

Accounting Safeguards Under the Telecommunications Act of 1996. (CC Docket No. 96-150)

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Federal Communications Commission.

William F. Caton,

Acting Secretary.

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed a collection of information. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), this notice seeks comments concerning information collected under Section 416 Crisis Counseling Assistance and Training of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, Public Law 93-288, as amended, to award grants to States to provide disaster mental health services.

Supplementary Information. The Crisis Counseling Assistance and Training Program was established to

provide supplemental funding to States for short-term crisis counseling services to eligible victims of Presidentially declared disasters. The information collected is used by the Federal Emergency Management Agency to determine if funds are properly used, if the State's plan of services adequately addresses the mental health needs of the disaster survivors, and if the funds are supplemental to State and local resources as required by the Stafford Act. Information collection requirements are outlined in 44 CFR 206.171 Crisis Counseling Assistance and Training.

Collection of Information.

Title. Crisis Counseling Assistance and Training.

Type of Information Collection. Extension.

OMB Number: 3067-0166.

Form Numbers. SF 424, SF 269.

Abstract. Information collected under the Crisis Counseling Assistance and Training Program will be used by the FEMA to award grants to States to provide crisis counseling services. The information is collected in several forms: applications, quarterly reports, and financial reports.

The immediate services application is made by letter which includes a short description of the State or private mental health agency, their existing resources, and a justification for Federal assistance; the geographical area of the disaster where services will be provided; a brief plan of services indicating how the disaster victims and emergency responders mental health needs will be met; and a budget

including an identification of the resources the State and local governments will commit, the number of staff and their salaries, the funding levels for different agencies if more than one are involved, and an estimate of the Federal assistance requested.

The regular program using SF 424, requires information similar to but more comprehensive than the immediate services application including: an estimate of the number of people affected by the disaster needing crisis counseling assistance; how the estimate was made; the extent of physical, psychological, and social problems observed; the types of mental health problems encountered by the victims and other relevant information; the length of time needed to administer the program and meet the mental health needs of those affected; and a detailed plan of services.

The plan of services should include: a time-phased implementation plan and time schedule for the hiring and training of staff and the services to be provided; a description of the types of services that will be offered and the length of time they will be available; a description of the organizational structure of the program; a description of the training program; a description of the facilities to be used; and a detailed budget.

Quarterly and final progress reports in narrative form and financial reports using SF 269 are required.

Affected Public: State, local or tribal government.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours. 4,896.

	Respondents	Frequency	Responses	Hours per response	Total hours
Immediate Services Program:					
Application	16	1	16	30	480
Final Report	16	1	16	18	288
Subtotal	16	1	32	Avg. 24	768
Recordkeeping	16	.....	.....	Avg. 24	384
Total	16	1	32	.....	1,152
Regular Services Program:					
Application	12	1	12	80	960
Program Reports	12	2	24	40	960
Program Final Report	12	1	12	50	600
Final Expenditure Report (SF 269)	12	1	12	50	600
Subtotal	12	5	60	Avg. 52	3,120
Recordkeeping	12	.....	.....	Avg. 52	624
Total	12	5	60	.....	3,744

Estimated Cost. \$76,228.

Comments

Written comments are solicited to (a) evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper

performance of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) 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; (c) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) 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. Comments should be received within 60 days of the date of this notice.

ADDRESSEE: Interested persons should submit written comments to Muriel B. Anderson, FEMA Information Collections Officer, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW, Room 311, Washington, DC 20472. Telephone number (202) 646-2625. FAX number (202) 646-3524.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Contact Diana Nordboe at (202) 646-4026 for additional information. Contact Ms. Anderson at (202) 646-2625 for copies of the proposed collection of information.

Dated: March 3, 1997.
Reginald Trujillo,
Director, Program Services Division,
Operations Support Directorate.
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Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Federal Emergency Management Agency, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on a proposed collection of information. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), this notice seeks comments concerning continuation of inserting the clause at 48 CFR 4452.226-1, Accessibility of Meetings, Conferences and Seminars to Persons with Disabilities, in FEMA contracts under which contractors will plan meetings, conferences and seminars which may be attended by persons with disabilities.

Supplementary Information. Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, prohibits Federal agencies from discriminating against qualified persons on the grounds of disability. The law not only applies to internal

employment practices but extends to agency interaction with members of the public who participate in FEMA programs. (FEMA's implementation of Section 504 of this Act is codified at 44 CFR Part 16.) Contractors who plan meetings, conferences, or seminars for FEMA must develop a plan to ensure that minimum accessibility standards for the disabled as set forth in the contract clause will be met. The plan must be approved by a FEMA Contracting Officer.

Collection of Information.

Title. FEMA Contract Clause—Accessibility of Meetings to Persons with Disabilities.

Type of Information Collection. Extension of a currently approved collection.

OMB Number: 3067-0213.

Abstract. Contractors who plan meetings, conferences or seminars for FEMA must submit a plan to the Contracting Officer detailing how the minimum accessibility standards for the disabled set forth in the contract clause will be met.

Number of Responses: FEMA estimates that 10 contractors would be required to comply annually with the contract clause, with an average of 3 hours per response to prepare the plan.

Frequency of Response: One response per year per contract, using a consolidated plan for multiple meetings under one contract.

Affected Public: Business and other for-profit.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours. 30 hours.

Estimated Cost. \$90.00.

Comments

Written comments are solicited to (a) evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) 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. Comments should be received within 60 days of the date of this notice.

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Room 311, Washington, DC 20472. Telephone number (202) 646-2625. FAX number (202) 646-3524.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Contact: Beverly Driver, Procurement Analyst, Acquisition Support Division, (202) 646-3745. Contact Ms. Anderson at (202) 646-2625 for copies of the proposed collection of information.

Dated: March 3, 1997.
Reginald Trujillo,
Director, Program Services Division,
Operations Support Directorate.
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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Notice of Agreement(s) Filed

The Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreement(s) under the Shipping Act of 1984.

Interested parties can review or obtain copies of agreements at the Washington, DC offices of the Commission, 800 North Capitol Street, NW., Room 962. Interested parties may submit comments on an agreement to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573, within 10 days of the date this notice appears in the Federal Register.

Agreement No.: 224-201019.

Title: DRS/PRPA Berthing & Space Tioga Marine Terminal Agreement.

Parties: Philadelphia Regional Port Authority ("PRPA") Delaware River Stevedores, Inc. ("DRS").

Synopsis: The proposed Agreement provides that PRPA will allow DRS certain berthing rights for the M/V ELISE-D, as well as with 37,500 square feet of storage space in Transit Shed #1, and 10,000 square feet of storage space on the terminal. In exchange for these rights DRS will pay PRPA wharfage, dockage and storage fees. The term of the Agreement is for sixty days.

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.

Dated: March 6, 1997.
Joseph C. Polking,
Secretary.
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Ocean Freight Forwarder License Revocations

The Federal Maritime Commission hereby gives notice that the following freight forwarder licenses have been revoked pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 (46 U.S.C. app. 1718) and the regulations of the