

OMB Number: 0581-0134.

Expiration Date of Approval: March 31, 1997.

Type of Request: Extension and revision of a currently approved information collection.

Abstract: Marketing order programs provide an opportunity for producers of fresh fruits, vegetables and specialty crops, in a specified production area, to work together to solve marketing problems that cannot be solved individually. Marketing order regulations help ensure adequate supplies of high quality product and adequate returns to producers. Under the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937 (AMAA), as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674), marketing order programs are established if favored in referendum among producers. Such a process determines if the handling of the commodity is to be regulated. The Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to oversee marketing order operations and issue regulations recommended by a committee of representatives from each commodity industry.

The information collection requirements in this request are essential to carry out the intent of the AMAA, to provide the respondents the type of service they request, and to administer the Washington cherry marketing order program and the Washington-Oregon fresh prune marketing order program. Both programs have been operating since 1957 and 1960, respectively.

Both marketing orders authorize the issuance of grade, size, quality, maturity, pack, container, inspection, and reporting requirements. In addition, the Washington prune order also authorizes the issuance of container marking requirements. Both the Washington cherry order and Washington prune order also authorize the establishment of marketing research and development projects. The Washington prune order also authorizes the establishment of production research. Regulatory provisions apply to Washington cherries and prunes shipped both within and out of the production area to any market, except those specifically exempt. These forms enable the committees, and thus, the Secretary to better monitor exempt shipments and ensure compliance with provisions of the marketing orders and the AMAA.

Under the Washington cherry and prune marketing orders, producers and handlers are nominated by their respective peers. These nominees then serve as representatives on their respective committees and must file nomination forms with the Secretary.

Formal rulemaking amendments to the orders must be approved in referenda conducted by the Secretary. Also, the Secretary may conduct a continuance referendum to determine industry support for continuation of these marketing order programs. Handlers are asked to sign an agreement to indicate their willingness to abide by the provisions of the respective orders whenever an order is amended. These forms are included in this request.

The information collected is used only by authorized representatives of the USDA, including AMS, Fruit and Vegetable Division regional and headquarters staff, and authorized employees of the committee. AMS is the primary user of the information and authorized committee employees are the secondary users.

These forms require the minimum information necessary to effectively carry out the requirements of the orders, and their use is necessary to fulfill the intent of the AMAA as expressed in both orders, and the rules and regulations issued under the orders.

#### Washington Cherries

*Estimate of Burden:* Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 0.199 hours per response.

*Respondents:* Cherry producers and for-profit businesses handling sweet cherries produced in designated counties in Washington.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 1,265.

*Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* 0.273.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* 69 hours.

#### Washington-Oregon Prunes

*Estimate of Burden:* Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 0.248 hours per response.

*Respondents:* Prune producers and for-profit businesses handling fresh prunes produced in designated counties in Washington and Umatilla County, Oregon.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 413.

*Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* 0.22.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* 23 hours.

Comments are invited on: (1) 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; (2) 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; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to 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.

Comments should reference either or both OMB No. 0581-0133 (Washington Cherry Marketing Order No. 923), and OMB No. 0581-0134 (Washington-Oregon Prune Marketing Order No. 924), and be sent to USDA in care of Teresa L. Hutchinson, Marketing Specialist, Northwest Marketing Field Office, Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 1220 SW Third Avenue, Room 369, Portland, OR 97204. All comments received will be available for public inspection during regular business hours at the same address.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Dated: September 23, 1996.

Robert C. Keeney,

Director, Fruit and Vegetable Division.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forest Service

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### Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement; Notice of Public Meetings; Montana, Wyoming

**AGENCY:** Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, with concurrence from the Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, proposes to withdraw, for 20 years, approximately 22,000 acres of Federal mineral estate, and any non-Federal minerals that may be acquired in the future, from location and entry under the mining laws. This mineral withdrawal is being proposed to protect the watersheds within the drainages of

the Clarks Fork of the Yellowstone, Soda Butte Creek, and the Stillwater River, and the water quality and fresh water fishery resources within Yellowstone National Park. Based on comments received during the earlier public scoping period and preliminary analysis of environmental impacts, the BLM and FS will jointly prepare an EIS that displays the effects of the proposed mineral withdrawal in Park County, Montana.

**DATES:** Public meetings will be held in Cody, Wyoming, on Oct. 23, 1996, at the Cody Club Room, and in Livingston, Montana, on Oct. 24, 1996, at the Yellowstone Motor Inn. Both meetings will use an Open House format and the BLM and FS officials will be present from 3:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. each day to discuss the proposed mineral withdrawal and answer questions.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Comments about the proposed mineral withdrawal may be sent to the Cooke City Area Mineral Withdrawal Team, P.O. Box 36800, Billings, Montana 59107.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** A Notice of Intent to prepare a NEPA analysis was published in the Federal Register, 61 FR 27366, May 31, 1996. Notice was given that a series of meetings would be held to provide an opportunity for public involvement regarding the proposed withdrawal and the preparation of a NEPA analysis. Based on comments received in letters and at the public scoping meetings, as well as the preliminary analysis of issues and environmental impacts, the BLM and FS have determined that it is appropriate to prepare an EIS for the proposed mineral withdrawal.

Dated: September 18, 1996.  
Thomas P. Lonnie,  
*Deputy State Director, Division of Resources.*

Dated: September 18, 1996.  
Sherry L. Milburn,  
*Acting Forest Supervisor, Custer National Forest.*  
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## COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

### Procurement List Proposed Additions

**AGENCY:** Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

**ACTION:** Propose additions to Procurement List.

**SUMMARY:** The Committee has received proposals to add to the Procurement List commodities and services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

**COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE:** October 28, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Crystal Square 3, Suite 403, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3461.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Beverly Milkman (703) 603-7740.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 47(a)(2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the possible impact of the proposed actions.

If the Committee approves the proposed additions, all entities of the Federal Government (except as otherwise indicated) will be required to procure the commodities and services listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

2. The action does not appear to have a severe economic impact on current contractors for the commodities and services.

3. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

4. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the commodities and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Comments on this certification are invited. Commenters should identify the statement(s) underlying the certification on which they are providing additional information.

The following commodities and services have been proposed for addition to Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

#### Commodities

Pillow, Bed

7210-01-395-7921

NPA: Georgia Industries for the Blind, Bainbridge, Georgia

Towel, Paper

7920-00-823-6931

NPA: Maine Center for the Blind & Visually Impaired, Portland, Maine

#### Services

Administrative Services

Social Security Administration

Active Files Unit

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

NPA: Elwyn, Inc., Concordville, Pennsylvania

Janitorial/Custodial

Naval and Marine Corps Reserve Center

Broken Arrow, Oklahoma

NPA: Gateway Foundation, Inc., Broken Arrow, Oklahoma

Janitorial/Custodial

James River Reserve Fleet Buildings

Administration Building 2606 and Tech Support Building

Fort Eustis, Virginia

NPA: Association for Retarded Citizens of the Peninsula, Inc., Hampton, Virginia

Recycling Service

Naval Surface Warfare Center

Bethesda, Maryland

NPA: CHI Centers, Inc., Silver Spring, Maryland

Beverly L. Milkman,

*Executive Director.*

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### Procurement List Proposed Additions

**AGENCY:** Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

**ACTION:** Proposed additions to Procurement List.

**SUMMARY:** The Committee has received proposals to add to the Procurement List a commodity and a service to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

**COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE:** October 28, 1996.

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