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ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Rulemaking

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of a public meeting of the Committee on Rulemaking of the Assembly of the Administrative Conference of the United States. The meeting will provide an opportunity for the committee to consider outlines and research plans for two upcoming projects regarding midnight rules and regulatory analysis, respectively. Complete details regarding the committee meeting, the contours of the new projects, how to attend (including information about remote access and obtaining special accommodations for persons with disabilities), and how to submit comments to the committee can be found in the "About" section of the Conference's Web site, at <http://www.acus.gov>. Click on "About" -> "The Committees" -> "Committee on Rulemaking."

Comments may be submitted by email to Comments@acus.gov, with "Committee on Rulemaking" in the subject line, or by postal mail to "Committee on Rulemaking Comments" at the address given below. To be guaranteed consideration, comments must be received five calendar days before the meeting.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at 1120 20th Street, NW., Suite 706 South, Washington, DC 20036.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Emily Schleicher Bremer, Designated Federal Officer, Administrative Conference of the United States, 1120 20th Street, NW., Suite 706 South, Washington, DC 20036; Telephone (202) 480-2080.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Committee on Rulemaking will meet to hear two consultants present their outlines and research plans for two new

projects. These projects are the Midnight Rules Project, for which Professor Jack Beermann is the consultant, and the Regulatory Analysis Project, for which Curtis Copeland is the consultant. The Midnight Rules project will examine issues raised by rules promulgated near the end of a presidential administration. The Regulatory Analysis project will examine the numerous analyses (e.g., cost-benefit analysis, regulatory flexibility analysis) that agencies are required to prepare when promulgating rules. The Committee will provide feedback to the consultants based on their outlines and research plans.

DATES: Monday, November 14 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Designated Federal Officer: Emily Schleicher Bremer.

Dated: October 24, 2011.

Jonathan R. Siegel,

Director of Research & Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce will submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Agency: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

Title: Stormready®, Stormready/Tsunamiready™, and Stormready® Supporter Application Forms.

OMB Control Number: 0648-0419.

Form Number(s): NA.

Type of Request: Regular submission (revision of a current information collection).

Number of Respondents: 265.

Average Hours per Response: StormReady, Tsunami-Ready and StormReady/TsunamiReady applications, 2 hours; StormReady Supporter applications, 1 hour.

Burden Hours: 565.

Needs and Uses: This request is for revision of a current information collection. The StormReady, TsunamiReady and StormReady/TsunamiReady Programs are voluntary

programs offered to provide guidance and incentive to officials who wish to improve their hazardous weather operations, e.g. community preparedness and local warning dissemination. Applicants fill out a detailed application that demonstrates how they meet certain guidelines that qualify them for StormReady recognition.

The full StormReady recognition is not appropriate for all entities, yet they should still be recognized for their efforts in preparing for hazardous weather. To this end, the National Weather Service has created the StormReady Supporter Program and is the revision to this information collection. StormReady Supporter is a voluntary program offered to provide guidance and incentive to entities, such as local hospitals or businesses, who wish to improve their respective hazardous weather preparations. Entities will use the application to apply for a one-time StormReady Supporter recognition. The government will use the application form to determine whether an entity has met the guidelines for a StormReady Supporter recognition.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations.

Frequency: One time only.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

OMB Desk Officer:

OIRA_Submission@omb.eop.gov.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482-0266, Department of Commerce, Room 6616, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at dHynek@doc.gov).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to OIRA_Submission@omb.eop.gov.

Dated: October 25, 2011.

Gwellnar Banks,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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