

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.

*Title & Form Number:* 2001 Exporter & Banker Survey of Ex-Im Bank Competitiveness, EIB Form 00–02.

*OMB Number:* 3048–0004.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Annual Number of Respondents:* 50.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 50.

*Frequency of Reporting or Use:* Annual survey.

Dated: October 16, 2001.

**Carlista D. Robinson,**

*Agency Clearance Officer.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### Notice of Public Information Collection(s) Being Submitted to OMB for Review and Approval

October 10, 2001.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Communications Commissions, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burden invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104–13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) that does not display a valid control number. Comments are requested concerning (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Written comments should be submitted on or before November 19, 2001. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it

difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all comments to Les Smith, Federal Communications Commission, Room 1–A804, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554 or via the Internet to [lesmith@fcc.gov](mailto:lesmith@fcc.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information or copies of the information collections contact Les Smith at (202) 418–0217 or via the Internet at [lesmith@fcc.gov](mailto:lesmith@fcc.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*OMB Control Number:* 3060–0652.

*Title:* Section 76.309, Customer Service Obligations; Section 76.1602, Customer Service—General Information; Section 76.1603, Customer Service—Rate and Service Changes; and Section 76.1619, Information on Subscriber Bills.

*Form Number:* N/A.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit entities; State, local, or tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 10,410.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 10 mins. to 1 hr.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion reporting requirements; Third party disclosure.

*Total Annual Burden:* 32,527 hrs.

*Total Annual Costs:* None.

*Needs and Uses:* FCC rules under 47 CFR 76.309 and 76.1603 set forth various customer service obligations and notification requirements for changes in subscriber rates, programming services, and channel positions. 47 CFR 76.1602 requires each local franchise authority (LFA) to provide affected cable operators with 90 days written notice of its intent to enforce customer service standards. Cable operators must inform subscribers in writing of their right to file complaints about service and programming changes. 47 CFR 76.1603 requires cable companies to notify customers in writing within 30 days of any changes in rates and programming services. In addition, cable companies are required to notify subscribers and LFAs within 30 days prior to any rate or service changes. 47 CFR 76.1619 requires cable operators to respond to a written complaint regarding any subscriber's billing dispute within 30 days and also sets forth requirements for information on subscriber bills.

*OMB Control Number:* 3060–0667.

*Title:* Section 76.630, Compatibility with Consumer Electronic Equipment; Section 76.1621, Equipment

Compatibility Offer; and Section 76.1622, Consumer Education of Equipment Compatibility.

*Form Number:* N/A.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Respondents:* Businesses or other for-profit entities.

*Number of Respondents:* 10,400.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 1 to 20 hrs.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion and annual reporting requirements; Third party disclosure.

*Total Annual Burden:* 10,435 hrs.

*Total Annual Costs:* \$5,275.

*Needs and Uses:* FCC Rules under 47 CFR 76.630(a) prohibit cable system operators from scrambling or otherwise encrypting signals carried on the basic service tier, unless granted a waiver by the FCC. 47 CFR 76.1621 requires cable system operators that use scrambling, encryption, or similar techniques to offer subscribers special equipment to enable the simultaneous reception of multiple signals. 47 CFR 76.1622 requires cable system operators to provide a consumer education program on compatibility matters to their subscribers in writing when they first subscribe and at least once a year thereafter.

Federal Communications Commission.

**Magalie Roman Salas,**

*Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

### Sunshine Act Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the “Government in the Sunshine Act” (5 U.S.C. 552b), notice is hereby given that the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's Board of Directors will meet in open session at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 23, 2001, to consider the following matters:

*Summary Agenda:* No substantive discussion of the following items is anticipated. These matters will be resolved with a single vote unless a member of the Board of Directors requests that an item be moved to the discussion agenda.

Disposition of minutes of previous Board of Directors' meetings.

Summary reports, status reports, and reports of actions taken pursuant to authority delegated by the Board of Directors.

