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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Marketing Service [Docket No. FV99–905–2 NC]

Notice of Request for Extension and Revision of a Currently Approved Information Collection

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service,

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), this notice announces the Agricultural Marketing Service's (AMS) intention to request an extension for and revision to a currently approved information collection for Oranges, Grapefruit, Tangerines, and Tangelos grown in Florida, Marketing Order No. 905.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received by June 28, 1999.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS: Contact Tershirra T. Yeager, Program Assistant, Marketing Order Administration Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, AMS, USDA, P.O. Box 96456, room 2525–S, Washington, DC 20090–6456; Telephone: (202) 720–5127 or Fax: (202) 720–5698, or E-mail: moabdocket__clerk@usda.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Oranges, Grapefruit, Tangerines, and Tangelos Grown in Florida, Marketing Order No. 905.

OMB Number: 0581–0094. Expiration Date of Approval: December 31, 1999.

Type of Request: Extension and revision of a currently approved information collection.

Abstract: Marketing order programs provide an opportunity for producers of fresh fruits, vegetables and specialty crops, in a specified production area, to work together to solve marketing problems that cannot be solved

individually. Order regulations help ensure adequate supplies of high quality product and adequate returns to producers. Under the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937 (AMAA), as amended (7 U.S.C. 601–674), industries enter into marketing order programs. The Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to oversee the order operations and issue regulations recommended by a committee of representatives from each commodity industry.

The information collection requirements in this request are essential to carry out the intent of the AMAA, to provide the respondents the type of service they request, and to administer the Florida citrus marketing order program, which has been operating since 1939.

The Florida citrus marketing order regulates the handling of oranges, grapefruit, tangerines, and tangelos grown in Florida, hereinafter referred to as the "order". The order authorizes the issuance of grade, size, container, and pack regulations. It also authorizes the limitation of shipments of certain grades or sizes. Regulatory provisions apply to oranges, grapefruit, tangerines and tangelos shipped outside of the production area, except for those shipments specifically exempt.

The order, and rules and regulations issued thereunder, authorize the Citrus Administrative Committee (committee), the agency responsible for local administration of the order, to require handlers and producers to submit certain information. Much of this information is compiled in aggregate and provided to the industry to assist in marketing decisions.

The committee has developed forms as a means for persons to file required information with the committee relating to citrus supplies, shipments, dispositions, and other information needed to effectively carry out the purpose of the Act and order. As shipments occur throughout the year, these forms are utilized accordingly. A USDA form is used to allow producers to vote on amendments to the order and whether the order should be continued. In addition, producers and handlers who are nominated by their peers to serve as representatives on the committee must file nomination forms with the Secretary.

Formal rulemaking amendments to the order must be approved in referenda conducted by the Secretary. Also, the Secretary may conduct a continuance referendum to determine industry support for continuation of the order. Handlers are asked to sign an agreement to indicate their willingness to abide by the provisions of the order whenever the order is amended. These forms are included in this request.

The forms covered under this information collection require the minimum information necessary to effectively carry out the requirements of the order, and their use is necessary to fulfill the intent of the AMAA as expressed in the order.

The information collected is used only by authorized representatives of the USDA, including AMS, Fruit and Vegetable Programs regional and headquarter's staff, and authorized employees of the committee. AMS is the primary user of the information and authorized committee employees are the secondary user.

Estimate of Burden: Public reporting burden for this proposed collection of information is estimated to average 0.16915 hours per response.

Respondents: Florida citrus producers and for-profit businesses handling fresh citrus.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 1176.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 1.02.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 204 hours.

Comments are invited on: (1) 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; (2) 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; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to 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.

Comments should reference OMB No. 0581–0094 and the Florida Citrus

Marketing Order No. 905, and be mailed to Docket Clerk, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, AMS, USDA, P.O. Box 96456, room 2525–S, Washington, DC 20090–6456; Fax: (202) 720–5698; or E-mail: moabdocket_clerk@usda.gov.

Comments should reference the docket number and the date and page number of this issue of the **Federal Register**. All comments received will be available for public inspection in the Office of the Docket Clerk during regular USDA business hours at 14th and Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC, room 2525–S.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Dated: April 21, 1999.

Robert C. Keeney,

Deputy Administrator, Fruit and Vegetable Programs.

[FR Doc. 99–10774 Filed 4–28–99; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3410–02–P

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Food and Nutrition Service

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request Form FCS-42, Annual Report of the Nutrition Education and Training Program

AGENCY: Food and Nutrition Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the Food and Nutrition Service's (FNS) intention to request Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval of the FCS–42, Annual Report of the Nutrition Education and Training Program.

