Note: The burden figures shown in the table above are estimates based on the surveys that the USPTO may conduct during the next three years. At this time, the USPTO cannot predict which or how many surveys will be conducted. Depending on the number of surveys that the USPTO actually conducts, it is possible that the burden hours could decrease or even increase from the totals shown in the table.

Estimated Total Annual Non-hour Respondent Cost Burden: \$0. (There are no capital start-up or maintenance costs associated with this information collection.) Although the USPTO conducts mail surveys, self-addressed and stamped envelopes are provided with them. Respondents incur no postage costs resulting from these surveys.

## **IV. Request for Comments**

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, e.g., the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: January 10, 2006.

### Susan K. Brown,

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# COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

## **Sunshine Act Meetings**

TIME AND DATE: 11 a.m., Friday, February 3, 2006.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., NW., Washington, DC, 9th Floor Commission Conference Room.

STATUS: Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Surveillance matters.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Jean A. Webb, 202–418–5100.

### Jean A. Webb,

Secretary of the Commission.
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# COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

## **Sunshine Act Meetings**

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## COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

## **Sunshine Act Meetings**

**TIME AND DATE:** 11 a.m., Friday, February 17, 2006.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., NW., Washington, DC, 9th Floor Commission Conference Room.

STATUS: Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Surveillance matters.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Jean A. Webb, 202–418–5100.

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Secretary of the Commission.
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## COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING

## Sunshine Act Meetings

TIME AND DATE: 11 a.m., Friday, February 24, 2006.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., NW., Washington, DC, 9th Floor Commission Conference Room.

STATUS: Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Surveillance matters.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Jean A. Webb, 202–418–5100.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

# **Defense Acquisition Regulations System**

[OMB Control Number 0704-0250]

Information Collection Requirement; Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Contract Administration

**AGENCY:** Defense Acquisition Regulations System, Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments regarding a proposed extension of an approved information collection requirement.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), DoD announces the proposed extension of a public information collection requirement and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. DoD invites comments on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of DoD, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (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 the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has approved this information collection for use through February 28, 2006. DoD proposes that OMB extend its approval for use for 3 additional years.

**DATES:** DoD will consider all comments received by March 20, 2006.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by OMB Control Number 0704–0250, using any of the following methods:

- Federal eRulemaking Portal: http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
- E-mail: dfars@osd.mil. Include OMB Control Number 0704–0250 in the subject line of the message.
  - Fax: (703) 602-0350.