

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Office of the Secretary****[Docket ID: DoD–2012–OS–0134]****Proposed Collection; Comment Request****AGENCY:** Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness, DoD.**ACTION:** Notice.

In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness announces a proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by January 7, 2013.**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
- *Mail:* Federal Docket Management System Office, 4800 Mark Center Drive, East Tower, Suite 02G09, Alexandria, VA 22350–3100.

**Instructions:** All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness (OUSD), Military Community

and Family Policy (MCFP), State Liaison and Educational Opportunities Division, ATTN: Ms. Kerrie Tucker, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Suite 14E08, Alexandria, VA 22350–2300 or send email to project officer at: [kerrie.tucker@osd.mil](mailto:kerrie.tucker@osd.mil).

*Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number:* Pilot for Centralized Student Complaint Process, DoD Postsecondary Student Complaint Intake Form for Service Members and Their Families; DoD Form x640, "Student Complaint Intake Form"; OMB Control Number 0704–TBD.

*Needs and Uses:* The information collection requirement is necessary to obtain, document, and respond to complaints, questions, and other information concerning post-secondary education and services provided to military students, veterans, and their family members. The form is included to help document information such as the level of study of the student, school the student is attending, type of education benefits being used, branch of the military service, substance of the complaint, and preferred contact information for the person making the contact.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households, business or other for profit; Not-for-profit institutions, Federal Government, and State, local, or Tribal government.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 100.*Number of Respondents:* 600.*Responses per Respondent:* 1.*Average Burden per Response:* 10 minutes.*Frequency:* On occasion.**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****Summary of Information Collection**

President Barack Obama signed Executive Order 13607 on April 27, 2012 to address the problem of aggressive and deceptive targeting of Service members, veterans, and their families by some educational institutions. Section 4 of the Executive Order specifically calls for the creation of a robust, centralized complaint process for students receiving Federal military and veterans' educational benefits.

DoD, along with the participating Federal agencies identified in the Executive Order have determined that this complaint process, in addition to taking in complaints about abusive or deceptive practices by schools, must create an opportunity for schools to resolve those complaints, and must ensure that complaint data is accessible both to the relevant components at the Departments of Defense, Veterans Affairs, and Education that review schools for compliance and program

eligibility, as well as the relevant law enforcement agencies that will prosecute any illegal practices. Beyond creation of this complaint process, the agencies seek to prevent abusive, deceptive, and fraudulent practices through the following mechanisms: establishment of risk-based program reviews; limits on access to military installations by educational institutions; and the use of intellectual property and other legal protections to ensure Web sites and programs are not deceptively suggesting military affiliation or endorsement.

A centralized complaint system will provide a resource for students receiving military and veteran educational benefits to effectively submit complaints against institutions they feel have acted deceptively or fraudulently. The first step is to make it easier for prospective and current military students to raise these concerns.

Dated: October 31, 2012.

**Aaron Siegel,***Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Department of the Air Force****U.S. Air Force Broadcast of Consent Order, and Determination of Interest Level for a United Launch Alliance (ULA) Consent Order Industry Day****AGENCY:** Headquarters Air Force, Deputy Under Secretary of the Air Force (Space).**ACTION:** Publicize Consent Order, and Determine Level of Interest for a ULA Consent Order Industry Day.

**SUMMARY:** This is not a notice of solicitation issuance. The Deputy Under Secretary of the Air Force (Space), as the Compliance Officer under the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) Decision and Order (hereinafter referred to as the "Consent Order"), in the Matter of Lockheed Martin Corporation, the Boeing Company, and United Launch Alliance (ULA), L.L.C. (hereinafter referred to as the "Respondents"), Docket No. C–4188, dated May 1, 2007, is posting this announcement to publicize the Consent Order, and determine level of interest for a ULA Consent Order Industry Day.

*The Consent Order:* The Consent Order requires that with regard to covered Government programs, (1) ULA afford all space vehicle manufacturers

non-discriminatory treatment for launch services that ULA may provide, and that (2) Lockheed Martin and Boeing, as space vehicle manufacturers, consider all qualified launch service providers on a non-discriminatory basis. The Consent Order also requires firewalls to prevent information from a space vehicle provider being shared by ULA with its Boeing or Lockheed Martin parent company. Similarly, Boeing and Lockheed Martin must have firewalls to ensure that other launch service information is not shared with ULA. The Consent Order also requires that the Department of Defense appoint a Compliance Officer to oversee compliance with the Consent Order by all three Respondents. The current Compliance Officer is the Deputy Under Secretary of the Air Force (Space), Mr. Richard McKinney. The FTC Consent Order states that the Compliance Officer "shall oversee compliance by the Respondents with the terms of this Order, and shall have the power and authority to oversee such compliance."

