

## APPENDIX

[28 TAA petitions instituted between 4/23/12 and 4/27/12]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of Petition
81525	Parkdale Mills—Plant #42 (Company)	Lavonia, GA	04/23/12	04/09/12
81526	Philips Healthcare/Respironics (Workers)	Murrysville, PA	04/23/12	03/15/12
81527	Alliant Techsystems, Inc. (ATK) (Workers)	Radford, VA	04/24/12	04/18/12
81528	McKesson Corporation (Workers)	San Francisco, CA	04/24/12	04/12/12
81529	WellPoint, Inc., Central Region Service Operations, Enrollment and Billing (Company).	4 Locations in IN, KY and OH,;	04/24/12	04/23/12
81530	Allied Tube & Conduit (Union)	Morrisville, PA	04/24/12	04/23/12
81531	American Achievement Corporation (Company)	Austin, TX	04/24/12	04/23/12
81532	Verizon Data Services, LLC (Workers)	Temple Terrace, FL	04/24/12	04/14/12
81533	CDR Systems Corp. (Company)	Estherville, IA	04/25/12	04/24/12
81534	Yale Locks & Hardware (Company)	Lenoir City, TN	04/25/12	04/18/12
81535	Cardinal Glass Industries TG (Company)	Chehalis, WA	04/26/12	04/25/12
81536	Cannon Equipment (Company)	Chattanooga, TN	04/26/12	04/25/12
81537	BASF Corporation (State/One-Stop)	Southfield, MI	04/26/12	04/25/12
81538	State Journal Register (State/One-Stop)	Springfield, IL	04/26/12	04/25/12
81539	Philips Healthcare/Respironic (Workers)	Murrysville, PA	04/26/12	04/25/12
81540	Rock Creek Athletics, Inc., 203 6th Avenue West, a subsidiary of Neff Motive (State/One-Stop).	Grinnell, IA	04/26/12	04/24/12
81541	Extrusion Technologies (State/One-Stop)	Randolph, MA	04/26/12	04/25/12
81542	Silver City Aluminum (State/One-Stop)	Taunton, MA	04/26/12	04/25/12
81543	Armstrong World Industries (State/One-Stop)	Center, TX	04/26/12	04/25/12
81544	Electronics Research, Inc. (Company)	Gray, ME	04/27/12	04/26/12
81545	Alexandria Industries (State/One-Stop)	Alexandria, MN	04/27/12	04/26/12
81546	Lawson Software Inc., dba Infor Lawson (State/One-Stop)	St. Paul, MN	04/27/12	04/26/12
81547	Joerns Healthcare, LLC (Company)	Stevens Point, WI	04/27/12	04/25/12
81548	Stanley Furniture Company, Inc. (Company)	Stanleytown, VA	04/27/12	04/26/12
81549	Walgreens Specialty Pharmacy (Workers)	Ann Arbor, MI	04/27/12	04/26/12
81550	Mersen (State/One-Stop)	Greenville, MI	04/27/12	04/25/12
81551	National Spinning Co. Inc. (Workers)	Washington, NC	04/27/12	04/19/12
81552	Aon Hewitt (State/One-Stop)	Lincolnshire, IL	04/27/12	04/17/12

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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****Bureau of Labor Statistics****Proposed Collection, Comment Request****ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Labor, 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 requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) is soliciting comments concerning the proposed revision for the

collection of the “BLS Data Sharing Program.” A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the individual listed below in the Addresses section of this notice.

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the Addresses section of this notice on or before July 16, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments to Amelia Vogel, BLS Clearance Officer, Division of Management Systems, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Room 4080, 2 Massachusetts Avenue NE., Washington, DC 20212. Written comments may be transmitted by fax to 202-691-5111. (This is not a toll free number.)

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Amelia Vogel, BLS Clearance Officer, 202-691-6138. (See Addresses section.)

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****I. Background**

An important aspect of the mission of the BLS is to disseminate to the public the maximum amount of information possible. Not all data are publicly available because of the importance of maintaining the confidentiality of BLS data. However, the BLS has

opportunities available on a limited basis for eligible researchers to access confidential data for purposes of conducting valid statistical analyses that further the mission of the BLS as permitted in the Confidential Information Protection and Statistical Efficiency Act of 2002 (CIPSEA). The BLS makes confidential data available to eligible researchers through three major programs:

1. The Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries (CFOI), as part of the BLS occupational safety and health statistics program, compiles a count of all fatal work injuries occurring in the U.S. in each calendar year. Multiple sources are used in order to provide as complete and accurate information concerning workplace fatalities as possible. A research file containing CFOI data is made available offsite to eligible researchers.

