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Linda Engelmeier,

Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Announcement of Public Meeting of the National Conference on Weights and Measures

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The 84th Annual Meeting of the National Conference on Weights and Measures will be held July 25 through July 29, 1999, at the Sheraton Burlington Hotel and Conference Center, Burlington, Vermont. The meeting is open to the public. The National Conference on Weights and Measures is an organization of weights and measures enforcement officials of the states, counties, and cities of the United States, other government officials and representatives of business, industry, trade associations and consumer organizations. Conference members meet twice a year to develop weights and measures laws and to discuss subjects that relate to the field of weights and measures technology and administration.

Pursuant to (15 U.S.C. 272 (B)(6)), the National Institute of Standards and Technology acts as a sponsor of the National Conference on Weights and Measures in order to promote uniformity among the states in the complex of laws, regulations, methods, and testing equipment that comprises regulatory control by the states of commercial weighing and measuring.

DATES: The meeting will be held July 25-July 29, 1999, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Sheraton Burlington Hotel and Conference Center located at 870 Williston Road, Burlington, Vermont 05403.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gilbert M. Ugiansky, Chief, NIST, Office of Weights and Measures, 100 Bureau Drive, Stop 2350 Gaithersburg, Maryland 20899-2350. Telephone (301) 975-4004, or E-mail owm@nist.gov.

Dated: June 21, 1999.

Karen H. Brown,

Deputy Director.

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CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Corporation for National and Community Service (hereinafter the "Corporation"), has submitted the following public information collection requests (ICRs) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35)). Copies of these individual ICRs, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Corporation for National and Community Service, Office of Evaluation, Susan Labin, (202) 606-5000, Extension 160. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TTY/TTD) may call (202) 606-5256 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

Comments should be sent to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: Mr. Daniel Werfel, OMB Desk Officer for the Corporation for National and Community Service, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503, (202) 395-7316, within 30 days of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Corporation, 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 data collection 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.

Type of Review: New.

Agency: Corporation for National and Community Service.

Title: Longitudinal Research on AmeriCorps Member Outcomes.

OMB Number: None.

Agency Number: None.

Affected Public: AmeriCorps Members and Respondents in Comparison Groups.

Total Respondents: Approximately 10,350.

Frequency: One time.

Average Time Per Response:

AmeriCorps Members: 30 minutes; Comparison Group Respondents: 45 minutes.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 3,606 hours.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): None.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): None.

Description: The Corporation seeks approval of baseline survey forms for the longitudinal study of outcomes associated with participation in AmeriCorps, the national service program. A central purpose of the agency and its programs is to foster citizenship and development for those who serve in AmeriCorps. The proposed study includes members in the State/ National and the National Civilian Community Corps AmeriCorps programs, and their counterparts in comparison groups. There were no comments received during the initial 60-day public comment period. Since our original submission, there has been a change in both the number of respondents and the overall burden hours. The number of respondents appears to have increased substantially but this is due to a screening phone call that will be made to approximately 4,850 potential respondents for less than five minutes. Thus, not including this brief call, the number of true respondents (5,550) is actually lower than originally anticipated.

This decrease in the number of respondents is due to two changes: (1) Exclusion of the Volunteers in Service to America (VISTA) participation in the study; and (2) elimination of the Retrospective Study of AmeriCorps members. These studies are not part of the final design. Thus, the overall response in burden hours has decreased. Also contributing to a decrease in the burden hours is the change to a self-administered baseline for members rather than a phone interview.

Even though the net burden is lower, the decreases are somewhat offset by an increase in the number of comparison respondents for the State and National programs. A national comparison group of those who have inquired about serving in AmeriCorps has been identified. This will strengthen the design and the ability of the study to address causality for the national study.

Dated: June 22, 1999.

