and quality of services and products they want and expect to receive.

**DATES:** Comments Due Date: November 13, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval number (2535–0116) and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; fax: 202–395–5806. Email: 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; email 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 Proposed:** Generic Customer Satisfaction Surveys.
- **OMB Approval Number:** 2535–0116.
- **Form Numbers:** None.

**Description of the need for the information and proposed use:** Executive Order 12862, “Setting Customer Service Standards” requires that Federal agencies provide the highest quality service to our customers by identifying them and determining what they think about our services. The surveys covered in the request for a generic clearance will provide HUD a means to gather this data directly from our customers. HUD will conduct various customer satisfaction surveys to gather feedback and data directly from our customers to determine the kind and quality of services and products they want and expect to receive.

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Indian Affairs**

**Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community—Liquor Ordinance To Allow for On-Sale Liquor Transactions**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice publishes the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community—Liquor Ordinance to Allow for On-Sale Liquor Transactions (Ordinance). The Ordinance regulates and controls the sale, consumption and possession of liquor within the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community’s Indian country. This Ordinance will increase the ability of the tribal government to control the distribution and possession of liquor within its Indian country and at the same time will provide an important source of revenue and strengthening of the tribal government and the delivery of tribal services.

**DATES:** Effective Date: This Act is effective as of October 11, 2012.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**
- David Christensen, Tribal Operations Officer, Midwest Regional Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Norman Pointe II, 5600 West American Boulevard, Bloomington, MN 55437, Telephone (612) 725–4554; Fax (612) 713–4401; or De Springer, Office of Indian Services, 1849 C Street NW., MS/4513/MIB, Washington, DC 20240; Telephone (202) 513–7626; Fax (202) 208–5113.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**


This notice is published in accordance with the authority delegated by the Secretary of the Interior to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs. I certify that the Business Council duly adopted the Liquor Ordinance to Allow for On-Sale Liquor Transactions on August 15, 2012.

**Dated:** October 5, 2012.

**Donald E. Laverdure,**

**Acting Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.**

The Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community Liquor Ordinance to Allow for On-Sale Liquor Transactions shall read as follows:

**Section I. Title**

This Ordinance shall be known as the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community On-Sale Liquor Ordinance. This Ordinance is intended to replace and supersede the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community Resolution and Ordinance Providing for On-Sale Transactions of Intoxicating Beverages enacted by the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community General Council on September 21, 1983 and published in the *Federal Register* on April 10, 1984. It is enacted pursuant to Article V, § 1(h) of the Community Constitution.
Section II. Purpose

The purpose is to authorize, regulate and control the sale and serving of on-sale alcoholic beverages within the territory of the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community in accordance with federal law, the laws of the Tribe and the laws of the State of Minnesota.

Section III. Definitions

A. “Business Council” shall mean the body composed of the members of the Tribe’s Business Council, duly elected and serving in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of the Tribe.

B. “General Council” shall mean the governing body of the Tribe, in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of the Tribe.

C. “License” shall mean permission to sell liquor for consumption at a Tribal-owned property located within the jurisdiction of the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community regardless of Reservation status which is issued in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

D. “Licensed premises” shall mean: (1) Locations where Tribal gaming or gaming-related activity is authorized and where the Tribal Gaming Enterprise may be authorized to sell liquor if such sales have been authorized by the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community Gaming Ordinance; (2) designated locations authorized by this Ordinance other than by subsection (1); or (3) gaming or non-gaming locations on other Tribally-owned property.

E. “Liquor” shall mean any alcoholic beverage.

F. “Non-gaming Location” shall mean those areas of the Reservation or under the jurisdiction of the Tribe where gaming is not authorized. A non-gaming location shall include areas within a Tribal Gaming Enterprise not designated by the Gaming Commission as gaming space within a Tribal Gaming Enterprise location.

G. “On-sale” shall mean the sale of liquor for consumption on licensed premises only.

H. “Tribal” shall mean the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community, a federally recognized Indian Tribe organized under Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934.

I. “Tribal Gaming Enterprise” shall mean the Tribal department created by Tribal Ordinance and delegated the responsibility to operate and conduct bingo, the sale of pull tabs, gaming in general and the conduct of other games of chance, including but not limited to video games of chance, blackjack, card games, and any other lawful games of chance and to oversee the Tribe’s gaming and gaming-related activity.

J. “Tribal Gaming Location” shall mean those areas operated and overseen by the Tribal Gaming Enterprise where gaming is authorized and conducted on the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community Reservation.

Section IV. Business Council Oversight Authority and Reporting Requirements

A. The Business Council of the Tribe shall oversee liquor licensing, sales, and operations on Tribally-owned property located within the jurisdiction of the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community regardless of Reservation status.

B. All on-sale liquor operations conducted by any Tribal enterprise on Tribally-owned property within the jurisdiction of the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community regardless of Reservation status shall report at least annually to the General Council on all on-sale liquor operations.

Section V. Licenses

An annual license for on-sale liquor may be issued only to: (1) The Tribal Gaming Enterprise if it has received authorization as set forth in Section III(D)(1); or (2) a Tribal enterprise provided for in III(D)(3):

A. Any on-sale liquor operation authorized by this Ordinance, including authorization for the Tribal Gaming Enterprise, must comply with the applicable laws of the State of Minnesota relating to the sale or possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages as required by the applicable Minnesota Statutes Annotated.

B. All authorized on-sale and consumption liquor operations must keep complete and accurate records of inventory and sales, and provide such information as required by Section V(C)(1).

C. Pursuant to federal law requirements, any on-sale liquor operation must keep complete and accurate records of inventory and sales, and provide such information in its report to the General Council.

