

This request is for a revision of reporting and querying forms previously approved on April 30, 2002. The reporting forms and the request for information forms (query forms) must be accessed, completed, and submitted to

the NPDB electronically through the NPDB Web site at <http://www.npdb-hipdb.com>. All reporting and querying is performed through this secure Web site. Due to overlap in requirements for the Healthcare Integrity and Protection

Data Bank (HIPDB), some of the NPDB's burden has been subsumed under the HIPDB.

Estimates of burden are as follows:

Regulation citation	No. of respondents	Frequency of responses	Hours per response	Total burden hours
60.6(a) Errors & Omissions .....	303	5	15 min.	1385
60.6(b) Revisions to Actions .....	115	1.1	30 min.	64
60.7(b) Medical Malpractice Payment Report .....	485	39	45 min.	14,236
60.8(b) Adverse Action Reports—State Boards .....	20	0	0	0
60.9(a)3 Adverse Action Clinical Privileges & Professional Society .....	686	1.5	45 min.	785
Requests for Hearings by Entities .....	1	1	480 min.	8
60.10(a)(1) Queries by Hospital-Practitioner Applications .....	6,000	37.3	5 min.	18,615
60.10(a)(2) Queries by Hospitals—Two Yr. Cycle .....	6,000	149	5 min.	74,461
60.11(a)(1) Disclosure to Hospitals .....	30	0	0	0
60.11(a)(2) Disclosure to Practitioners (Self Query) .....	40	0	0	0
60.11(a)(3) Disclosure to Licensure Boards .....	80	225	5 min.	1,499
60.11(a)(4) Queries by Non-Hospital Health Care Entities .....	4,938	437	5 min.	179,673
60.11(a)(5) Queries by Plaintiffs' Attorneys .....	5	5	30 min.	3.0
60.11(a)(6) Queries by Non-Hospital Health Care Entities—Peer Review .....	50	0	0	0
60.11(a)(7) Requests by Researchers for Aggregated Data .....	100	1	30 min.	50
60.14(b) Practitioner Places a Report in Disputed Status .....	666	1	5 min.	55
60.14(b) Practitioner Statement .....	2,563	1	45 min.	1,922
60.14(b) Practitioner Requests for Secretarial Review .....	117	1	480 min.	936
60.3 Entity Registration-Initial .....	500	1	60 min.	500
60.3 Entity Registration-Update .....	643	1	5 min.	54
60.11(a) Authorized Agent Designation-Initial .....	500	1	15 min.	125
60.11(a) Authorized Agent-Update .....	86	1	5 min.	7
60.12(c) Account Discrepancy Report .....	300	1	15 min.	75
60.12(c) Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization .....	363	1	15 min.	91
60.3 Entity Reactivation .....	100	1	60 min.	100
<b>Total</b> .....				<b>293,644</b>

<sup>1</sup> Estimates in this column that fall below or above a full hour are rounded to the nearest hour.

<sup>2</sup> Included in estimate for reporting adverse licensure actions to the HIPDB in 45 CFR part 61.

<sup>3</sup> Included in estimates for 60.10(a)(1).

<sup>4</sup> Included in estimate for self queries to the HIPDB in 45 CFR part 61.

<sup>5</sup> Included in estimate for hospital queries under 60.11(a)(4).

Send comments to Susan Queen, Ph.D., HRSA Reports Clearance Officer, Room 16C-17, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20852, (301) 443-1129. Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

Dated: October 3, 2003.

**Jane M. Harrison,**

*Director, Division of Policy Review and Coordination.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Coast Guard

[USCG 2003-16251]

**Collection of Information under Review by Office of Management and Budget (OMB): OMB Control Number 1625-0086**

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DHS.

**ACTION:** Request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Coast Guard intends to seek the approval of OMB for the renewal of one Information Collection Request (ICR). The ICR concerns Great Lakes Pilotage. Before submitting the ICR to OMB, the Coast Guard is inviting comments on it.

**DATES:** Comments must reach the Coast Guard on or before December 15, 2003.

**ADDRESSES:** To make sure that your comments and related material do not enter the docket [USCG 2003-16251] more than once, please submit them by only one of the following means:

(1) By mail to the Docket Management Facility, U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), room PL-401, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC 20590-0001.

(2) By delivery to room PL-401 on the Plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

The telephone number is (202) 366-9329.

(3) By fax to the Facility at (202) 493-2251.

