

Commission also believes that it is appropriate to permit the Exchange to formulate and administer standards of training, experience, competence, and such other membership qualifications as the Exchange may find necessary or appropriate in the public interest or for the protection of investors, subject to Commission oversight and review. Finally, the Commission notes that the requirements of new Phlx Rule 931 are consistent with the purpose of, and similar to, Rules 3.5, 3.6, and 3.9 of the Chicago Board of Options Exchange, and Paragraph 9174 of the American Stock Exchange ("Amex") Constitution and Amex Rules 310 and 311.

IV. Conclusion

It is therefore ordered, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act,¹⁰ that the proposed rule change (SR-Phlx-98-22), as amended, is approved.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.¹¹

Margaret H. McFarland

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 2886]

Office of Foreign Missions; Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: 60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collections; DSP-100, Application for Registration (Mission Vehicle), DSP-101, Application for Registration (Personal Vehicle), DSP-102, Application for Title, DSP-104, Application for Replacement Plates.

SUMMARY: The Department of State is seeking Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the information collections described below. The purpose of this notice is to allow 60 days for public comment in the **Federal Register** preceding submission to OMB. This process is conducted in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

The following summarizes the information collection proposal submitted to OMB:

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Originating Office: Office of Foreign Missions.

Title of Information Collection: Application for Registration (Mission Vehicle).

Frequency: On occasion.

Form Number: DSP-100.

Respondents: Foreign government representatives.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 2,788.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 1,394.

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Originating Office: Office of Foreign Missions.

Title of Information Collection: Application for Registration (Personal Vehicle).

Frequency: On occasion.

Form Number: DSP-101.

Respondents: Foreign government representatives.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 9,700.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 4,850.

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Originating Office: Office of Foreign Missions.

Title of Information Collection: Application for Title.

Frequency: On occasion.

Form Number: DSP-102.

Respondents: Foreign government representatives.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 5,000.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 2,500.

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Originating Office: Office of Foreign Missions.

Title of Information Collection: Application for Replacement Plates.

Frequency: On occasion.

Form Number: DSP-104.

Respondents: Foreign government representatives.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 1,000.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 500.

Public comments are being solicited to permit the agency to—

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency functions.
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection.
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.
- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including

through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of technology.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Comments regarding the collection listed in this notice or requests for copies of the proposed collection and supporting documents should be directed to Charles S. Cunningham, Directives Management, U.S. Department of State, Washington, DC 20520, (202) 647-0596.

Dated: August 31, 1998.

Fernando Burbano,

Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 2886]

The Bureau of Personnel, Recruitment Office; Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: 30-Day Notice of information collection; Application for Federal employment.

SUMMARY: The Department of State has submitted the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Comments should be submitted to OMB within 30 days of the publication of this notice.

The following summarizes the information collection proposal submitted to OMB:

Type of Request: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Originating Office: Bureau of Personnel, Recruitment Office.

Title of Information Collection: Application for Federal Employment.

Frequency: Yearly.

Form Number: DS-1950.

Respondents: Used by individuals to apply for certain excepted positions at the Department of State.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 25,000.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 12,500 hours.

Public comments are being solicited to permit the agency to—

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency functions.
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection.

¹⁰ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

¹¹ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of technology.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Copies of the proposed information collection and supporting documents may be obtained from Charles S. Cunningham, Directives Management Branch, Department of State, Washington, DC 20520, (202) 647-0596. Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposed survey by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: OMB, Ms. Victoria Wassmer, (202) 395-5871.

Dated: June 18, 1998.

Fernando Burbano,

Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 2887]

Office of Foreign Missions; Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Emergency Review of Information Collections; DSP-100, Application for Registration (Mission Vehicle), DSP-101, Application for Registration (Personal Vehicle), DSP-102, Application for Title, DSP-104, Application for Replacement Plates.

SUMMARY: The Department of State has submitted the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the emergency review procedures of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Emergency review and approval of these collections has been requested from OMB by August 30, 1998. If granted, the emergency approval is only valid for 180 days.

The following summarizes the information collections proposal submitted to OMB:

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Originating Office: Office of Foreign Missions.

Title of Information Collection: Application for Registration (Mission Vehicle).

Frequency: On occasion.

Form Number: DSP-100.

Respondents: Foreign government representatives.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 2,788.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 1,394.

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Originating Office: Office of Foreign Missions.

Title of Information Collection: Application for Registration (Personal Vehicle).

Frequency: On occasion.

Form Number: DSP-101.

Respondents: Foreign government representatives.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 9,700.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 4,850.

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Originating Office: Office of Foreign Missions.

Title of Information Collection: Application for Title.

Frequency: On occasion.

Form Number: DSP-102.

Respondents: Foreign government representatives.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 5,000.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 2,500.

Type of Request: Reinstatement.

Originating Office: Office of Foreign Missions.

Title of Information Collection: Application for Replacement Plates.

Frequency: On occasion.

Form Number: DSP-104.

Respondents: Foreign government representatives.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 1,000.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 500.

Public comments are being solicited to permit the agency to—

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency functions.

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection.

- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of technology.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Comments regarding the collection listed in this notice or requests for copies of the proposed collection and

supporting documents should be directed to Charles S. Cunningham, Directives Management, U.S. Department of State, Washington, DC 20520, (202) 647-0596. General comments and questions should be directed to Ms. Victoria Wassmer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Washington, DC 20530, (202) 395-5871.

Dated: August 31, 1998.

Fernando Burbano,

Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 2889]

The Office of Overseas Schools; Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: 30-Day Notice of Information Collection; The FS-573 (Overseas Schools Questionnaire), FS-573A (Information Regarding Professional Staff Members of Overseas Schools), FS-573B (Overseas School Summary Budget Information), and the FS-574 (Request for Assistance).

SUMMARY: The Department of State has submitted the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Comments should be submitted to OMB within 30 days of the publication of this notice.

Type of Request: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Originating Office: The Office of Overseas Schools of the Department of State (A/OPR/OS).

Title of Information Collection: Overseas Schools Questionnaire.

Frequency: Annually.

Form Number: FS-573.

Respondents: American sponsored schools overseas.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 199.

Average Hours Per Response: 15 minutes.

Total Estimated Burden: 50 hours.

Type of Request: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Originating Office: The Office of Overseas Schools of the Department of State (A/OPR/OS).

Title of Information Collection: Information Regarding Professional Staff

Members of Overseas Schools.