

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE****Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service****[Docket No. APHIS–2021–0058]****Notice of Request for Revision to and Extension of Approval of an Information Collection; Qualitative Feedback on Agency Service Delivery****AGENCY:** Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA.**ACTION:** Revision to and extension of approval of an information collection; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service's intention to request a revision to and extension of approval of an information collection associated with qualitative customer and stakeholder feedback on service delivery by the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.

**DATES:** We will consider all comments that we receive on or before November 1, 2021. You may submit comments by either of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* Go to [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov). Enter APHIS–2021–0058 in the Search field. Select the Documents tab, then select the Comment button in the list of documents.

- *Postal Mail/Commercial Delivery:* Send your comment to Docket No. APHIS–2021–0058, Regulatory Analysis and Development, PPD, APHIS, Station 3A–03.8, 4700 River Road, Unit 118, Riverdale, MD 20737–1238.

Supporting documents and any comments we receive on this docket may be viewed at [regulations.gov](http://regulations.gov) or in our reading room, which is located in Room 1620 of the USDA South Building, 14th Street and Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC. Normal reading room hours are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays. To be sure someone is there to help you, please call (202) 799–7039 before coming.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For more information on this information collection, contact Mr. Joseph Moxey, APHIS' Paperwork Reduction Act Coordinator, MRPBS, APHIS, 4700 River Road, Unit 123, Riverdale, MD 20737; (301) 851–2483; email: [joseph.moxey@usda.gov](mailto:joseph.moxey@usda.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* Qualitative Feedback on Agency Service Delivery.

*OMB Control Number:* 0579–0377.

*Type of Request:* Revision to and extension of approval of an information collection.

*Abstract:* This information collection activity provides a means for the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) to garner qualitative customer and stakeholder feedback in an efficient, timely manner, in accordance with APHIS' commitment to improving service delivery.

By qualitative feedback, we mean information that provides useful insights on perceptions and opinions, but not statistical surveys that yield quantitative results that can be generalized to the population of study. This feedback provides insights into customer or stakeholder perceptions, experiences, and expectations; provides an early warning of issues with service; or focuses attention on areas where communication, training, or changes in operations might improve delivery of products or services. This collection will allow for ongoing, generic collaborative and actionable communications between APHIS and its customers and stakeholders. It will also allow feedback to contribute directly to the improvement of program management.

The solicitation of feedback will target areas such as timeliness, appropriateness, accuracy of information, courtesy, efficiency of service delivery, and resolution of issues with service delivery. Responses will be assessed to plan and inform efforts to improve or maintain the quality of service offered to the public. If this information is not collected, vital feedback from customers and stakeholders on APHIS' services will be unavailable.

APHIS will only submit a collection for approval under this generic clearance if it meets the following conditions:

- The collection is voluntary;
- The collection is low burden for respondents (based on considerations of total burden hours, total number of respondents, or burden hours per respondent) and is low cost for both the respondents and the Federal Government;
- The collection is non-controversial and does not raise issues of concern to other Federal agencies;
- The collection is targeted to the solicitation of opinions from respondents who have experience with the program or may have experience with the program in the near future;
- Personally identifiable information is collected only to the extent necessary and is not retained;

- Information gathered is intended to be used only internally for general service improvement and program management purposes and is not intended for release outside of APHIS (if released, APHIS must indicate the qualitative nature of the information);

- Information gathered will not be used for the purpose of substantially informing influential policy decisions; and

- Information gathered will yield qualitative information (*i.e.*, the collection will not be designed or expected to yield statistically reliable results or used as though the results are generalizable to the population of study).

As a general matter, this information collection will not result in any new system of records containing privacy information and will not ask questions of a sensitive nature, such as sexual behavior and attitudes, religious beliefs, and other matters that are commonly considered private.

We are asking the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to approve our use of these information collection activities, as described, for an additional 3 years.

The purpose of this notice is to solicit comments from the public (as well as affected agencies) concerning our information collection. These comments will help us:

- (1) Evaluate whether the 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 our estimate of the burden of the 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, through use, as appropriate, of automated, electronic, mechanical, and other collection technologies; *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

*Estimate of burden:* The public burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 0.1 hours (6 minutes) per response.

*Respondents:* Individuals and households; businesses and organizations; State, local, or Tribal governments; and foreign federal governments.

*Estimated annual number of respondents:* 250,000.

*Estimated annual number of responses per respondent:* 1.

