

program; factors that were important to their decisions to develop affordable rental housing using the LIHTC; factors that were considered when deciding upon the location, scale, resident composition, and other characteristics of their properties; their post-development experiences with respect to the performance of their properties; and their longer-term plans with respect to their properties.

HUD is responsible for assessing the housing needs of low-income households and administering a variety of housing assistance programs to meet those needs. The LIHTC program operates in conjunction with and in the context of ongoing HUD programs. Although HUD is not directly responsible for the LIHTC program, it is important to an overall understanding of the affordable housing delivery system to know more about this program, including who develops, owns, and operates properties benefiting from LIHTCs, what affects their investment and development decisions, and their longer-term plans with respect to their properties. This information will assist the Department in better assessing and meeting the affordable housing needs of the Nation's low-income households.

*Members of the affected public:* A probability sample of development/ownership entities that placed at least one LIHTC property in service between January 1, 1992 and December 31, 1994 will be surveyed.

*Estimation of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information collection, including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response:* Information will be collected by a one-time telephone survey with 800 spokespersons representing developer/owner entities. Each interview will take an average of 30 minutes to complete, resulting in a total of approximately 400 hours of response time for the information collection.

*Status of the proposed information collection:* Pending OMB approval.

**Authority:** Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: June 19, 1998.

**Paul L. Leonard,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy Development.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4356-N-12]

### Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** Comments due date: August 25, 1998.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Oliver Walker, Reports Management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW, Room 9116, Washington, DC 20410.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Lester J. West, Director, Albany Financial Operations Center, telephone number (518) 464-4200 (this is not a toll-free number) for copies of the proposed forms and other available documents.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department is submitting the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affecting agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed 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; (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 collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Title I Financial Statement.

*OMB Control Number, if applicable:* 2502-0098.

*Description of the need for the information and proposed use:* The form is used by HUD to obtain information about a debtor's ability to pay the debt in full, pay in installments and/or compromise the debt. Failure to collect this information would result in uneducated decisions in respect to the handling of debtor's accounts.

*Agency form numbers, if applicable:* HUD-56142.

*Members of affected public:* Individuals.

*Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response:*

*Number of Respondents:* 1,258.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Total hours of response requested:* 1.

*Status of the proposed information collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Authority:* The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: June 19, 1998.

**Ira G. Peppercorn,**

*General Deputy Assistant, Secretary for Housing-Deputy Federal Housing Commissioner.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4341-N-16]

### Federal Property Suitable as Facilities To Assist the Homeless

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This Notice identifies unutilized, underutilized, excess, and surplus Federal property reviewed by HUD for suitability for possible use to assist the homeless.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mark Johnston, room 7256, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street SW, Washington, DC 20410; telephone (202) 708-1226; TTY number for the hearing- and speech-impaired (202) 708-2565 (these telephone numbers are not toll-free), or call the toll-free Title V information line at 1-800-927-7588.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with 24 CFR part 581 and section 501 of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C.

11411), as amended, HUD is publishing this Notice to identify Federal buildings and other real property that HUD has reviewed for suitability for use to assist the homeless. The properties were reviewed using information provided to HUD by Federal landholding agencies regarding unutilized and underutilized buildings and real property controlled by such agencies or by GSA regarding its inventory of excess or surplus Federal property. This Notice is also published in order to comply with the December 12, 1988 Court Order in *National Coalition for the Homeless v. Veterans Administration*, No. 88-2503-OG (D.D.C.).

Properties reviewed are listed in this Notice according to the following categories: Suitable/available, suitable/unavailable, suitable/to be excess, and unsuitable. The properties listed in the three suitable categories have been reviewed by the landholding agencies, and each agency has transmitted to HUD: (1) Its intention to make the property available for use to assist the homeless, (2) its intention to declare the property excess to the agency's needs, or (3) a statement of the reasons that the property cannot be declared excess or made available for use as facilities to assist the homeless.

Properties listed as suitable/available will be available exclusively for homeless use for a period of 60 days from the date of this Notice. Homeless assistance providers interested in any such property should send a written expression of interest to HHS, addressed to Brian Rooney, Division of Property Management, Program Support Center, HHS, room 5B-41, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857; (301) 443-2265. (This is not a toll-free number.) HHS will mail to the interested provider an application packet, which will include instructions for completing the application. In order to maximize the opportunity to utilize a suitable property, providers should submit their written expressions of interest as soon as possible. For complete details concerning the processing of applications, the reader is encouraged to refer to the interim rule governing this program, 24 CFR part 581.

