

unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)) requires Federal agencies to provide a 60-day notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information before submitting the collection to OMB for approval. The **Federal Register** notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on March 11, 1999 (64 FR 12153) (corrected comment submission date published March 22, 1999 (64 FR 13854)). One comment was received, from the Toy Manufacturers of America, Inc. (TMA). The points raised in that comment are addressed in the request for approval of this collection of information that was submitted to OMB.

B. Description of the Collection of Information

This extensive exposure study is intended to obtain a better estimate of the amount of time children mouth products that could contain phthalates. The CPSC is also interested in how mouthing time varies with age, gender, and socioeconomic strata. The Commission also can use information from this study to assess potential hazards associated with other children's products, such as exposure to lead. The title of this collection of information is "Mouthing Behavior Study."

The observation portion of the study involves 200 children between 3 and 35 months old. The observations will be conducted over 2 days for 3 hours per day. For 20 continuous minutes out of each half-hour, the child's mouthing activities will be recorded. This will include (1) the specific object being mouthed, (2) the length of the mouthing episode and (3) whether the object was placed to the lips, or put into the mouth. Mouthing is defined, for purposes of this study, as placing any item to the child's lips, tongue, and/or into the mouth.

In addition to the observations, a contractor will conduct a telephone survey to determine mouthing behaviors of 400 children from 36 to 72 months old, as reported by the parent. This age group will not be observed.

The Commission will use all this information to estimate the frequency and duration of children's mouthing activities, by age. Interested persons may obtain a copy of the request to OMB for approval, containing a more detailed description of the intended study, from the Commission's Office of the Secretary.

C. Burden on Respondents

Two hundred subjects will be used for the observation portion of the study. Each subject's total participation time will be approximately 13 hours. For most of this time, however, the child and the caregiver will be engaged in their regular activities. (Time spent in the normal course of a respondent's activities does not count as part of the burden of a collection of information. 5 CFR 1320.3(b)(2).)

The Commission's staff estimates that each child in the observation study, and the persons associated with that child (including parents and other caregivers), will spend an average total of about 4.5 hours among them in reacting specifically to the observer. This is calculated by estimating 15 minutes for one person to participate in the telephone interview, 1 hour for one person to observe the subject and fill out the questionnaire, 15 minutes for that person to report the results to the contractor, 1 hour each for two persons during the in-home interview/habitation period (2 hours total), and an average of 30 person-minutes of interaction relating to the study for each of the 2 observation sessions (1 hour total). Therefore, the total burden hours for these respondents will be about 900 hours (200 x 4.5 hours).

The number of subjects required for the older children telephone survey portion of the study is 400. Each subject's total time will be approximately 1.5 hours. This is calculated by estimating 15 minutes for the initial phone interview, 1 hour observing the subject and filling out the questionnaire, and 15 minutes for reporting the results to the contractor by telephone. Therefore, the total burden hours for the telephone survey will be about 600 hours. Thus, the estimated one-time reporting burden for this collection is 1500 hours.

D. Requests for Comments

Send comments regarding the burden estimate, or any other aspect of the information collection, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the addresses given at the beginning of this notice.

Dated: July 27, 1999.

Sadye E. Dunn,

Secretary, U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness).

ACTION: Notice.

In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness) announces the following proposed reinstatement of a public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the 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 burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by September 28, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personal and Readiness) (Force Management Policy/Military Personnel Policy/Armed Forces Chaplains Board), ATTN: CAPT Russell Gunter, CHC, UNS, 4000 Defense Pentagon, Room 1B652, Washington, DC 20301-4000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to the above address or call at (703) 697-9015.

Title, Associated Form, and OMB Number: Appointment of Chaplains for the Military Services; DD Form 2088 and DD Form 2741; OMB Control Number 0704-0190.

Needs and Uses: This information collection requirement is necessary to ensure that religious organizations seeking to endorse chaplains are eligible and that applicants qualified for the military chaplain services are endorsed by those religious organizations. Two forms are associated with this program to collect the necessary information. The DD Form 2741, "Ecclesiastical

Endorsing Organization Verification/Reverification Information," requests basic demographic information about the religious denominations seeking to supply chaplains. It requests the name of an official authorized to represent the organization to the Military Services, and it requires the organization to certify that it is authorized by its membership to act as the sole agency for the purpose of certifying and endorsing clergy to serve as military chaplains. The DD Form 2088, "Ecclesiastical Endorsing Agent Certification," is used by religious denominations to certify that a member of their clergy is professionally qualified to become a chaplain. It requests information about name, address, professional experience, and previous military experience to be used in determining grade, date or rank, and eligibility for promotion for appointees to the chaplain services.

