

courses did not emphasize regulatory requirements and how to ensure that one's practices comply with them." Instead, Respondent testified that the courses encouraged doctors to not be scared of DEA and to take an aggressive approach to pain management. Nevertheless, Respondent testified that if granted a DEA registration, he would not prescribe controlled substances very often since safer noncontrolled substances are now available.

The Acting Deputy Administrator finds that there was no evidence presented relevant to factor three or factor five.

The Acting Deputy Administrator concludes that in light of Respondent's prescribing of controlled substances for no legitimate medical purpose and his failure to accept responsibility for his actions, the Government has established a *prima facie* case for the denial of Respondent's application for registration. However, as both Government counsel and Judge Bittner note, Respondent's wrongdoing is limited to three instances of prescribing controlled substances without a valid medical purpose in 1990 and 1991. Therefore, Judge Bittner recommended that Respondent be granted a restricted DEA Certificate of Registration. But, while Respondent has applied for a DEA registration in Schedules II through V, DEA has consistently held that it can only register a practitioner to handle controlled substances to the extent that he is authorized by the state. See, e.g., *Romeo J. Perez, M.D.*, 62 FR 16,193 (1997); *Demetris A. Green, M.D.*, 61 FR 60,728 (1996); *Dominick A. Ricci, M.D.*, 58 FR 51,104 (1993). Since the record indicates that Texas has not issued Respondent privileges in Schedule II narcotic, Respondent is not entitled to a DEA registration in Schedule II narcotic. Judge Bittner further recommended that Respondent be required to "submit quarterly logs of all his handling of controlled substances to the appropriate DEA Special Agent in Charge or his designee, for the term of his registration."

The Acting Deputy Administrator agrees that a restricted registration is appropriate under the facts and circumstances of this case. While Respondent's wrongdoing occurred a number of years ago and was limited in nature, it is in the public interest to monitor Respondent's handling of controlled substances, in light of his failure to acknowledge responsibility for his actions. Therefore, the Acting Deputy Administrator finds it in the public interest to grant Respondent a DEA registration in Schedules II through

V, excluding Schedule II narcotic, subject to the following condition:

For three years from the date of issuance of the DEA Certificate of Registration, Respondent shall maintain a log of all controlled substances that he prescribes, administers or dispenses. At a minimum, the log shall indicate the date that the controlled substance was prescribed, administered or dispensed, the name of the patient, and the name, dosage and quantity of the controlled substance prescribed, administered or dispensed. The log shall be submitted on a quarterly basis to the Special Agent in Charge of the DEA Houston Field Division, or his designee. Should Respondent not prescribe, administer or dispense any controlled substances during a given quarter, he shall so indicate to the Special Agent in Charge of the DEA Houston Field Division, or his designee.

Accordingly, the Acting Deputy Administrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration, pursuant to the authority vested in him by 21 U.S.C. 823 and 824 and 28 CFR 0.100(b) and 0.104, hereby orders that the application dated October 2, 1994, submitted by Anant N. Mauskar, M.D., be, and it hereby is, granted in Schedules II through V, excluding Schedule II narcotic, subject to the above described restriction. This order is effective April 20, 1998.

Dated: March 6, 1998.

**Donnie R. Marshall,**

*Acting Deputy Administrator.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Federal Bureau of Investigation

#### Criminal Justice Information Service (CJIS) Advisory Policy Board; Meeting

The Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Advisory Policy Board will meet on June 16-17, 1998, from 9 a.m., until 5 p.m., at the Swissôtel, One Avenue de Lafayette, Boston, Massachusetts, telephone 617-422-5528, to formulate recommendations to the Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), on the security, policy, and operation of the National Crime Information Center (NCIC), NCIC 2000, the Integrated Automated Fingerprint Identification System (IAFIS), and the Uniform Crime Reporting and National Incident Based Reporting System programs.

The topics to be discussed will include the progress of the NCIC 2000 and IAFIS projects, and other topics related to the operation of the FBI's criminal information systems.

