

**III. Data**

OMB Number: 0651-0050.

Form Number(s): PTO-1771, PTO-1882, PTO-1930, PTO-1957 and PTO-1966.

Type of Review: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; businesses or other for-profits; and not-for-profit institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 158,300 responses per year, including 1,800 responses per year for Post Publication Amendments and 5,600 responses per year for the Response to

Suspension Inquiry or Letter of Suspension.

Estimated Time per Response: The USPTO estimates that the public will require approximately 10 to 18 minutes (0.17 to 0.30 hours) to supply the information requested in this collection. Completion times may vary, depending upon the nature and amount of information requested in a particular Office Action.

Estimated Total Annual Respondent Burden Hours: 27,240 hours, including 495 hours for Post Publication Amendments and 1,092 hours for the

Response to Suspension Inquiry or Letter of Suspension.

Estimated Total Annual Respondent Cost Burden: \$8,280,960. The USPTO expects that the information in this collection will primarily be prepared by attorneys, though some submissions may be prepared by *pro se* applicants. Using the professional hourly rate of \$304 for associate attorneys in private firms, the USPTO estimates that the respondent cost burden for submitting the information in this collection will be approximately \$8,280,960 per year, including \$482,448 for the proposed forms.

Item	Estimated time for response (minutes)	Estimated annual responses	Estimated annual burden hours
Post Publication Amendment (TEAS) .....	15	900	225
Post Publication Amendment (paper) .....	18	900	270
Response to Suspension Inquiry or Letter of Suspension (TEAS) .....	10	2,800	476
Response to Suspension Inquiry or Letter of Suspension (paper) .....	13	2,800	616
Total .....	.....	7,400	1,587

Estimated Total Annual Non-hour Respondent Cost Burden: \$1,517. There are no capital start-up costs, maintenance costs, or filing fees associated with this information collection. However, customers may incur postage costs when submitting a Post Publication Amendment or Response to Suspension Inquiry or Letter of Suspension to the USPTO by mail. The USPTO estimates that it may receive up to 3,700 mailed submissions per year for these items with an estimated postage cost of 41 cents per response. Therefore, this collection has an annual (non-hour) cost of approximately \$1,517 per year in the form of postage costs.

**IV. Request for Comments**

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 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, e.g., the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection;

they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: September 12, 2007.

Susan K. Fawcett,

Records Officer, USPTO, Office of the Chief Information Officer, Customer Information Services Group, Public Information Services Division.

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**COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION****Sunshine Act Meetings**

TIME AND DATE: 2 p.m., Thursday, October 4, 2007.

PLACE: 1155 21st St., NW., Washington, DC, 9th Floor Commission Conference Room.

STATUS: Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Rule Enforcement Review.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Sauntia S. Warfield, 202-418-5084.

David A. Stawick,

Secretary of the Commission.

[FR Doc. 07-4684 Filed 9-18-07; 10:45 am]

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**COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION****Sunshine Act Meetings**

TIME AND DATE: 11 a.m., Friday, October 5, 2007.

PLACE: 1155 21st St., NW., Washington, DC, 9th Floor Commission Conference Room.

STATUS: Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Surveillance Matters.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Sauntia S. Warfield, 202-418-5084.

David A. Stawick,

Secretary of the Commission.

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**COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION****Sunshine Act Meetings**

TIME AND DATE: 11 a.m., Friday, October 12, 2007.

PLACE: 1155 21st St., NW., Washington, DC, 9th Floor Commission Conference Room.

STATUS: Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Surveillance Matters.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**  
Sauntia S. Warfield, 202-418-5084.**David A. Stawick,***Secretary of the Commission.*

[FR Doc. 07-4686 Filed 9-18-07; 10:45 am]

**BILLING CODE 6351-01-M****COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION****Sunshine Act Meetings****TIME AND DATE:** 11 a.m. Friday, October 19, 2007.**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., NW., Washington, DC, 9th Floor Commission Conference Room.**STATUS:** Closed.**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Surveillance Matters.**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**  
Sauntia S. Warfield, 202-418-5084.**David A. Stawick,***Secretary of the Commission.*

[FR Doc. 07-4687 Filed 9-18-07; 10:45 am]

