

the LTFV investigation (59 FR 66915, December 28, 1994).

These requirements, when imposed, shall remain in effect until publication of the final results of the next administrative review.

This notice serves as a preliminary reminder to importers of their responsibility to file a certificate regarding the reimbursement of antidumping duties prior to liquidation of the relevant entries during this review period. Failure to comply with this requirement could result in the Secretary's presumption that reimbursement of antidumping duties occurred and the subsequent assessment of double antidumping duties.

This new shipper administrative review and notice are in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(2)(B)) and 19 CFR 353.22(h).

Dated: October 15, 1996.

Robert S. LaRussa,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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National Institute of Standards and Technology

[Docket No. 961008283-6283-01]

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Notice of Termination of Validation Services for Five Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS)

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice; termination of validation services.

SUMMARY: The NIST is terminating validation services for implementations of the following FIPS:

- FIPS 109, Pascal (ANSI/IEEE 770x3.97-1983/R1990)
- FIPS 120-1, Graphical Kernel System (GKS) (ANSI X3.124-1985/R1991, X3.124.1-1985/R1991, X3.124.2-1988/R1994, X3.124.3-1989 and ISO/IEC 8651-4:1991)
- FIPS 125-1, MUMPS (ANSI/MDC X11.1-1990)
- FIPS 153-1, Programmer's Hierarchical Interactive Graphics System (PHIGS), (ANSI/ISO 9592.1,2,3:1989, 9592.1a,2a,3a,4:1992, 9593.1:1990, 9593.3:1990, 9593.4:1991, and 9593.1/AM1, 3/AM1,4/AM1:1991)
- FIPS 177-1, Initial Graphics Exchange Specification (IGES) (Digital Representation for Communication of Product Definition Data), ANIS/US

PRO/IPO-100-1993, Version 5.2, and the specified APs: Layered Electrical Product (LEP) Application Protocol, IPO-110-1994; 3-D Piping Application Protocol; and Engineering Drawing (Class II) Subset (MIL-D-28000A).

These validation services are being terminated because the FIPS have not been updated to reference current or revised voluntary industry standards, products implementing the voluntary industry standards are widely available, or there have been few or no requests for validation services. As a result, it is no longer practical or necessary for the government to continue providing validation services for these FIPS.

Agencies requiring validation of implementations for conformance to the above standards may specify their own testing or adopt other techniques for evaluating conformance to these specifications.

In many cases the test methods and validation procedures were developed by NIST, and are freely available. In other cases the test suites for standards, such as Pascal, are provided by others. Information on how to obtain the test methods and validation procedures that were used by NIST for testing conformance to these FIPS can be obtained through the NIST Validated Products List internet Universal Resource Locator (URL) address <ftp://speckle.ncsl.nist.gov/vpl/intro.htm> or contacting: Information Technology Laboratory, Software Diagnostic and Conformance Testing Division, Conformance Testing Group, Building 820, NIST North, Room 562, Gaithersburg, MD 20899, Phone: (301) 975-3283.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Validation services for FIPS 109, 120-1, 125-1, 153-1 and 177-1 will be terminated on November 21, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mr. L. Arnold Johnson, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, MD 20899, telephone (301) 975-3247, e-mail johnson@speckle.ncsl.nist.gov.

AUTHORITY: Federal Information Processing Standards Publications (FIPS PUBS) are issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology after approval by the Secretary of Commerce pursuant to Section 5131 of the Information Technology Management Reform Act of 1996 and the Computer Security Act of 1987, Public Law 104-106.

Dated: October 16, 1996.

Samuel Kramer,

Associate Director.

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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Fisheries Capital Construction Fund Deposit/Withdrawal Report

ACTION: Proposed collection; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, 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 and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506 (c)(A)).

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before December 23, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Linda Engelmeier, Management Analyst, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Charles L. Cooper, Financial Services Division, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910, (301) 713-2396.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

Respondents will be commercial fishing industry individuals, partnerships, or corporations which entered into Capital Construction Fund agreements with the Secretary of Commerce allowing deferral of Federal taxation on fishing vessel income deposited into the fund for use in the acquisition, construction, or reconstruction of fishing vessels. Deferred taxes are recaptured by reducing an agreement vessel's basis for depreciation by the amount withdrawn from the fund for its acquisition, construction, or reconstruction. The deposit/withdrawal information collected from agreement holders is required pursuant to 50 CFR Part 259.35 and P.L. 99-514 (The Tax Reform Act, 1986). The information collected is required to ensure that agreement

holders are complying with fund deposit/withdrawal requirements established in program regulations and properly accounting for fund activity on their Federal income tax returns. The information collected must also be reported annually to the Secretary of Treasury in accordance with the Tax Reform Act, 1986.