D. The General Council may suspend or revoke a license under this Ordinance for violation of any of the terms of this Ordinance; provided that an applicant shall be given notice and an opportunity to request a hearing before the Business Council prior to the suspension or revocation.

Section VII. Sovereign Immunity

Nothing contained in this Ordinance is intended to nor does it in any way limit, alter, restrict, or waive the Tribe’s sovereign immunity.

Section VIII. Severability

If any part of this Ordinance shall be found inoperative by operation of law, all surviving parts of this Ordinance shall remain in effect.

Section IX. Jurisdiction

The Tribal Court of the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community shall...
have jurisdiction over disputes arising from this law. Such jurisdiction shall be exclusive to the Tribal Court of the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community.

Section X. Secretarial Approval

This law shall become effective when it is certified by the Secretary of Interior and published in the Federal Register.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Preparation of the 2013 American Indian Population and Labor Force Report

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Informational Sessions and Tribal Consultation Sessions.

SUMMARY: Indian Affairs will conduct two informational sessions and four leader-to-leader sessions with Indian tribes to obtain oral and written comments concerning preparation of the 2013 American Indian Population and Labor Force Report.

DATES: Written comments are due November 12, 2012. See the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION section of this notice for dates of the informational sessions and leader-to-leader consultation sessions.

ADDRESSES: See the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION section of this notice for the locations of the informational sessions and leader-to-leader consultation sessions. Submit comments by email to: consultation@bia.gov or by U.S. mail to: Office of the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, U.S. Department of the Interior, attn: Steven Payson, Mail Stop 4141 MIB, 1849 C Street NW., Washington, DC 20240.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further technical information regarding preparation of the 2013 Labor Force Report, please contact Steven Payson, Economist, Office of the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, at (202) 513–7745. For all other information, please contact Mr. Jonodev Chaudhuri, Counselor to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, at (202) 208–7613.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Indian Affairs will conduct two informational sessions and four leader-to-leader sessions with Indian tribes to obtain oral and written comments concerning preparation of the 2013 American Indian Population and Labor Force Report.

Informational sessions. Two informational sessions on this topic will be held to coincide with the Alaska Federation of Natives Conference and National Congress of American Indians Convention. In addition to an exchange of information, we welcome informal comments during the two informational sessions.

- Annual Alaska Federation of Natives Conference, Room #3, second floor at the Den'i'ina Center, 600 W. 7th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska, Saturday, October 20, 2012, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon AKST (a teleconference line will be available for this informational session and can be accessed at (866) 723–7478, and with participant code #1572466.

- National Congress of American Indians 69th Annual Convention, in Room #305 at the Sacramento Convention Center, 1400 J Street, Sacramento, California, on Wednesday, October 24, 2012, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. PST.

Leader-to-leader consultation sessions. As part of our consultation efforts, we will be hosting four leader-to-leader sessions—three in-person sessions and one session via national conference. The four leader-to-leader sessions will build upon the informational sessions and focus on leader-to-leader dialogue. We will develop a transcript for the following leader-to-leader sessions.

- Monday, October 29, 2012, 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. CST—in the Hilton Garden Inn located at 801 South Meridian, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. You may contact the hotel at (405) 942–1400.

- Tuesday, October 30, 2012, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. MST—at the Bureau of Indian Affairs’ Western Regional office in the fourth floor Eagle and Buffalo Rooms located at 2600 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, Arizona. Signs will be posted in the lobby and on the fourth floor. The Regional Director’s Office will validate parking for the garage located directly behind 2600 North Central Avenue.

- Thursday, November 1, 2012, 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. MST—Holiday Inn Rushmore Plaza 505 North 5th Street, Rapid City, South Dakota. The Holiday Inn will provide a block of rooms for a limited time. You may contact the hotel at (605) 348–4000.

- Friday, November 9, 2012, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. EST at (877) 716–4290, and with participant code 5074051. For any technical assistance during the national call, please contact (202) 208–7163.

Background

Accurate information on the population and employment levels of tribes is critically important for understanding the social and economic circumstances that tribes face and identifying the best policies and strategies for promoting economic development in Indian Country. Congress recognized this importance in the Indian Employment, Training, and Related Services Demonstration Act of 1992, as amended, (Pub. L. 102–477, § 17), by requiring the Department of the Interior to publish, at least once every two years, the American Indian Population and Labor Force Report. The Act specifically requires:

[A] report on the population, by gender, eligible for the services which the Secretary provides to Indian people. The report shall include, but is not limited to, information at the national level by State, Bureau of Indian Affairs Service Area, and tribal level for the—

1. total service population;
2. the service population under age 16 and over 64;
3. the population available for work, including those not considered to be actively seeking work;
4. the employed population, including those employed with annual earnings below the poverty line; and
5. the numbers employed in private sector positions and in public sector positions.

The Department is expected to produce the next American Indian Population and Labor Force Report in 2013. In preparation, the Department would like tribes’ input on the questions regarding how to define certain terms and how best to obtain the information required by the Act. In the past, Interior has obtained the Labor Force Report information required by the Act by surveying Tribes. Another option to obtain this data would be to acquire it from the U.S. Census Bureau. We are seeking Tribes’ input on these options for collecting data, and other issues, including:

1. To what extent do you have the above-listed population and employment information readily available to respond to a survey?
2. Would you be willing to respond to such a survey?
3. Is there other information, beyond that which is specifically required by the Act, that you would be willing to provide in a survey, if the information will help federal or Tribal programming?
4. Should Interior use information from the Census Bureau to answer the questions for the report? If so, what kind of information should be acquired from the Census Bureau’s published statistics? If not, is it a matter of the