For properties listed as suitable/to be excess, that property may, if subsequently accepted as excess by GSA, be made available for use by the homeless in accordance with applicable law, subject to screening for other Federal use. At the appropriate time, HUD will publish the property in a Notice showing it as either suitable/available or suitable/unavailable.

For properties listed as suitable/unavailable, the landholding agency has

decided that the property cannot be declared excess or made available for use to assist the homeless, and the property will not be available.

Properties listed as unsuitable will not be made available for any other purpose for 20 days from the date of this Notice. Homeless assistance providers interested in a review by HUD of the determination of unsuitability should call the toll free information line at 1-800-927-7588 for detailed instructions or write a letter to Mark Johnston at the address listed at the beginning of this Notice. Included in the request for review should be the property address (including zip code), the date of publication in the **Federal Register**, the landholding agency, and the property number.

For more information regarding particular properties identified in this Notice (*i.e.*, acreage, floor plan, existing sanitary facilities, exact street address), providers should contact the appropriate landholding agencies at the following addresses: GSA: Mr. Brian K. Polly, Assistant Commissioner, General Services Administration, Office of Property Disposal, 18th and F Streets, NW, Washington, DC 20405; (202) 501-2059; NAVY: Mr. Charles C. Cocks, Department of the Navy, Director, Real Estate Policy Division, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Code 241A, 200 Stovall Street, Alexandria, VA 22332-2300; (703) 325-7342. (These are not toll-free numbers.)

Dated: June 18, 1998.

**Fred Karnas, Jr.,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Development.*

#### **TITLE V, FEDERAL SURPLUS PROPERTY PROGRAM, FEDERAL REGISTER REPORT FOR 06/26/98**

##### **Suitable/Available Properties**

###### *Buildings (by State)*

###### **Hawaii**

Facility No. 227  
Naval Station  
South Ave. & 7th St.  
Pearl Harbor Co: Honolulu HI 96701-  
Landholding Agency: Navy  
Property Number: 779820128  
Status: Excess

Comment: 23,200 sq. ft., possible asbestos, termite damage, most recent use—warehouse, off-site use only

###### **Washington**

747 Building Complex  
805 Goethals Drive  
Richland Co: Benton WA 99352-  
Landholding Agency: GSA  
Property Number: 549820005  
Status: Surplus

Comment: 4 bldgs. (2 bldgs. utilized w/lease provisions), most recent use—labs/offices, presence of asbestos/lead paint

GSA Number: 9-B-WA-1145

##### **Unsuitable Properties**

###### *Buildings (by State)*

###### **Florida**

Quarters 9  
Naval Air Station  
Pensacola Cp: Escambia FL 32508-  
Landholding Agency: Navy  
Property Number: 779820124  
Status: Unutilized  
Reason: Extensive deterioration Secured Area

Quarters 10  
Naval Air Station  
Pensacola Co: Escambia FL 32508-  
Landholding Agency: Navy  
Property Number: 779820125  
Status: Unutilized  
Reason: Secured Area Extensive deterioration  
Tennessee

15 Bldgs.  
Naval Support Activity, Memphis  
Millington Co: Shelby TN 38054-  
Location: 329, 400-408, 1585, S-159, S-160, S-163, 1278  
Landholding Agency: Navy  
Property Number: 779820126  
Status: Unutilized  
Reason: Secured Area Extensive deterioration

18 Bldgs.  
Naval Support Activity, Memphis  
Millington Co: Shelby TN 38054-  
Location: 2001-2002, 2048-2051, 2064-2070, 2107-2111  
Landholding Agency: Navy  
Property Number: 779820127  
Status: Unutilized  
Reason: Secured Area

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## **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

### **Fish and Wildlife Service**

#### **Information Collection Renewal To Be Submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Approval Under the Paperwork Reduction Act**

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Information collection; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The collection of information described below has been submitted to OMB for renewal under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Copies of specific information collection requirements, related forms and explanatory material may be obtained by contacting the Service Information Collection Clearance officer at the address and/or phone numbers listed below.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received on or before July 27, 1998.