, to include the statement, “This includes establishing and maintaining records demonstrating that the recipient has made the determinations required as a condition of eligibility of certain activities, including as prescribed in § 1003.209.”

The ICDBG regulations at § 1003.209 prohibit certain job relocation activities that result in disinvestment in low and moderate income Tribal communities. ICDBG recipients are prohibited from using ICDBG funds to facilitate the relocation of for-profit businesses from one “identified service area” as defined in § 1003.4, to another if the relocation is likely to result in significant job loss. To show compliance with the statute and regulations, ICDBG recipients that provide ICDBG assistance to a business must require and obtain, as a condition of the assistance, a certification from the assisted business that it has no plans to relocate jobs. If the assistance results in business relocation, the agreement must provide that the business will reimburse the ICDBG recipient for any assistance provided to, or expended on behalf of the business.

ICDBG recipients are required to submit a quarterly Federal Financial Report (SF–425) that provides a snapshot of the grant funds drawn from the recipient’s line of credit. The reports are used to monitor cash transfers to the recipients and obtain expenditure data from the recipients. (Title 24 CFR 1003.501(16))

The government-wide administrative requirements for grants and cooperative agreements to State, local, and Federally recognized Indian Tribal governments codified by HUD at 24 CFR part 85 require that grantees and sub-grantees “take all necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority firms, women’s business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible” (§ 85.36(e)). Consistent with these regulations, § 1003.506(b) requires that ICDBG grantees report on these activities on an annual basis, with Contract and Subcontract Activity reports being due to HUD on October 10 of each year (HUD–2516).

At the end of each one-year period and at grant closeout the recipient is required to submit a narrative status and evaluation report that describes: (1) Progress on completing approved activities; (2) a breakdown of major project activity or category expenditures; and (3) an assessment of program effectiveness at grant closeout. Recipients are also to report on program outputs and outcomes through the Program Outcome Logic Model (HUD–96010). (Title 24 CFR 1003.506)


Members of affected public: Native American Tribes, Alaska Native communities and corporations, and Tribal organizations.

Estimation of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents: The Estimated number of respondents is 225 annually with one response per respondent. The average response time for each response is 40 hours, for a total reporting burden of 10,095 hours.

Status of the proposed information collection: Revision of currently approved collection.


Dated: April 19, 2011.

Deborah Hernandez,
General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR–5480–N–36]

Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB Consolidated Plan and Annual Performance Report

AGENCY: Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below has been 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. The information is collected from all localities and states participating in any one of CPD’s four formula grant programs to determine each jurisdiction’s compliance with statutory and regulatory requirements.

DATES: Comments Due Date: May 26, 2011.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval Number (2506–0117) and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; e-mail OIRA-Submission@omb.eop.gov; fax: 202–395–5806.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Colette Pollard, Reports Management Officer, QDAM, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410; e-mail Colette Pollard at Colette.Pollard@hud.gov or telephone (202) 402–3400. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Pollard.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice informs the public that the Department of Housing and Urban Development has submitted to OMB a request for approval of the Information collection described below. This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affecting agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (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; (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 collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Consolidated Plan and Annual Performance Report.

OMB Approval Number: 2506–0117.

Form Numbers: None.

Description of the Need for the Information and Its Proposed Use: The information is collected from all