

regulations and requirements associated with the entry process.

After an initial six-month period (or at such earlier time as CBP deems appropriate), a test participant may be subject to discontinuance from participation in this test for any of the following repeated actions:

- Failure to follow the terms and conditions of this test;
- Failure to exercise due diligence in the execution of participant obligations;
- Failure to abide by applicable laws and regulations that have not been waived; or
- Failure to deposit duties or fees in a timely manner.

If the Director, Interagency Collaboration Division (ICD), Trade Policy and Programs (TPP), Office of Trade (OT), finds that there is a basis to discontinue a participant's participation in the test, then CBP will provide written notice, via email, proposing the discontinuance with a description of the facts or conduct supporting the proposal. The test participant will be offered the opportunity to respond to the Director's proposal in writing within 10 business days of the date of the written notice. The response must be submitted to the ICD Director, TPP, OT, by emailing [GBI@cbp.dhs.gov](mailto:GBI@cbp.dhs.gov), with a subject line reading "Appeal—GBI Discontinuance."

The Director, ICD, will issue a final decision in writing on the proposed action within 30 business days after receiving a timely filed response from the test participant, unless such time is extended for good cause. If no timely response is received, the proposed notice becomes the final decision of CBP as of the date that the response period expires. A proposed discontinuance of a test participant's privileges will not take effect unless the response process under this paragraph has been concluded with a written decision that is adverse to the test participant, which will be provided via email.

#### *J. Confidentiality*

Data submitted and entered into ACE may include confidential commercial or financial information which may be protected under the Trade Secrets Act (18 U.S.C. 1905), the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552), and the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a). However, as stated in previous notices, participation in this or any of the previous ACE tests is not confidential and, therefore, upon receipt of a written Freedom of Information Act request, the name(s) of an approved participant(s) will be disclosed by CBP in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552.

#### **IV. Comments on the Test**

All interested parties are invited to comment on any aspect of this test at any time. CBP requests comments and feedback on all aspects of this test, including the design, conduct and implementation of the test, in order to determine whether to modify, alter, expand, limit, continue, end, or fully implement this program. Comments should be submitted via email to [GBI@cbp.dhs.gov](mailto:GBI@cbp.dhs.gov), with the subject line reading "Comments/Questions on GBI EPoC."

#### **V. Paperwork Reduction Act**

The Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3507(d)) requires that CBP consider the impact of paperwork and other information collection burdens imposed on the public. An agency may not conduct, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid control number assigned by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

The new GBI collection of information gathered under this test has been approved by OMB in accordance with the requirements of the PRA and assigned OMB control number 1651–0141. In addition, the Entry/Immediate Delivery Application and ACE Cargo Release (CBP Form 3461 and 3461 ALT) has been updated to accommodate the GBI test, and approved by OMB under OMB control number 1651–0024.

#### **VI. Evaluation Criteria**

The test is intended to evaluate the feasibility of replacing the current manufacturer or shipper identification code (MID) with unique entity identifiers (GBIs) to more accurately identify legal business entities, their different business locations and addresses, as well as their various functions and supply chain roles, based upon information derived from the unique D–U–N–S®, GLN, and LEI entity identifiers. The test will assist CBP in enforcing applicable laws and protecting the revenue, while fulfilling trade modernization efforts by assisting the agency in verifying the roles, functions and responsibilities that various entities play in a given participants' importation of merchandise. CBP's evaluation of the test, including the review of any comments submitted to CBP during the duration of the test, will be ongoing with a view to possible extension or expansion of the test.

CBP will evaluate whether the test: (1) improves foreign entity data for trade

facilitation, risk management, and statistical integrity; (2) ensures U.S. Government access to foreign entity data; (3) institutionalizes a global, managed identification system; (4) implements a cost-effective solution; (5) obtains stakeholder buy-in; and (6) facilitates legal compliance across the U.S. Government. At the conclusion of the test, an evaluation will be conducted to assess the efficacy of the information received throughout the course of the test. The final results of the evaluation will be published in the **Federal Register** as required by section 101.9(b)(2) of the CBP regulations (19 CFR 101.9(b)(2)).

