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DATES: *Comments Due Date:* October 6, 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 (2502–0584) and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; fax: 202–395–5806. 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: FHA-Insured Mortgage Loan Servicing of Delinquent, Default and Foreclosure with Service Members Act.

OMB Approval Number: 2502–0584.
Form Numbers: HUD–PA 426, HUD–9539, HUD–27011, HUD 50012, HUD–96068–a, and HUD–92070.

Description of the need for the Information and its Proposed Use:

This information collection involves mortgage loan servicers, “mortgagees” that service Federal Housing Administration “FHA” insured mortgage loans and the home owners, “mortgagors” who are involved with those activities. The new information request for OMB review seeks to combine a couple of existing OMB collections under one comprehensive collection for mortgagees that service FHA-insured mortgage loans and the mortgagors who are the home owners.

Frequency of Submission: On occasion, Monthly.

	Number of respondents	Annual responses	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
Reporting Burden	7,806	17724.35		0.07887		10,912,800

Total Estimated Burden Hours: 10,912,800.

Status: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: August 30, 2011.

Colette Pollard,

Departmental Reports Management Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR–5300–FA–21]

Announcement of Funding Awards for the Section 202 Supportive Housing for the Elderly Program Fiscal Year 2009

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing–Federal Housing Commissioner, HUD.

ACTION: Notice of funding awards.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 102 (a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development

Reform Act of 1989, this announcement notifies the public of funding decisions made by the Department in a competition for funding under the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for the Section 202 Supportive Housing for the Elderly Program. This announcement contains the names of the awardees and the amounts of the awards made available by HUD.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Aretha Williams, Acting Director, Office of Housing Assistance and Grant Administration, 451 7th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410; telephone (202) 708–3000 (this is not a toll-free number). Hearing- and speech-impaired persons may access this number via TTY by calling the Federal Relay Service toll-free at 1–800–877–8339. For general information on this and other HUD programs, visit the HUD Website at <http://www.hud.gov>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Section 202 Supportive Housing for the Elderly Program is authorized by section 202 of the Housing Act of 1959 (12 U.S.C. 1701q), as amended by section 801 of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act (Pub. L. 101–625, approved November 28, 1990); the Housing and Community Development

Act of 1992 (Pub. L. 102–550, approved October 28, 1992); the Rescissions Act (Pub. L. 104–19, enacted on July 27, 1995); the American Homeownership and Economic Opportunity Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106–569, approved December 27, 2000); the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008 (Pub. L. 110–289, approved July 30, 2008) and the Omnibus Appropriations Act, 2009 (Pub. L. 111–8, approved March 11, 2009).

The competition was announced in the SuperNOFA published in the **Federal Register** on September 1, 2009. Applications were rated and selected for funding on the basis of selection criteria contained in that Notice.

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number for this program is 14.157.

The Section 202 program is the Department’s primary program for providing affordable housing for the elderly that allows them to live independently with supportive services. Under this program, HUD provides funds to private non-profit organizations and consumer cooperatives to develop supportive housing for the elderly. Funds are also provided to subsidize the

expenses to operate the housing projects.

A total of \$453,158,000 was awarded to 101 projects for 3,017 units nationwide. In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (103 Stat. 1987. 42 U.S.C. 3545), the Department is publishing the awardees and amounts of the awards in Appendix A of this document.

Dated: August 17, 2011.

Carol J. Galante,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner.

Appendix A—Section 202 Supportive Housing for the Elderly

Alabama

Dothan, AL

Bnai Brith Housing Inc
Co-Sponsor: Wiregrass Foundation
Capital Advance: \$4,007,200
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$354,600
Number of units: 37

Citronelle, AL

Order of AHEPA William G Helis
Chapter No 310
Co-Sponsor: AHEPA of Mobile Inc
Capital Advance: \$3,968,400
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$354,600
Number of units: 37

Alaska

Anchorage, AK

Anchorage Neighborhood Housing Services, Inc
Capital Advance: \$4,362,900
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$412,200
Number of units: 20

Arizona

Tucson, AZ

Family Housing Resources, Inc.
Capital Advance: \$4,679,400
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$427,200
Number of units: 43

Arkansas

Little Rock, AR

Christopher Homes of Arkansas
Capital Advance: \$1,922,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$178,200
Number of units: 20

California

Auburn, CA

Mercy Housing California
Capital Advance: \$6,073,600
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$505,200

