

Department of Labor, Room N-2625, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210. Telephone: (202) 219-7894. Written comments limited to 10 pages or less in length may also be transmitted by facsimile to (202) 219-5046.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Joseph E. Pipkin, Directorate of Safety Standards Programs, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-3605, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210. Telephone 219-8161, ext. 125. Copies of the referenced information collection request are available for inspection and copying in the Docket Office and will be mailed to persons who request copies by telephoning Theda Kenney at (202) 219-8061, ext. 100, or Barbara Bielaski at (202) 219-8067, ext. 142. For electronic copies of the Information Collection Request for Safety Testing and Certification OSHA's WebPage on the Internet at <http://www.osha.gov/> and click on "standards."

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

The Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (the Act) authorizes the promulgation of such health and safety standards as are necessary or appropriate to provide safe or healthful employment and places of employment. The statute specifically authorizes information collection by employers as necessary or appropriate for the enforcement of the Act or for developing information regarding the causes and prevention of occupational injuries, illnesses, and accidents.

A number of OSHA's standards require certain equipment to be "tested" (or "approved") by a "nationally recognized testing laboratory" (NRTL). In order for an organization to meet the definition of a NRTL, it must be "recognized" by OSHA and laboratories must apply to OSHA for recognition. Recognition is granted after OSHA determines that the organization meets certain criteria. OSHA can only make this determination after reviewing and evaluating "information" provided by the organizations seeking such recognition. The applicant would have to provide OSHA with sufficient information and detail to demonstrate that the applicant meets the definition of a NRTL and that it has the capability to test and examine equipment and materials for fire or electrical safety. More specifically, the applicant must demonstrate that it has the facilities, equipment, trained staff, test procedures

and calibration, and quality control programs.

II. Current Actions

This notice requests an extension of the current Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval of the paperwork collection requirements contained in 29 CFR 1910.7 (currently approved under OMB Control No. 1218-0147).

Type of Review: Extension.

Agency: U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Title: Safety Testing and Certification (29 CFR 1910.7).

OMB Number: 1218-0147.

Agency Number: Docket Number ICR-97-41.

Affected Public: State of local governments; Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 12.

Frequency: Varies.

Average Time per Response: 65 hours.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 600.

Total Annualized Capital/Startup

Costs: \$0.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 14th day of July 1997.

John F. Martonik,

Acting Director, Directorate of Safety Standards Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

[Docket No. ICR-97-40]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Shipyard Certification Records (29 CFR 1915.113(b)(1) and 29 CFR 1915.172(d)—Test Certifications

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden conducts a preclearance 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 (PRA 95) (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 impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) is soliciting comments concerning the proposed approval of the paperwork requirements of 29 CFR 1915.113(b)(1) and 1915.172(d), when all shackles and hooks for which no applicable manufacturer's recommendations are available and when portable, unfired pressure vessels are not built to the code requirements of 29 CFR 1915.172(a).

- 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; and

- 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.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before September 16, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments are to be submitted to the Docket Office, Docket No. ICR-97-40, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-2625, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210. Telephone: (202) 219-7894. Written comments limited to 10 pages or less in length may also be transmitted by facsimile to (202) 219-5046.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Odet Shaw, Directorate of Safety Standards Programs, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-3605, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210. Telephone: (202) 219-7234, ext. 121. Copies of the referenced information collection request are available for inspection and copying in the Docket Office and will be mailed to persons who request copies by telephoning Theda Kennedy at (202) 219-8061 ext. 100, or Barbara Bielaski at (202) 219-8076, ext. 142. For electronic copies of the Information Collection Request on the certification provisions

in 29 CFR 1915.113(b)(1) (Shackles and Hooks) and 29 CFR 1915.172(d) (Portable Air Receivers and Other Unfired Pressure Vessels, contact OSHA's WebPage on the Internet at <http://www.osha.gov/> and click on "standards."

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

The Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (the Act) authorizes the promulgation of such health and safety standards as are necessary or appropriate to provide safe or healthful employment and places of employment. The statute specifically authorizes information collection by employers as necessary or appropriate for the enforcement of the Act or for developing information regarding the causes and prevention of occupational injuries, illnesses, and accidents.

