

agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35). Currently, the FDIC is soliciting comments concerning the following collections of information titled: (1) Notification of Performance of Bank Services; and (2) Prompt Corrective Action.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before July 5, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties are invited to submit written comments to Tamara R. Manly, Management Analyst (Regulatory Analysis), (202) 898-7453, Office of the Executive Secretary, Room F-4058, Attention: Comments/OES, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, 550 17th Street NW., Washington, DC 20429. All comments should refer to the OMB control number. Comments may be hand-delivered to the guard station at the rear of the 17th Street Building (located on F Street), on business days between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. [FAX number (202) 898-3838; Internet address: comments@fdic.gov].

A copy of the comments may also be submitted to the OMB desk officer for the FDIC: Alexander Hunt, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 3208, Washington, DC 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tamara R. Manly, at the address identified above.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Proposal to renew the following currently approved collections of information:

1. *Title:* Notification of Performance of Bank Services.

OMB Number: 3064-0029.

Form Number: FDIC 6120/06.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Affected Public: Business or other financial institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 412.

Estimated Time per Response: 1/2 hour.

Total Annual Burden: 206 hours.

General Description of Collection: Insured state nonmember banks are required to notify the FDIC, under section 7 of the Bank Service Corporation Act (12 U.S.C. 1867), of the relationship with a bank service corporation. Form FDIC 6120/06 (Notification of Performance of Bank Services) may be used by banks to satisfy the notification requirement.

2. *Title:* Prompt Corrective Action.

OMB Number: 3064-0115.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Affected Public: All financial institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 10.

Estimated Time per Response: 4 hours.

Total Annual Burden: 40 hours.

General Description of Collection: The prompt corrective action provisions of FDICIA require or permit the FDIC and other federal financial regulators to take certain supervisory actions when FDIC-insured institutions fall within one of five categories. The collection consists of applications required to obtain FDIC exceptions to otherwise restricted activities.

Request for Comment

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the FDIC's functions, including whether the information has practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the estimates of the burden of the information collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (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.

At the end of the comment period, the comments and recommendations received will be analyzed to determine the extent to which the collection should be modified prior to submission to OMB for review and approval. Comments submitted in response to this notice also will be summarized or included in the FDIC's requests to OMB for renewal of these collections. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Dated at Washington, DC, this 30th day of April, 2002.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Robert E. Feldman,

Executive Secretary.

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-1407-DR]

Kentucky; Amendment No. 2 to Notice of a Major Disaster Declaration

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the notice of a major disaster declaration for the

Commonwealth of Kentucky, (FEMA-1407-DR), dated April 4, 2002, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 26, 2002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Madge Dale, Readiness, Response and Recovery and Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-2705 or madge.dale@fema.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of a major disaster declaration for the Commonwealth of Kentucky is hereby amended to include the following areas among those areas determined to have been adversely affected by the catastrophe declared a major disaster by the President in his declaration of April 4, 2002:

Floyd, Martin, and Pike Counties for Individual Assistance.

Johnson, Knott, and Magoffin Counties for Individual Assistance (already designated for Public Assistance).

(The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing Program; 83.548, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program)

Joe M. Allbaugh,

Director.

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-1408-DR]

Tennessee; Amendment No. 3 to Notice of a Major Disaster Declaration

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the notice of a major disaster declaration for the State of Tennessee, (FEMA-1408-DR), dated April 5, 2002, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 23, 2002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Madge Dale, Readiness, Response and Recovery and Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-2705 or madge.dale@fema.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of a major disaster declaration for the

State of Tennessee is hereby amended to include the following area among those areas determined to have been adversely affected by the catastrophe declared a major disaster by the President in his declaration of April 5, 2002:

Anderson County for Public Assistance. (The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing Program; 83.548, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program)

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Director.

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

Radiological Emergency Preparedness: Exercise Credit

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice with request for comments.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Radiological Emergency Preparedness (REP) Program Strategic Review initiative 1.6, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) is proposing to implement a policy for granting REP exercise credit to offsite response organizations (ORO) for participation in an actual incident or in a non-REP exercise. The subject notice contains the activities eligible for consideration for credit, guidelines for submitting a request, and documentation required.

