

and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.

Dated: August 12, 2009.

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Director, Information Collection Clearance  
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Management Services, Office of Management.

#### **Institute of Education Sciences**

*Type of Review:* New Collection.

*Title:* Beginning Teacher Longitudinal Study (BTLs) 2009–2012.

*Frequency:* Annually.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or household.

*Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:*

*Responses:* 1,891.

*Burden Hours:* 513.

*Abstract:* The New Teacher Longitudinal Survey will follow a sample of public school teachers who were in their first year of teaching in 2007–08. These teachers were first interviewed as part of the 2007–08 Schools and Staffing Survey (SASS) and were also part of the 2008–09 Teacher Follow-up Survey. They will be contacted again in 2010 as part of a second follow-up. Following this small subset of the SASS sample for at least a decade will provide much needed data on teachers' careers, attrition, and mobility.

Requests for copies of the proposed information collection request may be accessed from <http://edicsweb.ed.gov>, by selecting the "Browse Pending Collections" link and by clicking on link number 4068. When you access the information collection, click on "Download Attachments" to view. Written requests for information should be addressed to U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., LBJ, Washington, DC 20202–4537. Requests may also be electronically mailed to [ICDocketMgr@ed.gov](mailto:ICDocketMgr@ed.gov) or faxed to 202–401–0920. Please specify the complete title of the information collection when making your request.

Comments regarding burden and/or the collection activity requirements should be electronically mailed to [ICDocketMgr@ed.gov](mailto:ICDocketMgr@ed.gov). Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1–800–877–8339.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

##### **State Energy Advisory Board (STEAB)**

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of open teleconference.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a meeting of the State Energy Advisory Board. (STEAB). The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463; 86 Stat.770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

**DATES:** September 23, 2009, 2 to 3 p.m. EDT.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Gary Burch, STEAB Designated Federal Officer, Office of Commercialization and Project Management, Energy Efficiency Division, Golden Field Office, U.S. Department of Energy, 1617 Cole Boulevard, Golden, CO 80401, Telephone 303–275–4801.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Purpose of the Board:* To make recommendations to the Assistant Secretary for the Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy regarding goals and objectives, programmatic and administrative policies, and to otherwise carry out the Board's responsibilities as designated in the State Energy Efficiency Programs Improvement Act of 1990 (Pub. L. 101–440).

*Tentative Agenda:* Discuss ways STEAB can support DOE's implementation of the Economic Recovery Act, and update members on the Board's routine business matters.

*Public Participation:* The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board either before or after the meeting. Members of the public who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Gary Burch at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests to make oral comments must be received five days prior to the meeting; reasonable provision will be made to include requested topic(s) on the agenda. The Chair of the Board is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business.

*Minutes:* The minutes of the meeting will be available for public review and copying within 60 days on the STEAB Web site, <http://www.steab.org>.

Issued at Washington, DC, on August 12, 2009.

**Rachel Samuel,**

Deputy Committee Management Officer.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

##### **Privacy Act of 1974; Notice To Amend an Existing System of Records**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** As required by the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a, and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A–130, the Department of Energy (DOE) is publishing notice of a proposed amendment to an existing system of records. DOE proposes to amend the system of records DOE–3 "Employee Concerns Program Records." This notice (i) will expand an existing routine use to permit the disclosure of certain information to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and (ii) add an additional system location.

**DATES:** The proposed amendment to this existing system of records will become effective without further notice on October 2, 2009 unless DOE receives adverse comments and determines that this amendment should not become effective on that date.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments should be directed to William A. Lewis, Jr., Deputy Director, Office of Civil Rights and Diversity, ED–4, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20585.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jerry Hanley, Chief Privacy Officer, Office of Information Resources, MA–90, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586–5955; Isiah Smith, Deputy Assistant General Counsel for General Law, GC–77, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586–8618; William A. Lewis, Jr., Deputy Director, Office of Civil Rights and Diversity, ED–4, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586–6530.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice proposes two amendments to DOE–3 Employee Concerns Program Records. The first amendment concerns Routine Use # 5, which allows a record to be disclosed as a routine use to DOE contractors in the performance of their contracts and to their respective officers and employees who have a need for the record in the performance of their duties. This notice proposes to add a similar sentence allowing a record to be disclosed as a routine use to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and its respective officers and employees who have a need for the record in the performance of their duties. Disclosure