

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Drug Enforcement Administration

Importer of Controlled Substances;
Notice of Registration

By Notice dated August 14, 2000, and published in the **Federal Register** on August 23, 2000, (65 FR 51332), Roxane Laboratories, Inc., 1809 Wilson Road, P.O. Box 16532, Columbus, Ohio 43216-6532, made application by renewal to the Drug Enforcement Administration to be registered as an importer of cocaine (9041), a basic class of controlled substance listed in Schedule II.

The firm plans to import cocaine to manufacture topical solutions for distribution to customers.

No comments or objections have been received. DEA has considered the factors in Title 21, United States Code, Section 823(a) and determined that the registration of Roxane Laboratories, Inc. to import cocaine is consistent with the public interest and with United States obligations under international treaties, conventions, or protocols in effect on May 1, 1971, at this time. DEA has investigated Roxane Laboratories, Inc. on a regular basis to ensure that the company's continued registration is consistent with the public interest. These investigations have included inspection and testing of the company's physical security systems, audits of the company's records, verification of the company's compliance with state and local laws, and a review of the company's background and history. Therefore, pursuant to Section 1008(a) of the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act and in accordance with Title 21, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1301.34, the above firm is granted registration as an importer of the basic class of controlled substance listed above.

Dated: December 11, 2000.

John H. King,

Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review;
Comment Request

January 2, 2001.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection requests (ICRs) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). A copy of each individual ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of Labor. To obtain documentation for BLS, ETA, PWBA, and OASAM contact Karin Kurz ({202} 693-4127 or by E-mail to Kurz-Karin@dol.gov). To obtain documentation for ESA, MSHA, OSHA, and VETS contact Darrin King ({202} 693-4129 or by E-Mail to King-Darrin@dol.gov).

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for BLS, DM, ESA, ETA, MSHA, OSHA, PWBA, or VETS, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 ({202} 395-7316), on or before February 9, 2001.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- 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; and

- 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 submission of responses.

Type of Review: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: Benefit Accuracy Measurement.

OMB Number: 1205-0245.

Affected Public: State, Local, or Tribal Govt.; Federal Government; Individuals or households; Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; Farms.

Number of Respondents: 52.

Total Number of Responses: 47,160.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 4,917 Hours.

Total Burden Hours: 255,694.

Total annualized capital/startup costs: \$336,300.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): \$106,000.

Description: The Department of Labor requests approval to revise the Benefit Accuracy Measurement (BAM) program (formerly known as Benefits Quality Control or BQC) to (1) measure the accuracy of denied claims for Unemployment Compensation (UC) as part of the existing BAM program, which currently includes only paid UC claims; and (2) include interstate claims in the BAM samples of paid claims.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: Unemployment Compensation for Former Federal Employees Handbook No. 391.

OMB Number: 1205-0179.

Affected Public: State, Local, and Tribal Govt.; Federal Government; Individuals or households.

Form No.	Number of respondents	Frequency	Total responses	Average minutes per response	Est. total burden hours
ETA-931	78,000	On Occasion	78,000	.05	65
ETA-931A	19,500	On Occasion	19,500	.05	16
ETA-933	78,000	On Occasion	78,000	.05	104
ETA-934	3,760	On Occasion	3,760	.05	3
ETA-935	20,680	On Occasion	20,680	.05	17
ETA-936	9,400	On Occasion	9,400	.05	8
ETA-939	75	On Occasion	75	1.75	2

Form No.	Number of respondents	Frequency	Total responses	Average minutes per response	Est. total burden hours
ETA-8-32	53	Twice	106	.08	.14
Total	209,468		209,521	.10	216

Total annualized capital/startup costs: \$0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): \$0.

Description: Federal law (U.S.C. 8501-8509) provides unemployment insurance protection to former or partially unemployed Federal civilian employees. The forms continued throughout the Handbook are used in conjunction with the provision of this benefit assistance.

Ira L. Mills,

Departmental Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Proposed Information Collection Request Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations; State Alien Labor Certification Activity Report

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95), 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Employment and Training Administration is soliciting comments concerning the proposed extension to the collection of information on the State Alien Labor Certification Activity Report. A copy of the proposed

information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below on or before March 12, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Comments and questions regarding the collection of information on Form ETA 9037, State Alien Labor Certification Activity Report, should be directed to Dale M. Ziegler, Chief, Division of Foreign Labor Certifications, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Room C-4318, Washington, DC 20210 ((202) 693-3010 (this is not a toll-free number)).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

Alien labor certification programs administered by the Employment and Training Administration (ETA) of the Department of Labor (DOL or Department) require State Employment Security Agencies (SESAs) to initially process applications for permanent and temporary labor certifications filed by U.S. employers on behalf of alien workers seeking to be employed in the U.S. SESAs are also responsible for issuing prevailing wage determinations, reviewing employer-provided wage surveys or other source data, conducting housing inspections of facilities offered to migrant and seasonal workers, and conducting and monitoring recruitment activities seeking qualified U.S. workers for the jobs employers are attempting to fill with foreign workers. The SESAs perform these functions under a reimbursable grant that is awarded annually. The information pertaining to these functions is collected on the Form ETA 9037 and will be used by Departmental staff to manage alien labor certification programs in the SESAs. The Department will be able to monitor the number of applications that the State has received, processed, and forwarded to ETA Regional offices, and the number of prevailing wage determinations issued to employers under the permanent and temporary labor certification programs, as well as the H-1B program for nonimmigrant

professionals in specialty occupations. The information on workload will be used for formulating budget estimates for both State and Federal workloads, and for monitoring a State's performance against the Grant Statement of Work and Work Plan. Without such information, the budget workload figures will be estimates and the allocation of funding to the SESAs will not reflect the true workload in a State.

II. Review Focus

The Department of Labor is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection 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; and
- 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 collections techniques or other forms of information, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

III. Current Actions

In order for the Department to meet its statutory responsibilities under the INA there is a need for an extension of an existing collection of information pertaining to the State Alien Labor Certification Activity Report.

Type of Review: Extension.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: State Alien Labor Certification Activity Report.

OMB Number: 1205-0319.

Agency Number: Form ETA 9037.

Recordkeeping: Semi-Annually.

Affected Public: State governments.

Total Responses: 108.

Average Time Per Response: 2 hours.