The meeting will be open to the public on a first-come, first-seated basis. Any member of the public may file a

written statement concerning the FBI CJIS Division programs or related matters with the Board. Anyone wishing to address this session of the meeting should notify the Designated Federal Employee, at least 24 hours prior to the start of the session. The notification may be by mail, telegram, cable, facsimile, or a hand-delivered note. It should contain the requestor's name, corporate designation, consumer affiliation, or Government designation, along with a short statement describing the topic to be addressed, and the time needed for the presentation. A non-member requestor will ordinarily be allowed not more than 15 minutes to present a topic, unless specifically approved by the Chairman of the Board.

Inquiries may be addressed to the Designated Federal Employee, Mr. Demery R. Bishop, Section Chief, Programs Development Section, CJIS Division, FBI, 1000 Custer Hollow Road, Clarksburg, West Virginia 26306-0149, telephone 304-625-2740, facsimile 304-625-5090.

Dated: March 9, 1997.

**Demery R. Bishop,**

*Section Chief, Programs Development Section, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Designated Federal Employee.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Office of the Secretary

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

March 17, 1998.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection requests (ICRs) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). A copy of each individual ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of Labor, Departmental Clearance Officer, Todd R. Owen ((202) 219-5096 ext. 143) or by E-Mail to Owen-Todd@dol.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TTY/TDD) may call (202) 219-4720 between 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Eastern time, Monday-Friday.

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for BLS, DM, ESA, ETA, MSHA, OSHA, PWBA, or VETS, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC

20503 ((202) 395-7316), on or before April 20, 1998.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- 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;

- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- 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 other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

*Agency:* Employment and Training Administration.

*Title:* Labor Standards for the Registration of Apprenticeship—29 CFR Part 29.

*OMB Number:* 1205-0223 (Extension).

*Form Number:* ETA 671.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households; Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; Federal Government; State, or local governments.

Section	Frequency	Respondents	Average time per respondent
29.3 (Apprentice) .....	One-Time ....	94,041	15 minutes.
29.6 (Apprentice) .....	One-Time ....	602,940	50 minutes.
29.5 (Sponsor) .....	One-Time ....	1,271	2 hours.
29.5 (SAC) .....	One-Time ....	635	2 hours.
29.7 (Sponsor) .....	One-Time ....	40	50 minutes.
29.12 .....	One-Time ....	30	2 hours.

*Total Burden Hours:* 32,630.

*Total annualized capital/startup costs:* 0.

*Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services):* 0.

*Description:* Title 29 CFR Part 29 sets forth labor standards to safeguard the welfare of apprentices and to extend the application of such standards by prescribing policies and procedures concerning registration of apprenticeship programs.

*Agency:* Employment and Training Administration.

*Title:* Dislocated Worker Special Project Report.

*OMB Number:* 1205-0318 (Extension).

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; State, Local or Tribal Government.

Form No.	Respondents	Frequency	Average time per response (hours)
NRA Projects:			
Section I .....	90	Quarterly .....	4
Final Project .....	90	One-time .....	1
Recordkeeping .....	90	Quarterly .....	1.5
Clean Air Projects:			
Section I .....	15	Quarterly .....	4
Section II .....	15	Annually .....	97
Section III .....	15	Annually .....	1
Recordkeeping .....	15	Quarterly .....	1.5
Recordkeeping .....	15	1 Quarter .....	2.5
Defense Diversification:			
Section I .....	10	Annually .....	4
Section II .....	10	One-time .....	97
Section III .....	10	One-time .....	1
Recordkeeping:			
Section I .....	10	One-time .....	1.5
Section II .....	10	One-time .....	2.5
Section III .....	10	One-time .....	1.5

*Total Burden Hours:* 4,968.

*Total annualized capital/startup costs:* 0.

*Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services):* 0.

*Description:* The information will be used to assess Defense, Clean Air and Title III National Reserve projects. Participant and financial data will be used to monitor program performance, and to prepare reports and budget requests.

*Agency:* Employment and Training Administration.