North Hollywood, CA

Menorah Housing Foundation
Capital Advance: \$12,953,300
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$1,403,700
Number of units: 82

Rialto, CA

TELACU

Capital Advance: \$11,850,400
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$1,282,200
Number of units: 75
San Francisco, CA
Mercy Housing California
Capital Advance: \$12,936,600
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$1,566,300
Number of units: 87

Colorado

Longmont, CO

Longmont Housing Development Corp.
Capital Advance: \$6,802,700
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$539,400
Number of units: 50

Connecticut

Cornwall, CT

Cornwall Housing Corporation
Capital Advance: \$752,900
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$73,200
Number of units: 5

Cornwall, CT

Cornwall Housing Corporation
Capital Advance: \$752,900
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$73,200
Number of units: 5

Waterbury, CT

Grace Development Corporation
Capital Advance: \$6,173,900
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$598,800
Number of Units: 41

Florida

Fort Myers, FL

Diocese of Venice
Capital Advance: \$9,724,600
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$691,200
Number of Units: 68

Pembroke Pines, FL

Miami Jewish Home & Hospital
Capital Advance: \$10,634,700
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$762,300
Number of Units: 75

Georgia

Atlanta, GA

National Church Residences
Capital Advance: \$3,906,300
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$343,200
Number of Units: 36

Cairo, GA

Family Worship Center Church of God
Capital Advance: \$1,443,200
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$137,400
Number of Units: 14

Savannah, GA

United Church Residence
Capital Advance: \$4,337,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$382,200
Number of Units: 40

Hawaii

Hilo, HI

Hawaii Island Community Dev. Corp.
Capital Advance: \$1,042,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$72,300
Number of Units: 5

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Hawaii Island Community Dev. Corp.
Capital Advance: \$1,042,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$72,300
Number of Units: 5

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Hawaii Island Community Dev. Corp.
Capital Advance: \$1,042,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$72,300
Number of Units: 5

Hilo, HI

Hawaii Island Community Dev. Corp.
Capital Advance: \$1,042,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$72,300
Number of Units: 5

Hilo, HI

Hawaii Island Community Dev. Corp.
Capital Advance: \$1,085,400
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$57,900
Number of Units: 5

Hilo, HI

Hawaii Island Community Dev. Corp.
Capital Advance: \$1,042,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$72,300
Number of Units: 5

Hilo, HI

Hawaii Island Community Dev. Corp.
Capital Advance: \$1,042,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$72,300
Number of Units: 5

Hilo, HI

Hawaii Island Community Dev. Corp.
Capital Advance: \$1,042,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$72,300
Number of Units: 5

Idaho

Boise, ID

Mercy Housing Idaho Inc.
Capital Advance: \$4,297,700
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$429,600
Number of Units: 42

Illinois

Chicago, IL

Cath Charities Hsg Devl Corp
Capital Advance: \$6,617,100
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$490,500
Number of Units: 42

McHenry, IL

Luth Social Service of Illinois
Capital Advance: \$9,487,100
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$689,100
Number of Units: 60

Rushville, IL

West Central Illinois Area Agency on Aging
Capital Advance: \$2,076,300
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$175,200
Number of Units: 15

Indiana

Culver, IN

Garden Court, Inc.
Capital Advance: \$1,445,600
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$144,000
Number of Units: 13

Mishawaka, IN
AHEPA National Housing Corporation
Capital Advance: \$5,817,300
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$553,500
Number of Units: 50

Iowa

Ft. Madison, IA
West Central Illinois Area Agency on
Aging
Capital Advance: \$2,108,100
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$141,600
Number of Units: 14
Manning, IA
Manning Community Services, Inc.
Capital Advance: \$903,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$60,900
Number of Units: 6

Kansas

Kansas City, KS
Roswell Church of Christ
Capital Advance: \$5,158,700
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$463,200
Number of Units: 41

Kentucky

Louisville, KY
Catholic Charities of Louisville
Capital Advance: \$2,763,200
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$249,600
Number of Units: 24

Louisiana

Abbeville, LA
Diocese of Lafayette
Capital Advance: \$1,019,300
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$93,000
Number of Units: 10
Kaplan, LA
Diocese of Lafayette
Capital Advance: \$1,019,300
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$83,700
Number of Units: 10

Maine

Saco, ME
VOANNE
Capital Advance: \$2,363,200
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$182,100
Number of Units: 15
Saco, ME
VOANNE
Capital Advance: \$2,520,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$194,100
Number of Units: 16

