

years, after notification and opportunity for public comment, if NMFS finds that the taking will have a negligible impact on the species or stock(s), will not have an unmitigable adverse impact on the availability of the species or stock(s) for subsistence uses (where relevant), and if the permissible methods of taking and requirements pertaining to the mitigation, monitoring and reporting of such takings are set forth. NMFS has defined "negligible impact" in 50 CFR 216.103 as ". . . an impact resulting from the specified activity that cannot be reasonably expected to, and is not reasonably likely to, adversely affect the species or stock through effects on annual rates of recruitment or survival."

Regulations governing the take of six species of marine mammals, by Level B harassment, and the take of one species by Level A harassment, serious injury, or mortality incidental to operation of the Northstar development in the Beaufort Sea, Alaska, were issued on December 12, 2013 (78 FR 75488). These regulations are effective from January 13, 2014, through January 14, 2019 (78 FR 75488, December 12, 2013). The species which are authorized for taking by Level B harassment are: Bowhead, gray, and beluga whales and ringed, bearded, and spotted seals. BP is also authorized to take five individual ringed seals by injury or mortality annually over the course of the 5-year rule. For detailed information on this action, please refer to the final rule (78 FR 75488, December 12, 2013). These regulations include mitigation, monitoring, and reporting requirements for the incidental take of marine mammals during operation and maintenance activities at the BP Northstar development facility.

This LOA is effective from January 13, 2014, through January 14, 2019, and authorizes the incidental take of the six marine mammal species listed above that may result from operations, including maintenance activities, at the BP Northstar development in the U.S. Beaufort Sea.

Potential effects of BP's operation of the Norsthar development involve both acoustic and non-acoustic effects. Potential non-acoustic effects could result from the physical presence of personnel, structures and equipment, construction or maintenance activities, and the occurrence of oil spills. Ice road construction may also impact ringed seals. A major oil spill is unlikely. Potential acoustic effects could result from island construction, maintenance, and drilling, as well as vehicles operating on the ice, vessels, aircraft, generators, production machinery, gas flaring, and camp operations. Marine

mammals may experience masking and behavioral disturbance.

Take of marine mammals will be minimized through the implementation of the following mitigation measures: (1) Surveying with specially-trained dogs if any ice road or construction activities occur after March 1 in previously undisturbed areas in waters deeper than 10 ft (3 m) in order to identify and avoid ringed seal structures by a minimum of 492 ft (150 m); (2) scheduling all non-essential boat, hovercraft, barge, and air traffic to avoid periods when whales (especially bowhead whales) are migrating through the area; (3) maintaining a minimum altitude of 1,000 ft (305 m) and specific corridor from Seal Island to the mainland for all helicopter flights, except when limited by weather or personnel safety or during takeoffs and landings; (4) establishing exclusion zones for cetaceans and pinnipeds of 180 and 190 dB re 1 μ Pa (rms), respectively, when impact pile driving activities will occur; (5) shutting down impact pile driving activities if marine mammals enter the applicable exclusion zones; and (6) no new drilling into oil-bearing strata during either open-water or spring-time broken ice conditions. In addition to these mitigation measures, BP has an oil spill prevention and contingency plan in place, which was developed and approved by the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation, U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Coast Guard, and the former Minerals Management Service. Additionally, the rule includes an adaptive management component that allows for timely modification of mitigation or monitoring measures based on new information, when appropriate.

Through this LOA, BP is required to monitor for marine mammals using both visual observers and passive acoustic monitoring systems. BP is required to submit an annual report to NMFS by June 1 of each year. The report will include data collected from the visual and acoustic monitoring program during the period of November 1 through October 31 each year. Additional information on the mitigation, monitoring, and reporting requirements can be found in the final rule (78 FR 75488, December 12, 2013). BP is also required to submit a comprehensive report, which shall provide full documentation of methods, results, and interpretation of all monitoring during the period of effectiveness of this LOA.

Dated: January 14, 2014.

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BUREAU OF CONSUMER FINANCIAL PROTECTION

[Docket No: CFPB-2014-0002]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection.

ACTION: Notice and request for comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (Bureau) is proposing to renew the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for an existing information collection titled, "Fair Credit Reporting Act (Regulation V) 12 CFR 1022".

