

TABLE A.12—ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS AND COSTS—Continued

Type of respondent	Form name/form number	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Total number of responses	Avg. burden per response (in hours)	Total annual burden (in hours)	Avg. hourly wage rate (\$)	Total annual respondent cost (\$)
State, Local or Tribal Government.	ND Grants System Uploading Documents.	56	1	56	0.167	9.352	32.20	301.13
Total .....	.....	.....	.....	112	.....	23	.....	751.93
Total for Non-Disaster Grant Programs				49,232	.....	276,476	.....	10,629,223.02
Totals for Disaster-Related Grants				208,014	.....	1,795,745	.....	73,416,752.20
Total for all Grant Programs				257,246	.....	2,072,220	.....	84,045,975.22

Estimated Cost: There are no annual reporting or recordkeeping costs associated with this collection.

Comments

Comments may be submitted as indicated in the **ADDRESSES** caption above. Comments are solicited to (a) evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) 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; (c) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) 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 submission of responses.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

[Docket ID: FEMA-2009-0001]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request, 1660-NEW; FEMA Preparedness Grants: Interoperable Emergency Communications Grant Program (IECGP)

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

ACTION: Notice; 60-day notice and request for comments; new information collection; OMB No. 1660-NEW; FEMA Form 089-2, IECGP Investment Justification.

SUMMARY: The Federal Emergency Management Agency, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on a proposed new information collection. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this Notice seeks comments concerning information collection activities required to administer the Interoperable Emergency Communications Grant Program (IECGP).

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before January 19, 2010.

ADDRESSES: To avoid duplicate submissions to the docket, please use only one of the following means to submit comments:

(1) *Online.* Submit comments at <http://www.regulations.gov> under docket ID FEMA-2009-0001. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

(2) *Mail.* Submit written comments to Office of Chief Counsel, Regulation and Policy Team, DHS/FEMA, 500 C Street, SW., Room 835, Wash, DC 20472-3100.

(3) *Facsimile.* Submit comments to (703) 483-2999.

(4) *E-mail.* Submit comments to FEMA-POLICY@dhs.gov. Include docket ID FEMA-2009-0001 in the subject line.

All submissions received must include the agency name and docket ID. Regardless of the method used for submitting comments or material, all submissions will be posted, without change, to the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov>, and will include any personal information you provide. Therefore, submitting this information makes it public. You may wish to read the Privacy Act notice that is available on the Privacy and Use Notice link on the Administration Navigation Bar of <http://www.regulations.gov>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Contact Alex Mrazik, Program Analyst, Grant Programs Directorate, 202-786-9732 for additional information. You may contact the Records Management Branch for copies of the proposed collection of information at facsimile number (202) 646-3347 or e-mail address: FEMA-Information-Collections@dhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Interoperable Emergency Communications Grant Program (IECGP) is mandated by Section 1809 of the Homeland Security Act of 2002 (6 U.S.C. 579), as amended by Section 301, Title III of the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007 (Pub. L. 110-053), which states the Secretary shall establish the Interoperable Emergency Communications Grant Program to make grants to States to carry out initiatives to improve local, tribal, statewide, regional, national and, where appropriate, international interoperable emergency communications, including communications in collective response to natural disasters, acts of terrorism, and other man-made disasters. Further, the legislation authorizes the FEMA

Administrator to administer the IECGP, mandates that the use of grants is consistent with guidance established by the Director of Emergency Communications, and mandates a State receiving an IECGP grant use the funds to implement that State's Statewide Interoperability Plan required under section 7303(f) of the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 (6 U.S.C. 194(f)) and approved under subsection (e) and to assist with activities determined by the Secretary to be integral to interoperable emergency communications.

Collection of Information

Title: FEMA Preparedness Grants: Interoperable Emergency Communications Grant Program (IECGP).

Type of Information Collection: New information collection.

OMB Number: 1660-NEW.

Form Titles and Numbers: FEMA Form 089-2, IECGP Investment Justification.

Abstract: The IECGP is an important tool among a comprehensive set of measures to help strengthen the Nation against risks associated with potential

terrorist attacks. FEMA uses the information to evaluate applicants' familiarity with the national preparedness architecture and identify how elements of this architecture have been incorporated into regional/State/local planning, operations, and investments. Respondents are comprised of State, local, and tribal entities.

Affected Public: State, Local or Tribal Government.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 37,362 Hours.