Maryland

Baltimore, MD
Associated Catholic Charities
Capital Advance: \$5,980,900
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$566,400
Number of Units: 47
Silver Spring, MD
National Caucus & Center on Black
Aged
Co-Sponsor: Korean Community Service
Center of Greater Washington

Capital Advance: \$3,812,100
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$331,200
Number of Units: 27

Massachusetts

Boston, MA
Rogerson Communities, Inc
Capital Advance: \$5,688,600
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$573,300
Number of Units: 37
Ludlow, MA
HAP, INC
Capital Advance: \$4,391,300
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$434,100
Number of Units: 28

Michigan

Davison, MI
Taekens Terrace Nonprofit Christian
Ministries
Capital Advance: \$8,390,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$757,500
Number of Units: 61
Grand Rapids, MI
The Citizens for Better Living Inc.
Capital Advance: \$3,512,200
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$372,000
Number of Units: 36

Minnesota

Minneapolis, MN
CommonBond Communities
Co-Sponsor: American Indian
Community Development Corporation
Capital Advance: \$6,778,000
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$566,400
Number of Units: 47
Minneapolis, MN
CommonBond Communities
Co-Sponsor: Plymouth Church
Neighborhood Foundation
Capital Advance: \$6,056,900
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$506,100
Number of Units: 42

Mississippi

Gautier, MS
VOA Southeast, Inc.
Capital Advance: \$2,012,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$271,800
Number of Units: 20
Picayune, MS
VOA Southeast, Inc.
Capital Advance: \$1,195,400
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$108,300
Number of Units: 12

Missouri

St. Louis, MO
Lutheran Sr Svcs
Capital Advance: \$4,995,600
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$428,700
Number of Units: 36
St. Louis, MO
Ahepa 53 Inc
Co-Sponsor: AHEPA National Housing
Corporation
Capital Advance: \$4,995,600

Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$428,700
Number of Units: 36

Nebraska

Papillion, NE
Immanuel Health Sys
Capital Advance: \$2,409,300
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$203,400
Number of Units: 20

Nevada

Las Vegas, NV
Accessible Space, Inc.
Capital Advance: \$4,665,100
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$385,200
Number of Units: 34

New Hampshire

Campton, NH
SNHS Management Corporation
Capital Advance: \$2,520,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$188,700
Number of Units: 16
Manchester, NH
SNHS Management Corporation
Capital Advance: \$3,151,000
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$235,800
Number of Units: 20

Plymouth, NH
SNHS Management Corporation
Capital Advance: \$2,520,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$188,700
Number of Units: 16
Plymouth, NH
SNHS Management Corporation
Capital Advance: \$2,520,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$188,700
Number of Units: 16

New Jersey

Basking Ridge, NJ
Ridge Oak Management Inc
Capital Advance: \$3,151,000
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$423,900
Number of Units: 20
Rahway, NJ
The Domus Corp
Co-Sponsor: Cath Char of the
Archdiocese of Newark
Capital Advance: \$8,069,100
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$1,059,300
Number of Units: 51
Teaneck, NJ
Geriatric Ser, Inc
Capital Advance: \$9,782,100
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$1,292,100
Number of Units: 62

New York

Bronx, NY
The Hebrew Home for the Aged at
Riverdale
Capital Advance: \$9,329,600
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$1,419,300
Number of Units: 59
Bronx, NY
Highbridge Community HDFC Inc
Capital Advance: \$9,802,200

Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$1,492,800
 Number of Units: 62
 Brooklyn, NY
 Cypress Hills Local Development Corp.
 Capital Advance: \$8,541,800
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$1,296,900
 Number of Units: 54

Dewitt, NY
 Christopher Community
 Capital Advance: \$4,803,500
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$455,400
 Number of Units: 37

Henrietta, NY
 Episcopal Senior Life Communities
 Capital Advance: \$2,617,700
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$247,200
 Number of Units: 20

Webster, NY
 Continuing Development Services
 Capital Advance: \$2,617,700
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$247,200
 Number of Units: 20

North Carolina

Carthage, NC
 St. Joseph of the Pines
 Capital Advance: \$2,747,500
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$187,200
 Number of Units: 19

Charlotte, NC
 Retirement Housing Foundation
 Capital Advance: \$7,216,700
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$488,700
 Number of Units: 48

