

Immigration Services (USCIS), in consultation with U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), or by U.S. consular officers, as applicable, who shall ascertain, to their satisfaction, and in their discretion, that the particular applicant meets the criteria set forth above.

This exercise of authority may be revoked as a matter of discretion and without notice at any time with respect to any and all persons subject to it. Any determination made under this exercise of authority as set out above shall apply to any subsequent benefit or protection application, unless such exercise of authority has been revoked.

This exercise of authority shall not be construed to prejudice, in any way, the ability of the U.S. government to commence subsequent criminal or civil proceedings in accordance with U.S. law involving any beneficiary of this exercise of authority (or any other person). This exercise of authority is not intended to create any substantive or procedural right or benefit that is legally enforceable by any party against the United States or its agencies or officers or any other person.

In accordance with section 212(d)(3)(B)(ii) of the INA, 8 U.S.C. 1182(d)(3)(B)(ii), a report on the aliens to whom this exercise of authority is applied, on the basis of case-by-case decisions by the Department of Homeland Security or by the Department of State, shall be provided to the specified congressional committees not later than 90 days after the end of the fiscal year.

This determination is based on an assessment related to the national security and foreign policy interests of the United States as they apply to the particular persons described herein and shall not have any application with respect to other persons or to other provisions of U.S. law.

Dated: June 3, 2008.

**Michael Chertoff,**

*Secretary of Homeland Security.*

**Condoleezza Rice,**

*Secretary of State.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Coast Guard

[USCG-2008-0170]

#### Collection of Information Under Review by Office of Management and Budget: OMB Control Numbers: 1625-0004

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DHS.

**ACTION:** Thirty-day notice requesting comments.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this request for comments announces that the U.S. Coast Guard is forwarding an Information Collection Request (ICR), abstracted below, to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (OIRA), Office of Management and Budget (OMB) requesting an extension of their approval for the following collection of information: 1625-0004, United States Coast Guard Academy Application and Supplemental Forms. Our ICR describes the information we seek to collect from the public. Review and comments by OIRA ensure we only impose paperwork burdens commensurate with our performance of duties.

**DATES:** Please submit comments on or before July 18, 2008.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments identified by Coast Guard docket number [USCG-2008-0170] to the Docket Management Facility (DMF) at the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) or to OIRA. To avoid duplication, please submit your comments by only one of the following means:

(1) Electronic submission. (a) To Coast Guard docket at <http://www.regulation.gov>. (b) To OIRA by e-mail to: [oira\\_submission@omb.eop.gov](mailto:oira_submission@omb.eop.gov).

(2) Mail or Hand delivery. (a) DMF (M-30), DOT, West Building Ground Floor, Room W12-140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC 20590-0001. Hand deliver between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. The telephone number is 202-366-9329. (b) To OIRA, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503, to the attention of the Desk Officer for the Coast Guard.

(3) Fax. (a) To DMF, 202-493-2251. (b) To OIRA at 202-395-6566. To ensure your comments are received in time, mark the fax to the attention of the Desk Officer for the Coast Guard.

The DMF maintains the public docket for this notice. Comments and material received from the public, as well as documents mentioned in this notice as

being available in the docket, will become part of this docket and will be available for inspection or copying at room W12-140 on the West Building Ground Floor, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. You may also find this docket on the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov>.

A copy of the complete ICR is available through this docket on the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov>. Additionally, copies are available from Commandant (CG-611), U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters, (Attn: Mr. Arthur Requina), 2100 2nd Street SW, Washington, DC 20593-0001. The telephone number is 202-475-3523.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Arthur Requina, Office of Information Management, telephone 202-475-3523 or fax 202-475-3929, for questions on these documents. Contact Ms. Renee V. Wright, Program Manager, Docket Operations, 202-366-9826, for questions on the docket.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

The Coast Guard invites comments on whether this information collection request should be granted based on it being necessary for the proper performance of Departmental functions. In particular, the Coast Guard would appreciate comments addressing: (1) The practical utility of the collections; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden of the collections; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of information subject to the collections; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of collections on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments to Coast Guard or OIRA must contain the OMB Control Number of the ICR. Comments to Coast Guard must contain the docket number of this request, [USCG 2008-0170]. For your comments to OIRA to be considered, it is best if they are received on or before the July 18, 2008.

**Public participation and request for comments:** We encourage you to respond to this request by submitting comments and related materials. We will post all comments received, without change, to <http://www.regulations.gov>. They will include any personal information you provide. We have an agreement with DOT to use their DMF. Please see the paragraph on DOT's "Privacy Act Policy" below.