*Title:* Equal Employment Opportunity in Apprenticeship and Training Title 29 CFR Part 30.

*OMB Number:* 1205-0224 (extension).

*Form Number:* ETA 9039.

*Frequency:* One-Time.

Section No.	Affected public	Number of respondents	Average time per respondent
30.3 .....	Apprenticeship Sponsors .....	1,024	30 minutes.
30.4 .....	Apprenticeship Sponsors .....	247	1 hour.
30.5 .....	Apprenticeship Sponsors .....	3,662	30 minutes.
30.6 .....	Apprenticeship Sponsors .....	50	5 hours.
30.8 .....	Apprenticeship Sponsors .....	35,848	1 minute.
30.8 .....	Apprenticeship Programs .....	17,924	5 minutes.
ETA 9039 .....	Apprentices .....	50	30 minutes.

*Total Burden Hours: 4,959.*

*Total annualized capital/startup costs: 0.*

*Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): 0.*

*Description:* Title 29 CFR Part 30 sets forth policies and procedures to promote equality of opportunity in apprenticeship programs registered with the U.S. Department of Labor and recognized State apprenticeship agencies.

*Agency:* Employment and Training Administration.

*Title:* NAFTA Confidential Report.

*OMB Number:* 1205-0339 (extension).

*Form Number:* ETA 9043.

Form No.	Affected public	Respondents	Frequency	Average time per response (hours)
Questionnaire .....	Respondent .....	1,000	On Occasion .....	3
Questionnaire .....	State Review .....	1,000	On Occasion .....	4.5

*Total Burden Hours: 7,500.*

*Total annualized capital/startup costs: 0.*

*Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): 0.*

*Description:* Statutory requirements under amendments to the Trade Act of 1974 by the North American Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act, adding Subchapter D requires business confidential data in order to make timely determinations as to whether imports have contributed to workers separations and thus eligible to apply for NAFTA Adjustment Assistance.

*Agency:* Employment and Training Administration.

*Title:* JTPA Indian and Native American Reporting Revisions for Program Years 1995.

*OMB Number:* 1205-0308 (Reinstatement).

*Affected Public:* Federally and State-recognized Indian tribes, bands and groups; Alaska Native entities; Hawaiian Native entities; private non-profit organizations; State agencies; consortia of any and/or all of the above.

Required activity (JTPA title IV-A)	DINAP form No.	Number of respondents	Responses per year	Total responses	Hours per response	Total burden hours
Planning Narrative .....		170	1	170	12	2,040
Budget Information Summary .....	ETA 8600	170	1	170	17.5	2,975
Program Planning Summary .....	ETA 8601	170	1	170	17.5	2,975
Recordkeeping .....		170		18,720	3	56,160
Reporting (Financial Status Report) .....	ETA 8602	170	1	170	7.75	1,317.5
Program Status Summary .....	ETA 8603	170	1	170	9.67	1,643.9
Annual Status Report .....	ETA 8604	170	1	170	22.5	3,825
Totals .....			6	19,740	89.92	70,936.4

Required activity (JTPA title II-B)	DINAP Form No.	Number of Respondents	Responses per year	Total responses	Hours per response	Total burden hours
Planning Narrative .....		126	1	126	6	756
Budget Information Summary .....	ETA 8600	126	1	126	8	1,024
Program Planning Summary .....	ETA 8601	126	1	126	8	1,024
Recordkeeping .....		126		10,000	2	20,000
Reporting (Financial Status Report) .....	ETA 8602	126	1	126	7.75	976.5
Program Status Summary .....	ETA 8603	126	1	126	9.67	1,218.42
Totals .....			5	10,630	41.42	24,998.92

*Total annualized capital/startup costs:* 0.

*Total annual costs operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services:* \$1,142,400.

*Description:* This request is for approval of a reinstatement of the planning and reporting forms previously approved and in use for the JTPA section 401 program which provides employment and training services for Indians and Native Americans. Burden estimates do not include the tribes currently participating in the demonstration project under Public Law 102-477, but do include estimates for those tribal entities which also receive funding under title II-B of JTPA.