**BILLING CODE 6351-01-M****COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION****Sunshine Act Meetings****TIME AND DATE:** 11 a.m. Friday, October 26, 2007.**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., NW., Washington, DC, 9th Floor Commission Conference Room.**STATUS:** Closed.**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Surveillance Matters.**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**  
Sauntia S. Warfield, 202-418-5084.**David A. Stawick,***Secretary of the Commission.*

[FR Doc. 07-4688 Filed 9-18-07; 10:45 am]

**BILLING CODE 6351-01-M****DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Office of the Secretary****Department of Defense Task Force on the Future of Military Health Care; Sunshine Act Meeting****AGENCY:** Department of Defense, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Health Affairs); DoD.**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (5 U.S.C., Appendix, as amended), the

Sunshine in the Government Act of 1976 (5 U.S.C. 552b, as amended) and 41 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) §§ 102-3.140 through 160, the Department of Defense announces the following committee meeting:

**Name of Committee:** Department of Defense Task Force on the Future of Military Health Care, a duly established subcommittee of the Defense Health Board.

**Date of Meeting:** October 3, 2007.

**Time of Meeting:** 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**Place of Meeting:** National Transportation Safety Board Conference Center, 429 L'Enfant Plaza, Washington, DC 20594.

**Purpose of Meeting:** To obtain, review, and evaluate information related to the Task Force's congressionally-directed mission to examine matters relating to the future of military health care. The Task Force members will receive briefings on topics related to the delivery of military health care during the public meeting.

**Agenda:** Discussion topics will include: Military and Civilian Personnel Mix; Managing Health Care Needs of Medicare-Eligible Beneficiaries.

Prior to the public meeting the Task Force will conduct a Preparatory Work Meeting from 8 a.m.-8:50 a.m. to solely analyze relevant issues and facts in preparation for the Task Force's next public meeting. In addition, the task Force, following its public meeting, will conduct an additional Preparatory Work Meeting from 3:10 p.m. to 4:10 p.m. to analyze relevant issues and facts in preparation for the Task Force's next public meeting. Both Preparatory Meetings will be held at the National Transportation Safety Board Conference Center, and pursuant to 41 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 102-3.160(a), both Preparatory Work Meetings are closed to the public.

Additional information and meeting registration is available online at the Task Force Web site: <http://www.DoDfuturehealthcare.net>

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Colonel Christine Bader, Executive Secretary, Department of Defense Task Force on the Future of Military Health Care, TMA/Code: DHS, Five Skyline Place, Suite 810, 5111 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, Virginia 22041-3206, (703) 681-3279, ext. 109 ([christine.bader@ha.osd.mil](mailto:christine.bader@ha.osd.mil)).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Open sessions of the meeting will be limited by space accommodations. Any interested person may attend; however, seating is limited to the space available at the National Transportation Safety Board Conference Center. Individuals or

organizations wishing to submit written comments for consideration by the Task Force should provide their comments in an electronic (PDF Format) document through the Task Force Web site (<http://www.DoDfuturehealthcare.net>) at the "Contact Us" page, no later than five (5) business days prior to the scheduled meeting.

Dated: September 17, 2007.

**L. M. Bynum,***Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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**BILLING CODE 5001-06-M****ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION****Sunshine Act Notice****AGENCY:** United States Election Assistance Commission.**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.**DATE AND TIME:** Thursday, October 4, 2007, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.**PLACE:** U.S. Election Assistance Commission, 1225 New York Ave., NW., Suite 150, Washington, DC 20005 (Metro Stop: Metro Center).

**AGENDA:** Commissioners will receive the following presentations: Perspectives from state officials on how EAC can use its regulatory authority under the National Voter Registration Act (NVRA) to address changes in voter registration procedures; Commissioners will receive updates on the next iteration of the Voluntary Voting System Guidelines (VMSG) and a report on a recommendation from the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP); Commissioners will discuss other administrative matters.

This meeting will be open to the public.

**PERSON TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION:** Bryan Whitener, Telephone: (202) 566-3100.

**Thomas R. Wilkey,***Executive Director, U.S. Election Assistance Commission.*

[FR Doc. 07-4701 Filed 9-18-07; 2:46 pm]

**BILLING CODE 6820-KF-M****DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Notice of Interim Approval****AGENCY:** Southeastern Power Administration, DOE.**ACTION:** Notice of Rate Order.

**SUMMARY:** The Deputy Secretary of Energy confirmed and approved, on an interim basis, Rate Schedules SOCO-1-