automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Nicole Bouchet by telephone at 202–693–0213, or by email at DOL_PRA_PUBLIC@dol.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The information collection requirements specified in the Commercial Diving Operations (CDO) Standard (29 CFR part 1910, subpart T) for general industry helps protect workers from the adverse health effects that may result from their involvement in CDO, and provide access to these records by OSHA, the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, the affected workers, and designated representatives. The information collection requirements of the Standard are directed toward assuring the safety and health of divers exposed to hyperbaric conditions during and after underwater activities. Also, the required recordkeeping is intended to bring about a safe workplace and assure the safety of divers. For additional substantive information about this ICR, see the related notice published in the Federal Register on March 2, 2022 (87 FR 11733).

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, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, unless OMB approves the information collection 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 OMB Control Number. See 5 CFR 1320.5(a) and 1320.6.

DOL seeks PRA authorization for this information collection for three (3) years. OMB authorization for an ICR cannot be for more than three (3) years without renewal. The DOL notes that information collection requirements submitted to the OMB for existing ICRs receive a month-to-month extension while they undergo review.

Agency: DOL—OSHA.
Title of Collection: Commercial Diving Operations Standard.

OMB Control Number: 1218–0069.
Affected Public: Private Sector—Businesses or other for-profits.
Total Estimated Number of Respondents: 1,153.
Total Estimated Number of Responses: 1,397,799.
Total Estimated Annual Time Burden: 170,806 hours.
Total Estimated Annual Other Costs Burden: $0.

(Authority: 44 U.S.C. 3504(a)(1)(D))
Nicole Bouchet,
Senior PRA Analyst.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; National Longitudinal Survey of Youth 1979

ACTION: Notice of availability; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor (DOL) is submitting this Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS)-sponsored information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA). Public comments on the ICR are invited.

DATES: The OMB will consider all written comments that the agency receives on or before July 6, 2022.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function.

Comments are invited on: (1) whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Department, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) if the information will be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) the accuracy of the agency’s estimates of the burden and cost of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (4) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and (5) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nicole Bouchet by telephone at 202–693–0213, or by email at DOL_PRA_PUBLIC@dol.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Longitudinal Survey of Youth 1979 (NLSY79) is a representative national sample of children who were born in the years 1957 to 1964 and lived in the U.S. in 1979. These respondents were ages 14 to 22 when the first round of interviews began in 1979; they were ages 57 to 64 as of December 31, 2021. The NLSY79 was conducted annually from 1979 to 1994 and has been conducted biennially since 1994. The longitudinal focus of this survey requires information to be collected from the same individuals over many years in order to trace their education, training, work experience, fertility, income, and program participation.

In addition to the main NLSY79, the biological children of female NLSY79 respondents have been surveyed since 1986. A battery of child cognitive, socio-emotional, and physiological assessments was administered biennially from 1986 until 2012 to NLSY79 mothers and their children. Starting in 1994, children who had reached age 15 by December 31 of the survey year (the Young Adults) were interviewed about their work experiences, training, schooling, health, fertility, self-esteem, and other topics. Funding for the NLSY79 Child and Young Adult surveys has been provided by the Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development through an interagency agreement with the BLS and through a grant awarded to researchers at the Ohio State University Center for Human Resource Research. The collection referenced in this notice does not include a collection of the NLSY79 Child and Young Adult surveys, but additional collections may be contemplated in the future.

One of the goals of the Department of Labor is to produce and disseminate timely, accurate, and relevant information about the U.S. labor force. The BLS contributes to this goal by gathering information about the labor force and labor market and disseminating it to policymakers and the public so that participants in those markets can make more informed, and thus more efficient, choices. Research based on the NLSY79 contributes to the formation of national policy in the areas of education, training, employment programs, school-to-work transitions, and preparations for retirement. In addition to the reports that the BLS produces based on data from the NLSY79, members of the academic community publish articles and reports based on NLSY79 data for the DOL and other funding agencies. To date, more than 2,750 articles examining NLSY79 data have been published in scholarly journals. The survey design provides data gathered from the same respondents over time to form the only data set that contains this type of information for this important
population group. Without the
collection of these data, an accurate
longitudinal data set could not be
provided to researchers and
policymakers, thus adversely affecting
the DOL’s ability to perform its policy-
and report-making activities. For
additional substantive information
about this ICR, see the related notice
published in the Federal Register
on March 1, 2022 (87 FR 11484).
Agency: DOL–BLS.
Title of Collection: National
OMB Control Number: 1220–0109.
Affected Public: Individuals or
households.
Total Estimated Number of
Respondents: 6,355.
Total Estimated Number of
Responses: 6,455.
Total Estimated Annual Time Burden:
7,318 hours.
Total Estimated Annual Other Costs
Burdens: $0.
(Industry: 44 U.S.C. 3507(a)(1)(D))
Nicole Bouchet,
Senior PRA Analyst.
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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Mine Safety and Health Administration

Petition for Modification of Application
of Existing Mandatory Safety
Standards

AGENCY: Mine Safety and Health
Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice is a summary of
a petition for modification submitted to
the Mine Safety and Health
Administration (MSHA) by the party
listed below.

