• Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are expected to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology (e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses).

**Background**

These application instructions will be used by applicants for funding through AmeriCorps State and National grant competitions.

**Current Action**

The Corporation seeks to renew and revise the current AmeriCorps State and National Application Instructions. The Application Instructions are being revised for increased clarity and to align with provisions of the Serve America Act. The Application Instructions will be used in the same manner as the existing Application Instructions. The Corporation also seeks to continue using the current Application Instructions until the revised Application Instructions are approved by OMB. The current ICRs are due to expire on May 31, 2012.

**Type of Review:** Renewal.

**Agency:** Corporation for National and Community Service.

**Title:** AmeriCorps Application Instructions: State Commissions; State and National Competitive; Professional Corps; Indian Tribes; States and Territories without Commissions; and State and National Planning.

**OMB Number:** 3045–0047.

**Affected Public:** Nonprofit organizations, State, Local and Tribal.

**Total Respondents:** 654.

**Frequency:** Annually.

**Average Time per Response:** 24 hours.

**Estimated Total Burden Hours:** 15,696.

**Total Burden Cost (capital/startup):** None.

**Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance):** None.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection request; they will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: September 9, 2011.

Lois Nembhard,
Deputy Director, AmeriCorps State and National.

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Federal Officer at the address listed below at least five calendar days prior to the meeting which is the subject of this notice. Written statements received after this date may not be provided to or considered by the United States Air Force Scientific Advisory Board until its next meeting. The Designated Federal Officer will review all timely submissions with the United States Air Force Scientific Advisory Board Chairperson and ensure they are provided to members of the United States Air Force Scientific Advisory Board before the meeting that is the subject of this notice.


Bao-Anh Trinh,
DAF, Air Force Federal Register Liaison Officer.

Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before October 17, 2011.

Addresses: Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Education Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 10222, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503, be faxed to (202) 395–5806 or e-mailed to oira_submission@omb.eop.gov with a cc: to ICDocketMgr@ed.gov. Please note that written comments received in response to this notice will be considered public records.

Supplementary Information: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. The OMB is particularly interested in comments which: (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, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (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, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Dated: September 12, 2011.

Darrin Kring,
Director, Information Collection Clearance Division, Privacy, Information and Records Management Services, Office of Management.

Office of the Secretary
Type of Review: Extension.
Title of Collection: Generic Application Package for Discretionary Grant Programs.
OMB Control Number: 1894–0006.
Agency Form Number(s): N/A.
Frequency of Responses: New Awards.
Affected Public: Business or other for-profits; Individuals or households; not-for-profit institutions; private sector; State, Local or Tribal Governments.
Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 9,836.
Total Estimated Annual Burden Hours: 446,089.
Abstract: The Department of Education (ED) is requesting an extension of the approval for the Generic Application Package that numerous ED discretionary grant programs use to provide applicants the generic forms and information needed to apply for new grants under those grant program competitions.

ED will use this Generic Application package for discretionary grant programs that: (1) Use the standard ED or Federal-wide grant application forms that have been cleared separately through OMB and (2) use selection criteria from the Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR); statutory selection criteria or a combination of EDGAR and statutory selection criteria authorized under EDGAR, 34 CFR 75.200. The use of the standard ED grant application forms and

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Notice of Submission for OMB Review
AGENCY: Department of Education.
ACTION: Comment request.

SUMMARY: The Director, Information Collection Clearance Division, Privacy, Information and Records Management Services, Office of Management, invites comments on the submission for OMB review as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13).

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before October 17, 2011.

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