

the address in **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

The Department of the Air Force proposes to delete one system of records notice from its inventory of record systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended. The proposed deletion is not within the purview of subsection (r) of the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, which requires the submission of a new or altered system report.

Dated: November 17, 2011.

**Aaron Siegel,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

Deletion:

#### **F051 AFJA A**

##### **SYSTEM NAME:**

Freedom of Information Act Appeal Records (December 12, 2008, 73 FR 75688).

Reason: Based upon a recent review of F051 AFJA A, The Freedom of Information Act Appeal Records, by the Department of the Air Force, it has been determined that all information contained in F051 AFJA A has been consolidated into F033 AF A, Information Requests-Freedom of Information Act (May 19, 2011, 76 FR 28962), and can therefore be deleted. [FR Doc. 2011-30144 Filed 11-22-11; 8:45 am]

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## **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

### **Department of the Army**

[Docket ID USA-2011-0026]

#### **Proposed Collection; Comment Request**

**AGENCY:** Department of the Army, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Department of the Army announces the following proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) 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; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) 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 January 23, 2012.

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

- *Federal e-Rulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
- *Mail:* Federal Docket Management System Office, 4800 Mark Center Drive, 2nd Floor, East Tower, Suite 02G09, Alexandria, VA 22350-3100.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number, and title for this **Federal Register** notice. 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 instructions, please write to the Project Manager (PM) Department of Defense (DoD) Biometrics, 200 Stovall St., Alexandria, VA 22332.

*Title and OMB Control Number:* Forward Deployed Biometrics Collection; OMB Control Number 0702-TBD.

*Needs and Uses:* This information collection requirement is needed for DoD in forward deployments to verify or identify individuals encountered in DoD areas of responsibility (AOR) and determine, based on information maintained by DoD, whether that individual, poses a threat to DoD's logical or physical assets, or is a threat to national security. As such, DoD has developed biometric information systems capable of collecting and storing biometric images, associated biographic and contextual information; matching biometrics against local and external biometric galleries; displaying the results of the biometric searches; and as appropriate issuing credentials that contains the individual's identity.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 23,295.

*Number of Respondents:* 301,580.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Average Burden per Response:* 4.6 minutes.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

## **Summary of Information Collection**

This collection supports DoD by verifying or identifying individuals such as terrorists, combatants, makers of explosive devices, detainees, criminals, locally employed non-U.S. person and other persons of interest. Such identification helps military operations including detainee management and questioning, base access, counterintelligence screening, border control, displaced persons management and a host of other missions.

Dated: November 17, 2011.

**Patricia L. Toppings,**

*OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

### **Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests**

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Education (the Department), in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), provides the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and continuing collections of information. This helps the Department assess the impact of its information collection requirements and minimize the reporting burden on the public and helps the public understand the Department's information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format. The Director, Information Collection Clearance Division, Privacy, Information and Records Management Services, Office of Management, Office of Management, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before January 23, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments regarding burden and/or the collection activity requirements should be electronically mailed to [ICDocketMgr@ed.gov](mailto:ICDocketMgr@ed.gov) or mailed to U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue SW., LBJ, Washington, DC 20202-4537. Please note that written comments received in response to this notice will be considered public records.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35) requires that

Federal agencies provide interested parties an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. The Director, Information Collection Clearance Division, Regulatory Information Management Services, Office of Management, publishes this notice containing proposed information collection requests at the beginning of the Departmental review of the information collection. The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, 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: November 18, 2011.

**Darrin King,**

Director, Information Collection Clearance Division, Privacy, Information and Records Management Services, Office of Management.

**Institute of Education Sciences**

*Type of Review:* Revision.

*Title of Collection:* Schools and Staffing Survey (SASS) Teacher Status Update 2012 for Teacher Follow-up Survey (TFS:13).

*OMB Control Number:* 1850-0598.

*Agency Form Number(s):* N/A.

*Frequency of Responses:* Once.

*Affected Public:* State, Local or Tribal Government.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses:* 12,870.

*Total Estimated Annual Burden Hours:* 2,145.

*Abstract:* The Schools and Staffing Survey (SASS) is an in-depth, nationally-representative survey of first through twelfth grade public and private school teachers, principals, schools, library media centers, and school districts. Kindergarten teachers in schools with at least a first grade are also surveyed. For traditional public school districts, principals, schools, teachers and school libraries, the survey estimates are state-representative. For public charter schools, principals, teachers, and school libraries, the survey estimates are nationally-representative. For private school principals, schools, and teachers, the survey estimates are representative of private school types. There are two additional components within SASS's 4-year data collection cycle: the Teacher Follow-up Survey (TFS) and the

Principal Follow-up Survey, which are conducted a year after the SASS main collection. In preparation for TFS, in the year following SASS, schools that provided a teacher list form in SASS schools are sent a Teacher Follow-up Survey Teacher Status update form (TFS-1) requesting information regarding the occupational status of each interviewed teacher. These data are used to stratify the teachers for TFS sampling into groups of "stayers" (still teaching at the same school), "movers" (still teaching, but at a different school) or "leavers" (no longer teaching). The current school principal or someone else in the front office knowledgeable about the school's staff completes the TFS-1. This submission requests approval for collecting data on the current status of SASS teachers using the TFS-1 form.

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 4755. 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 and OMB Control Number when making your request.

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**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

**Combined Notice of Filings**

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings:

**Filings Instituting Proceedings**

*Docket Numbers:* RP12-152-000.

*Applicants:* Northern Natural Gas Company.

*Description:* 20111115 Miscellaneous Filing to be effective 12/16/2011.

*Filed Date:* 11/15/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20111115-5062.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET on 11/28/2011.

*Docket Numbers:* RP12-153-000.

*Applicants:* Texas Eastern Transmission, LP.

*Description:* Negotiated Rates Nov. 2011 Cleanup to be effective 12/16/2011.

*Filed Date:* 11/15/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20111115-5131.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET on 11/28/2011.

*Docket Numbers:* RP12-154-000.

*Applicants:* Trailblazer Pipeline Company LLC.

*Description:* Amended Negotiated Rate Filing—Devon to be effective 9/1/2011.

*Filed Date:* 11/15/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20111115-5158.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET on 11/28/2011.

*Docket Numbers:* RP12-155-000.

*Applicants:* Texas Gas Transmission, LLC.

*Description:* AEP 31836 Negotiated Rate Agreement Filing to be effective 12/1/2011.

*Filed Date:* 11/16/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20111116-5029.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET on 11/28/2011.

*Docket Numbers:* RP12-156-000.

*Applicants:* Texas Eastern Transmission, LP.

*Description:* South Jersey 11-16-2011 Negotiated Rate to be effective 11/16/2011.

*Filed Date:* 11/16/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20111116-5032.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET on 11/28/2011.

*Docket Numbers:* RP12-157-000.

*Applicants:* Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.

*Description:* 11/16/11 Negotiated Rates—Barclays Bank PLC (HUB) to be effective 11/15/2011.

*Filed Date:* 11/16/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20111116-5126.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET on 11/28/2011.

Any person desiring to intervene or protest in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. Protests may be considered, but intervention is necessary to become a party to the proceeding.

**Filings in Existing Proceedings**

*Docket Numbers:* RP11-2571-001.

*Applicants:* East Cheyenne Gas Storage, LLC.

*Description:* ECGS Compliance Filing to be effective 11/1/2011.

*Filed Date:* 11/15/2011.