(4) Electronically through the Web Site for the Docket Management System at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

(5) Electronically through Federal eRule Portal: <http://www.regulations.gov>.

The Facility maintains the public docket for this notice. Comments and material received from the public, as well as documents mentioned in this notice as being available in the docket, will become part of this docket and will be available for inspection or copying at room PL-401 on the Plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. You may also find this docket on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

Copies of the complete ICR are available through this docket on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov>, and also from Commandant (G-CIM-2), U.S.

Coast Guard Headquarters, room 6106 (Attn: Barbara Davis), 2100 Second Street SW., Washington, DC 20593-0001. The telephone number is 202-267-2326.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Barbara Davis, Office of Information Management, 202-267-2326, for questions on this document; or Andrea M. Jenkins, Program Manager, U.S. Department of Transportation, (202) 366-0271, for questions on the docket.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Public Participation and Request for Comments**

We encourage you to participate in this request for comment by submitting comments and related materials. We will post all comments received, without change, to <http://dms.dot.gov>, and they will include any personal information you have provided. We have an agreement with DOT to use the Docket Management Facility. Please see DOT's paragraph on the "Privacy Act" below.

**Submitting comments:** If you submit a comment, please include your name and address, identify the docket number for this request for comment [USCG-2003-16251], indicate the specific section of this document to which each comment applies, and give the reason for each comment. You may submit your comments and material by electronic means, mail, fax, or delivery to the Docket Management Facility at the address under **ADDRESSES**; but please submit your comments and material by only one means. If you submit them by mail or delivery, submit them in an unbound format, no larger than 8½ by 11 inches, suitable for copying and electronic filing. If you submit them by mail and would like to know that they reached the Facility, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed postcard or envelope. We will consider all comments and material received during the comment period. They may lead us to change the estimated "information" burden.

**Viewing comments and documents:** To view comments, as well as documents mentioned in this preamble as being available in the docket, go to <http://dms.dot.gov> at any time and conduct a simple search using the docket number. You may also visit the Docket Management Facility in room PL-401 on the Plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**Privacy Act:** Anyone can search the electronic form of all comments

received into any of our dockets by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the comment, if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). You may review the Privacy Act Statement of DOT in the **Federal Register** published on April 11, 2000 [65 FR 19477], or you may visit <http://dms.dot.gov>.

**Request for Comments**

The Coast Guard encourages interested persons to submit comments. Persons submitting comments should include their names and addresses, identify this document [USCG 2003-16251], and give the reasons for the comments. Please submit all comments and attachments in an unbound format no larger than 8½ by 11 inches, suitable for copying and electronic filing. Persons wanting acknowledgment of receipt of comments should enclose stamped self-addressed postcards or envelopes.

**Information Collection Request**

**Title:** Great Lakes Pilotage.

**OMB Control Number:** 1625-0086.

**Summary:** The Great Lakes Pilotage Act of 1960 authorizes the Director to prescribe a uniform system of accounts and to perform audits and inspections of associations of pilots on the Great Lakes. The specific information sought from respondents is that discussed in 33 CFR Parts 404-407.

**Need:** The Director of the Office of Great Lakes Pilotage uses the information collected by the Office to carry out financial oversight of the associations and to set rates for pilotage.

**Respondents:** Associations of pilots on the Great Lakes.

**Frequency:** Monthly.

**Burden:** The estimated burden is 18 hours a year.

Dated: September 30, 2003.

**Clifford I. Pearson,**

*Director of Information and Technology.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

**[Docket No. FR-4817-N-17]**

**Notice of Proposed Information Collection for Public Comment—HOPE VI Grant Program**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below

will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** *Comments Due Date:* December 15, 2003.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control number and should be sent to: Mildred M. Hamman, Reports Liaison Officer, Public and Indian Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, Room 4249, Washington, DC 20410-5000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mildred M. Hamman, (202) 708-0614, extension 4128. (This is not a toll-free number).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department will submit the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) 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; (2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

The HOPE VI forms are used by the Department to collect information from Public Housing Agencies (PHAs) as part of the HOPE VI grant the application process.

There are several forms used by the Department, each of which serve a different information collection purpose. The title, purpose, and estimated time it will take applicants to complete each form is described in the section below.

This Notice also lists the following information:

**Title of Proposal:** Information Collection for the HOPE VI Grant Program.

**OMB Control Number:** 2577-0208.