*Estimated annual number of responses: 250,000.*

*Estimated total annual burden on respondents: 25,000 hours.* (Due to averaging, the total annual burden hours may not equal the product of the annual number of responses multiplied by the 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 26th day of August 2021.

**Mark Davidson,**

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Food and Nutrition Service

#### Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records Revision

**AGENCY:** Food and Nutrition Service (FNS), USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of a proposed modified system of records.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974, and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular No. A-108, notice is given that a component agency, the Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) is proposing to modify the system of records, currently titled USDA/FNS-11, "Information on Persons Identified as Responsible for Serious Deficiencies, Proposed for Disqualification, or Disqualified to Participate as Principals or Family Day Care Home Operators in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)," 69 FR 6933, published February 12, 2004, to include unaffiliated centers and responsible individuals of unaffiliated centers terminated or otherwise disqualified from participating in the Child and Adult Care Food Program, and service institutions and responsible individuals that have been terminated or otherwise disqualified from participation in the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP). The system of records will continue to include the records of institutions, day care home providers, and responsible individuals who have been terminated or otherwise disqualified from participation in the Child and Adult Care Food Program.

**DATES:** In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(4) and (11), this notice is effective upon publication, subject to a

30-day notice and comment period in which to comment on the routine uses described in the routine uses section of this system of records notice. Please submit your comments by October 1, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, USDA/FNS-11, by one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov> provides the ability to type short comments directly into the comment field on this web page or attach a file for lengthier comments. Follow the online instructions at that site for submitting comments.

- Ms. Andrea Farmer, Chief, Community Meals Program Monitoring Branch, Child Nutrition Programs, Food and Nutrition Service, Braddock Metro Center II, 1320 Braddock Place, Alexandria, VA 22314.

- *Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name and docket number for this rulemaking. All comments received will be posted without change to <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided.

- *Docket:* For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received go to <http://www.regulations.gov>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For general questions please contact Stephanie Means via telephone at 312-353-7270 or via email at [SM.fn.Privacy-FNS@usda.gov](mailto:SM.fn.Privacy-FNS@usda.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** FNS maintains a list of institutions and individuals who have been disqualified from participating in CACFP and/or SFSP. The State agencies access the list to ensure that no one participating in either Program in their state has been disqualified.

State agencies provide the information about the disqualifications they impose by submitting the information to the NDL. FNS reviews and approves the information. This information is then accessible to all State agencies that participate in this matching program to help determine CACFP and/or SFSP eligibility.

In accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a, the Department of Agriculture's ("Department" or "USDA") Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) proposes to modify the system of records titled, USDA/FNS-11, "Information on Persons Identified as Responsible for Serious Deficiencies, Proposed for Disqualification, or Disqualified to Participate as Principals or Family Day Care Home Operators in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)." This includes modifying the

title to "USDA/FNS-11, National Disqualified List (NDL)—Information on Entities Disqualified from Participation in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) and Summer Food Service Program (SFSP)."

The NDL system of records currently contains a list of institutions, responsible individuals, and family day care home providers that have been disqualified by State agencies from participating in CACFP. The NDL system of records is being modified to include unaffiliated centers and responsible individuals of unaffiliated centers terminated or otherwise disqualified from participating in the CACFP. The NDL system of records is also being revised to include service institutions and responsible individuals of service institutions that have been terminated or otherwise disqualified from participating in the SFSP as required by Section 322 of the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 (HHFKA), Public Law 111-296 (requiring the Secretary to maintain a list of service institutions and individuals that have been terminated or disqualified from SFSP and to make this list available to State agencies for use in approving or renewing service institutions' applications for SFSP participation).

Responsible individual means: A principal, whether compensated or uncompensated, who the State agency or FNS determines to be responsible for a serious deficiency; any other individual employed by, or under contract with, a sponsoring organization who the State agency or FNS determines to be responsible a serious deficiency; or an uncompensated individual who the State agency or FNS determines to be responsible for a serious deficiency.

FNS will share information from the system in accordance with the requirements of the Privacy Act. A full list of routine uses is included in the routine uses section of the document published with this notice.

In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552a(r), USDA has provided a report of this system of records to the Office of Management and Budget and to Congress.

#### SYSTEM NAME AND NUMBER:

USDA/FNS-11, "Information on Persons Identified as Responsible for Serious Deficiencies, Proposed for Disqualification, or Disqualified to Participate as Principals or Family Day Care Home Operators in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)," and also referred to as the National Disqualified List or NDL.

This notice proposes to modify the system name to: "National Disqualified