

the target date for completion of the above-captioned investigation from June 29, 1998, to July 2, 1998, to accommodate a revised briefing schedule.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John A. Wasleff, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone 202-205-3094.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This investigation was instituted on March 18, 1997, based on a complaint filed by Atmel Corporation. 62 FR 13706. The respondents named in the investigation are Sanyo Electric Co., Ltd., Winbond Electronics Corporation and Winbond Electronics North America Corporation, and Macronix International Co., Ltd. Silicon Storage Technology, Inc. was permitted to intervene. At issue are claim 1 of U.S. Letters Patent 4,511,811, claim 1 of U.S. Letters Patent 4,673,829, and claims 1-9 of U.S. Letters Patent 4,451,903.

On May 6, 1998, the Commission determined to review portions of the presiding administrative law judge's final initial determination and requested the parties to brief certain questions to aid the Commission's review. 63 Fed. Reg. 25867. The Commission directed the parties to file their main briefs responding to the Commission's notice of review by May 20, 1998, and their reply briefs by May 28, 1998.

On May 18, 1998, a motion of respondent Winbond to extend the filing deadline for main briefs to May 26, 1998, and the filing deadline for reply briefs to June 2, 1998, was granted. The extensions applied to all parties. The target date for completion of the investigation was subsequently extended to June 29, 1998.

On May 28, 1998, a motion of complainant Atmel Corporation to extend the filing deadline for its reply brief was granted in part. All parties were required to file their reply briefs by June 5, 1998.

This action is taken under the authority of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337) and section 210.51 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 C.F.R. 210.51).

Copies of the public version of the administrative law judge's final initial determination and all other nonconfidential documents filed in connection with this investigation are or will be available for inspection during official business hours (8:45 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.) in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone 202-205-2000. Hearing-impaired persons are advised that

information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server (<http://www.usitc.gov>).

Issued: June 2, 1998.

By order of the Commission.

Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Emergency Review; Comment Request

June 3, 1998.

The Department of Labor has submitted an information collection request (ICR), utilizing emergency review procedures, to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). OMB approval has been requested by June 30, 1998. A copy of this ICR with applicable documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of Labor, Departmental Clearance Officer, Todd R. Owen, (202) 219-5095, Ex. 143. **ADDRESSES:** Comments and questions about this ICR should be forwarded to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, D.C. 20503 ((202) 395-7316).

The Office of Management and Budget 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, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarification 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 means for submission of responses.

Agency: Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Title: Survey on Payment Patterns for Occupational Personal Protective Equipment.

OMB Number: 1218-0NEW.

Frequency: Nonrecurring.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; State, Local or Tribal Governments.

Number of Respondents: 6,582.

Estimated Time per Respondent: 6 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 1,105.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): \$0.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintaining): \$0.

Description: The Occupational Safety and Health Administration is proposing a change to the language of the existing Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) standard, 29 CFR 1910.132. This action is intended to clarify the Agency's longstanding intent that employers are required to pay for most items of PPE. In order to ensure the Agency has sufficient information on this matter, the Agency is planning on conducting a short survey of employers to inquire about their use of PPE and who pays for it currently. Some data from the survey will also be used to support the assigned protection factor portion of its respiratory protection rulemaking (29 CFR 1910.134), as well as its fall protection rulemaking (Subpart M).

Todd R. Owen,

Departmental Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

[Docket No. ICR-98-14]

Annual Inspection Record of Cranes or Derricks Used in Construction

AGENCY: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice of proposed information collection request; opportunity for public comment.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and information collection burdens, is conducting a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on both current and proposed collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506 (c)(2)(A)). This program

helps to ensure that reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection materials are clearly understood, impact of collection requirements on respondents can be accurately assessed, and requested data can be provided in the desired format. Currently, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) is soliciting comments concerning the proposed extension of the information collection requirements contained in 29 CFR 1926.550(a)(6). That standard requires that written records be kept and maintained of the dates and results of all annual inspections of cranes and derricks used in construction. These inspections must be made by a competent person, or by a government or private agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Labor.

The Agency is particularly interested in comments that:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of OSHA's responsibilities, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the Agency's estimates 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 the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology (for example, permitting electronic submissions of responses).

DATES: Written Comments must be submitted on or before August 7, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Comments are to be submitted to the Docket Office, Docket ICR-98-14, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-2625, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210, (202) 219-7894. Written comments limited to 10 pages or less may be transmitted by facsimile to (202) 219-5046.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Laurence Davey, Directorate of Construction, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N3621, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210, (202) 219-7207. Copies of the referenced certification record requests are available for inspection and copying in the Docket Office and will be mailed immediately to persons who request copies by telephoning Mr. Davey at

(202) 219-7207 or Barbara Bielaski at (202) 219-8076. For electronic copies of the information collection request, contact OSHA's Web Page on Internet at <http://www.osha-slc.gov> (click on Information Collection Requests).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) currently has approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for the information collection requirements contained in 29 CFR 1926.550(a)(6). That approval will expire on September 30, 1998, unless OSHA applies for an extension of the OMB approvals. This notice initiates the process for OSHA to request an extension of the current OMB approval.

Paragraph (a)(6) of § 1926.550 requires employers to perform a thorough, annual inspection of cranes and derricks used in construction, and to record and maintain the dates and the results of the inspections. These inspections shall be made by a competent person, or by a government or private agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Labor.

Current Action

This notice requests public comment on OSHA's burden hour estimates prior to OSHA seeking OMB approval of the information collection requirements in 29 CFR 1926.550(a)(6).

Type of Review: Extension of existing approval.

Agency: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor.

Title: Annual Inspection Record of Cranes or Derricks Used in Construction.

OMB Number: 1218-0113.

Agency Number: Docket No. ICR-98-14.

Frequency: Annual.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 32,900.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 3.5 hours.

Total Burden Hours: 115,167.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection (record) request; they will also become a matter of public record.

Signed this 2nd day of June 1998.

Charles N. Jeffress,

Assistant Secretary of Labor.

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FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

June 3, 1998.

TIME AND DATE: 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, June 16, 1998.

PLACE: Room 6005, 6th Floor, 1730 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The Commission will consider and act upon the following:

1. *Secretary of Labor v. Consolidation Coal Co.*, Docket No. WEVA 94-57. (Issues include whether the judge correctly determined that a violation of 30 CFR § 75.1101-23(a) by Consolidation Coal Company was not significant and substantial.)

TIME AND DATE: 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 16, 1998.

PLACE: Room 6005, 6th Floor, 1730 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The Commission will consider and act upon the following:

1. *Secretary of Labor o.b.o. Hannah v. Consolidation Coal Co.*, Docket No. LAKE 94-704-D. (Issues include whether the judge erred in concluding that Consol's unlawful suspension of three miners constituted three separate violations of section 105(c) of the Mine Act, and thus warranted the assessment of the three separate civil penalties.)

Any person attending an open meeting who requires special accessibility features and/or auxiliary aids, such as sign language interpreters, must inform the Commission in advance of those needs. Subject to 29 CFR § 2706.150(a)(3) and § 2706.160(d).

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFO: Jean Ellen, (202) 653-5629/(202) 708-9300 for TDD Relay/1-800-877-8339 for toll free.

Jean H. Ellen,

Chief Docket Clerk.

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THE NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Meetings of Humanities Panel

AGENCY: The National Endowment for the Humanities.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, as amended), notice is hereby given that the following