

rounding, the total annual burden hours may not equal the product of the annual number of responses multiplied by the average reporting burden per response.)

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.

Done in Washington, DC, this 5th day of February 1998.

**Craig A. Reed,**

*Acting Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forest Service

#### Giant Multi-Resource Management Project

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Cancellation of Notice of Intent to prepare an environmental impact statement.

**SUMMARY:** The USDA Forest Service, Tahoe National Forest has changed the proposed action for this EIS, which has reduced the scope of the project. An Environmental Assessment rather than an Environmental Impact Statement will be prepared for this proposed action.

A Notice of Intent was published in the **Federal Register** on June 2, 1997 on page 29706. A revised Notice of Intent was published in the **Federal Register** on October 24, 1997 on page 55389.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John Bradford, EIS Team Leader, Foresthill Ranger District, 530-478-6254.

Dated: February 3, 1998.

**Judie L. Tartaglia,**

*Acting Forest Supervisor.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

**Agency:** Bureau of Economic Analysis.

**Title:** Direct Transactions of U.S.

Reporter with Foreign Affiliate.

**Form Number(s):** BE-577.

**Agency Approval Number:** 0608-0004.

**Type of Request:** Revision of a currently approved collection.

**Burden:** 64,000 hours.

**Number of Respondents:** 12,800 respondents, 4 responses each per year.

**Avg Hours Per Response:** 1 1/4 hours.

**Needs and Uses:** The survey collects quarterly sample data on transactions and positions between U.S.-owned foreign business enterprises and their U.S. parents. Universe estimates are developed from the reported sample data. The data are needed to compile the U.S. international transactions, input-output, and national income and product accounts, and the international investment position of the United States. The data are also needed to measure the economic significance of U.S. direct investment abroad, measure changes in such investment, and assess its importance.

In addition, the data are needed by the Departments of Treasury, State, and Commerce, the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative, and the Council of Economic Advisers to carry out U.S. international economic policy. They are also needed by the Federal Reserve Board in the conduct of U.S. monetary policy. Such policy must be based upon an informed analysis of current information on cross border transactions, including transactions between U.S. affiliates and their foreign parents. The data are particularly valuable to these agencies because they are collected, analyzed, and published within 90 days after the end of each calendar quarter, allowing data users to see the consequences of changes in economic conditions almost immediately.

**Affected Public:** Businesses or other for-profit institutions.

**Frequency:** Quarterly.

**Respondent's Obligation:** Mandatory.

**Legal Authority:** Title 22 U.S.C., Sections 3101-3108, as amended.

**OMB Desk Officer:** Paul Bugg, (202) 395-3093.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, Room 5732, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Paul Bugg, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10201, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: February 6, 1998.

**Linda Engelmeier,**

*Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Bureau of the Census

#### Census 2000 Dress Rehearsal Integrated Coverage Measurement (ICM)/Post Enumeration Survey (PES) Person Followup Interview

**ACTION:** Proposed collection; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, 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 proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted on or before April 13, 1998.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Linda Engelmeier, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Magdalena Ramos, Staff Group Leader for ICM Operations, Bureau of the Census, Room 2126, Washington, DC 20233, (301)457-4295.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Abstract

The Bureau of the Census developed the Integrated Coverage Measurement (ICM) approach for measuring coverage of housing units and population counts during the decennial census. In the Census 2000 Dress Rehearsal, we will be conducting a rehearsal of both the ICM and Post Enumeration Survey (PES) methodologies which can be alternatively used to measure the coverage of the census for housing units and people. The ICM/PES is a survey of sample block clusters within the Dress Rehearsal sites. The Census 2000 Dress Rehearsal sites include an urban site (Sacramento, California), a non-urban site (Columbia, South Carolina, and surrounding area), and one American Indian Reservation (Menominee

Reservation, Wisconsin which includes Menominee County).

The PES methodology will be tested only in the Columbia, South Carolina (and surrounding area) site, while ICM will be tested in the other two sites. The two main differences between the ICM and the PES approaches are: (1) The ICM methodology combines the initial count estimates with ICM coverage results to produce the "one number" census estimates, while the PES produces evaluation coverage estimates separately; (2) The time-frame. The time frame differences result because the PES is a test of the nonsampling census methods. Because of this, the Nonresponse Follow-up (NRFU) operation of the initial census phase for the South Carolina site will be expanded two weeks beyond that of the other two sites where ICM operation will be tested. As a result, the South Carolina PES activities that occur after the census initial phase NRFU activities will start two weeks later than similar ICM activities in the other two sites.