DATES: Written comments are encouraged and must be received on or before February 20, 2014 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by the title of the information collection, OMB Control Number (see below), and docket number (see above), by any of the following methods:

- *Electronic:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

- *Mail/Hand Delivery/Courier:* Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (Attention: PRA Office), 1700 G Street NW., Washington, DC 20552.

Please note that comments submitted by fax or email and those submitted after the comment period will not be accepted. In general, all comments received will be posted without change to www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided. Sensitive personal information, such as account numbers or social security numbers, should not be included.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Documentation prepared in support of this information collection request is available at www.reginfo.gov. Requests for additional information should be directed to the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, (Attention: PRA Office), 1700 G Street NW., Washington, DC 20552, (202) 435-9575, or email: PRA@cfpb.gov. Please do not submit comments to this email box.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title of Collection: Fair Credit Reporting Act (Regulation V) 12 CFR Part 1022.

OMB Control Number: 3170-0002.

Type of Review: Extension without change of a currently approved collection.

Affected Public: Private sector.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 155.¹

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 4,156,000.

Abstract: The consumer disclosures included in Regulation V are designed to alert consumers that a financial institution furnished negative information about them to a consumer reporting agency, that they have a right to opt out of receiving marketing materials and credit or insurance offers, that their credit report was used in setting the material terms of credit that may be less favorable than the terms offered to consumers with better credit histories, that they maintain certain rights with respect to a theft of their identity that they reported to a consumer reporting agency, that they maintain rights with respect to knowing what is in their consumer reporting agency file, that they can request a free credit report, and that they can report a theft of their identity to the CFPB. Consumers then can use the information provided to consider how and when to check and use their credit reports.

Request for Comments: The Bureau issued a 60-day **Federal Register** notice on July 25, 2013 [78 FR 44930]. Comments were solicited and continue to be invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Bureau, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) The accuracy of the Bureau's estimate of the burden of the collection of information, including the validity of the methods and the assumptions used; (c) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or

¹ The Bureau allocated half of the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) burden amount after subtracting the burden which the FTC has attributed to itself for motor vehicle dealers. Section 1029 of the Dodd-Frank Act exempts certain motor vehicle dealers from the Bureau's enforcement authority. However, due to the difficulty of making a reliable estimate of those dealers, the FTC has attributed to itself the PRA burden for all motor vehicle dealers. This attribution does not change the actual enforcement authority of either the FTC or the CFPB.

included in the request for Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Dated: January 14, 2014.

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Chief Information Officer, Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection.

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CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Corporation for National and Community Service.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a pre-clearance consultation program to provide the general public and federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirement on respondents can be properly assessed.

Currently, CNCS is soliciting comments concerning its proposed AmeriCorps Competitive Advantage study. The primary purpose of the analysis is to identify any competitive advantage in the job market that may be conferred by AmeriCorps experience. Collection of this data is not required for obtaining grant funding support from CNCS.

Copies of the information collection request can be obtained by contacting the office listed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the individual and office listed in the **ADDRESSES** section by March 24, 2014.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by the title of the information collection activity, by any of the following methods:

(1) By mail sent to: Corporation for National and Community Service, Office of Research and Evaluation; Attention Adrienne DiTommaso, Research

Assistant, 10th floor, 10902A; 1201 New York Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20525.

(2) By hand delivery or by courier to the CNCS mailroom at Room 8100 at the mail address given in paragraph (1) above, between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

(3) Electronically through www.regulations.gov.

Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TTY-TDD) may call 1-800-833-3722 between 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Adrienne DiTommaso, (202) 606-3611, or by email at aditommaso@cns.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: CNCS is particularly interested in comments that:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of CNCS, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are expected to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology (e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses).

Background

The primary purpose of the analysis is to identify any competitive advantage in the job market that may be conferred by AmeriCorps experience. The results of the analysis will inform CNCS policy at large, programming content and policy, and further lines of research around economic outcomes of national service members.

This is a new information collection request. This study would administer a 15 minute, online survey to a sample of managers with hiring authority in the public, private, and non-profit sectors. The survey consists of a section comprised of experimental questions regarding managers' hiring preferences when considering applicant skill and experience profiles, and a section of demographic questions.

Type of Review: New.