

patients at Madigan Army Medical Center. They are responding to this information collection as it will be part of their postoperative medical follow-ups. The survey will be given via Qualtrics, a web-based secure survey platform. Patients will access this via a QR code and answer the questions on their smartphones. They will complete the questions at the time of their medical follow-ups. This is returned electronically when they submit the survey.

*Affected Public:* Individuals and households.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 3.4.

*Number of Respondents:* 20.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 20.

*Average Burden per Response:* 10 minutes.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

Dated: August 16, 2023.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DoD-2023-OS-0070]

#### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs (OASD(PA)), Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** 60-Day information collection notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the Office of the Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs announces a proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by September 20, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

*Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

*Mail:* Department of Defense, Office of the Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Transparency, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Mailbox #24, Suite 08D09, Alexandria, VA 22350-1700.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instrument, please write to the Office of the Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs, ATTN: Community Engagement Directorate, 1400 Defense, The Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1400, or call Glen Roberts at (703) 697-6005.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number:* Request for DoD Production Assistance, DD Form 3205; OMB Control Number: 0704-RPAF.

*Needs and Uses:* This information collection requirement is necessary to evaluate the eligibility of productions requesting DoD assistance for appropriateness and compliance with DoD policies and for coordination of the units involved to determine whether requested military assets are available.

*Affected Public:* Non-profit or for-profit entertainment media institutions, individual producers.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 150.

*Number of Respondents:* 200.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 200.

*Average Burden per Response:* 45 minutes.

*Frequency:* On Occasion.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DoD-2023-OS-0071]

#### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness (OUSD(P&R)), Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** 60-Day information collection notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the Undersecretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness announces a proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by October 20, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

*Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

*Mail:* Department of Defense, Office of the Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Transparency, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Mailbox #24, Suite 08D09, Alexandria, VA 22350-1700.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to CNA Corporation (Center

for Naval Analyses), 3003 Washington Blvd., Arlington, VA, Neil Carey, Ph.D., [careyn@cna.org](mailto:careyn@cna.org), 703-955-6415.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number:* Overcoming Barriers to Safe Firearms Storage Among Different Groups; OMB Control Number 0704-OBFS.

*Needs and Uses:* The Defense Suicide Prevention Office (DSPO) has contracted with Center for Naval Analyses (CNA) to conduct a study titled "Overcoming Barriers to Safe Firearms Storage Among Different Groups." The goal of the study is to assist the services in meeting the requirements set forth in Department of Defense (DoD) Instruction 6490.16 that all suicide prevention activities are developed from a relevant evidence-base and have an evaluation capability prior to implementation. DSPO wants to craft safe firearm storage messages that will be persuasive to servicemembers of varying races and genders in response to changing demographics of firearm owners and suicides completed using a firearm in the civilian sector. To do so, CNA has developed a survey that will address the following issues:

- What are the barriers to safe firearm storage practices among different groups?
- Do different demographic groups respond to messages differently, and if so, how should messaging be targeted? For example, would these servicemembers respond more positively if their demographic group were featured in safety appeals?
- What principles could be introduced to OSD lethal means safety messaging to make it better resonate across demographic groups?

This survey will provide unique information to help DoD (a) determine what attitudinal and other barriers prevent service members from adopting safe firearms storage practices, (b) decide which aspects of a safe storage message are most persuasive in overcoming those barriers, and (c) learn whether female and black service members respond differently to safe storage messaging. The findings from the survey will support DoD Instruction 6400.09's instruction to focus suicide prevention efforts on research-based programs, policies, and practices. They will also assist in executing data-informed actions to reduce and stop self-directed harm (Section 1.2.b), promoting an understanding of lethal means safety among the military community (Section 4.3.b), and addressing the needs of high-risk groups (Section 4.7.a.).

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 375.  
*Number of Respondents:* 1,500.  
*Responses per Respondent:* 1.  
*Annual Responses:* 1,500.  
*Average Burden per Response:* 15 minutes.

*Frequency:* Once.

Dated: August 15, 2023.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Navy

[Docket ID: USN-2023-HQ-0006]

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** 30-Day information collection notice.

**SUMMARY:** The DoD has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by September 20, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Angela Duncan, 571-372-7574, [whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil](mailto:whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number:* Distinguished Visitor (DV)/Friends of the Navy (FON) Embark Request; OMB Control Number: 0703-0060.

*Type of Request:* Reinstatement with change.

*Number of Respondents:* 3,000.  
*Responses per Respondent:* 1.  
*Annual Responses:* 3,000.  
*Average Burden per Response:* 15 minutes.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 750.

*Needs and Uses:* The purpose of the Distinguished Visitor (DV)/Friends of the Navy (FON) Embark is to facilitate

embarkation on U.S. Navy surface ships or submarines and determine embarkation qualification. This information may also be used for notification of next of kin in the event of death or serious injury or to permit transmission of public affairs information from the Navy to the individual concerned. Completion of the information is completely voluntary; however, failure to provide required information may result in denial of embarkation request. Respondents are interested persons, such as community leaders, legislators, business executives, educators, foreign military or dignitaries, and other Non-Federal Government employees wishing to embark on a Navy vessel.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Voluntary.

*OMB Desk Officer:* Ms. Jasmeet Seehra.

You may also submit comments and recommendations, identified by Docket ID number and title, by the following method:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name, Docket ID number, and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

*DOD Clearance Officer:* Ms. Angela Duncan.

Requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Duncan at [whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil](mailto:whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil).

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Navy

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#### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, Department of Defense (DoD).