The test certification records required in 29 CFR 1915.113(b)(1) and 29 CFR 1915.172(d) are necessary to assure compliance with the requirement for shackles and hooks and portable air receivers and other unfired pressure vessels in shipyards. They are intended to assure that the certification records required for these examinations and tests are maintained.

II. Current Actions

This notice requests an extension of the current Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval of the test certification requirements contained in 29 CFR 1915.113(b)(1) and 1915.172(d) (currently approved under OMB Control No. 1218-0210).

Type of Review: Extension.

Agency: U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Title: Shipyard Certification Records (29 CFR 1915.113(b)(1) and 29 CFR 1915.172(d)—Test Certifications.

OMB Number: 1218-.

Agency Number: ICR-97-40.

Affected Public: State of local governments; Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 900.

Frequency: Quarterly, Yearly.

Average Time per Response: 10 minutes (.17 hr.).

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 1,846.

Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs: \$0.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 14th day of July 1997.

John F. Martonik,

Acting Director, Directorate of Safety Standards Programs.

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NATIONAL BANKRUPTCY REVIEW COMMISSION

Meeting

AGENCY: National Bankruptcy Review Commission.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

TIME AND DATE: Monday, August 11, 1997; 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Tuesday, August 12, 1997; 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: Federal Judicial Center/ Education Center Auditorium, Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building, One Columbus Circle, N.E., Washington, D.C. It is recommended that the public use the South Lobby entrance to the meeting site.

STATUS: The meeting will be open to the public.

NOTICE: At its public meeting, the Commission will consider general administrative matters and substantive agenda items including tax issues, data collection and dissemination, transnational insolvencies, consumer debtor education, small business and single asset bankruptcies, and dischargeability issues. Other substantive matters include: Chapter 11, consumer bankruptcy, government, the use of mediators and examiners, and service to the estate and ethics. Two open forum sessions for public participation are tentatively scheduled for August 11, 1997 from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and August 12, 1997 from 3:45 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. The dates and times for the open forum sessions are subject to change.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Any individual or organization who wants to make an oral presentation to the National Bankruptcy Review Commission concerning the Commission's statutory responsibilities may do so at the open forum sessions. Persons who would like to make an oral presentation to the Commission at the open forum sessions should register in advance by contacting the National Bankruptcy Review Commission at (202) 273-1813 no later than 5:00 p.m. EST on August 10, 1997 or register in person at the National Bankruptcy Review Commission registration desk at the meeting site. Open forum registrants are asked to provide their name, organization (if applicable), address and phone number. If the volume of requests to speak at the open forum sessions exceeds the time available to accommodate all such requests, the speakers will be chosen on the basis of order of registration.

Oral presentations will be limited to five minutes per speaker. Persons

speaking at the open forum sessions are requested, but not required, to supply twenty (20) copies of their written statements prior to their presentations to the National Bankruptcy Review Commission, Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building, One Columbus Circle, N.E., Suite 5-130, Washington, DC 20544. Written submissions are not subject to any limitations.

CONTACT PERSONS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Contact Susan Jensen-Conklin or Carmelita Pratt at the National Bankruptcy Review Commission, Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building, One Columbus Circle, N.E., Suite 5-130, Washington, D.C. 20544; Telephone Number: (202) 273-1813.

Susan Jensen-Conklin,

General Counsel.

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NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

Sunshine Act Meeting

TIME AND DATE: 8:15 a.m., Wednesday, July 23, 1997.

PLACE: Board Room, 7th Floor, Room 7047, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-3428.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Requests from Federal Credit Unions to Convert to a Community Charter.
2. Requests from Federal Credit Unions to Expand their Community Field of Membership.
3. Appeal from a Federal Credit Union of the Regional Director's Approval of a Federal Credit Union's Name Change.
4. Proposed National Small Credit Union Development Program (NSCUDP).
5. Midsession Budget Review.
6. Proposed Amendments to Interpretive Ruling and Policy Statement (IRPS) 94-1, Chartering Manual.
7. Proposed Rule: Amendments to Section 701.21(h), Member Business Loans.
8. Final Rule: Amendment to Section 701.21(c)(7)(ii)(C), Interest Rate Ceiling.
9. Request for Approval of an Investment Pilot Program.