Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

DATES: Comments Due Date: June 14, 2010.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name/or OMB Control number and should be sent to: Leroy McKinney, Jr., Departmental Reports Management Officer, QDAM, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., Room 4178, Washington, DC 20410–5000; telephone 202.402.8048, (this is not a toll-free number) or e-mail Mr. McKinney at

Leroy.McKinneyIr@hud.gov for a copy of the proposed forms, or other available information. Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this number through TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Information Relay Service at (800) 877–8339. (Other than the HUD USER information line and TTY numbers, telephone numbers are not toll-free.)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dacia Rogers, Office of Policy, Programs and Legislative Initiatives, PIH, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., Room 4116, Washington, DC 20410; telephone 202–402–3374, (this is not a toll-free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department will submit the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended). This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) 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; (2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Public Housing Assessment System—Management Operations Certification. OMB Control Number: 2535–0106.

Description of the need for the

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: HUD assesses all of the management operations data required under section 6(i) of the Act in a format comprising six sections or sub-indicators. The PHAS regulation requires that all management operations data be submitted electronically to HUD, in a HUD prescribed format. HUD uses the management data it collects from program participants to evaluate all major areas of a participant's management operations. The management data are evaluated using predetermined weights and factors to compute an indicator score for the management operations of each reporting entity. HUD uses this score with three other PHAS indicator scores (i.e., physical condition, financial condition and resident services) to produce an overall PHAS score for each PHA. The overall PHAS score determines if a PHA's performance is high, standard, or troubled.

Agency form number, if applicable: Form HUD–50072.

Members of affected public: PHAs, State or local government.

Estimation of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents: The estimated number of respondents is an annual average of 3,174 PHAs that submit management operations certification. The average number for each PHA response varies by size of the PHA, with a total reporting burden of 3,644 hours, or an average of 1.15 hours per respondent.

Status of the proposed information collection: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Authority: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: April 7, 2010.

Merrie Nichols-Dixon,

Acting Deputy Assistant, Secretary for Policy, Program and Legislative Initiatives.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5383-N-07]

Notice of Proposed Information Collection for Public Comment for Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) Program

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

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This Notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) Program.

OMB Control Number: 2577–0178.

Description of the Need for the
Information and Proposed Use: The FSS
program, which was established in the
National Affordable Housing Act of
1990, promotes the development of
local strategies that coordinate the use
of public housing assistance and

assistance under the Section 8 rental certificate and voucher programs (now known as the Housing Choice Voucher Program) with public and private resources to enable eligible families to achieve economic independence and self-sufficiency. Housing agencies consult with local officials to develop an Action Plan; enter into a Contract of Participation with each eligible family that opts to participate in the program; compute an escrow credit for the family, report annually to HUD on implementation of the FSS program, and complete a funding application for

the salary of an FSS program coordinator.

Agency form numbers: HUD-52650, HUD-52651, HUD-52652, HUD-50058, HUD-96011, HUD-2880, HUD-2994-A, HUD-2991.

Members of the Affected Public: Public housing agencies, State or Local Government.

Estimation Including the Total Number of Hours Needed To Prepare the Information Collection for the Number of Respondents, Frequency of Response, and Hours of Response:

| Description of information collection | Number of respondents | Responses per year | Total annual responses | Hrs per response | Total hours |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| SF424 | 750 | 1 | 750 | 0.75 | 562.5 |
| SF LLL | 10 | 1 | 10 | 0.17 | 1.7 |
| HUD 2880 (OMB no. 2510-0011) | 750 | 1 | 750 | 0 | *0 |
| HUD 96011 (OMB no. 2535-0118) | 750 | 1 | 750 | 0 | *0 |
| HUD-2991 Certification | 750 | 1 | 750 | 0 | *0 |
| HUD-2994-A (OMB no. 2535-0116) | 750 | 1 | 750 | 0 | *0 |
| FSS Application, HUD-52651 | 750 | 1 | 750 | 0.75 | 563 |
| Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing Statement | 750 | 1 | 750 | .5 | 375 |
| Subtotal (Application) | 750 | 1 | 750 | 2.17 | 1502.2 |
| Action Plan | 5 | 1 | 5 | 40 | 200 |
| Contract of Participation | 750 | 10 | 7,500 | .25 | 1,875 |
| HUD-52652 | 750 | 50 | 37,500 | .85 | 31,875 |
| Annual Report (Narrative) | 750 | 1 | 750 | 1 | 750 |
| HUD-50058 (OMB no. 2577-0083) | 750 | 50 | 37,500 | 0 | *0 |
| Subtotal (Program Reporting/Recordkeeping) | 750 | Varies | 45,755 | 42.1 | 34,700 |
| Total | 750 | Varies | 46,505 | 44.27 | 36,202.2 |

^{*}Burden hours for forms showing zero burden hours in this collection are reflected in the OMB approval number cited or do not have a reportable burden. The burden hours for this collection have not changed since the last submission to OMB.

Status of the Proposed Information Collection: Extension of currently approved collection.

Authority: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: April 7, 2010. **Merrie Nichols-Dixon**,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy, Programs, and Legislative Initiatives.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5396-N-02]

Notice of Web Availability: Notice of Fiscal Year (FY) 2010 Opportunity To Register and Other Important Information for Electronic Application Submission for the Sustainable Communities Planning Grant Program

AGENCY: Office of Sustainable Housing and Communities, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

summary: Through this notice, HUD announces the availability on its Web site of its Notice of FY2010 Opportunity to Register and Other Important Information for Electronic Application Submission for the Sustainable Communities Planning Grant Program (Registration Notice). The Registration Notice provides important information to assist applicants for Sustainable Communities Planning Grants to better

understand the registration and electronic submission process for HUD applications made available through Grants.gov. To submit an application via Grants.gov, new users are required to complete a five-step registration process, which can take 2 to 4 weeks to complete. HUD's Registration Notice explains each step so that applicants can be prepared to submit an application once HUD publishes its Sustainable Communities Planning Grant Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA). The Registration Notice also requests that potential applicants notify HUD of their intent to submit an application no later than May 14, 2010. HUD is requesting this information to better assess the workload anticipated during the review process and plan accordingly. Finally, the Registration Notice announces that HUD received over 900 comments on its February 10, 2010, (75 FR 6689) Sustainable Communities Planning Grant Program Advance Notice and Request for