

Any interested persons should look to the application for a more detailed statement of the asserted matters of fact and law. The application is on file in the Commission's Public Reference Section, File Number 222-28712, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549.

The Commission also gives notice that any interested persons may request, in writing, that a hearing be held on this matter. Interested persons must submit those requests to the Commission no later than December 31, 2003. Interested persons must include the following in their request for a hearing on this matter:

- The nature of that person's interest;
- The reasons for the request; and
- The issues of law or fact raised by the application that the interested person desires to refute or request a hearing on.

The interested person should address this request for a hearing to: Jonathan G. Katz, Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549-0609. At any time after December 31, 2003, the Commission may issue an order granting the application, unless the Commission orders a hearing.

For the Commission, by the Division of Corporation Finance, pursuant to delegated authority.

**Margaret H. McFarland,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 4550]

### **Bureau of Political-Military Affairs; 60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Form DS-4048, Projected Sales of Major Weapons in Support of Section 25(a)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act; OMB No. 1405-XXXX**

**AGENCY:** Department of State.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of State is seeking Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the information collection described below. The purpose of this notice is to allow 60 days for public comment in the Federal Register preceding submission to OMB. This process is conducted in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

The following summarizes the information collection proposal submitted to OMB:

*Type of Request:* Existing collection in use without an OMB control number.

*Originating Office:* Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, Directorate of Defense Trade Controls, PM/DDTC.

*Title of Information Collection:* Projected Sales of Major Weapons in Support of Section 25(a)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act.

*Frequency:* Once a year.

*Form Number:* DS-4048.

*Respondents:* Business organizations.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 20.

*Average Hours Per Response:* 3 hours.

*Total Estimated Burden:* 60 hours.

(Total Estimated Burden based on number of reports received per year.)

Public comments are being solicited to permit the agency to:

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection 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 collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.
- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of technology.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:** Contact Copies of the proposed information collection and supporting documents may be obtained from Michael T. Dixon, Director, Office of Defense Trade Controls Management, Directorate of Defense Trade Controls, Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, SA-1, Room H1200, 2401 E Street, NW., Washington, DC 20522-0112 (202) 663-2700.

Dated: November 14, 2003.

**Gregory M. Suchan,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Defense Trade Controls, Bureau of Political-Military Affairs, Department of State.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 4548]

### **Office of Visa Services; 60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Forms DS-2053, DS-3024, DS-3025 and DS-3026; Medical Examination for Immigrant or Refugee Applicant; OMB Control #1405-0113**

**AGENCY:** Department of State.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of State is seeking Office of Management and

Budget (OMB) approval for the information collection described below. The purpose of this notice is to allow 60 days for public comment in the **Federal Register** preceding submission to OMB. This process is conducted in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

The following summarizes the information collection proposal to be submitted to OMB:

*Type of Request:* Extension of currently approved collection.

*Originating Office:* Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State (CA/VO).

*Title of Information Collection:* Medical Examination for Immigrant or Refugee Applicant.

*Frequency:* Once per respondent.

*Form Numbers:* DS-2053, DS-3024, DS-3025 and DS-3026.

*Respondents:* Immigrant visa and refugee applicants.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 630,000 per year.

*Average Hours Per Response:* 1.75 hours.

*Total Estimated Burden:* 1,102,500 hours per year.

*Public comments are being solicited to permit the agency to:*

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency.
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.
- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of technology.

#### **FOR FURTHER INFORMATIONCONTACT:**

Public comments, or requests for additional information regarding the collection listed in this notice should be directed to Brendan Mullarkey of the Office of Visa Services, U.S. Department of State, 2401 E St. NW., RM L-703, Washington, DC 20520, who may be reached at 202-663-1166.

Dated: November 25, 2003.

**Catherine Barry,**

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Visa Services, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State.*

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