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State, Local or Tribal Govern- ment.	IECGP Investment Justifica- tion/FEMA Form 089-2.	56	1	56	547	30,632	\$36.15	\$1,107,346.80
State, Local or Tribal Govern- ment.	SCIP Implementation Report/ No Form.	56	1	56	100	5,600	\$36.15	\$202,440.00
State, Local or Tribal Govern- ment.	Communication System Life Cycle/No Form.	56	1	56	25	1,400	\$36.15	\$50,610.00
Total		39				37,632		\$1,360,396.80

Estimated Cost: There is no annual reporting or recordkeeping costs associated with this collection.

Comments

Comments may be submitted as indicated in the **ADDRESSES** caption above. Comments are solicited to (a) Evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) 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; (c) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) 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 submission of responses.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

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Agency Information Collection

**Activities: Proposed Collection;
Comment Request, 1660-NEW; FEMA
Preparedness Grants; Driver's License
Security Grant Program (DLSGP)**

AGENCY: Federal Emergency
Management Agency, DHS.

ACTION: Notice; 60-day notice and
request for comments; new information
collection; OMB No. 1660-NEW; No
Form.

SUMMARY: The Federal Emergency
Management Agency, as part of its
continuing effort to reduce paperwork
and respondent burden, invites the
general public and other Federal
agencies to take this opportunity to

comment on a proposed new
information collection. In accordance
with the Paperwork Reduction Act of
1995, this Notice seeks comments
concerning information collection
activities required to administer the
Driver's License Security Grant Program
(DLSGP).

DATES: Comments must be submitted on
or before January 19, 2010.

ADDRESSES: To avoid duplicate
submissions to the docket, please use
only one of the following means to
submit comments:

(1) *Online.* Submit comments at
www.regulations.gov under docket ID
FEMA-2009-0001. Follow the
instructions for submitting comments.

(2) *Mail.* Submit written comments to
Office of Chief Counsel, Regulation and
Policy Team, DHS/FEMA, 500 C Street,
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ID FEMA-2009-0001 in the subject line.

All submissions received must
include the agency name and docket ID.
Regardless of the method used for
submitting comments or material, all
submissions will be posted, without
change, to the Federal eRulemaking
Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov>,
and will include any personal
information you provide. Therefore,
submitting this information makes it
public. You may wish to read the
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Administration Navigation Bar of
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number (202) 646-3347 or e-mail
address: [FEMA-Information-
Collections@dhs.gov](mailto:FEMA-Information-Collections@dhs.gov).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: FEMA's
Driver's License Security Grant Program
(DLSGP, formerly known as REAL ID) is
an important part of the
Administration's larger, coordinated
effort—known as the Federal Investment
Strategy—to strengthen homeland
security preparedness against risks
associated with potential terrorist

attacks. The purpose of DLSGP is to
prevent terrorism, reduce fraud, and
improve the reliability and accuracy of
personal identification documents
States and territories issue. DLSGP is
authorized by section 204, Title II of the
REAL ID Act of 2005, Division B of the
Emergency Supplemental
Appropriations Act for Defense, the
Global War on Terror, and Tsunami
Relief, 2005 (Pub. L. 109-13) (49 U.S.C.
30301) The program utilizes the
“Minimum Standards for Driver's
Licenses and Identification Cards
Acceptable by Federal Agencies for
Official Purposes: Final Rule,” January
29, 2008, 6 CFR part 37.

Collection of Information

Title: FEMA Preparedness Grants;
Driver's License Security Grant Program
(DLSGP).

Type of Information Collection: New
information collection.

OMB Number: 1660-NEW.

Form Titles and Numbers: No Forms.

Abstract: The DLSGP is an important
tool among a comprehensive set of
measures to help strengthen the Nation
against risks associated with potential
terrorist attacks. FEMA uses the
information to evaluate applicants'
familiarity with the national
preparedness architecture and identify
how elements of this architecture have
been incorporated into regional/state/
local planning, operations, and
investments. The Program Narrative and
Program Management Capabilities Work
Plan provide the State with a Driver's
License Security Grant Program
implementation roadmap and tells the
Department of Homeland Security
(DHS) how grant funding will be used.
The Program Narrative is a separate
document from the Program
Management Capabilities Work Plan,
both of which help to assess program
implementation potential and a State's
management procedures and
capabilities. The Program Narrative and
the Program Management Capabilities
Work Plan are required upon grant
application and are reviewed by FEMA
and the DHS Policy Office to determine
funding decisions and assists with
project oversight.

Affected Public: State, Local or Tribal
Government.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden
Hours:* 168 Hours.