DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

[OMB Number 1121–NEW]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection Comments Requested; New Collection: Survey of Law Enforcement Personnel in Schools (SLEPS)

AGENCY: Bureau of Justice Statistics, Department of Justice.

ACTION: 60-Day notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Statistics, will be submitting the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for 60 days until April 22, 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have additional comments especially on the estimated public burden or associated response time, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or additional information, please contact Elizabeth Davis, Statistician, Law Enforcement Statistics, Bureau of Justice Statistics, 810 Seventh Street NW, Washington, DC 20531 (email: Elizabeth.Davis@usdoj.gov; telephone: 202–305–2667).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

—Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Bureau of Justice Statistics, 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;
—Evaluate whether and if so how the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected can be enhanced; and
—Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of This Information Collection

(1) Type of Information Collection: New collection.
(2) The Title of the Form/Collection: Survey of Law Enforcement Personnel in Schools (SLEPS).
(3) The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection: The form number for the agency survey is SLEPS–1; the form number for the officer survey is SLEPS–2. The applicable component within the Department of Justice is the Bureau of Justice Statistics, in the Office of Justice Programs.
(4) Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract: Respondents will be law enforcement agencies (LEAs), including school-based police; municipal, county, and regional police; sheriff’s offices; and school resource officers (SROs) employed by these LEAs.

SLEPS will examine law enforcement involvement in ensuring safety in schools by conducting both an agency-level and an officer-level survey. The agency-level survey asks about departmental policies and agreements with schools; funding sources and the number/type of schools served; and SRO recruitment, training, and supervision. The officer-level survey asks SROs about their experience as a law enforcement officer, training, activities in schools, and characteristics of their primary assignment. SLEPS will provide key national statistics to fill the knowledge gap surrounding law enforcement in schools and further the school safety agenda.

(5) An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond: An agency-level survey will be sent to approximately 1,982 LEA respondents. The expected burden placed on these respondents is about 30 minutes per respondent. These respondents will also receive an officer roster form which has an expected burden of about 10 minutes per respondent. It is expected that approximately 1,367 agencies will complete the roster form. A point of contact (POC) at these 1,367 agencies will be asked to distribute an officer-level survey to approximately 4,137 school resource officers. The expected burden is about 20 minutes per POC to distribute survey materials and about 30 minutes per officer to complete the survey.

(6) An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: The total respondent burden is approximately 3,743 burden hours.

If additional information is required contact: Melody Braswell, Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Justice Management Division, Policy and Planning Staff, Two Constitution Square, 145 N Street NE, 3E.405B, Washington, DC 20530.


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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request; Apprenticeship Powered by Industry (API) Data Collection

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor’s (DOL’s), Employment and Training Administration (ETA) is soliciting comments concerning proposed authority to conduct the voluntary information collection request (ICR) titled, “Apprenticeship Powered by Industry (API) Data Collection.” This comment request is part of continuing Departmental efforts to reduce paperwork and respondent burden in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA).

DATES: Consideration will be given to all written comments received by April 22, 2019.

ADDRESSES: A copy of this ICR with applicable supporting documentation, including a description of the likely respondents, proposed frequency of response, and estimated total burden, may be obtained free by contacting Carolyn Renick by telephone at 202–693–3364 (this is not a toll-free number), TTY 1–877–889–5627 (this is not a toll-free number), or by email at renick.carolyn@ dol.gov.

Submit written comments about, or requests for a copy of, this ICR by mail or courier to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Office of Apprenticeship, Room C–5311, 200 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20210; by email: renick.carolyn@dol.gov; or by Fax (202) 693–3799.
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Carolyn Renick by telephone at 202–693–3364 (this is not a toll-free number) or by email at renick.carolyn@dol.gov.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: DOL, as part of continuing efforts to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a pre-clearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information before submitting them to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for final approval. This program helps to ensure 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 requirements can be properly assessed.

The information collection described in this notice will provide data to (1) estimate the number of business establishments that currently operate apprenticeship-like earn-and-learn programs across industry groups, and (2) document descriptive information on these existing programs. This research is in direct response to Executive Order 13801, “Expanding Apprenticeships in America” (www.whitehouse.gov/presidential-actions/3245/), as well as the Secretary of Labor and the Office of Apprenticeship’s efforts to promote and expand apprenticeship and to establish Industry-Recognized Apprenticeship Programs (IRAPs).

The information collection activities include a brief five- to 10-minute survey of businesses that will gather information on any existing apprenticeship and apprenticeship-like earn-and-learn programs they operate. In addition to the survey, the study includes follow-up interviews with a purposive sample of businesses identified as having apprenticeship-like programs through the survey. The interview protocol will be used to gather more detailed, in-depth information on the existing programs, including the types of participants they serve, the skills they address, the certifications they provide, as well as how the businesses work with organizations to accredit the programs. The interview protocol will also inquire about businesses’ training decisions and experiences.

This Federal Register Notice provides the opportunity to comment on these two proposed data collection instruments. Additional details on each are presented below.

- **Business Survey.** Researchers will field a brief five- to 10-minute web-based survey of businesses that will gather information on any existing work-based learning programs they operate. Businesses that prefer to do so will be able to complete the survey over the phone.

- **Business Follow-up Interview Protocol.** Researchers will conduct half-hour phone interviews with a purposive sample of up to 120 businesses identified as having apprenticeship-like programs through the business survey. Executive Order 13801, “Expanding Apprenticeships in America” authorizes this information collection.

This information collection is subject to the PRA. A Federal agency generally cannot conduct or sponsor a collection of information, and the public is generally not required to respond to an information collection, unless it is approved by OMB under the PRA and displays a currently valid OMB Control Number. In addition, notwithstanding any other provisions of law, no person shall generally be subject to penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information that does not display a valid Control Number. See 5 CFR 1320.5(a) and 1320.6.

Interested parties are encouraged to provide comments to the contact shown in the ADDRESSES section. Comments must be written to receive consideration, and they will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval of the final ICR. In order to help ensure appropriate consideration, comments should mention 1205–0NEW. Submitted comments will also be a matter of public record for this ICR and posted on the internet, without redaction. DOL encourages commenters not to include personally identifiable information, confidential business data, or other sensitive statements/information in any comments.

DOL is particularly interested in comments that:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, 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 to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, (e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses).

Agency: DOL–ETA.

Type of Review: New.

Title of Collection: Apprenticeship

Powered by Industry (API) Data Collection.


OMB Control Number: 1205–0NEW.

Affected Public: Businesses.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 6,840.

Frequency: Once.

Total Estimated Annual Responses: 6,840.

Estimated Average Time per Response: (Survey 6.5 minutes; Interview 30 minutes).

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 788 hours.

Total Estimated Annual Other Cost Burden: $0.

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LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

Copyright Royalty Board


Distribution of Cable Royalty Funds

AGENCY: Copyright Royalty Board (CRB), Library of Congress.

ACTION: Final allocation determination; correction.

SUMMARY: The Copyright Royalty Judges published a document in the Federal Register of February 12, 2019, concerning allocation of cable royalty funds. The document contained an incorrect reference to satellite royalty funds in the Summary and was missing citations in four footnotes.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Anita Blaine, CRB Program Specialist, by phone at (202) 707–7658 or by email at crb@loc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Correction

In the Federal Register of February 12, 2019, in FR Doc. 2019–01544, on page 3552, in the first column, correct the Summary to read: The Copyright Royalty Judges announce the allocation of shares of cable royalty funds for the