Rockingham, NC
 John H. Wellons Foundation Inc
 Capital Advance: \$2,843,800
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$197,700
 Number of Units: 19

Rockingham, NC
 John H. Wellons Foundation Inc
 Capital Advance: \$2,843,800
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$197,700
 Number of Units: 19

Salisbury, NC
 Catholic Diocese of Charlotte Housing Corp.
 Co-Sponsor: North Carolina Housing Foundation, Incorporated
 Capital Advance: \$2,876,100
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$187,200
 Number of Units: 19

North Dakota

Jamestown, ND
 Lutheran Social Services Housing, Incorporated
 Capital Advance: \$2,951,000
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$186,900
 Number of Units: 20

Ohio

Batavia, OH
 Clermont Senior Services
 Capital Advance: \$4,630,200
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$435,000
 Number of Units: 40

Bedford Hts, OH
 National Church Residences
 Capital Advance: \$5,138,600
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$496,800
 Number of Units: 40

Bellefontaine, OH
 Housing Service Alliance
 Co-Sponsor: Tri-County Community Action
 Capital Advance: \$1,223,200
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$121,200
 Number of Units: 11

Kettering, OH
 Franklin Foundation
 Capital Advance: \$2,663,600
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$256,500
 Number of Units: 24

Marion, OH
 Lutheran Social Services of OH
 Capital Advance: \$1,223,200
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$121,200
 Number of Units: 11

North Orange, OH
 Franklin Foundation
 Capital Advance: \$2,246,900
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$209,100
 Number of Units: 20

Oklahoma

Seminole, OK
 Central Oklahoma Community Action
 Capital Advance: \$1,244,200
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$105,600
 Number of Units: 12

Shawnee, OK
 Native American Housing Services
 Capital Advance: \$2,059,600
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$182,100
 Number of Units: 20

Oregon

Cascade Locks, OR
 Columbia Cascade Housing Corporation
 Capital Advance: \$1,633,800
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$129,300
 Number of Units: 13

Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA
 Cath Health Care Ser Diocese Philadelphia
 Capital Advance: \$9,811,200
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$990,600
 Number of Units: 63

Verona, PA
 National Church Residences
 Capital Advance: \$5,117,600
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$438,300
 Number of Units: 40

Rhode Island

South Kingstown, RI
 Women's Development Corp
 Capital Advance: \$3,151,000
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$288,900
 Number of Units: 20

South Carolina

Loris, SC

Horry County Council on Aging Inc
 Capital Advance: \$3,324,400
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$268,200
 Number of Units: 28

Tennessee

Johnson City, TN
 Metropolitan Housing and CDC, Inc.
 Capital Advance: \$2,282,000
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$182,100
 Number of Units: 20

Lebanon, TN
 Cumberland Regional Development Corp.
 Capital Advance: \$3,919,000
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$313,200
 Number of Units: 35

Monterey, TN
 Volunteer Housing Development Corp
 Capital Advance: \$1,184,900
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$92,100
 Number of Units: 11

Texas

Alton, TX
 National Farm Workers Service Center Incorporated
 Capital Advance: \$3,579,700
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$381,600
 Number of Units: 41

Gonzales, TX
 George Gervin Youth Center, Inc.
 Capital Advance: \$727,400
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$76,500
 Number of Units: 8

Houston, TX
 AHEPA National CORP.
 Capital Advance: \$4,744,700
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$464,700
 Number of Units: 45

Lubbock, TX
 National Church Residences
 Co-Sponsor: North & East Lubbock Comm Devl
 Capital Advance: \$6,173,400
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$651,900
 Number of Units: 66

San Antonio, TX
 George Gervin Youth Center, Inc.
 Capital Advance: \$3,996,100
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$381,600
 Number of Units: 41

Utah

Vernal, UT
 Uintah Basin Assistance Council
 Capital Advance: \$2,320,100
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$193,200
 Number of Units: 20

Vermont

Vergennes, VT
 Addison County Community Trust
 Capital Advance: \$1,260,400
 Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$94,800
 Number of Units: 8

Virginia

Rocky Mount, VA

Metropolitan Housing and CDC, Inc.
Capital Advance: \$5,351,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$474,000
Number of Units: 44

Woodstock, VA
Shenandoah Area Agency on Aging
Capital Advance: \$1,337,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$118,500
Number of Units: 11

