

available upon request. There are no changes to the Diary Survey for 2007.

### III. Desired Focus of Comments

The Bureau of Labor Statistics is particularly interested in comments that:

- 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.

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.

- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other

technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Agency:* Bureau of Labor Statistics.

*Title:* The Consumer Expenditure Surveys: The Quarterly Interview and the Diary.

*OMB Number:* 1220-0050.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

Form	Total respondents	Frequency	Total responses	Average time per response	Estimated total burden
CE Quarterly Interview CAPI Instrument .....	8,825	4	35,300	65	38,242
CE Quarterly Interview Reinterview CAPI Instrument .....	4,000	1	4,000	10	667
CE Diary: Household Questionnaire CAPI Instrument .....	7,050	3	21,150	25	8,813
CE: Diary CE-801, Record of Your Daily Expenses .....	7,050	2	14,100	105	24,675
CE Diary Reinterview CAPI Instrument .....	1,300	1	1,300	10	217
<b>Totals .....</b>			<b>75,850</b>		<b>72,614</b>

*Total Burden Cost (capital/startup):* \$0.

*Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance):* \$0.

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

Signed at Washington, DC, this 15th day of September 2006.

**Kimberley Hill,**

*Acting Chief, Division of Management Systems, Bureau of Labor Statistics.*

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*Minutes:* May be obtained from the contact person listed above.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice, recommendations, and oversight concerning support for environmental research and education.

*Agenda:* October 18—Update on recent NSF environmental activities, Planning for Diversity Workshop, Update on the social and human impact of NEON, Update on NSF Plans for Water Research, AC-ERE task group meetings, Presentation on the NAS International Human Dimensions of Global Change committee.

October 19—AC-ERE task group reports, Discussion of Biological Sciences Themes in Environmental Research and Education, Update on Cyberinfrastructure for Observing Systems, International Polar Year Update, Meeting with the Director (or Representative).

Dated: September 19, 2006.

**Susanne Bolton,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Advisory Committee for Environmental Research and Education; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

*Name:* Advisory Committee for Environmental Research and Education (9487).

*Dates:* October 18, 2006, 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m. and October 19, 2006, 8:30 a.m.–3 p.m.

*Place:* Stafford II, Room 555, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, Virginia 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Open.

*Contact Person:* Alan Tessier, National Science Foundation, Suite, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, Virginia 22230. Phone 703-292-7198.

## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

*Name:* Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering (1173).

*Dates/Time:* October 17, 2006, 8:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m. and October 18, 2006, 8:30 a.m.–2 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 375, Arlington, VA 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Open.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Margaret E.M. Tolbert, Senior Advisor and Executive Liaison, CEOSE, Office of Integrative Activities, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-8040. [mtolbert@nsf.gov](mailto:mtolbert@nsf.gov).

*Minutes:* May be obtained from the Executive Liaison at the above address.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning broadening participation in science and engineering.

*Agenda*

Tuesday, October 17, 2006

Welcome and Opening Statement by the CEOSE Chair.

Introduction of New CEOSE Members.

Reports by CEOSE Liaisons to NSF Advisory Committees and Discussion of Key Points.

Discussion: Representatives of Several Federal Agencies to Participate in a Discussion of Broadening Participation Programs and Activities at Their Agencies.

Interaction with an NSF Senior Manager.

Subcommittee Report on Institutional Transformation and Discussion of Plans for a Future Mini-Symposium on That Topic.

Wednesday, October 18, 2006

Opening Statement by the CEOSE Chair.

Reports by Subcommittee Chairs and Discussions Continued: Community Colleges, Communications, Evaluation and Accountability, and Preparation of the 2006 CEOSE Biennial Report to Congress.

Completion of Unfinished Business: Refining Potential Recommendations to NSF and Action Items.