

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Employment and Training Administration****Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment request; Revision of H-2A Temporary Agricultural Labor Certification Program**

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice; reopening of comment period.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor (Department) is reopening the comment period for the Notice, “Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment request; Revision of H-2A Temporary Agricultural Labor Certification Program”, published in the **Federal Register** on September 10, 2025. The Department is taking this action to allow interested persons additional time to submit comments.

DATES: The comment period for the Notice published September 10, 2025, at 90 FR 43640, is reopened. Consideration will be given to all written comments received by January 16, 2026.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments on this information request, identified by OMB Control Number 1205-0466, by emailing Brian Pasternak at *ETA.OFLC.Forms@dol.gov*.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brian Pasternak, Administrator, Office of Foreign Labor Certification (OFLC), by email at *ETA.OFLC.Forms@dol.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On September 10, 2025, the Employment and Training Administration published a 60-day **Federal Register** notice at 90 FR 43640 for the public to comment on proposed revisions to the ICR covered under *H-2A Temporary Agricultural Labor Certification Program* OMB Control Number 1205-0466 based on changes proposed through the notice of proposed rulemaking “Recission of Final Rule: Improving Protections for Workers in Temporary Agricultural Employment in the United States.” The notice of proposed rulemaking proposed to rescind provisions of the H-2A final rule published by the Department on April 29, 2024. Due to the government shutdown, the public could not request copies of all associated forms and materials and review those materials to inform potential comments on the **Federal Register** notice because OFLC staff were not available to provide those documents during a significant portion

of the 60-day comment period, which concluded on November 10, 2025.

This notice ensures the public has the opportunity to request the supporting documents with the proposed changes to the ICR covered under 1205-0466, in order to make fully informed comments about the changes proposed through the **Federal Register** notice. Therefore, the Department is reopening the 60-day comment period until January 16, 2026 to allow the public additional time to request the support documents and provide comments related to the ICR covered under 1205-0466.

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Acting Assistant Secretary for Employment and Training, Labor.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Award Closure Statement Documents**

ACTION: Notice of availability; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor (DOL) is submitting this Employment and Training Administration (ETA)-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 January 16, 2026.

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.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael Howell by telephone at 202-693-6782, or by email at *DOL_PRA_PUBLIC@dol.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This ICR supports the collection of Award Closure Statement Documents, which are necessary to evaluate grants that have reached a period of performance

end date. For additional substantive information about this ICR, see the related notice published in the **Federal Register** on May 13, 2025 (90 FR 20319).

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) 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; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and (4) 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.

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 the OMB approves it 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-ETA.

Title of Collection: Award Closure Statement Documents.

OMB Control Number: 1205-0555.

Affected Public: State, Local and Tribal Government.

Total Estimated Number of Respondents: 1,100.

Total Estimated Number of Responses: 3,300.

Total Estimated Annual Time Burden: 1,100 hours.

Total Estimated Annual Other Costs Burden: \$0.

(Authority: 44 U.S.C. 3507(a)(1)(D))

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