

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel.

*Date:* May 4, 2001.

*Time:* 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* NIH, Rockledge 2, Bethesda, MD 20892, (Telephone Conference Call).

*Contact Person:* Michael A. Lang, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5210, MSC 7850, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1265.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting due to the timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.306, Comparative Medicine, 93.306; 93.333, Clinical Research, 93.333, 93.337, 93.393-93.396, 93.837-93.844, 93.846-93.878, 93.892, 93.893, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: May 1, 2001.

**LaVerne Y. Stringfield,**

*Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4650-N-33]

### Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB; Home Equity Conversion Mortgage (HECM) Program; Insurance for Mortgages to Refinance Existing HECMs (FR-4667)

**AGENCY:** Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below has been 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.

**DATES:** *Comments Due Date:* June 8, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval number and should be sent to: Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Wayne Eddins, Reports Management Officer, Q, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, Southwest, Washington, DC 20410; e-mail Wayne.Eddins@HUD.gov; telephone (202) 708-2374. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of the proposed forms and other available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Mr. Eddins.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department has submitted the proposal for the collection of information, as described below, to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). The Notice lists the following information: (1) The title of the information collection proposal; (2) the office of the agency to collect the information; (3) the OMB approval number, if applicable; (4) the description of the need for the information and its proposed use; (5)

the agency form number, if applicable; (6) what members of the public will be affected by the proposal; (7) how frequently information submissions will be required; (8) an estimate of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information submission including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response; (9) whether the proposal is new, an extension, reinstatement, or revision of an information collection requirement; and (10) the name and telephone number of an agency official familiar with the proposal and of the OMB Desk Officer for the Department. This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Home Equity Conversion Mortgage (HECM) Program; Insurance for Mortgages to Refinance Existing HECMs (FR-4667).

*OMB Approval Number:* 2502-XXXX.

*Form Numbers:* None.

*Description of the Need for the Information and Its Proposed Use:* HUD provides mortgages insurance for the refinancing of an existing HECM, and establishes several requirements concerning such refinancing. Regulatory provision requires that the mortgagee provide the mortgagors, a good faith estimate of the total cost of the refinancing and the increase in the mortgagor's principal limit as measured by the estimated initial principal limit on the mortgage to be insured less the current principal limit on the HECM that is being refinanced.

*Respondents:* Individual or households.

*Frequency of Submission:* On occasion.

*Reporting Burden:*

	Number of respondents	x	Frequency of response	x	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
Application .....	4,000		1		2		2,000

*Total Estimated Burden Hours:* 2,000.

*Status:* New Collection.

**Authority:** Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: May 3, 2001.

**Donna L. Eden,**

*Director, Office of Investments Strategies, Policy and Management.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Notice of Receipt of Applications for Permit

##### Endangered Species

This notice is provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, *as amended* (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*) which requires the publication of a notice of each permit application received by the Fish and Wildlife Service. This notification requirement may be waived in an emergency situation where the health or life of an endangered animal is

threatened and no reasonable alternative is available to the applicant. However, notice of any such waiver must be published within ten days following the issuance of the permit.

##### Emergency Exemption Issuance

On April 27, 2001, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) issued a permit (PRT-40800) to the National Aviary in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to export viable, fertilized eggs of captive bred Manchurian crane (*Grus japonensis*) and White-naped crane (*Grus vipio*) to the Khiganski Nature Reserve, Arkhara, Russia. The fertilized eggs are used in establishing