Should the GBI EPoC be successful and ultimately be codified under the CBP regulations, CBP anticipates that this data would greatly enhance ongoing trade entity identification and resolution, reduce risk, and improve compliance operations. CBP would also anticipate greater supply chain visibility and verified, validated information on legal entities, which will support better decision-making during customs clearance processes.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

### **Federal Emergency Management Agency**

[Docket ID: FEMA–0022–0046; OMB No. 1660–0143]

### **Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Federal Emergency Management Agency Individual Assistance Customer Satisfaction Surveys**

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** 60-Day notice of revision and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public to take this opportunity to comment on an extension, with change, of a currently approved information collection. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice seeks comments concerning the collection of

Individual Assistance customer satisfaction survey responses and information for assessment and improvement of the delivery of disaster assistance to individuals and households.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before January 31, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** To avoid duplicate submissions to the docket, please submit comments at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) under Docket ID FEMA-0022-0046. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

All submissions received must include the agency name and Docket ID. Regardless of the method used for submitting comments or material, all submissions will be posted, without change, to the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov>, and will include any personal information you provide. Therefore, submitting this information makes it public. You may wish to read the Privacy and Security Notice that is available via a link on the homepage of [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Jason Salazar, Program Analyst, Recovery Directorate, FEMA at [Jason.Salazar@FEMA.dhs.gov](mailto:Jason.Salazar@FEMA.dhs.gov) or (940) 268-9245. You may contact the Information Management Division for copies of the proposed collection of information at email address: [FEMA-Information-Collections-Management@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:FEMA-Information-Collections-Management@fema.dhs.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This collection is in accordance with Executive Orders 12862, *Setting Customer Service Standards* (58 FR 48257, Sept. 11, 1993) and 13571, *Streamlining Service Delivery and Improving Customer Service* (76 FR 24339, May 2, 2011) requiring all Federal Agencies to survey customers to determine the kind and quality of services they want and their level of satisfaction with existing services. The Government Performance and Results Act (GPRA) of 1993 (Pub. L. 103-62, 107 Stat. 285) requires agencies to set missions and goals and measure performance against them and the GPRA Modernization Act of 2010 (Pub. L. 111-352, 31 U.S.C. 1116) requires quarterly performance assessments of government programs for the purposes of assessing agency performance and improvement. FEMA will fulfill these requirements by collecting customer satisfaction program information through surveys of the Recovery Directorate's external customers.

This is a request to reduce burden hours in order to comply with the

Department of Homeland Security's Paperwork Reduction Act Burden Reduction Initiative. Burden has been reduced in the following ways:

1. Corrected inaccurate burden per response for electronic survey forms. Original estimates were prior to implementation of electronic surveys. Completion times are faster than original estimates.
2. A higher percentage of respondents prefer email surveys in recent years, which are faster to complete than phone surveys.
3. The burden hours allocated to qualitative research have been reduced based on recent utilization.

No changes have been made to the currently approved survey forms. This collection was previously approved in July 2021.

**Collection of Information**

*Title:* Federal Emergency Management Agency Individual Assistance Customer Satisfaction.

*Type of Information Collection:* Extension, with change, of a currently approved information collection.

*OMB Number:* 1660-0143.

*FEMA Forms:* FEMA Form FF-104-FY-21-159 (formerly 519-0-36), Initial Survey—Phone; FEMA Form FF-104-FY-21-160 (formerly 519-0-37), Initial Survey—Electronic; FEMA Form FF-104-FY-21-161 (formerly 519-0-38), Contact Survey—Phone; FEMA Form FF-104-FY-21-162 (formerly 519-0-39), Contact Survey—Electronic; FEMA Form FF-104-FY-21-163 (formerly 519-0-40), Assessment Survey—Phone; FEMA Form FF-104-FY-21-164 (formerly 519-0-41), Assessment Survey—Electronic; Focus Groups; One-on-One Interviews.

*Abstract:* Federal Agencies are required to survey their customers to determine the kind and quality of services customers want and their level of satisfaction with those services. Analysis from the survey is used to measure whether FEMA is meeting its mission of being accessible, timely, and effective when it comes to meeting the needs of disaster survivors.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 38,200.

*Estimated Number of Responses:* 38,200.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 5,893.

*Estimated Total Annual Respondent Cost:* \$239,314.

*Estimated Respondents' Operation and Maintenance Costs:* \$0.

*Estimated Respondents' Capital and Start-Up Costs:* \$18,750.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost to the Federal Government:* \$1,936,402.

**Comments**

Comments may be submitted as indicated in the **ADDRESSES** caption above. Comments are solicited to (a) evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) 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; (c) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) 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.

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Fish and Wildlife Service**

[Docket No. FWS-HQ-IA-2022-0168; FXIA16710900000-223-FF09A30000]

**Marine Mammal Protection Act; Receipt of Permit Applications**

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of permit applications; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), invite the public to comment on species for which the Service has jurisdiction under the Marine Mammal Protection Act (MMPA). With some exceptions, the MMPA prohibits activities with listed species unless Federal authorization is issued that allows such activities. This Act also requires that we invite public comment before issuing permits for any activity it otherwise prohibits with respect to any species.

**DATES:** We must receive comments by January 3, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:**

*Obtaining Documents:* The applications, application supporting