Affected Public: Not-for-profit institutions.

Annual Burden Hours: 1,187.

Number of Respondents: 724.

Responses per Respondent: 1.

Average Burden per Respondent: 20 minutes.

Frequency: On occasion/annually.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Summary of Information Collection

The DD Form 2741, "Ecclesiastical Endorsing Organization Verification/Reverification Information," requests basic demographic information about the religious denominations seeking to supply chaplains. It requests the name of an official authorized to represent the organization to the Military Services, and it requires the organization to certify that it is authorized by its membership to act as the sole agency for the purpose of certifying and endorsing clergy to serve as military chaplains. The DD Form 2088, "Ecclesiastical Endorsing Agent Certification," is used by religious denominations to certify that a member of their clergy is professionally qualified to become a chaplain. It requests information about name, address, professional experience, and previous military experience to be used in determining grade, date of rank, and eligibility for promoting for appointees to the chaplain services.

Dated: July 26, 1999.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Kosovo C3ISR Operations and Lessons Learned Meeting

AGENCY: Task Force on Kosovo C3ISR Operations and Lessons Learned.

ACTION: Notice of closed meeting.

SUMMARY: The Task Force on Kosovo C3ISR Operations and Lessons Learned will meet in closed session on 28-30 July 1999. The purpose of the meeting is to review information collected during site visits and prepare a briefing and report on lessons learned from the Kosovo operations. Much of the information at issue is highly classified.

The Task Force serves as a senior advisory board that will provide recommendations to the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Command, Control and Intelligence) (ASD(C3I)) and the Secretary of Defense on improving the application of intelligence and other supporting information to the battlefield. Towards that end, the Task Force will determine both near term and longer term technical and operational improvements to command, control, communications, intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance (C3ISR) systems that provided and/or are still providing support to NATO operations in the Balkans. This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the scheduled meeting due to the need for expedited completion of the Quick Look Assessment.

In accordance with section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-453, as amended (5 U.S.C. App II (1988)), it has been determined that this meeting concerns matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1)(1988), and that, accordingly, this meeting will be closed to the public. It is anticipated that classified matters of national security will be discussed throughout the meeting.

DATES: 28-30 July 1999, 0800-1700 hrs.

ADDRESSES: 1001 N 19th Street, Suite 800, Rosslyn, VA.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Contact Colonel David M. Komar, 703-607-0591.

Dated: July 26, 1999.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Logistics Agency

Privacy Act of 1974; Systems of Records

AGENCY: Defense Logistics Agency, DOD.

ACTION: Notice to alter a system of records.

SUMMARY: The Defense Logistics Agency proposes to alter a system of records notice in its inventory of record systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended.

DATES: This action will be effective without further notice on August 30, 1999, unless comments are received that would result in a contrary determination.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to the Privacy Act Officer, Headquarters, Defense Logistics Agency, ATTN: CAAR, 8725 John J. Kingman Road, Suite 2533, Fort Belvoir, VA 22060-6221.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Susan Salus at (703) 767-6183.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Defense Logistics Agency notices for systems of records subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, have been published in the **Federal Register** and are available from the address above.

The proposed system report, as required by 5 U.S.C. 552a(r) of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, was submitted on July 14, 1999, to the House Committee on Government Reform, the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs, and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) pursuant to paragraph 4c of Appendix I to OMB Circular No. A-130, 'Federal Agency Responsibilities for Maintaining Records About Individuals,' dated February 8, 1996 (February 20, 1996, 61 FR 6427).

Dated: July 26, 1999.

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Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

DELETION

S161.50 DLA-I

SYSTEM NAME:

Traffic Violations File (February 22, 1993, 58 FR 10854).

Reason: These files are being consolidated into the system of records, S161.40 DLA-I, Vehicle Accident Investigation Files.