

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

**Submission for OMB Review;
Comment Request**

The Department of Commerce will submit 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 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: National Institute of Standards and Technology.

Title: NIST Generic Clearance for Usability Data Collections.

OMB Control Number: 0693–0043.

Form Number(s): None.

Type of Request: Regular submission (extension of a currently approved information collection).

Number of Respondents: 8,500.

Average Hours per Response: Varied, dependent upon the data collection method used. The possible response time to complete a questionnaire may be 15 minutes or 2 hours to participate in an empirical study.

Burden Hours: 5,000.

Needs and Uses: NIST will conduct information collections of usability data involving usage of technological devices (such as web sites, handheld computers, cell phones, and robots.) This information will enable NIST researchers to study human-computer interactions and help establish guidelines and standards for more effective and efficient interactions.

Affected Public: Individual or households; State, Local or Tribal Government; Federal Government.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

OMB Desk Officer: Jasmeet Seehra, (202) 395–3123.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Jennifer Jessup, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482–0336, Department of Commerce, Room 6616, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at Jjessup@doc.gov).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Jasmeet Seehra, OMB Desk Officer, Fax number (202) 395–5167, or via the Internet at Jasmeet_k._Seehra@omb.eop.gov.

Dated: October 5, 2012.

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Agency: National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).

Title: Generic Clearance for Program Evaluation Data Collections.

OMB Control Number: 0693–0033.

Form Number(s): None.

Type of Request: Regular submission (extension of a currently approved information collection).

Number of Respondents: 12,000.

Average Hours per Response: Varied dependent upon the individual data collection. Response time could be 2 minutes for a response card or 1 hour for a more structured survey instrument. The average response time is expected to be 30 minutes.

Burden Hours: 3,022.

Needs and Uses: In accordance with Executive Order 12862, the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), a non-regulatory agency of the Department of Commerce, proposes to conduct surveys—both quantitative and qualitative—designed to evaluate our current program evaluation data collections by means of, but not limited to, focus groups, reply cards that accompany product distributions, and Web-based surveys and dialogue boxes that offer customers the opportunity to express their views on the programs they are asked to evaluate. NIST will limit its inquiries to data collections that solicit strictly voluntary opinions and will not collect information that is required or regulated. Steps will be taken to assure the anonymity of respondents who participate in a collection conducted under this request.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations; Not-for-profit institutions; Individuals or households; Federal government; State, local, or tribal government.

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Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 35–2011]

Proposed Foreign-Trade Zone—Eloy, AZ Comment Period on New Evidence

On May 23, 2011, an application was submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board by the City of Eloy, Arizona, requesting authority to establish a general-purpose FTZ at sites in Pinal County, Arizona (76 FR 30907, 05/27/2011). Pursuant to the requirements of the FTZ Board's regulations (see 15 CFR 400.33(e)(2); formerly 15 CFR 400.27(d)(2)(v)(B)), the FTZ Board is now inviting public comment on new evidence submitted by the City of Eloy on July 31, 2012, on which there has not been an opportunity for public comment.

The comment period on the new evidence is open through November 13, 2012. Submissions shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at the following address: Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Room 21013, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230–0002. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period to November 26, 2012.

A copy of the City of Eloy's July 31, 2012, submission will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Room 21013, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230–0002, and in the "Reading Room" section of the Board's Web site, which is accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz. For further information, contact Christopher J. Kemp at Christopher.Kemp@trade.gov or (202) 482–0862.