Type of Request: Regular submission (reinstatement with change of a previously approved information collection).

Burden Hours: 375.
Number of Respondents: 1,500.
Average Hours per Response: 15 minutes.

Needs and Uses: NIST’s research on elevators has primarily focused on the technical aspects of ensuring safe and reliable evacuation for the occupants of tall buildings. In addition, the International Code Council and the National Fire Protection Association provide requirements for the use of elevators for both occupant evacuation and fire fighter access into the building. However, there still is little understanding of how occupants use elevator systems during fire emergencies.

The main focus of this research effort is to gain an understanding of how elevators are currently used by occupants of existing multi-story buildings in the United States during fire emergencies. This research aims to summarize emergency plans and procedures from buildings that make use of one or multiple elevators from the existing elevator system (used for normal building traffic) for the evacuation of building occupants during fire emergencies. The respondents will be contacted to fill out a questionnaire asking about how the buildings’ evacuation plans incorporate the use of the existing elevator system to evacuate occupants during fire emergencies, specifically individuals with disabilities, if at all.

Revisions: After further review of the survey, it was determined that some of the survey questions could potentially identify the respondent or at least the individuals with which the respondent works; and the possibility to identify individuals within the respondent’s building (i.e., the building occupants or residents). These questions were revised or deleted.

Affected Public: Selected individuals, such as building managers and designated safety personnel, who are familiar with or in charge of developing emergency procedures for multi-story buildings in the United States, including both federal and private sector buildings.

Frequency: One time only.

Respondent’s Obligation: Voluntary.

OMB Desk Officer: Jasmeet Seehra, (202) 395–3132.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Jennifer Jessup, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482–0336, Department of Commerce, Room 6616, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at jjessup@doc.gov).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to, OMB Desk Officer, Jasmeet Seehra, FAX Number (202) 395–5167, or Jasmeet_K_Seehra@omb.eop.gov.


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Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U.S. Census Bureau

Correction: Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; Manufacturers’ Unfilled Orders Survey

AGENCY: U.S. Census Bureau, Commerce.

ACTION: Correction.

SUMMARY: On October 16, 2012, a notice was published in the Federal Register (77 FR 63288) on the proposed information collection, Manufacturers’ Unfilled Orders Survey.

Under the heading SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION, I. Abstract, the following information was omitted:

‘We plan to add a box for “Change in Operational Status” to the MA–3000 for 2012. This change does not affect burden because the information asked is readily available by the respondents or not applicable to those companies without an operational status change.’

All other information in the notice is correct and remains unchanged.


Gwellnar Banks,
Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Economic Development Administration

Notice of Petitions by Firms for Determination of Eligibility To Apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance

AGENCY: Economic Development Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice and Opportunity for Public Comment.

Pursuant to Section 251 of the Trade Act 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2341 et seq.), the Economic Development Administration (EDA) has received petitions for certification of eligibility to apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance from the firms listed below. Accordingly, EDA has initiated investigations to determine whether increased imports into the United States of articles like or directly competitive with those produced by each of these firms contributed importantly to the total or partial separation of the firm’s workers, or threat thereof, and to a decrease in sales or production of each petitioning firm.

LIST OF PETITIONS RECEIVED BY EDA FOR CERTIFICATION ELIGIBILITY TO APPLY FOR TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE

[10/20/2012 through 10/24/2012]

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<td>Tooling Dynamics, LLC</td>
<td>905 Vogelsong Road, York, PA 17404.</td>
<td>10/22/2012</td>
<td>Manufacturer of precision microminiature metal stampings and Swiss Screw machines parts such as screws and pins for aerospace, automotive, appliances, computers, and book case doors.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Woodfold Manufacturing, Inc.</td>
<td>1811 18th Avenue, Forest Grove, OR 97116.</td>
<td>10/22/2012</td>
<td>Manufacturer of wood roll up doors, harwood shutters and accordian doors, and book case doors.</td>
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Any party having a substantial interest in these proceedings may request a public hearing on the matter.