

Authority

This action is authorized under the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, §§ 201-03, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §§ 3721-23 (1988).

Background

The National Institute of Justice is soliciting proposals to provide conceptual and administrative direction to a research forum on the interdependent relationship between sentencing policy and correctional practice. It is anticipated that the "Executive Seminar on Sentencing and Corrections" will meet six times in 3 years. Awardees will be expected to help NIJ select the membership of the Executive Seminar, which will be a core group of 20 to 30 individuals with expertise in sentencing, corrections, and public policy analysis; assist NIJ and the Executive Seminar in developing specific issue areas to be discussed; provide professional and support staff to the Executive Seminar; manage and facilitate the meetings, including logistical requirements; contribute conceptual and editorial support in the commissioning and publication of papers, and provide routine administrative and financial oversight to the project.

This solicitation is open to educational institutions with doctoral programs in criminal justice or public policy analysis and to law schools.

Interested organizations should call the National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS) at 1-800-851-3420 to obtain a copy of "NIJ Solicits Proposals for Executive Seminar Series" (refer to document no. SL000155).

The solicitation is available electronically via the NCJRS Bulletin Board, which can be accessed via Internet. Telnet to ncjrsbbs.aspensys.com, or gopher to ncjrs.aspensys.com 71. For World Wide Web access, connect to the NCJRS Justice Information Center at <http://www.ncjrs.org>. Those without Internet access can dial the NCJRS Bulletin Board via modem: dial 301-738-8895. Set modem at 9600 baud, 8-N-1.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Office of the Secretary****Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

June 4, 1996.

The Department of Labor (DOL) 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 (P.L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). Copies of these individual ICRs, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of Labor Acting Department Clearance Officer, Theresa M. O'Malley ({202} 219-5095). Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TTY/TDD) may call {202} 219-4720 between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for (BLS/DM/ESA/ETA/OAW/MSHA/OSHA/PWBA/VETS), Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 ({202} 395-7316), within 30 days from the date 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 agency, 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 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.

Agency: Employment Standards Administration.

Title: Report of Construction Contractor's Wage Rates.

OMB Number: 1215-00046.

Agency Number: WD-10.

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 37,500.
Estimated Time Per Respondent: 20 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 25,000.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: \$0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): \$0.

Description: The Form WD-10 is used by the Department of Labor to elicit construction project data from contractor associations, contractors and unions. The wage data is used to determine locally prevailing wages under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts.

Agency: Employment Standards Administration.

Title: Report of Changes that May Affect Your Black Lung Benefits.

OMB Number: 1215-0084.

Agency Number: CM-929.

Frequency: Biennially.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Number of Respondents: 35,000.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 5 to 8 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 3,092.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: \$0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): \$0.

Description: This information is used to help determine continuing eligibility of primary beneficiaries receiving black lung benefits from the Disability Trust Fund. It is also used to verify and update on a regular basis factors that affect a beneficiary's entitlement to benefits, including income, marital status, receipt of State Workers' Compensation, and dependent status.

Agency: Employment Standards Administration.

Title: Notice of Recurrence of Disability and Claim for Continuation of Pay/Compensation.

OMB Number: 1215-0167.

Agency Number: CA-2a.

Frequency: 1 time per recurrence of disability.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Number of Respondents: 550.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 30 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 275.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: \$0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): \$192.50.

Description: The CA-2a is used by current, or occasionally former Federal employees to claim wage loss or

medical treatment resulting from a recurrence of a work-related injury while Federally employed. The information is necessary to ensure the accurate payment of benefits.

Agency: Employment Standards Administration.

Title: Family Medical Leave Act of 1993, 29 CFR Part 825.

OMB Number: 1215-0181.

Frequency: Recordkeeping; third party disclosure; reporting on occasion.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; Farms; State, Local or Tribal Government.

Number of Respondents: 3,900,000.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 1 to 10 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 9,142,500.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: \$0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): \$0.

Description: The Family Medical Leave Act of 1993 (FMLA) requires private sector employees of 50 or more employees, and public agencies to provide up to 12 weeks of unpaid, job-protected leave to "eligible" employees for certain family and medical reasons. Records are required so that the Department of Labor can determine employer compliance with the FMLA.

Agency: Employment Standards Administration.

Title: Rehabilitation Action Report.

OMB Number: OWCP-44.

Agency Number: 1215-0182.

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 7,000.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 30 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 3,500.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: \$0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): \$0.

Description: The OWCP-44 is the rehabilitation action report submitted by the rehabilitation counselor to report transition periods in the vocational rehabilitation process and to request prompt claims adjudicatory action.

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Acting Departmental Clearance Officer.

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Employment Standards Administration

Wage and Hour Division; Minimum Wages for Federal and Federally Assisted Construction; General Wage Determination; Decisions

General wage determination decisions of the Secretary of Labor are issued in accordance with applicable law and are based on the information obtained by the Department of Labor from its study of local wage conditions and data made available from other sources. They specify the basic hourly wage rates and fringe benefits which are determined to be prevailing for the described classes of laborers and mechanics employed on construction projects of a similar character and in the localities specified therein.

The determinations in these decisions of prevailing rates and fringe benefits have been made in accordance with 29 CFR Part 1, by authority of the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act of March 3, 1931, as amended (46 Stat. 1494, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 276a) and of other Federal statutes referred to in 29 CFR Part 1, Appendix, as well as such additional statutes as may from time to time be enacted containing provisions for the payment of wages determined to be prevailing by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act. The prevailing rates and fringe benefits determined in these decisions shall, in accordance with the provisions of the foregoing statutes, constitute the minimum wages payable on Federal and federally assisted construction projects to laborers and mechanics of the specified classes engaged on contract work of the character and in the localities described therein.

Good cause is hereby found for not utilizing notice and public comment procedure thereon prior to the issuance of these determinations as prescribed in 5 U.S.C. 553 and not providing for delay in the effective date as prescribed in that section, because the necessity to issue current construction industry wage determinations frequently and in large volume causes procedures to be impractical and contrary to the public interest.

General wage determination decisions, and modifications supersede as decisions thereto, contain no expiration dates and are effective from their date of notice in the Federal Register, or on the date written notice is received by the agency, whichever is earlier. These decisions are to be used in accordance with the provisions of 29 CFR Parts 1 and 5. Accordingly, the applicable decision, together with any

modifications issued, must be made a part of every contract for performance of the described work within the geographic area indicated as required by an applicable Federal prevailing wage law and 29 CFR Part 5. The wage rates and fringe benefits, notice of which is published herein, and which are contained in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under The Davis-Bacon And Related Acts," shall be the minimum paid by contractors and subcontractors to laborers and mechanics.

Any person, organization, or governmental agency having an interest in the rates determined as prevailing is encouraged to submit wage rate and fringe benefit information for consideration by the Department. Further information and self-explanatory forms for the purpose of submitting this data may be obtained by writing to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment Standards Administration, Wage and Hour Division, Division of Wage Determinations, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room S-3014, Washington, D.C. 20210.

Modifications to General Wage Determination Decisions

The number of decisions listed in the Government Printing Office document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts" being modified are listed by Volume and State. Dates of publication in the Federal Register are in parentheses following the decisions being modified.

Volume I

Connecticut:

CT960001 (March 15, 1996)
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