**Discussion Agenda**

Memorandum re: BIF Assessment Rates for the First Semiannual Assessment Period of 2002.

Memorandum re: SAIF Assessment Rates for the First Semiannual Assessment Period of 2002.

Memorandum and resolution re: Final Rule—Engaged in the Business of Receiving Deposits Other Than Trust Funds.

Memorandum and resolution re: Final Rule to Revise the Regulatory Capital Treatment of Recourse, Direct Credit Substitutes, and Residual Interests in Asset Securitizations.

The meeting will be held in the Board Room on the sixth floor of the FDIC Building located at 550—17th Street, NW., Washington, DC.

The FDIC will provide attendees with auxiliary aids (*e.g.*, sign language interpretation) required for this meeting. Those attendees needing such assistance should call (202) 416–2089 (Voice); (202) 416–2007 (TTY), to make necessary arrangements.

Requests for further information concerning the meeting may be directed to Mr. Robert E. Feldman, Executive Secretary of the Corporation, at (202) 898–6757.

Dated: October 16, 2001.  
Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

**Robert E. Feldman,**  
Executive Secretary.

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## FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Emergency Management Agency, 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 revised information collections. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), this notice seeks comments concerning the collection requirements for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Community Rating System (CRS).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The NFIP began in 1968. A central element in the NFIP is the promotion and implementation of a sound local floodplain management program. Communities must adopt minimum floodplain management standards in order to participate in the NFIP and receive the benefits of flood insurance. The Community Rating System (CRS) was designed by FEMA to encourage, through the use of flood insurance premium discounts, communities and states to undertake activities that will mitigate flooding and flood damage, beyond the minimum standards for NFIP participation. The National Flood Insurance Reform Act of 1994 codified the CRS.

The NFIP/CRS Coordinator's Manual includes a Schedule and Commentary. The Application Worksheets and CRS Application are published separately. Communities will use the manuals to apply for activity points leading up to a CRS rating and commensurate flood insurance premium discounts. The Schedule describes the floodplain management and insurance activities available to qualifying communities that undertake the selected additional activities that will reduce flood losses. To apply, communities submit to FEMA the attached application worksheets and requisite documentation. Once approved, the applications are reviewed and field verified by Insurance Service Organization (ISO), Inc., an insurance industry service organization with varied experience, especially with community fire rating.

## Collection of Information

**Title:** Community Rating System (CRS) Program—Application Policy, Instructions, and Worksheets.

**Type of Information Collection:** Revision of a currently approved collection.

**OMB Number:** 3067–0195.

**Document Numbers:** FEMA FIA 15 and 15A.

**Abstract:** The CRS Program establishes a system for FEMA to grade communities' floodplain management activities to determine flood insurance rates for communities. Communities exercising floodplain management activities that exceed Federal minimum standards qualify for lower insurance rates.

The January 1999 edition of the NFIP CRS Coordinator's Manual contains instructions for preparing the application worksheets that were used to apply to the CRS Program for the 1999 through 2001 calendar years. We are coordinating with the public the draft January 2002 edition for comments on the collections of information and all approved comments will be incorporated into the final January 2002 manual, to be effective January 2002–December 2004. The Application Worksheets and CRS Application are published separately. Communities will use the manuals to apply for activity points leading up to a CRS rating and commensurate flood insurance premium discounts. The Schedule describes the floodplain management and insurance activities available to qualifying communities that undertake the selected additional activities that will reduce flood losses. Annually, all CRS participating communities must certify they are maintaining the activities for which they receive credit.

**Affected Public:** State, Local, or Tribal Government.

**Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours.** 9,260.

Application worksheets	Number of respondents (A)	Frequency response (B)	Hours per response (C)	Annual burden hours (A × B × C)
New, Modified and Cycle Applications .....	220	1	29	6,380
Recertification Applications .....	720	1	4	2,880
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>9,260</b>

**Comments:** Written comments are solicited to (a) evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) 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; (c) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be

collected; and (d) 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