AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

New Collections: Comment Request

ACTION: New collections: comment request.

SUMMARY: U.S. Agency for International Development (UŠAID) is making efforts to reduce the paperwork burden. USAID invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Comments are requested concerning: (1) Whether the proposed or continuing collections of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether information shall have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the burden estimates; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received within 60 days of this notification.

ADDRESS INFORMATION TO: Beverly Johnson, Bureau for Management, Office of Administrative Services, Information and Records Division, U.S. Agency for International Development, Washington, D.C. 20746, 202–712–1365 or via e-mail bjohnson@usaid.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Number: 0412– Form Number: N/A. Title: Training Results and Information Network (TraiNet).

Type of Submission: New.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this information collection is to propose a new "Training Results and Information Network (TraiNet) designed to take advantage of new information technologies that enhance information processing productivity at reduced cost, be approved to replace the existing Participant Training Information System (PTIS) system; and to be an operational compliance requirement for all contractors and grantees engaged in USAID training activities.

Annual Reporting Burden: Respondents: 374.

Total annual responses: 15,720. Total annual hours requested: 2,620. Dated: January 6, 1998.

Willette L. Smith,

Chief, Information and Records Division, Office of Administrative Services, Bureau for Management.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Number: 0412– Form Number: N/A. Title: USAID Technical Consulting Services Resume Database.

Type of Submission: New.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this information collection is to gain approval for an electronic consultant data base that will allow USAID employees to sort and select consultant assistance based on language ability, regional expertise, and technical specialty. The data base will also include information on salary rates, clearance levels, and health status. Also will be a listing of previous consultant

assignments and contact numbers for references.

Annual Reporting Burden: Respondents: 5,000. Total annual responses: 5,000. Total annual hours requested:

Dated: January 6, 1998.

Willette L. Smith,

Chief, Information and Records Division, Office of Administrative Services, Bureau for Management.

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JUDICIAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED STATES

Hearing of the Judicial Conference Advisory Committee on Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure

AGENCY: Judicial Conference of the United States Advisory Committee on Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure. **ACTION:** Notice of cancellation of open hearing.

SUMMARY: The Bankruptcy Rules public hearing scheduled to be held in Washington, D.C., on January 30, 1998, has been canceled. [Original notice of hearing appeared in the **Federal Register** of August 25, 1997.]

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John K. Rabiej, Chief, Rules Committees Support Office, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, Washington, D.C. 20544, telephone (202) 273–1820.

Dated: January 8, 1998.

Judith W. Krivit,

Administrative Specialist, Rules Committees Support Office.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Office of Community Oriented Policing Services; Agency Information Collection Activities; Existing Collection; Comments Request

ACTION: Notice of information collection under review; extension of a currently approved collection: Regional Community Policing Institute Quarterly Projection Report.

Office of Management and Budget approval is being sought for the information collection listed below. This collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on October 28, 1997, allowing for a 60 day public comment period. No comments were received by the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services.

The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comments. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until February 13, 1998. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 3210.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the items contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs: Attention: Ms. Victoria Wassmer, 202–395–5871, Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20503. Additionally, comments may be submitted to OMB via facsimile on 202–395–7285.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning this collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) 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:

(2) 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;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) 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 may also be submitted to the Department of Justice, Justice Management Division, Information Management and Security Staff, Attention Department Clearance Officer, Suite 850, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20530. Additionally, comments may be submitted to DOJ via facsimile on 202–514–1590.

Overview of this collection:
(1) Type of Information Collection:
Extension of Currently Approved
Collection.

(2) Title of the Form/Collection: Regional Community Policing Institute Quarterly Projection Report.

(3) Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection: Form: COPS 22/02. Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, Department of Justice.

(4) Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract: Regional Community Policing Institutes funded through a one-year cooperative agreement from the COPS Office are required to respond.

The Regional Community Policing Institute Quarterly Projection Report will be completed by each Regional Community Policing Institute. The information collected provides a quarterly projection of plans for performing the training and technical assistance functions of this program, as well as information concerning any changes or modifications requested in the project or cooperative agreement budgets.

(5) An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond: Estimated number respondents: 35. Estimated time for average respondent to respond: 2 hours quarterly (including record-keeping).

(6) An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: Approximately 280 annual burden hours.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW Washington, DC 20530

Dated: January 9, 1998.

Robert B. Briggs,

Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Office of Community Oriented Policing Services; Agency Information Collection Activities; Existing Collection; Comments Request

ACTION: Notice of information collection under review; extension of a currently approved collection: Regional Community Policing Institute Monthly Progress Report.

Office of Management and Budget approval is being sought for the information collection listed below. This collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on October 28, 1997, allowing for a 60 day public comment period. No comments were received by the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services.

The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public

comments. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until February 13, 1998. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 3120.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the items contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs: Attention: Ms. Victoria Wassmer, 202–395–5871, Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20503. Additionally, comments may be submitted to OMB via facsimile on 202–395–7285.

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