Thomas L. Bryant,

Associate General Counsel.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Addition to MTMC Freight Traffic Rules Publication No. 1A

AGENCY: Military Traffic Management Command, DOD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Military Traffic Management Command (MTMC), as the Department of Defense (DOD) Traffic Manager for surface and surface intermodal traffic management services (DTR vol. 1, pg. 101-113), hereby adds a new rule, entitled "Electronic Spot Bid Application," as a new item (Item 6) to MFTRP No. 1A. The purpose of the change is to establish a rule for a new process (Electronic Spot Bid) of soliciting and awarding freight shipments. Information about this new process was published in the **Federal Register**, vol. 64, no. 14, pages 3488-3490, Friday, January 22, 1999.

DATES: This change is effective July 1, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Points of Contact: Headquarters, Military Traffic Management Command, ATTN: MTOP-JF, Room 608, 5611 Columbia Pike, Falls Church, VA 22041-5050, fax: 703-681-9871 atn: Jerome Colton, e-mail: coltonj@mtmc.army.mil.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information contact Mr. Jerome Colton at (703) 681-1417.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Effective July 1, 1999, MFTRP 1A will contain a new item (Item 6), entitled "Electronic Spot Bid Application," with the following text:

1. The single-factor rate for Spot Bid shipments includes both the line haul and all required accessorial/protective services identified by the shipper at the time of solicitation. This single-factor rate does not alternate with any other rates or tenders. This non-alternation for Spot Bid takes precedence over any alternation rule found elsewhere in this publication.

2. If a requirement for any additional accessorial/protective service(s) is identified:

a. after solicitation but before pickup: the solicitation (and award, if applicable) will be canceled, and the shipment resolicited to include the additional services.

b. during/after pickup: the charges for the additional requirements will be negotiated with the carrier by MTMC and/or the TO. A basis for comparison for such negotiations may be rates on file for accessorial/protective services shown in current approved carrier voluntary tenders.

3. If the need for fewer accessorial/protective services is identified after solicitation but before pickup, DOD reserves the right to cancel the award and resolicit the shipment based on the new requirements.

4. The rules in this publication will apply to shipments awarded via the Electronic Spot Bid process.

5. Spot Bids will be processed through the Deployment Support Command (DSC) on behalf of those TOs who are unable to do so electronically.

Thomas M. Ogles,

Chief, Freight Services Division, Joint Traffic Management Office.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Revision of MTMC Freight Traffic Rules Publication No. 1A, Item 5, "Purpose and Application"

AGENCY: Military Traffic Management Command, DOD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Military Traffic Management Command (MTMC), as the Department of Defense (DOD) Traffic Manager for surface and surface intermodal traffic management services (DTR vol. 1, pg. 101-113), hereby adds language to the text of the existing rule, entitled "Purpose and Application", in MFTRP No. 1A, Item 5. The purpose of the change is to allow DOD tenders for the shipment of ammunition to be utilized by the United States Coast Guard.

DATES: This change is effective August 1, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Point of Contact: Headquarters, Military Traffic Management Command, ATTN: MTOP-JF, Room 608, 5611 Columbia Pike, Falls Church, VA 22041-5050, fax: 703-681-9871 atn: Jerome Colton, e-mail: coltonj@mtmc.army.mil.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information contact Mr. Jerome Colton at (703) 681-1417.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The effective date for the change will be August 1, 1999. This change will affect the amounts that ammunition carriers

are reimbursed for ammunition shipments made to, by, for, or on behalf of the United States Coast Guard. Ammunition carriers wishing to modify their existing tenders or offer new tenders prior to August 1, 1999, to include the United States Coast Guard may do so.

The current regulation (Item 5, Paragraph 1) reads: "Purpose. The purpose of this publication is to articulate the motor transportation service needs of the Department of Defense (DOD) for the movement of its freight traffic; to ensure that motor freight carriers providing that transportation have both the willingness and the capability to meet those needs; and to provide the standardization necessary for achieving a fully automated system for routing DOD freight traffic."

The additional sentence (to be added at the end of the paragraph) will read: "Movements of ammunition to, by, for, or on behalf of the United States Coast Guard (USCG) are also covered by this publication. References throughout this publication to DOD shall be understood to include such shipments for the United States Coast Guard as well."

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests

AGENCY: Department of Education.

SUMMARY: The Acting Leader, Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before August 27, 1999.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its