*Agency:* Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

*Title:* Hazard Communication Program.

*OMB Number:* 1218-0072 (extension).

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Affected Public:* Business and other for-profit, Federal and State government, Local or Tribal governments.

*Total Respondents:* 5,041,918.

*Estimated Time Per Respondent:* Time per response ranges from 12 seconds to affix labels to in-plant containers containing hazardous chemicals to 5 hours to develop a hazard communication program.

*Total Burden Hours:* 7,301,762.

*Total annualized capital/startup costs:* 0.

*Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services):* 0.

*Description:* The purpose of the Hazard Communication Standard and its information collection requirements is to ensure that the hazards of all chemical produced or imported are evaluated and that information concerning their hazards is transmitted to employees and downstream employers. The standard requires chemical manufacturers and importers to evaluate chemicals they produce or import to determine if they are hazardous; for those chemicals determined to be hazardous, material safety data sheets and warning labels must be developed. Employers are required to establish hazard communication programs, to transmit information on the hazards of chemicals to their employees by means of labels on containers, material safety data sheets, and training programs. Implementation of these collection of information requirements will ensure all employees have the "right-to-know" the hazards and identities of the chemicals they work with and will reduce the

incidence of chemically-related occupational illnesses and injuries.

**Todd R. Owen,**

*Departmental Clearance Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Employment Standards Administration Wage and Hour Division

#### Minimum Wages for Federal and Federally Assisted Construction; General Wage Determination Decisions

General wage determination decisions of the Secretary of Labor are issued in accordance with applicable law and are based on the information obtained by the Department of Labor from its study of local wage conditions and data made available from other sources. They specify the basic hourly wage rates and fringe benefits which are determined to be prevailing for the described classes of laborers and mechanics employed on construction projects of a similar character and in the localities specified therein.

The determinations in these decisions of prevailing rates and fringe benefits have been made in accordance with 29 CFR Part 1, by authority of the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act of March 3, 1931, as amended (46 Stat. 1494, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 276a) and of other Federal statutes referred to in 29 CFR Part 1, Appendix, as well as such additional statutes as may from time to time be enacted containing provisions for the payment of wages determined to be prevailing by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act. The prevailing rates and fringe benefits determined in these decisions shall, in accordance with the provisions of the foregoing statutes, constitute the minimum wages payable on Federal and federally assisted construction projects to laborers and mechanics of the specified classes engaged on contract work of the character and in the localities described therein.

Good cause is hereby found for not utilizing notice and public comment procedure thereon prior to the issuance of these determinations as prescribed in 5 U.S.C. 553 and not providing for delay in the effective date as prescribed in that section, because the necessity to issue current construction industry wage determinations frequently and in large volume causes procedures to be impractical and contrary to the public interest.

General wage determination decisions, and modifications and supersedes decisions thereto, contain no expiration dates and are effective from their date of notice in the **Federal Register**, or on the date written notice is received by the agency, whichever is earlier. These decisions are to be used in accordance with the provisions of 29 CFR Parts 1 and 5. Accordingly, the applicable decision, together with any modifications issued, must be made a part of every contract for performance of the described work within the geographic area indicated as required by an applicable Federal prevailing wage law and 29 CFR Part 5. The wage rates and fringe benefits, notice of which is published herein, and which are contained in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under The Davis-Bacon and Related Acts," shall be the minimum paid by contractors and subcontractors to laborers and mechanics.

Any person, organization, or governmental agency having an interest in the rates determined as prevailing is encouraged to submit wage rate and fringe benefit information for consideration by the Department. Further information and self-explanatory forms for the purpose of submitting this data may be obtained by writing to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment Standards Administration, Wage and Hour Division, Division of Wage Determinations, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room S-3014, Washington, D.C. 20210.

#### Modifications to General Wage Determination Decisions

The number of decisions listed in the Government Printing Office document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts" being modified are listed by Volume and State. Dates of publication in the **Federal Register** are in parentheses following the decisions being modified.

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