

Alexandria, VA 22311-1850 or call (703) 824-2885.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title; OMB Number:* Impact of ChalleNGe on Participants' Noncognitive Skills; OMB Control Number: 0704-TBD.

*Needs and Uses:* The information collection requirement is necessary to obtain data on the noncognitive skills of National Guard Youth ChalleNGe program participants at the beginning and the end of their participation in the program. The data will be used by DoD to evaluate whether the ChalleNGe program positively impacts participants' noncognitive skills. The data will also be used to determine whether there are program-specific differences in terms of the impact.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 334 Hours.

*Number of Respondents:* 1,200.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.667.

*Average Burden per Response:* 10 minutes.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

Respondents are cadets enrolled in the National Guard Youth ChalleNGe program. The ChalleNGe program, operated jointly by states and the state National Guard units, targets at-risk male and female youth ages 16-18. Today there are 34 programs in 28 states (plus Puerto Rico). Several states have multiple campuses. It is a 22-week residential program that includes instruction on academic subjects in an effort to help cadets attain a GED (General Education Development) credential. The program also focuses on noncognitive skills (those skills which are not academic in nature including motivation and perseverance) which have been shown to be a determining factor in educational and economic success. To date, no research has been done to assess the degree to which the ChalleNGe program improves participants' noncognitive skills. This information collection will provide data on the noncognitive skills of program participants both before and after their completion of the program. The data will be used to evaluate the program's effectiveness in this area.

Dated: January 27, 2014.

**Aaron Siegel,**

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

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Department of the Army**

[Docket ID USA-2013-0040]

**Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by March 3, 2014.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Fred Licari, 571-372-0493.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title, Associated Form and OMB Number:* U.S. Army ROTC 4-Year College Scholarship Application (For High School Students); OMB Control Number 0702-0073.

*Type of Request:* Extension.

*Number of Respondents:* 11,369.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 11,369.

*Average Burden per Response:* 45 minutes.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 8,527 hours.

*Needs and Uses:* The Army ROTC Program produces approximately 80 percent of the newly commissioned officers for the U.S. Army. The Army ROTC scholarship is an incentive to attract men and women to pursue educational degrees in the academic disciplines required by the Army. The information is collected annually.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or Households.

*Frequency:* Annually.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to Obtain or Retain Benefits.

*OMB Desk Officer:* Ms. Jasmeet Seehra.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Jasmeet Seehra at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

You may also submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by the following method:

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

*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.

*DOD Clearance Officer:* Ms. Patricia Toppings.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Toppings at WHS/ESD Information Management Division, 4800 Mark Center Drive, East Tower, Suite 02G09, Alexandria, VA 22350-3100.

Dated: January 27, 2014.

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Office of the Secretary**

[Docket ID DoD-2013-OS-0102]

**Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by March 3, 2014.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Fred Licari, 571-372-0493.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title, Associated Form And Omb Number:* Statement of Claimant Requesting Recertified Check; DD 2660; OMB Control Number 0730-0002.

*Type of Request:* Extension.

*Number of Respondents:* 38,157.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 38,157.

*Average Burden per Response:* 5 minutes.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 3,180.

*Needs and Uses:* In accordance with TFM Volume 1, Part 4, Section 7060.20 and DoD 7000.14-R, Volume 5, there is a requirement that a payee identify himself/herself and certify as to what happened to the original check issued by the government (non-receipt, loss, destruction, theft, etc.). This collection will be used to identify rightful reissuance of government checks to individuals or businesses outside the Department of Defense.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit; individuals or households; or other for-profit.