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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Notice of Public Information Collections Being Reviewed by the U.S. Agency for International Development; Comments Requested

SUMMARY: U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) is making efforts to reduce the paperwork burden. USAID invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act for 1995. Comments are requested concerning: (a) Whether the proposed or continuing collections of information are necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the burden estimates; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Submit comments on or before September 25, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beverly Johnson, Bureau for Management, Office of Administrative Services, Information and Records Division, U.S. Agency for International Development, Room 2.07-106, RRB, Washington, DC, 20523, (202) 712-1365 or via e-mail bjohnson@usaid.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB No: OMB 0412-.

Form No.: AID 1558-3.

Title: Financial Report of All Expenditures (FRAE).

Type of Review: New Information Collection.

Purpose: The purpose of this information collection is to collect data

on liquidated cost sharing funds on a quarterly basis and to assure that recipients abide by agreed conditions of the award. This collection is needed to assure that grant recipients participate in negotiated USAID/BHR/ASHA grant financed projects by providing additional funds from sources other than U.S. federal monies.

Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 196.

Total annual responses: 380.

Total annual hours requested: 380 hours.

Dated: July 13, 2001.

Joanne Paskar,

Chief, Information and Records Division,
Office of Administrative Services, Bureau for Management.

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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Notice of Public Information Collection Requirements Submitted to OMB for Review

SUMMARY: U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) has submitted the following information collections to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received within 30 days of this notification. Comments should be addressed to: Desk Officer for USAID, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Washington, DC 20503. Copies of submission may be obtained by calling (202) 712-1365.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Number: OMB 0412-0520.

Form Number: AID 1420-17.

Title: Contractor Employee Biographical Data Sheet.

Type of Submission: Renewal of Information Collection.

Purpose: USAID is authorized to make contracts with any corporation, international organization, or other body of persons in or outside of the United States in furtherance of the purposes and within limitations of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA). The information collections requirements placed on the public are published in 48 CFR chapter

7, and include such items as the contractor Employee Biographical Data sheet and Performance and Progress Reports (AIDAR 752.7026). These are all USAID unique procurement requirements. The pre-award requirements are based on a need for prudent management in the determination that an offeror either has or can obtain the ability to competently manage development assistance programs utilizing public funds. The requirements for information collection requirements during the post-award period are based on the need to administer public funds prudently.

Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 3,679.

Total annual responses: 51,605.

Total annual hours requested: 73,855 hours.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Number: OMB 0412-0542.

Form Number: AID 1558-2.

Title: Request for Advance or Reimbursement.

Type of Submission: Renewal of Information Collection.

Purpose: The purpose of this information collection is to assure that American Schools and Hospitals Abroad (ASHA) grant recipients are permitted to obtain advances or reimbursements for expenditures that are authorized by the grant agreement. The information is used by (a) ASHA to monitor grant implementation relative to financial matters, (b) the office of Financial Management (FM) to track disbursements and expenditures, and (c) the Department of the Treasury to effect payments.

Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 70.
Total annual response: 400.
Total annual hours requested: 17,866 hours.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Number: OMB 0412-0543.
Form Number: AID 1558-1 and AID 1558-1A.

Title: Financial Status Report (Form 268 and 269 Worksheet).

Type of Submission: Renewal of Information Collection.

Purpose: The purpose of this information collection is to assure that ASHA grant recipients are accountable for expenditures incurred under the grant agreement for only those items authorized by the agreement. The information is used by ASHA to monitor the expenditures under each authorized

line item and calculate the monetary gain or loss realized during the life of the grant.

Annual Reporting Burden:

Respondents: 70.

Total annual response: 400.

Total annual hours requested: 50,296 hours.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Number: OMB 0412-0554.

Form Number: None.

Title: Training Results and Information Network (TraiNet).

Type of Submission: Renewal of Information Collection.

Purpose: The purpose of this information collection is to enable the planning and reporting of information on all USAID training activities, including in-country training. Data collected by USAID and/or its partners via TraiNet includes measures of results and performance monitoring, training participant and program identification, and costs and cost-sharing.

Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 374.

Total annual responses: 15,720.

Total annual hours requested: 2,620 hours.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

[Docket No. 98-085-6]

Aquaculture; Public Meetings

AGENCY: Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: We are issuing this notice to inform the aquaculture industries, interested parties, and the general public that three public meetings will be held to discuss how and to what extent the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service should regulate aquatic species and to discuss any other issues concerning possible regulation of aquaculture by the Agency.

DATES: The public meetings will be held on Wednesday, September 19, 2001, from 3:30 p.m. to 6 p.m.; on Tuesday, October 9, 2001, from 9 a.m. to noon; and on Wednesday, October 10, 2001, from 2:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The public meeting on September 19, 2001, will be held in the Harbor Room of the Silverdale Hotel on the Bay, 3073 NW Bucklin Hill Road, Silverdale, WA, in conjunction with the joint meeting of the Pacific Coast Shellfish Growers Association and the National Shellfish Association/Pacific Coast Section Conference.

The public meeting on October 9, 2001, will be held in the Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex Building, 2301 North Cameron Street, Harrisburg, PA, in conjunction with the fall meeting of the Pennsylvania Aquaculture Advisory Committee and the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Aquaculture Association.

The public meeting on October 10, 2001, will be held in the Main Building Meeting Room of the Mississippi Agricultural and Forestry Museum, 1150 Lakeland Drive, Jackson, MS, in conjunction with the annual Board meeting of the Catfish Farmers of America.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information about APHIS public meetings, contact Dr. Otis Miller, Jr., National Aquaculture Coordinator, Center for Planning, Certification, and