different forum. The comments related to the Application Instructions are addressed below.

Two commenters asked that if CNCS releases multiple versions of the Application Instructions that they be dated. CNCS will date all versions of the Applications Instructions moving forward.

Three commenters asked that CNCS raise the applicant burden to 80 hours to account for both the initial application preparation as well as the reworking of the application based on State Commission review and feedback. In response to the comments, CNCS will raise the applicant burden to 80 hours to ensure that the burden estimate provides the public, especially new applicants, with adequate notice of the time required to prepare an application. We expect that many applicants will be able to complete the application in less than 80 hours, but support providing notice to applicants that will allow them to budget time effectively.

Two commenters asked if the fields “Total Private Match” and “Total Local, State, and Federal Government Match” will be populated by the “Total Match” amount captured in the budget. No. The “Total Match” amount captured in the budget is a combination of private and government match. CNCS is interested in breaking out the match into two categories.

Two commenters asked the purpose of requesting “Leveraged funds,” if there was a requirement to track those funds, and what repercussions would there be if an applicant raised leverage funds that were either above or below the expected amount. The collection of “Leveraged funds” enables CNCS to better understand the total cost of running an AmeriCorps program. For cost reimbursement applicants, funding in addition to the CNCS share and the required match may be required to run an AmeriCorps program. For fixed amount applicants, funding in addition to the CNCS share is required to run an AmeriCorps program. There is no requirement to track leveraged funds as long as successful applicants have adequate resources to sustain program operations. If there are sufficient funds to operate successfully, there are no repercussions should the applicant raise more or less of the anticipated “Leveraged Funds” amount.

One commenter asked for definitions for “episodic” and “ongoing” volunteers. CNCS has provided those definitions in the FY2013 AmeriCorps State and National Notice of Funding Opportunity.

One commenter asked if the operating sites chart will be provided to State Commissions as part of the consultative process that takes place between National Direct applicants and State Commissions. CNCS plans to incorporate the operating site data into the state profiles, which are updated annually and available for Commission use. At this time, CNCS does not have plans to share this information with state commissions to facilitate the National Direct—State Commission consultative process, largely due to grants system limitations.

Description: CNCS is seeking approval of AmeriCorps Application Instructions, which is used by Nonprofit organizations and State, Local, and Tribal Governments to apply for AmeriCorps funding.

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; State and Territories without Commissions; and State and National Planning.

OMB Numbers: 1545–0047.

Agency Number: None.

Affected Public: Nonprofit organization, State, Local and Tribal.

Total Respondents: 2,000.

Frequency: Annually or as grant solicitations require.

Average Time per Response: 80 hours.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 160,000 hours.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): None.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): None.

Dated: November 4, 2013.

Bill Basl,
Director, AmeriCorps.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Notice of Advisory Committee Closed Meeting; U.S. Strategic Command Strategic Advisory Group

AGENCY: Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice of Advisory Committee closed meeting.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense is publishing this notice to announce the following Federal Advisory Committee meeting of the U.S. Strategic Command Strategic Advisory Group.

DATES: December 10, 2013, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and December 11, 2013, from 8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

ADDRESSES: Dougherty Conference Center, Building 432, 906 SAC Boulevard, Offutt AFB, Nebraska 68113.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Bruce Sudduth, Designated Federal Officer, (402) 294–4102, 901 SAC Boulevard, Suite 1F7, Offutt AFB, NE 68113–6030.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is being held under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (5 U.S.C. App 2, Section 1), the Government in Sunshine Act of 1976 (5 U.S.C. § 552b), and 41 CFR 102–3.150.

Purpose of the Meeting: The purpose of the meeting is to provide advice on scientific, technical, intelligence, and policy-related issues to the Commander, U.S. Strategic Command, during the development of the Nation’s strategic war plans.


Meeting Accessibility: Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b, and 41 CFR 102–3.155, the Department of Defense has determined that the meeting shall be closed to the public. Per delegated authority by the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, General C. Robert Kehler, Commander, U.S. Strategic Command, in consultation with his legal advisor, has determined in writing that the public interest requires that all sessions of this meeting be closed to the public because they will be concerned with matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1).