II. Method of Collection

The collection of information will be collected on the Capital Construction Fund—Deposit/Withdrawal Report form which agreement holders are required to submit at the end of their tax year.

III. Data

OMB Number: 0648-0041.

Form Number: NOAA Form 34-82.

Type of Review: Regular Submission.

Affected Public: Businesses and other-for profit organizations—commercial fishermen, partnerships, and corporations with Capital Construction Fund agreements.

Estimated Number of Respondents: The universe of respondents is estimated at 4,000 annually. Number of responses is estimated at 5,000 due to some participants having more than one agreement.

Estimated Time Per Response: Preparation of reports is estimated at 20 minutes per report. The total annual burden of hours is estimated at 1,650 hours per year.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: No capital, operations, or maintenance costs are expected.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: October 7, 1996.
Linda Engelmeier,
Management Analyst, Office of Management and Organization.
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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY: U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, Washington, DC 20207.

"FEDERAL REGISTER" CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT: [insert FR citation].

PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TIME AND DATE OF MEETING: 10:30 a.m., October 23, 1996.

CHANGES IN MEETING: The meeting date and time concerning the FY 1997 Operating Plan has been changed to Thursday, October 24, 1996 at 10:00 a.m.

For a recorded message containing the latest agenda information, call (301) 504-0709.

CONTACT PERSON FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Sadye E. Dunn, Office of the Secretary 4330 East West Highway, Bethesda, MD 20207 (301) 504-0800.

Dated: October 17, 1996.
Sadye E. Dunn,
Secretary.
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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Proposed Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) for the M1 Breacher Life Cycle Environmental Assessment

AGENCY: U.S. Army Program Executive Office, Ground Combat & Support Systems.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969 and Army Regulation 200-2, the proposed FONSI for the M1 Breacher is being published for comment. The U.S. Army Program Executive Office, Ground Combat & Support Systems (PEO-GCSS) has prepared a Life Cycle Environmental Assessment (LCEA) which examines the potential impacts to the natural and human environment from the proposed development of the Breacher as a combat vehicle that combines capabilities to reduce both simple and complex obstacle systems into a single

armored vehicle chassis. Based on the LCEA, PEO-GCSS and the Tank-automotive and Armaments Command (TACOM) have determined the proposed action is not a major Federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment, within the meaning of NEPA. Therefore the preparation of an environmental impact statement is not required and the Army is issuing this proposed FONSI.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Questions concerning the proposed action should be directed to Mr. Brian Bonkosky, Program Executive Office, Ground Combat & Support Systems, Breacher Product Manager's Office, ATTN: SFAE-GCSS-CV-B, Warren, Michigan 48397-5000, telephone number: (810) 574-7687, fax number: (810) 574-7822.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Note: PEO, GCSS absorbed the U.S. Army Program Executive Office, Armored Systems Modernization (PEO, ASM) in September 1996. The LCEA, upon which this FONSI is based, was conducted within PEO, ASM. Organizational references within the LCEA to PEO, ASM should be considered to be changed to PEO, GCSS.

Proposed Action

This LCEA examines the potential impacts to the natural and human environment from the proposed development of the M1 Breacher as a combat vehicle combining capabilities to reduce both simple and complex obstacle systems into a single armored vehicle chassis. The Breacher would meet the Army's Operational Requirements Document (ORD) specified requirements for increased capability in a single armored vehicle based on the M1 Abrams chassis. These requirements call for capability to remove and destroy obstacles to troop and vehicular movement (such as ditches, berms, barbed wire, and other natural or man-made obstacles). The Breacher also provides countermining capability, as well as more mobility and survivability than is currently available. In accordance with the Army's combat maintenance emphasis on designing for discard, Breacher combat components, to the maximum extent feasible, would be designed for discard at failure in the field. However, in non-combat situations, packaging, handling, and storage for transportation of Breacher systems would include the consideration of such recycling and pollution prevention measures as employing reusable containers and the breakdown and recycling of discarded components.