

FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), 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 continuing information collections. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), this notice seeks comments concerning FEMA's Debt Collection Financial Statement, which requests personal financial data from its individual debtors.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under FEMA's debt collection regulations, 44 CFR 11.36(b), FEMA is required to maintain current credit data on FEMA's debtors including, the individual debtor's own financial statement, executed under penalty for false claim, concerning his/her assets and liabilities and his/her income and expenses. FEMA Form 22-13, Debt Collection Financial Statement, collects such data directly from the individual debtor. FEMA uses this data to determine the debtor's ability to pay debts due FEMA and to locate the debtor's assets.

Collection of Information

Title: Debt Collection Financial Statement.

Type of Information Collection: Extension of a currently approved collection.

OMB Number: 3067-0122.

Form Numbers: FEMA Form 22-13, Debt Collection Financial Statement.

Abstract: FEMA may request a debtor to provide personal financial information on FEMA Form 22-13 concerning his or her current financial position. This information includes the debtor's home and employment addresses, name of spouse (if any), name and age of children (if any), amount and sources of the debtor's and spouse's (if any) salaries, stocks, bonds and other securities, real and personal property owned, bank accounts and names of creditors and amounts owed to these creditors.

With this information, FEMA can evaluate whether to allow a debtor to pay the FEMA debts under installment repayment agreements and, if so, under what terms and amounts. FEMA also

uses this data to determine whether FEMA should suspend or terminate collection efforts or compromise the respondent's debts. This data is also used to locate the debtor's assets if the debts are to be judicially enforced.

Providing information on FEMA Form 22-13 is voluntary on the part of the debtor. However, if the debtor does not provide the information requested, FEMA may use more severe collection methods.

Affected Public: Individuals or Households.

Number of Respondents: 600.

Frequency of Responses: On Occasion.

Hours Per Response: 75.

Estimated Total Annual Burden

Hours: 450 hours.

Estimated Cost: The cost to respondents is estimated to be \$7,074. The cost to the Federal Government is estimated to be \$7,128.

Comments

Written comments are solicited to (a) evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) 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; (c) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) 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 should be received within 60 days of the date of this notice.

ADDRESSES: Interest persons should submit written comments to Muriel B. Anderson, Chief, Records Management Branch, Program Services Division, Operations Support Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., Room 316, Washington DC 20472.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Contact Robin D. Maresco, Accountant, FEMA Office of Financial Management, Financial Policy Division, Policy and Standards Branch, 500 C Street, SW, Washington, DC 20742, telephone number (202) 646-4287 for additional information. You may contact Ms. Anderson for copies of the proposed collection of information at telephone number (202) 646-2625 or facsimile

number (202) 646-3347 or e-mail muriel.anderson@fema.gov.

Dated: May 1, 2001.

Reginald Trujillo,

*Director, Program Services Division,
Operations Support Directorate.*

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Federal Emergency Management Agency, 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 the proposed new information collections. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), this notice seeks comments concerning The National Flood Insurance Telephone Response Center (TRC) and Leads Application Program.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) plays a critical role in FEMA's mission for reducing flood losses. Through the NFIP, communities must adopt and enforce floodplain management ordinances to reduce future flood losses. In exchange, FEMA's NFIP makes federally backed flood insurance available to property owners in these participating communities. According to the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, Congress Findings and Declaration of Purpose, Section 2(a)(6), Congress finds that it is the public interest for persons already living in flood prone areas to have an opportunity to purchase flood insurance and access to more adequate limits of coverage, so that they will be indemnified for their losses in the event of future flood disasters. In accordance with this finding, FEMA attempts to fulfill the requirement of The Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 by informing and educating potential purchasers of the requirements to purchase flood insurance, when they call the National Flood Insurance Telephone Response Center (TRC).

Collection of Information

Title: National Flood Insurance Telephone Response Center (TRC) and Leads Application Program.

Type of Information Collection: New.
Form Numbers: FEMA Form 81-95,
Free Flood Insurance Leads.

Abstract: The National Flood Insurance Telephone Response Center (TRC) and Leads Application Program were established as part of FEMA Cover America Advertising Campaign in 1995.

The TRC is designed to respond to customer inquiries about flood insurance, offers to send customers general information on the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), refer customers to insurance agents, and inform customers of insurance agents

that can write flood insurance policies in the area in which they live.

Affected Public: Individuals or Households, and Business or Other For-Profit.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:

	No. of respondents (A)	Frequency of response (B)	Hours per response (C)	Annual burden hours (A × B × C)
Callers to the Telephone Response Center	72,000	1	3	3,600
Lead Program Application FEMA Form 81-95	448	1	2	15
Outbound Calls Follow-up	6,000	1	3	300
Total	78,448	1	8	3,915

Estimated Cost: \$1,050,000 for Contracts.

Comments

Written comments are solicited to: (a) Evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) 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; (c) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) 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 should be received within 60 days of the date of this notice.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons should submit written comments to Muriel B. Anderson, Chief, Records Management Branch, Program Services Division, Operations Support Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., Room 316, Washington, DC 20472.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Contact Carolyn Goss, Federal Insurance Administration, Marketing Division, 202-646-3468 for additional information. You may contact Ms. Anderson at (202) 646-2625 or facsimile number (202) 646-3347 or by email at muriel.Anderson@fema.gov for copies of the proposed collection of information.

Dated: April 30, 2001.

Reginald Trujillo,

*Director, Program Services Division,
Operations Support Directorate.*

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-1365-DR]

Mississippi; Amendment No. 1 to Notice of a Major Disaster Declaration

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the notice of a major disaster declaration for the State of Mississippi, (FEMA-1365-DR), dated April 17, 2001, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 27, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Madge Dale, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3772.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of a major disaster declaration for the State of Mississippi is hereby amended to include the following areas among those areas determined to have been adversely affected by the catastrophe declared a major disaster by the President in his declaration of April 17, 2001:

Leake and Neshoba Counties for Individual Assistance (already designated for Public Assistance).

Pontotoc County for Individual Assistance. (The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis

Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing Program; 83.548, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.)

Robert J. Adamcik,

Deputy Associate Director, Response and Recovery Directorate.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Federal Maritime Commission.

TIME AND DATE: 10 a.m.—May 10, 2001.

PLACE: 800 North Capitol Street, N.W., First Floor Hearing Room, Washington, D.C.

STATUS: A portion of the meeting will be open to the public. The remainder of the meeting will be closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The open portion of the meeting:

1. Shipper Export Declaration (SED) Fees

2. Commission Alternative Dispute Resolution Program

The closed portion of the meeting:

1. Executive Tug Franchises—Marine Terminal Operators Serving the Lower Mississippi River

2. Exclusive Tug Arrangements in Florida Ports

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Bryant L. VanBrakle, Secretary, (202) 523-5725.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,

Secretary.

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