**Submitting comments:** If you submit a comment, please include the docket number [USCG-2008-0170], indicate the specific section of the document to

which each comment applies, providing a reason for each comment. We recommend you include your name, mailing address, an e-mail address, or other contact information in the body of your document so that we can contact you if we have questions regarding your submission. You may submit comments and material by electronic means, mail, fax, or delivery to the DMF at the address under **ADDRESSES**; but please submit them by only one means. If you submit them by mail or delivery, submit them in an unbound format, no larger than 8½ by 11 inches, suitable for copying and electronic filing. If you submit them by mail and would like to know that they reached the Facility, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed postcard or envelope. We will consider all comments and material received during the comment period. We may change the documents supporting this collection of information or even the underlying requirements in view of them. The Coast Guard and OIRA will consider all comments and material received during the comment period.

*Viewing comments and documents:* Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> to view documents mentioned in this notice as being available in the docket. Enter the docket number [USCG-2008-0170] in the Search box, and click, "Go>>." You may also visit the DMF in room W12-140 on the West Building Ground Floor, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

*Privacy Act:* Anyone can search the electronic form of all comments received in dockets by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the comment, if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). You may review the Privacy Act Statement of DOT in the **Federal Register** published on April 11, 2000 (65 FR 19477), or by visiting <http://DocketsInfo.dot.gov>.

*Previous Request for Comments.*

This request provides a 30-day comment period required by OIRA. The Coast Guard has published the 60-day notice (73 FR 16027, March 26, 2008) required by 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2). That notice elicited no comments.

*Information Collection Request.*

*Title:* United States Coast Guard Academy Application and Supplemental Forms.

*OMB Control Number:* 1625-0004.

*Type of Request:* Extension of currently approved collection.

*Affected Public:* Applicants must apply only once per year.

*Abstract:* Section 182 of 14 U.S.C. directs the appointments to cadetships

at the Academy be made under regulations prescribed by the Secretary. As indicated in regulation 33 CFR 40.1, the information sought in this ICR is needed to select applicants for appointment as Cadet to attend the Academy.

*Burden Estimate:* The estimated burden has decreased from 8,300 hours to 8,100 hours a year.

*Authority:* The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995; 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: June 10, 2008.

**D. T. Glenn,**

*Rear Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard, Assistant Commandant for Command, Control, Communications, Computers and Information Technology.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5196-N-02]

### Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grants: Amendment

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA), amendment.

**SUMMARY:** On April 9, 2008, HUD published its Fiscal Year (FY) 2008 Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grants notice of funding opportunity (NOFA). Today's notice amends HUD's requirement to provide a cash or in-kind match as set out in the April 9, 2008 publication.

**DATES:** The application submission date for the Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grants program remains as published in the **Federal Register** on April 9, 2008.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Karen Daly, Director, Office of Policy Development and Coordination, Office of Community Planning and Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Room 7240, Washington, DC 20410-7000; telephone 202-708-1817 (this is not a toll-free number). Persons with speech or hearing impairments may access this number through TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Income Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** HUD published its FY2008 Capacity Building

for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grants NOFA on April 9, 2008 (73 FR 19380). The FY2008 NOFA makes approximately \$36.95 million available competitively to carry out the eligible activities related to community development and affordable housing for the capacity building program. This competition is limited to Living Cities/The National Community Development Initiative, Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. (formerly The Enterprise Foundation), the Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC), and Habitat for Humanity International.

In the April 9, 2008 publication, HUD stated that Section 4(c) of the HUD Demonstration Act of 1993 requires that each dollar awarded under the NOFA must be matched by three-dollars in cash or in-kind contribution obtained from private sources. HUD made this an application threshold requirement, stating specifically that applicants were required to submit with their applications documentation providing a firm commitment to demonstrate the existence of the match. Upon reconsideration, however, HUD has decided to withdraw the requirement that applicants meet the match as a threshold for the competition. HUD is taking this action because individual projects and actions may not be known to applicants at the time they submit their applications. As a result, it may be difficult for applicants to submit documentation with their applications to meet the match requirement.

Accordingly, HUD is amending its FY2008 Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grants NOFA published on April 9, 2008 (73 FR 19380), as follows:

On page 19380, section III.B., HUD is amending this paragraph to read as follows:

#### B. Match Requirement

Section 4(c) of the HUD Demonstration Act of 1993 requires that each dollar awarded must be matched by three-dollars in cash or in-kind contribution obtained from private sources. To receive funding under this NOFA, each of the organizations funded under this competition will be required at the time the organization enters into a grant agreement, to document its share of matching resources. The types of documentation accepted by HUD will be determined at the time that the organization enters into a grant agreement. All match including in-kind contributions, shall conform to the requirements of 24 CFR 84.23.