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Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Toppings at WHS/ESD/Information Management Division, 1777 North Kent Street, RPN, Suite 11000, Arlington, VA 22209-2133.

Dated: October 22, 2007.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army

#### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Office of the Administrative Assistant to the Secretary of the Army, (OAA-RPA), DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the Department of the Army announces the proposed extension 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 the 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 December 28, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
- *Mail:* Federal Docket Management System Office, 1160 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1160.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name, docket

number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

**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 Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command, 200 Stovall Street, Hoffman Building II, Alexandria, Virginia 22332-5000, ATTN: SDDC-PPP-PO, Room 10N67 (Gail Collier), or call Department of the Army reports clearance officer at (703) 428-6440.

*Title, Associated Form, and OMB Number:* Uniform Tender of Rates and/ or Charges for Domestic Transportation Services (DOD/USCG Sponsored Household Goods); SDDC Form 43-R; OMB Control Number 0702-0018.

*Needs and Uses:* Department of Defense approved household goods carrier files rates to engage in the movement of DOD and United States Coast Guard sponsored shipments within the continental United States. Headquarters, Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command evaluates the rates and awards the traffic to low rate responsible carriers whose rates are responsive and most advantageous to the Government.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for profit.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 3,160.

*Number of Respondents:* 1,580.

*Responses per Respondent:* 4.

*Average Burden per Response:* 30 minutes.

*Frequency:* Semi-annually.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Summary of Information Collection

The method SDDC uses to procure shipments is the voluntary submission by carriers during two intrastate filing cycles each year, May 1 to October 31 and November 1 to April 30. Historically, carriers file higher rates in the winter cycle. By accepting rates in two cycles, the Government experiences lower costs during the summer month for the same services. If rates were filed less frequently, shipments would move at higher cost.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army

[Docket No. USA-2007-0029]

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**ACTION:** Notice.

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*Title, Associated Form, and OMB Number:* Tender of Service and Letter of Intent for Personal Property Household Goods and Unaccompanied Baggage Shipments; DD Form 619 and DD Form 619-1; OMB Control Number 0702-0022.

*Needs and Uses:* Since household goods (HHG) move at Government expense, data is needed to choose the best service at lowest cost to the Government. The information provided by the carrier serves as a bid for contract to transport HHG, unaccompanied baggage, mobile homes, and boats. This information is collected on a regular basis, but it submitted intermittently throughout the year. Best-service-for-least-cost carrier receives the contract. DD Form 619 certifies that accessorial services were actually performed. The Government would not know which carriers to use for shipping personal property if they could not collect this information.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 70,548.

*Number of Respondents:* 2,636.

*Responses per Respondent:* 167.5556.

*Average Burden per Response:* 5 minutes.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **Summary of Information Collection**

The Tender of Service is the contractual agreement between DoD and the carrier, under which the carrier agrees to provide services in accordance with the terms and conditions cited in the Tender of Service. In accordance with the provisions of DOD 4500.9-R, the DD Form 619 is used by the household goods carrier industry to itemize packing material and other charges for billing purposes on household goods and unaccompanied baggage shipments.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

### **Office of the Secretary**

#### **Membership of the Office of the Secretary of Defense Performance Review Board**

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice.

This notice announces the appointment of the members of the Performance Review Board (PRB) of the Office of the Secretary of Defense, to include the Joint Staff, the U.S. Mission to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, Defense Field Activities, the U.S. Court of Appeals of the Armed Forces and the following Defense Agencies: Defense Advance Research Projects Agency, the Defense Commissary Agency, Defense Security Service, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, Missile Defense Agency, Defense Business Transformation Agency, Defense Legal Services Agency, and Pentagon Force Protection Agency; The publication of PRB membership is required by 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4).

The Performance Review Board (PRB) provides fair and impartial review of Senior Executive Service performance appraisals and makes recommendations regarding performance ratings and performance awards to the Secretary of Defense.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 22, 2007.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jennifer Prater, Executive and Political Personnel Division, Human Resources Directorate, Washington Headquarters Services, Office of the Secretary of Defense, Department of Defense, The Pentagon, (703) 693-8347.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), the following executives are appointed to the Office of the Secretary of Defense PRB: Specific PRB panel assignments will be made from this group. Executives listed will serve a one-year renewable term, effective October 22, 2007.

#### **Office of the Secretary of Defense**

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## **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

### **Office of the Secretary**

#### **Revised Non-Foreign Overseas Per Diem Rates**

**AGENCY:** DoD, Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee.

**ACTION:** Notice of revised non-foreign overseas per diem rates.

**SUMMARY:** The Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee is publishing Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletin Number 256. This bulletin lists revisions in the per diem rates prescribed for U.S. Government employees for official travel in Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands and Possessions of the United States. AEA changes announced in Bulletin Number 194 remain in effect. Bulletin Number 256 is being published in the **Federal Register** to assure that travelers are paid per diem at the most current rates.

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* November 1, 2007.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This document gives notice of revisions in per diem rates prescribed by the Per Diem Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee for non-foreign areas outside the continental United States. It supersedes Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletin Number 255. Distribution of Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletins by mail was discontinued. Per Diem Bulletins published periodically in the **Federal Register** now constitute the only notification of revisions in per diem rates to agencies and establishments outside the Department of Defense. For more information or questions about per diem rates, please contact your local travel office. The text of the Bulletin follows:

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