DATES: Written comments on this notice must be received on or before June 28, 1999.

ADDRESSES: 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 has practical utility; (b) 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; (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 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. Comments may be sent to: Robert Eadie, Chief, Policy and Program Development Branch, Child Nutrition Division, Food and Nutrition Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Room 1008, Alexandria, VA 22302.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Requests for additional information or copies of the proposed information form should be directed to Robert Eadie (703) 305–2618.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Form FCS–42, Annual Report of the Nutrition Education and Training Program.

OMB Number: 0584–0062. *Expiration Date:* 03/31/99.

Type of Request: Renewal of information collection approval by OMB.

Abstract: Section 19(g)(2) of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966, as amended (42) U.S.C. 1788(g)(2)), requires that "State educational agencies shall provide reports on expenditures of Federal funds, program participation, program costs, and related matters, in such form and at such times as the Secretary may prescribe." Section 227.30(f)(3) of the Nutrition Education and Training (NET) program regulations further require State agencies to submit to FNS an annual performance report. This information is captured on the FCS-42, Annual Report of the Nutrition Education and Training Program.

The information provided by the FCS-42 is used by the Department and the State agency to assess NET implementation status, monitor program accomplishments, and evaluate each State's progress in achieving the goals and objectives in the national strategic plan and the State agency implementation plan. Data from the FCS-42 is also entered into the Special Nutrition Programs Integrated Information System from which regional and national totals are derived.

Affected Public: State and territorial governments, FNS regional offices administering NET Program.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 56.

Estimated Time per Response: Twelve hours for reporting and 4 hours for recordkeeping for a total of 16 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 896.

Dated: April 16, 1999.

Samuel Chambers, Jr.,

Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service. [FR Doc. 99–10674 Filed 4–28–99; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3410–30–U

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Export Administration

Action Affecting Export Privileges; Export Materials, Inc. and TIC Ltd.

In the matters of: Export Materials, Inc., 3727 Greenbrier Drive, No. 108, Stafford, Texas 77477; and TIC Ltd., Suite C, Regent Centre, Explorers Way, P.O. Box F–40775, Freeport, The Bahamas, Respondents.

Decision and Order on Renewal of Temporary Denial Order

On October 23, 1998, I issued a Decision and Order on Renewal of Temporary Denial Order (hereinafter "Order" or "TDO"), renewing for 180 days a May 5, 1997 Order naming, *interalia*, Export Materials, Inc. and Thane-Coat International Ltd. (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Respondents"), as persons temporarily denied all U.S. export privileges. 63 FR 58706–58707 (November 2, 1998). ¹ The Order will expire on April 21, 1999.

On April 1, 1999, pursuant to Section 766.24 of the Export Administration Regulations (15 CFR Parts 730–774 (1998)) (hereinafter the "Regulations"), issued pursuant to the Export Administration Act of 1979, as amended (50 U.S.C.A. app. §§ 2401–2420 (1991 & Supp. 1998)) (hereinafter the "Act"),² the Office of Export Enforcement, Bureau of Export Administration, United States Department of Commerce (hereinafter "BXA"), requested that I renew the Order against TIC Ltd.³ and

¹The May 5, 1997 Order also named Thane-Coat, Inc.; Jerry Vernon Ford, president, Thane-Coat, Inc.; and Preston John Engebretson, vice-president, Thane-Coat, Inc., as persons temporarily denied all U.S. export privileges. I am issuing a separate Decision and Order today renewing the TDO against Thane-Coat, Ford, and Engebretson in a "non-standard" format.

²The Act explored on August 20, 1994. Executive Order 12924 (3 CFR, 1994 Comp., 917 (1995)), extended by Presidential Notices of August 15, 1995 (3 CFR, 1995 Comp. 501 (1996)), August 14, 1996 (3 CFR, 1996 Comp. 298 (1997)), August 13, 1997 (3 CFR, 1997 Comp. 306 (1998)), and August 13, 1998 (63 FR 44121, August 17, 1998, continued the Regulations in effect under the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (currently codified at 50 U.S.C.A §§ 1701–1706 (1991 & Supp. 1998)).

³In its initial request for the issuance of a TDO and its October, 1997 and April, 1998 renewal requests, BXA identified this company as Thane-Coat International, Ltd. The company is incorporated in the Bahamas as TIC Ltd.