Written Statements: Pursuant to 41 CFR 102–3.109(j) and 102–3.140, the public or interested organizations may submit written statements to the membership of the Strategic Advisory Group at any time or in response to the stated agenda of a planned meeting. Written statements should be submitted to the Strategic Advisory Group’s Designated Federal Officer; the Designated Federal Officer’s contact information can be obtained from the GSA’s FACAM Database—http://facasms.fido.gov/. Written statements that do not pertain to a scheduled meeting of the Strategic Advisory Group may be submitted at any time. However, if individual comments pertain to a specific topic being discussed at a planned meeting, then these statements must be submitted no later than five business days prior to the meeting in question. The Designated Federal Officer will review all submitted written
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Air Force

GPS Satellite Simulator Control Working Group Meeting

AGENCY: Space and Missile Systems Center, Global Positioning Systems (GPS) Directorate, Air Force, DoD.

ACTION: Meeting notice.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this notice to replace the initially posting to the Federal Register on October 24, 2013 Vol. 78 No. 206. This new meeting notice is to inform GPS simulator manufacturers, who supply products to the Department of Defense (DoD), and GPS simulator users, both government and DoD contractors, that the GPS Directorate will host a GPS Satellite Simulator Control Working Group (SSCWG) meeting on 6 December 2013 from 0900–1300 PST at Los Angeles Air Force Base.

The purpose of this meeting is to disseminate information about GPS simulators, discuss current and ongoing efforts related to GPS simulators, and to discuss future GPS simulator development. This event will be conducted as a classified meeting.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: We request that you register for this event no later than 29 November 2013. Please send your registration (name, organization, and email address) to wayne.urubio.3@us.af.mil and have your security personnel submit your VAR through JPAS. SMO Code: GPSD and POC: Lt Wayne Urubio, 310–653–4603. Please visit http://www.gps.gov/technical/sscwg/ for information regarding an address and a draft agenda.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Acquisition Regulations System

[Docket Number DARS–2013–0039]

Information Collection Requirement; Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Contract Pricing

AGENCY: Defense Acquisition Regulations System, Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Notice and request for comments regarding a proposed extension of an approved information collection requirement.

SUMMARY: In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35), DoD announces the proposed extension of a public information collection requirement and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. DoD invites comments on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of DoD, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the 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 the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has approved this information collection under Control Number 0704–0232 for use through January 31, 2014. DoD is proposing that OMB extend its approval for use for three additional years.

DATES: DoD will consider all comments received by January 7, 2014.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by OMB Control Number 0704–0232, using any of the following methods:


○ Email: dfars@osd.mil. Include OMB Control Number 0704–0232 in the subject line of the message.

○ Fax: (571) 372–6094.


Comments received generally will be posted without change to http://www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:


Needs and Uses: DoD contracting officers use DD Form 1861 in computing profit objectives for negotiated contracts. A DD Form 1861 is normally completed for each proposal for a contract for supplies or services that is priced and negotiated on the basis of cost analysis. The form enables contracting officers to differentiate profit objectives for various types of contractor assets (land, buildings, equipment). DoD needs this information to develop appropriate profit objectives when negotiating Government contracts.

DoD contracting officers need the information required by DFARS 215.407–5, Estimating systems, and the related contract clause at 252.215–7002, Cost Estimating System Requirements, to determine if a contractor has an acceptable system for generating cost estimates, and to monito the correction of any deficiencies.

Affected Public: Businesses and other for-profit entities.

Number of Respondents: 10,300.

Responses per Respondent:
Approximately 5.


Average Burden per Response:
Approximately 10 hours.

Annual Response Burden Hours:
538,480.

Reporting Frequency: On occasion.

Summary of Information Collection

DFARS 215.404–71–4, Facilities capital employed, requires the use of DD Form 1861 as a means of linking Form CASB–CMF, Facilities Capital Cost of Money Factors Computation, and DD Form 1547, Record of Weighted Guidelines Application. The contracting officer uses DD Form 1861 to record and compute contractor facilities capital cost of money and facilities capital employed, and carries the facilities