2. The National Longitudinal Surveys of Youth (NLSY) is designed to document the transition from school to work and into adulthood. The NLSY collects extensive information about youths' labor market behavior and educational experiences over time. The NLSY includes three different cohorts: The National Longitudinal Survey of Youth 1979 (NLSY79), the NLSY79

Young Adult Survey, and the National Longitudinal Survey of Youth 1997 (NLSY97). NLSY data beyond the public use data are made available in greater detail through an offsite program to eligible researchers.

3. Additionally, the BLS makes available data from several employment, compensation, prices, and working conditions surveys to eligible researchers for onsite use. Eligible researchers can access these data in researcher rooms at the BLS national office in Washington, DC

**II. Current Action**

Office of Management and Budget clearance is being sought for the BLS Data Sharing Program. In order to provide access to confidential data, the BLS must determine that the researcher's project will be exclusively

statistical in nature and that the researcher is eligible based on guidelines set out in CIPSEA, the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) implementation guidance on CIPSEA, and BLS policy. This information collection provides the vehicle through which the BLS will obtain the necessary details to ensure all researchers and projects comply with appropriate laws and policies.

**III. Desired Focus of Comments**

The Bureau of Labor Statistics 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.

- 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 submissions of responses.

*Type of Review:* Revision.

*Agency:* Bureau of Labor Statistics.

*Title:* BLS Data Sharing Program.

*OMB Number:* 1220-0180.

*Affected Public:* Individuals.

Form	Total respondents	Frequency	Total responses	Average time per response	Estimated total burden hours
CFOI Application .....	10	On occasion .....	10	35 minutes .....	6
NLS Application .....	134	On occasion .....	134	30 minutes .....	67
Onsite Researcher Application.	28	On occasion .....	28	20 hours .....	560
Totals .....	172	.....	172	.....	633

*Total Burden Cost (capital/startup):* \$0.

*Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance):* \$0.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection request; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: Signed at Washington, DC, this 14th day of May 2012.

**Kimberley D. Hill,**

*Chief, Division of Management Systems, Bureau of Labor Statistics.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**Occupational Safety and Health Administration**

[Docket Number: OSHA-2012-0020]

**Whistleblower Protection Advisory Committee (WPAC)**

**AGENCY:** Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), DOL.

**ACTION:** Notice of establishment of the Whistleblower Protection Advisory Committee (WPAC).

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5. U.S.C., App. 2), the Secretary of Labor intends to establish the Whistleblower Protection Advisory Committee (WPAC).

The WPAC advises, consults with, and makes recommendations to the Secretary of Labor (Secretary) and the Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health (Assistant Secretary) on ways to improve the fairness, efficiency, effectiveness and transparency of OSHA's whistleblower protection activities.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** *For press inquiries:* Mr. Francis Meilinger, OSHA, Office of Communications, Room N-3647, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20210; Telephone: (202) 693-1999. This is not a toll-free number. Email: [meilinger.francis2@dol.gov](mailto:meilinger.francis2@dol.gov).

*For general information:* Sandra Dillon, Director, Office of the Whistleblower Protection Program, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-3610, 200 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20210; telephone (202) 693-2199. This is not a

toll-free number. Email: [dillon.sandra@dol.gov](mailto:dillon.sandra@dol.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** With this **Federal Register** notice, the Assistant Secretary notifies the public of the establishment of Whistleblower Protection Advisory Committee (WPAC). WPAC's duties will be solely advisory and consultative. WPAC will advise, consult with, and make recommendations to the Secretary and the Assistant Secretary on ways to improve the fairness, efficiency, effectiveness, and transparency of OSHA's whistleblower protection activities. In particular, WPAC will make recommendations regarding the development and/or implementation of:

- Better customer service to both workers who raise complaints and employers who are the subject of investigations;
- Improvement in the investigative and enforcement process, and the training of OSHA investigators;
- Improvement of regulations governing OSHA investigations;
- Cooperative activities with federal agencies responsible for areas also covered by the whistleblower protection statutes enforced by OSHA; and
- Other matters concerning the fairness, efficiency and transparency of OSHA's whistleblower investigations as