DATES: All comments on the petition
must be received by MSHA’s Office of
Standards, Regulations, and Variances
on or before July 6, 2022.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments
identified by Docket No. MSHA–2022–
0029 by any of the following methods:
1. Federal eRulemaking Portal:
https://www.regulations.gov. Follow the
instructions for submitting comments for
MSHA–2022–0029.
2. Fax: 202–693–9441.
3. Email: petitioncomments@dol.gov.
4. Regular Mail or Hand Delivery:
MSHA, Office of Standards,
Regulations, and Variances, 201 12th
Street South, Suite 4E401, Arlington,
Virginia 22202–5452. Attention: S.
Aromie Noe, Director, Office of
Standards, Regulations, and Variances.
Persons delivering documents are
required to check in at the receptionist’s
desk in Suite 4E401. Individuals may
inspect copies of the petition and
comments during normal business
hours at the address listed above. Before
visiting MSHA in person, call 202–693–
9455 to make an appointment, in
keeping with the Department of Labor’s
COVID–19 policy. Special health
precautions may be required.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
S. Aromie Noe, Office of Standards,
Regulations, and Variances at 202–693–
9440 (voice), Petitionsformodification@
dol.gov (email), or 202–693–9441 (fax).
These are not toll-free numbers.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section
101(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and
Health Act of 1977 and title 30 of the
Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) part
44 govern the application, processing,
and disposition of petitions for
modification.

I. Background

Section 101(c) of the Federal Mine
Safety and Health Act of 1977 (Mine
Act) allows the mine operator or
representative of miners to file a
petition to modify the application of any
mandatory safety standard to a coal or
other mine if the Secretary of Labor
determines that:
1. An alternative method of achieving
the result of such standard exists which
will at all times guarantee no less than
the same measure of protection afforded
the miners of such mine by such
standard; or
2. The application of such standard to
such mine will result in a diminution of
safety to the miners in such mine.

In addition, sections 44.10 and 44.11
of 30 CFR establish the requirements for
filing petitions for modification.

II. Petition for Modification

Docket Number: M–2022–008–C.
Petitioner: Panther Creek Mining LLC,
250 West Main Street, Suite 2000,
Lexington, Kentucky 40507.
Mine: Sycamore Surface Mine, MSHA
ID No. 43–07058, located in Fayette
County, West Virginia.
Regulation Affected: 30 CFR 75.1700,
Oil and gas wells.

Modification Request: The petitioner
requests a modification of 30 CFR
75.1700 to permit plugging a gas well.

The petitioner states that:
(a) The mine is located at Tom’s
Branch/Sycamore Creek of the Cabin
Creek District.
(b) The Lower Chilton seam will be
the last seam mined on the ridge, and
the mining is projected to extend west
towards the end of the ridge of the mine
permit. Well # 70 is in the middle of the
ridge and will impede the mining on the
ridge if it is not plugged and mined
through.
(c) The gas well depth extends
approximately 3,800 feet below the
Lower Chilton seam.

The petitioner proposes the following
alternative method:
(1) A diligent effort shall be made to
clean the borehole to the original total
depth. If this depth cannot be reached,
the borehole shall be cleaned out to a
depth which would permit the
placement of at least 400 feet of
expanding cement below the base of the
lowest minable coalbed.
(2) When cleaning the borehole, a
diligent effort shall be made to remove
all the casing in the borehole. If it is not
possible to remove all casing, casing
which remains shall be perforated, or
ripped, at intervals spaced close enough
to permit expanding cement slurry to
infiltrate the annulus between the
casing and the borehole wall for a
distance of at least 200 feet below the
base of the lowest minable coalbed.
(3) If the cleaned-out borehole
produces gas, a mechanical bridge plug
shall be placed in the borehole in a
competent stratum at least 200 feet
below the base of the lowest minable
coalbed, but above the top of the
upmost hydrocarbon producing stratum.
If it is not possible to set a
mechanical bridge plug, a substantial
brush plug may be used in place of the
mechanical bridge plug.
(4) A suite of logs shall be made
consisting of: a caliper survey
directional deviation survey; and log(s)
suitable for determining the top and
bottom of the lowest minable coalbed
and potential hydrocarbon producing
strata and the location for the bridge
plug.
(5) If the uppermost hydrocarbon-
producing stratum is within 200 feet of
the base of the lowest minable coalbed,
properly placed mechanical bridge
plugs or a suitable brush plug described
in section (a)(3) shall be used to isolate
the hydrocarbon producing stratum
from the expanding cement plug.

Nevertheless, a minimum of 200 feet
of expanding cement shall be placed below
the lowest minable coalbed.
(6) The wellbore shall be filled and
circulated with a gel that inhibits any
flow of gas, supports the walls of the
borehole, and densifies the expanding
cement. This gel shall be pumped
through open end tubing run to a point