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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Proposed Information Collection Activity; Comment Request

Proposed projects:

Title: Order to Withhold Income for Child Support Notice of an Order to Withhold Income for Child Support.
OMB No.: 0970-0154.

Description: Pub. L. 104-193, the Personal Responsibility and Work

Opportunity Reconciliation Act (PRWORA) of 1996, section 234 requires the Federal Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE) to develop a standardized form to collect child support payments from an obligor's employer.

The form, which promotes standardization, is used for IV-D and non-IV-D cases that require income withholding. We are revising the form to make it more universal for tribal governments and other users. This 2-page form provides a detailed legal description of established child support orders, support amounts, and remittance information that an employer needs to withhold payments from an obligor who owes child support.

Respondents: 54.

Annual Burden Estimates:

Instrument	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per responses	Total burden hours
Order and Notice of an Order to Withhold Income for Child Support	54	216,100	.084	980,230

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 980,230.

In compliance with the requirements of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Administration for Children and Families is soliciting public comment on the specific aspects of the information collection described above. Copies of the proposed collection of information can be obtained and comments may be forwarded by writing to the Administration for Children and Families, Office of Administration, Office of Information Services, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW., Washington, DC 20447, Attn: ACF Reports Clearance Officer. E-mail address: rsargis@act.hhs.gov. All requests should be identified by the title of the information collection.

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[Program Announcement No. ACYF-PA-CCB-2003-01]

Early Learning Opportunities Act Discretionary Grants

AGENCY: Administration on Children, Youth and Families (ACYF), ACF, DHHS.

ACTION: Announcement of the availability of competitive grants to Local Councils.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this program announcement is to announce the availability of Fiscal Year 2003 Discretionary Funds, authorized by Congress under the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2003 (Pub. L. 108-7), for Early Learning Opportunities Act (ELOA) (Pub. L. 106-554) competitive discretionary grants to Local Councils.

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number is 93.577.

DATES: The closing date for submission of applications is August 6, 2003. Mailed applications postmarked after the closing date will be classified as late and therefore will not be eligible for competition.

Deadline: Mailed applications shall be considered as meeting an announced deadline if they are sent on or before the deadline date and received by ACF in time for the independent review.

Applications must be sent to: Educational Services, Inc., Attn: ACYF Operations Center, Child Care Bureau Program Announcement No. ACYF-PA-CCB-2003-01, 1150 Connecticut Avenue, NW., Suite 1100, Washington, DC 20036, Telephone: 1-800-351-2293.

Applicants must ensure that a legibly dated U.S. Postal Service postmark or a legibly dated, machine-produced postmark of a commercial mail service is affixed to the envelope/package containing the application(s). To be acceptable as a proof of timely mailing, a postmark from a commercial mail service must include the logo/emblem of the commercial mail service company and must reflect the date the package was received by the commercial mail service company from the applicant. Private metered postmarks will not be acceptable as proof of timely mailing. (Applicants are cautioned that express/overnight mail services do not always deliver as agreed.)