**Industry Day Interest:** The purpose of the proposed ULA Industry Day is to inform industry of the Consent Order and its requirements, the ULA, Boeing, and Lockheed Martin compliance with the Consent Order, and the role of the Compliance Officer to oversee the Respondents' compliance with the Consent Order. During the proposed Industry Day, each of the Respondents plans to present information on its specific compliance with the Consent Order requirements. Separate discussion sessions will be available to attendees, at their discretion and request, to meet with the Compliance Officer and his Government team in private to address any questions or comments relating to the Consent Order.

**DATES:** If sufficient interest exists, the ULA Industry Day will be held the first quarter of 2013.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting location is TBD.

*Who Can Attend:* Members of the aerospace industry who may do business with the Respondents and may be affected by the Consent Order, and the general public, are welcome to attend Industry Day. However for security reasons, all attendees must be United States citizens with valid government issued photo identification for admission into the facility where Industry Day will be held. Attendance at the ULA Industry Day is limited to a maximum of four representatives per organization. It is required that all persons interested in attending register online at (<http://2013industryday.org/>) by December 7, 2012. If you are unable

to access the link you can send your contact information to [alan.l.adams@aero.org](mailto:alan.l.adams@aero.org), or call Mr. Adams at (310) 336-7476. You can also mail your contact information to Alan L. Adams, The Aerospace Corporation, P.O. Box 92957-M1/013, Los Angeles, CA 90009-2957.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sarah Beth Cliatt (Compliance Division Chief), Tel: 719-556-2042; or Colonel Marc Berkstresser (Deputy Compliance Division Chief), Tel: 703-614-7842.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** After the FTC initiated an investigation of the proposed formation of ULA by Boeing and Lockheed Martin, the FTC's Bureau of Competition issued a draft Complaint that it intended to present to the FTC for its consideration. The Complaint would have charged the Respondents with violations of Section 7 of the Clayton Act, as amended, 15 United States Code (U.S.C.) Section 18, and Section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act, as amended, 15 U.S.C. Section 45. The Respondents and the FTC executed an agreement containing an admission by the Respondents of the jurisdictional facts set forth in the draft complaint, and including a statement that the Respondents' signing of the Consent Agreement (1) was for settlement purposes only, (2) did not constitute an admission by the Respondents that (a) the law had been violated as alleged in the Complaint, or (b) the facts alleged in the Complaint, other than jurisdictional facts, were true. The Aerospace Corporation provides, under contract, much of the technical and cost oversight support for the Compliance Officer as specified in the Consent Order.

**Henry Williams, Jr.,**

*Acting Air Force Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[Docket No.: ED-2012-ICCD-0047]

### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Needs Sensing Survey Under the Regional Educational Laboratory Program (REL)

**AGENCY:** Department of Education (ED), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44

U.S.C. chapter 3501 *et seq.*), ED is proposing a new information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before December 6, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments submitted in response to this notice should be submitted electronically through the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov> by selecting Docket ID number ED-2012-ICCD-0047 or via postal mail, commercial delivery, or hand delivery. Please note that comments submitted by fax or email and those submitted after the comment period will not be accepted. Written requests for information or comments submitted by postal mail or delivery should be addressed to the Director of the Information Collection Clearance Division, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue SW., LBJ, Room 2E117, Washington, DC 20202-4537.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Electronically mail [ICDocketMgr@ed.gov](mailto:ICDocketMgr@ed.gov). Please do not send comments here.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department of Education (ED), in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), provides the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps the Department assess the impact of its information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand the Department's information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format. ED is soliciting comments on the proposed information collection request (ICR) that is described below. The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology. Please note that written comments received in response to this notice will be considered public records.

*Title of Collection:* Needs Sensing Survey under the Regional Educational Laboratory Program (REL).

*OMB Control Number:* Pending.