DATES: FEMA must receive comments on or before July 5, 2002.

ADDRESSES: You may submit your comments to the Rules Docket Clerk, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., room 840, Washington, DC 20472, or send them by e-mail to rules@fema.gov. Please reference "REP Exercise Credit" in the subject line of your e-mail or comment letter.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Vanessa E. Quinn, Chief, Radiological Emergency Preparedness Branch, Technological Services Division, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20472; (202) 646-3664; vanessa.quinn@fema.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to the REP Program Strategic Review initiative 1.6, FEMA is proposing to implement a policy for granting REP exercise credit to offsite response organizations for participation in an actual incident or in a non-REP exercise. The subject notice contains the activities eligible for consideration for credit, guidelines for submitting a request, and documentation required.

Background

A radiological emergency response plan is developed and exercised in order to have reasonable assurance that adequate protective measures can be taken in the event of a radiological emergency. FEMA evaluates the exercises to ensure that the OROs have the capability to respond to a radiological emergency. An ORO's response to man-made or natural events or participation in a non-REP exercise may also test all or part of the plan. For those areas that were tested, it may be appropriate to give credit in place of certain aspects of an evaluated REP exercise.

Credit for Responding to an Actual Emergency

When an ORO responds to an actual incident involving radioactive materials, FEMA can consider granting exercise credit for such response activities as environmental monitoring; monitoring for contamination of persons and equipment and/or other activities, if these activities were successfully performed according to the applicable plan and procedures. FEMA may also consider granting credit for generic response activities, such as mobilization of personnel and facilities,¹ for those OROs affected by an actual radiological incident.

When an ORO responds to an actual incident that does not involve radioactive materials, the ORO may qualify for credit for generic response functions and activities, such as mobilization, facilities¹, communications equipment, and congregate care. The Credit columns in Table 1, Federal Evaluation Process Matrix, indicate which functions and activities may be considered for the granting of exercise credit for response to a radiological or a non-radiological emergency.

When requesting exercise credit for a response to an actual emergency, an ORO should ensure that the response included the following four elements:

- A prompt and timely mobilization of key State and local government staff and providers responsible for REP emergency functions;
 - An actual reporting of the key REP staff who, in accordance with the plans, would report to the facility;
 - Activation of the facility(ies) of the responding jurisdiction(s); and
 - Establishment of communication links among responding organizations.
- The ORO should then provide the following documentation to FEMA:
1. Type and nature of the emergency;
 2. Timeline, to include time of response and time State and local REP staff arrived at the facility;
 3. Sign in-out sheet with name, function, date and time;
 4. List of involved REP personnel and organizations and their connection to a REP response;
 5. Communications log showing the establishment of communication links with other organizations;
 6. List of involved jurisdictions;
 7. Emergency decisions made and implemented;
 8. Resources (facilities, equipment, etc.) used; and
 9. List of corrective actions or improvement items identified in the after-action report.

Credit for Participating in Preparedness Exercises Other Than REP

ORO(s) may request REP exercise credit for demonstrating preparedness capabilities in FEMA exercises other than REP. These capabilities could include congregate care, facilities,¹ and/or other activities performed in the exercise. The Credit columns in the attached Table 1 indicate which functions and activities may be considered for the granting of exercise credit for participation in an exercise other than REP when the exercise has a radiological component or when the exercise does not have a radiological component.

ORO credit requests for participating in non-REP exercises must specify the exercise and document the ORO's participation, including the activities it performed and a list of corrective actions or improvement items identified in the exercise after-action report. If credit is granted, the ORO must also include its exercise participation in the Annual Letter of Certification.

Process

An ORO submits its application for credit to the appropriate FEMA Region.

¹ FEMA will evaluate all facilities, as a baseline, during the first exercise under the new Evaluation Criteria. Therefore, FEMA will not grant exercise credit for facilities for the first exercise using the new Evaluation Criteria.

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