

The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the offices of the EPA Superfund Records Center, EPA Region VIII, located at 999 18th Street (check in at Suite 300), Denver, Colorado 80202. A copy of the proposed Consent Decree may also be obtained by faxing a request to Tonia Fleetwood, Department of Justice Consent Decree Library, fax no. (202) 616-6584; telephone confirmation no (202) 514-1547. There is a charge for the copy (25 cents per page reproduction cost). Upon requesting a copy, please mail a check payable to the "U.S. Treasury", in the amount of \$17.75, to: Consent Decree Library, U.S. Department of Justice, PO Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044-7611. The check should refer to *United States et al. v. The S.W. Shattuck Chemical Company, Inc.*, D.J. Ref. 90-11-2-741/1.

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Notice of Lodging of Settlement Agreement Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act and Chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code

In accordance with the policy of the Department of Justice, notice is hereby given that on December 10, 2001, a proposed settlement agreement in *United States v. American Allied Additives, Inc.*, et al., Civil Action No. 00-01014, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio. The proposed settlement agreement would resolve the United States' claim against defendant Gibson-Homans Company pursuant to section 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9607, in connection with the American Allied Additives Superfund Site in Cleveland, Ohio. Under the proposed settlement agreement, the United States' claim would be allowed as a pre-petition general unsecured claim for \$24,050 in Gibson-Homans' bankruptcy proceeding, *In Re: The Gibson-Homans Company*, No. 00-50369 (Bankr. N.D. Ohio), pursuant to Chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code, 11 U.S.C. 101, et seq.

For a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, the Department of Justice will receive

comments related to the proposed settlement agreement. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, U.S. Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States v. American Allied Additives, Inc.*, et al., Civil Action No. 1:00CV1014; D.J. Ref. No. 90-11-2-1318.

The settlement agreement may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, 1800 Bank One Center, 600 Superior Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114, and at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region V, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604. A copy of the settlement agreement may also be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$2.00 (8 pages at 25 cents per page reproduction cost), and please refer to *United States v. American Allied Additives, Inc.*, et al., Civil Action No. 00-01014; D.J. Ref. No. 90-11-2-1318.

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Employment and Training Administration

#### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Employment and Training Administration is soliciting comments concerning the proposed new collection

of data on the costs and usage of Workforce Investment Act (WIA) and Wagner Peyser services that do not require registration.

A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice.

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee's section below on or before March 18, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** James Aaron, Chief, Division of Performance and Results, Office of Financial and Administrative Management, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Room N-4702, Washington, DC 20210, Telephone: (202) 693-2814 (this is not a toll-free number), E-mail: jaaron@doleta.gov.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### 1. Background

The Department of Labor seeks to collect data regarding the costs and usage of Workforce Investment Act (WIA) and Wagner Peyser services that do not require participant registration. Current reporting systems do not capture this information because self and informational services do not require registration and are not part of the performance accountability provisions of the respective statutes. This fact has complicated the budget process by limiting DOL's capacity to develop unit cost projections. In addition, DOL does not have complete information on WIA service design. The information that is developed will be used to inform budget decisions and the WIA reauthorization process.

The data will consist of information already collected by state and local workforce development staff for their own management purposes and data collected from a probability sample of persons using self-service facilities. The principal goal of the data collection is to develop a national estimate of the number of job seekers who use informational, self, or staff facilitated services that do not require registration in primary One-Stop programs and related costs.

##### II. Review Focus

The Department of Labor is particularly interested in comments which:

- 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;

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

### III. Current Actions

DOL is seeking Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval to collect data on the costs and usage of Workforce Investment Act (WIA) and Wagner Peyser services that do not require registration. The data are necessary to inform budget decisions and for the WIA reauthorization process. The data will consist of information already collected by state and local workforce development staff for their own management purposes and data collected from a probability sample of persons using self-service facilities. The principal goal of the data collection is to develop a national estimate of the number of job seekers who use informational, self, or staff facilitated

services that do not require registration in primary One-Stop programs.

*Type of Review:* New.

*Agency:* Employment and Training Administration.

*Title:* Estimation of ETA Non-Registrant Service Usage and Costs.

*OMB Number:* 1205-ONEW.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households; State, Local or Tribal Government.

*Total Respondents:* 12,554.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Total Responses:* 12,554.

*Average Time per Response:* 12.37 hours for state survey; 2 minutes for participant survey.

*Estimated Total Burden Hours:* 1,085 for state and participant surveys; 2,760 local staff burden for participant survey.

TABLE 1.—RESPONDENT BURDEN FOR STATE AND PARTICIPANT SURVEYS

| Data form                | Total respondents | Frequency | Total responses | Average time per response | Total burden hours |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| State survey .....       | 54                | 1         | 54              | 12.37                     | 668                |
| Participant survey ..... | 12,500            | 1         | 12,500          | 2 minutes                 | 417                |
| Totals .....             | 12,554            | 1         | 12,554          | NA                        | 1,085              |

TABLE 2.—LOCAL STAFF BURDEN FOR PARTICIPANT SURVEY

| Tasks conducted by local staff                          | Staff hours per sampled office | Staff hours for 120 sampled offices |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Orientation and Training .....                          | 2                              | 240                                 |
| Data Collection .....                                   | 20                             | 2,400                               |
| Maintenance and Delivery of Data Collection Forms ..... | 1                              | 120                                 |
| Total Burden Hours .....                                | 23                             | 2,760                               |

*Total Burden Hours for all surveys:* 3,845.

*Total Burden Cost (capital/startup):* \$0.

*Total Burden Cost (operating/maintaining):* \$0.

Comments submitted in response to this comment request will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection request; they will also become a matter of public record.

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### DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

#### Employment Standards Administration

#### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection

requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Employment Standards Administration is soliciting comments concerning the following information collection: Housing Occupancy Certificate—Migrant and Seasonal Agricultural Worker Protection Act.

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below within March 18, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** Ms. Patricia A. Forkel, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Ave., NW, Room S-3201, Washington, DC 20210, telephone (202) 693-0339 (this is not a toll-free number), fax (202) 693-1451, EMail pforkel@fenix2.dol-esa.gov.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

Section 203(b)(1) of the Migrant and Seasonal Agricultural Worker Protection