

at a time when it can meaningfully consider them and respond to them in the final environmental impact statement.

To assist the Forest Service in identifying and considering issues and concerns regarding the proposed action, comments should be as specific as possible. Reviewers may wish to refer to the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for implementing the procedural provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act at 40 CFR 1503.3 in addressing these points.

Comments received in response to this solicitation, including names and addresses of those who comment, will be considered part of the public record and available for public inspection. Comments submitted anonymously will be accepted and considered; however, those who submit anonymous comments may not have standing to appeal the subsequent decision under 36 CFR part 215.

Additionally, pursuant to 7 CFR 1.27(d), any person may request the agency to withhold a submission from the public record by showing how the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) permits such confidentiality. Persons requesting such confidentiality should be aware that, under the FOIA, confidentiality may be granted in only very limited circumstances, such as to protect trade secrets. The Forest Service will inform the requester of the agency's decision regarding the request for confidentiality, and where the request is denied, the agency will return the submission and notify the requester that the comments may be resubmitted with or without name and address within a specified number of days.

The Forest Service is the lead agency for the preparation of the Environmental Impact Statement. The Responsible Official for this environmental analysis is Leonard Atencio, Forest Supervisor, Santa Fe National Forest.

Dated: July 5, 2000.

Leonard Atencio,

Forest Supervisor, Santa Fe National Forest.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: U.S. Census Bureau.
Title: Current Industrial Reports Program—Wave I (Voluntary).
Form Number(s): M336L, MQ325B, MQ327D, MQ332E.

Agency Approval Number: 0607-0393.

Type of Request: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Burden: 2,092 hours.

Number of Respondents: 1,006.

Avg Hours Per Response: 2.08 hours over all forms in this request.

Needs and Uses: The Current Industrial Reports (CIR) program is a series of monthly, quarterly, and annual surveys which provide key measures of production, shipments, and/or inventories on a national basis for selected manufactured products. Government agencies, business firms, trade associations, and private research and consulting organizations use these data to make trade policy, production, and investment decisions.

For clearance purposes, the surveys are divided into "waves." Each wave has an associated voluntary and mandatory clearance package, making 6 separate clearances. Each year, one wave (2 clearance packages) is submitted for review. Some voluntary CIR surveys have annual "counterparts" which collect data on a mandatory basis from firms that do not participate in the more frequent voluntary collection. This clearance contains counterpart collections.

In this request, we are seeking a 3-year extension of the current clearance.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit organizations.

Frequency: This request contains monthly, quarterly, and annual collections.

Respondent's Obligation: Monthly and quarterly forms are Voluntary; Annual counterpart collections are mandatory.

Legal Authority: Title 13 USC, Sections 182, 224, and 225.

OMB Desk Officer: Susan Schechter, (202) 395-5103.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, Room 6068, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at LEngelme@doc.gov).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Susan Schechter, OMB Desk Officer, room 10201, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: July 11, 2000.

Madeleine Clayton,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: U.S. Census Bureau.

Title: Current Industrial Reports Program—Wave I (Mandatory).

Form Number(s): M311H, M311M, M311N, MA325F, MA327C, MA331A, MA331B, MA331E, MA332Q, MA333A, MA333M, MA334B, MA334R, MA335A, MA335F, MA335H, MA335K.

Agency Approval Number: 0607-0392.

Type of Request: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Burden: 12,825 hours.

Number of Respondents: 10,275.

Avg Hours Per Response: 1.25 hours over all forms in this request.

Needs and Uses: The Current Industrial Reports (CIR) program is a series of monthly, quarterly, and annual surveys which provide key measures of production, shipments, and/or inventories on a national basis for selected manufactured products. Government agencies, business firms, trade associations, and private research and consulting organizations use these data to make trade policy, production, and investment decisions.

For clearance purposes, the surveys are divided into "waves." Each wave has an associated voluntary and mandatory clearance package, making 6 separate clearances. Each year, one wave (2 clearance packages) is submitted for OMB review.

In this request, we are seeking a 3-year extension of the clearance and we are discontinuing MA332K, "Steel Shipping Drums and Pails," due to budgetary reductions.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit organizations.

Frequency: This request contains both monthly and annual collections.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.

Legal Authority: Title 13 U.S.C., Sections 61, 182, 224, and 225.

OMB Desk Officer: Susan Schechter, (202) 395-5103.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by