The first activities of the ICM/PES consisted of the Independent Listing and the Housing Unit Follow-up operations. During the Independent Listing, the Bureau of the Census will obtain a complete inventory of all housing unit addresses in the ICM sample blocks within the Census 2000 Dress Rehearsal sites just before the beginning of the dress rehearsal. The resulting address listing will be used in the ICM Person interview activities from where a roster of people in the ICM/PES addresses will be created.

As soon as census enumeration is complete, the ICM/PES Person Interview will be conducted using a Computer Assisted Personal Interviewing (CAPI) instrument, on a laptop computer. During this operation, the Bureau of the Census will target ICM/PES sample cases for either telephone or personal visit interviews.

After the person interview, person matching is conducted. The people enumerated in the ICM sample are matched to the people enumerated in the census for the same addresses. Unresolved cases will then be reconciled in the field during the ICM Person Follow-up interview. An automated CAPI instrument will be used for data collection. The automated instrument will code each person in the follow-up as a matched resident/non-resident or a nonmatched resident/non-resident of the block cluster on census day. The completed follow-up interview files will be reviewed and used to resolve a person's residence status and match status. This information will then be used in the census 2000 dress

rehearsal coverage estimates and the "one number" census estimates.

The materials for the approval of the independent listing, HU and Person Interview operations have been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget separately and approval for the listing operations was already granted.

## II. Method of Collection

This operation will be conducted using person-to-person interviewing and a CATI instrument administered on a laptop computer.

## III. Data

*OMB Number:* Not available.

*Form Number:* CAPI Person Follow-up Interview (no form number).

*Type of Review:* Regular.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 8,520 Housing units.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 15 minutes.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 2,130 hours (8,520 × 15 minutes).

*Estimated Total Annual Cost:* There is no cost to respondents except for their time to respond.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Mandatory.

*Legal Authority:* Title 13, U.S. Code, Sections 141, 193, and 221.

## IV. Request for Comments

*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 shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (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 respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: February 6, 1998.

**Linda Engelmeier,**

*Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 6-98]

### Foreign-Trade Zone 37, Orange County, New York Area Application for Expansion

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board (the Board) by the County of Orange, New York, grantee of FTZ 37, requesting authority to expand its zone in the Orange County, New York area, adjacent to the New York Seaport Area Customs port of entry. The application was submitted pursuant to the provisions of the FTZ Act, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), and the regulations of the Board (15 CFR Part 400). It was formally filed on February 2, 1998.

FTZ 37 was approved on May 4, 1978 (Board Order 130, 43 F.R. 20526, 5/12/78). The general-purpose zone currently consists of two sites: Site 1 (117,000 sq. ft.)—within the Regal Distribution Center, 61 Regal Way, Newburgh, adjacent to Stewart Airport; and, Site 2 (5 acres)—Newburgh Foreign-Trade Zone Industrial Incubator facility, adjacent to Port Newburgh, 302 North Water Street.

The applicant, in a major revision to its zone plan, now requests authority to expand the general-purpose zone to include 7 new sites (11,400 acres) in Orange, Dutchess and Rockland Counties (Proposed Sites 3-9): *Site 3* (9,933 acres)—Stewart International Airport/Northeast Business Center, near the intersection of I-87 and I-84, New Windsor/Newburgh (Orange County); *Site 4* (520 acres)—IBM/Hudson Valley Research Park, 1580 Route 52, Hopewell Junction (Dutchess County); *Site 5* (63 acres)—AT&T Rockland Export Center, 22 Hemion Road, Suffern (Rockland County); *Site 6* (262 acres)—Newburgh/New Windsor site, Port of Newburgh, off Exit 10, Interstate 84 at the Newburgh/Beacon Bridge, Newburgh (Orange County); *Site 7* (309 acres)—Middletown/Wallkill site, adjacent to Interstate 84 and Exit 121 of NY Rt. 17 (Quickway), Middletown/Wallkill (Orange County); *Site 8* (140 acres)—Port Jervis site, adjacent to Exit 1 off Interstate 84, juncture of the borders of New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, Port Jervis (Orange County); and, *Site 9* (173 acres)—Goshen/Westgate FTZ Industrial Park, off Exit 124 of NY Rt. 17 (the Quickway), Village of Goshen (Orange County). Proposed Site 3 includes existing and proposed airport cargo handling facilities and the airport fuel system. Proposed Site 4 is within a designated State of New York Enterprise