Washington

Omak, WA
Okonogan County Community Action Council

Capital Advance: \$1,158,500
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$101,100
Number of Units: 10

White Center, WA
Providence Health Services
Capital Advance: \$8,297,800
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$767,400
Number of Units: 55

Wisconsin

Franklin, WI
CommonBond Communities
Capital Advance: \$4,090,200
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$339,000
Number of Units: 20

Wyoming

Sheridan, WY
Volunteers of America
Capital Advance: \$2,130,900
Three-year Rental Subsidy: \$131,100
Number of Units: 15

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement

[Docket ID No. BOEM-2011-0020]

Information Collection Activity: Unitization, Extension of a Collection; Submitted for Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement (BOEMRE), Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: To comply with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), we are notifying the public that we have submitted to OMB an information collection request (ICR) to

renew approval of the paperwork requirements in the regulations under Unitization (OMB Control No. 1010-0068). This notice also provides the public a second opportunity to comment on the paperwork burden of these regulatory requirements.

DATES: Submit written comments by October 6, 2011.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments by either fax (202) 395-5806 or e-mail (*OIRA DOCKET@omb.eop.gov*) directly to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB, Attention: Desk Officer for the Department of the Interior (1010-0068). Please also submit a copy of your comments to BOEMRE by any of the means below.

- *Electronically:* go to <http://www.regulations.gov>. In the entry titled, Enter Keyword or ID, enter BOEM-2011-0020 then click search. Follow the instructions to submit public comments and view supporting and related materials available for this collection. BOEMRE will post all comments.

- E-mail *cheryl.blundon@boemre.gov*. Mail or hand-carry comments to: Department of the Interior; Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement; Attention: Cheryl Blundon; 381 Elden Street, MS-4024; Herndon, Virginia 20170-4817. Please reference ICR 1010-0068 in your comment and include your name and return address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Cheryl Blundon, Regulations and Standards Branch, (703) 787-1607. To see a copy of the entire ICR submitted to OMB, go to <http://www.reginfo.gov> (select Information Collection Review, Currently Under Review). You may also contact Cheryl Blundon to obtain a copy, at no cost, of the regulation that requires the subject collection of information.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: 30 CFR 250, Subpart M, Unitization.

OMB Control Number: 1010-0068.

Abstract: The Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Lands Act, as amended (43 U.S.C. 1331 *et seq.* and 43 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*), authorizes the Secretary of the Interior (Secretary) to prescribe rules and regulations to administer leasing of the OCS. Section 1334(a) specifies that the Secretary “provide for the prevention of waste and conservation of the natural resources of the [O]uter Continental

Shelf, and the protection of correlative rights therein” and include provisions for “unitization, pooling, and drilling agreements.”

The Independent Offices Appropriations Act (31 U.S.C. 9701), the Omnibus Appropriations Bill (Pub. L. 104-133, 110 Stat. 1321, April 26, 1996), and OMB Circular A-25, authorize Federal agencies to recover the full cost of services that confer special benefits. Unitization requests for approval are subject to cost recovery, and BOEMRE regulations specify service fees for these requests.

Regulations implementing these responsibilities are under 30 CFR 250, subpart M. Responses are required to obtain or retain a benefit and mandatory. No questions of a sensitive nature are asked. BOEMRE protects information considered proprietary according to the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552) and its implementing regulations (43 CFR 2), and 30 CFR 250.197, “Data and information to be made available to the public or for limited inspection,” and 30 CFR part 252, “OCS Oil and Gas Information Program.”

BOEMRE must approve any lessee’s proposal to enter an agreement to unitize operations under two or more leases and for modifications when warranted. Lessees submit consolidated Exploration Plans and Development and Production Plans for a unit area. We use the information to ensure that operations under the proposed unit agreement will result in preventing waste, conserving natural resources, and protecting correlative rights including the government’s interests.

Frequency: On occasion.

Description of Respondents: Potential respondents comprise Federal oil, gas, or sulphur lessees and/or holders of pipeline-rights-of-way.

Estimated Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden: The estimated annual hour burden for this information collection is a total of 3,348 hours. The following chart details the individual components and estimated hour burdens. In calculating the burdens, we assumed that respondents perform certain requirements in the normal course of their activities. We consider these to be usual and customary and took that into account in estimating the burden.

Citation 30 CFR 250 subpart M	Reporting requirement	Hour burden	Average number annual responses	Annual burden hours
Non-hour cost burdens*				