

information collection may be obtained from Steven Ford at the above address.

The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) is required to make a decision concerning the collection of information contained in these proposed regulations between 30 and 60 days after submission to OMB. Therefore, a comment to OMB is best assured of having its full effect if OMB receives it within 30 days of publication. This does not affect the deadline for the public to comment on the proposed regulation.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Signed at Washington, DC, on June 20, 1996.

Bruce R. Weber,

Administrator, Farm Service Agency.

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Food and Consumer Service

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request—School Meals Initiative for Healthy Children

AGENCY: Food and Consumer Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this Notice announces the Food and Consumer Service's (FCS) intention to request Office of Management and Budget (OMB) review of the adjustments to be made to the information collections for the National School Lunch Program and the School Breakfast Program as a result of the final rule, National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program: School

Meals Initiative for Healthy Children, published in the Federal Register on June 13, 1995. This Notice addresses the information collections in that final rule.

DATES: To be assured of consideration, comments must be received by August 26, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Send comments and requests for copies of this information to: Mr. Terry Hallberg, Chief, Program Analysis and Monitoring Branch, Child Nutrition Division, Food and Consumer Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Room 1008, Alexandria, Virginia 22302.

Comments are invited on the following areas: (a) 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; (b) 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; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to 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.

All responses to this Notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval, and will become a matter of public record.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Terry Hallberg at (703) 305-2600.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Titles: 7 CFR Part 210, National School Lunch Program, and 7 CFR Part 220, School Breakfast Program.

OMB Numbers: 0584-0006 and 0584-0012, respectively

Expiration Dates: November 30, 1996, and August 31, 1996, respectively.

Type of requests: Revision of existing collections.

Abstract: The final rule, National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program: School Meals Initiative for Healthy Children, was published at 60 FR 31188, June 13, 1995. The final rule implemented provisions on nutrition standards, menu planning alternatives and administrative streamlining, and reflects the Department's review of the comments received on those proposals.

In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Department is now providing the public with the opportunity to provide comments on the information collection requirements of the final rule. Organizations and individuals desiring to submit comments regarding this burden estimate or any aspects of these information collection requirements, including suggestions for reducing the burdens, should direct them to the address above.

The information collections referenced reflect the collection requirements of the final rule and do not include any additional requirements. However, all comments and suggestions relating to the burden estimates or information collection requirements will receive full consideration.

Estimate of Burden: Under this Notice, the following existing reporting and recordkeeping activities contained in 7 CFR Parts 210 and 220 would be affected.

	Annual number of respondents	Annual frequency	Average burden per response	Annual burden hours
7 CFR 210.8 (a)(3) edit checks				
Existing	20,249 SFAs	12	2 hours	485,976
New	3,442 SFAs	12	2 hours	82,608
Difference .....	.....			-403,368
7 CFR 210.10 Nutrient/Analysis Menu Planning				
Existing	0	0	0	0
New	14,235 schools	180	.333	853,246
Difference .....	.....			+853,246
7 CFR 210.10/Food-Based Menu Planning				
Existing	71,176 schools	180	.25	3,202,920
New	56,941 schools	180	.25	2,562,345

	Annual number of respondents	Annual frequency	Average burden per response	Annual burden hours
Difference .....	.....	.....	.....	- 640,575
7 CFR 210.15 (b)(4) nonprofit				
Existing	20,249 SFAs*	12	52.333	12,716,291
New	0	0	0	0
Difference .....	.....	.....	.....	- 12,716,291
7 CFR 220.8/Nutrient Analysis				
Existing	0	0	0	0
New	12,117 schools	180	.117	255,184
Difference .....	.....	.....	.....	+255,184
7 CFR 220.8/Food-Based Menu Planning				
Existing	60,585	180	.083	905,140
New	48,468 schools	180	.083	724,112
Difference .....	.....	.....	.....	- 181,028
7 CFR 220.13(i) nonprofit				
Existing	5,568 SFAs	12	34	2,308,464
New	0	0	0	0
Difference .....	.....	.....	.....	-2,308,464

*SFA means school food authority.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: The total estimated annual burden for those respondents administering and/or operating the National School Lunch Program is 9,136,382 hours, with a reduction of 13,085,579 burden hours attributed to the elimination of requirements associated with performing edit checks and demonstrating nonprofitability. The total estimated annual burden for the School Breakfast Program is 3,667,170 hours, with a reduction of 2,650,801 burden hours attributed to the elimination of nonprofitability requirements.

Dated: June 19, 1996.

William E. Ludwig,
Administrator.

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request—Summer Food Service Program for Children

AGENCY: Food and Consumer Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this Notice announces the Food and Consumer Service's (FCS) intention to request Office of Management and Budget (OMB) review of the information

collections for the Summer Food Service Program for Children (SFSP).

DATES: To be assured of consideration, comments must be received by August 26, 1996.

ADDRESS: Send comments and requests for copies of this information collection to: Mr. Terry Hallberg, Chief, Program Analysis and Monitoring Branch, Child Nutrition Division, Food and Consumer Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Room 1008, Alexandria, Virginia 22302.

Comments are invited on: (a) 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; (b) 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; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to 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.

All responses to this Notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval, and will become a matter of public record.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Mr. Terry Hallberg at (703) 305-2600.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: 7 CFR Part 225, Summer Food Service Program for Children.

OMB Number: 0584-0280.

Expiration Date: July 31, 1996.

Type of Request: Extension of clearance for existing collection.

Abstract: Section 13 of the National School Lunch Act (NSLA) (42 U.S.C. 1761) authorizes the SFSP. Subsection 13(m) of the NSLA directs that "States and service institutions participating in programs under this section shall keep such accounts and records as may be necessary to enable the Secretary to determine whether there has been compliance with this section and the regulations issued hereunder. Such accounts and records shall at all times be available for inspection and audit by representatives of the Secretary and shall be preserved for such period of time, not in excess of five years, as the Secretary determines necessary."

SFSP provides assistance to States to initiate and maintain nonprofit food service programs for needy children during summer months and at other approved times. The food service to be provided under SFSP is intended to serve as a substitute for those programs (the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs) for children who primarily are from needy areas. Under this Program, a sponsor—a public or