

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brenda Dyer, Deputy Clearance Officer Policy and Planning Staff, Justice Management Division, United States Department of Justice, 601 D Street, NW., Patrick Henry Building, Suite 1600, NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: October 30, 2003.

Brenda Dyer,

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

[AAG/A Order No. 021-2003]

Privacy Act of 1974; Systems of Records

AGENCY: United States Trustee Program, Department of Justice.

ACTION: Notice of modifications to systems of records.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) and Office of Management and Budget Circular No. A-130, the United States Trustee Program ("USTP"), Department of Justice, proposes to modify the following existing Privacy Act systems of records: JUSTICE/UST-001, "Bankruptcy Case Files and Associated Records" (previously published Sept. 23, 1999, at 64 FR 51557); JUSTICE/UST-002, "Trustee Files" (previously published Sept. 23, 1999 at 64 FR 51557); JUSTICE/UST-003, "U.S. Trustee Timekeeping System" (previously published July 26, 1999, at 64 FR 40392); and JUSTICE/UST-004, "United States Trustee Program Case Referral System" (previously published Sept. 23, 1999, at 64 FR 51557). In addition, JUSTICE/UST-999, "United States Trustee Appendix 1—List of Record Retention Addresses" (previously published Dec. 11, 1987, at 52 FR 47301), is being deleted, as it has been superseded by the USTP's Internet office locator (www.usdoj.gov/ust). The only modification to UST-001, UST-002, UST-003, and UST-004 is the addition of a new routine use, allowing disclosure of information to contractors.

DATES: These actions will be effective December 10, 2003.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information regarding these changes, and for general information regarding USTP's Privacy Act systems, contact Anthony J. Ciccone, FOIA/PA Counsel, Executive Office for United States Trustees, at (202) 307-1399.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Since these Privacy Act systems of record

were last published in the **Federal Register**, the "United States Trustee Appendix 1—List of Record Retention Addresses" (UST-999) has been superseded by the USTP's Internet office locator (www.usdoj.gov/ust). Consequently, UST-999 is being deleted as outdated. The new routine use for contractors is being added to systems UST-001, UST-002, UST-003, and UST-004 in accordance with standard Department of Justice language. The need for this routine use stems from new bankruptcy court rules slated to take effect on December 1, 2003, after which debtors' social security numbers (SSNs) and other personal identifiers will be redacted in public filings pursuant to the Judicial Conference's new "privacy policy." While the USTP has worked with the Judicial Conference to ensure that USTP offices will continue to receive debtors' SSNs and other personal identifiers, the offices need to share such information with USTP contractors, such as those performing debtor audits, in order to perform statutory bankruptcy oversight responsibilities under 28 U.S.C. 581 *et seq.* and 11 U.S.C. 101, *et seq.*

In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(4) and (11), the public is given a 30-day period in which to comment; and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), which has oversight responsibility of the Act, requires a 40-day period in which to conclude its review of the new routine use. Therefore, please submit any comments by December 10, 2003. The public, OMB, and Congress are invited to submit comments to: Mary Cahill, Management and Planning Staff, Justice Management Division, Department of Justice, 1331 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20530 (1400 National Place Building).

In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552a(r), the Department has provided a report to OMB and Congress.

Dated: November 4, 2003.

Paul R. Corts,

Assistant Attorney General for Administration.

JUSTICE/UST-001

SYSTEM NAME:

Bankruptcy Case Files and Associated Records.

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ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:

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These records may be disclosed to contractors, grantees, experts, consultants, students, and others

performing or working on a contract, service, grant, cooperative agreement, or other assignment for the Federal Government, when necessary to accomplish an agency function related to this system of records.

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JUSTICE/UST-002

SYSTEM NAME:

Trustee File.

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ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:

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These records may be disclosed to contractors, grantees, experts, consultants, students, and others performing or working on a contract, service, grant, cooperative agreement, or other assignment for the Federal Government, when necessary to accomplish an agency function related to this system of records.

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JUSTICE/UST-003

SYSTEM NAME:

U.S. Trustee Timekeeping System.

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ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:

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These records may be disclosed to contractors, grantees, experts, consultants, students, and others performing or working on a contract, service, grant, cooperative agreement, or other assignment for the Federal Government, when necessary to accomplish an agency function related to this system of records.

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JUSTICE/UST-004

SYSTEM NAME:

United States Trustee Program Case Referral System.

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ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:

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These records may be disclosed to contractors, grantees, experts, consultants, students, and others performing or working on a contract, service, grant, cooperative agreement, or other assignment for the Federal Government, when necessary to

accomplish an agency function related to this system of records.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Office of Justice Programs

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: 30-day notice of information collection under review: Bulletproof Vest Partnership.

The Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of Justice Programs (OJP) has submitted the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The proposed information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. This proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register**, Volume 68, Number 89, page 24763 on May 8, 2003, allowing for a 60 day comment period.

The purpose of this notice is to allow for an additional 30 days for public comment until December 10, 2003. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

Written comments, or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20530. Additionally, comments may be submitted to OMB via facsimile at (202) 395-7285.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility.

(2) 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.

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

(4) 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.

Overview of this information:

(1) *Type of information collection:* Revision of currently approved collection.

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* Bulletproof Vest Partnership.

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* Form Number: None, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs, Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract.* Primary: State, Local, or Tribal Governments. Other: None. Abstract: The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) collects this information as part of the application for federal assistance process under the Bulletproof Vest Partnership (BVP) Program. The purpose of this program is to help protect the lives of law enforcement officers by helping states and units of local and tribal governments equip their officers with armor vests. An applicant may request funds to help purchase one vest per officer per fiscal year. Federal payment covers up to 50 percent of each jurisdiction's total costs. BJA uses the information collected to review, approve, and make awards to jurisdictions in accordance with programmatic and statutory requirements.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/reply:* There are approximately 6,500 respondents who will respond approximately 1 per year, for a total of 252 responses. Each response will require approximately 2 hours for new applicants and 1 hour for return applicants.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* The total annual public burden hours for this information collection is estimated to be 8,000 hours.

If additional information is required contact: Brenda E. Dyer, Deputy Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Justice Management Division, Policy and Planning Staff, Patrick Henry Building,

Suite 1600, 601 D Street, NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: October 31, 2003.

Brenda E. Dyer,

Deputy Clearance Officer, Department of Justice.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 03-144]

Notice of Information Collection Under OMB Review

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice of information collection under OMB review.

SUMMARY: The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) has submitted the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the review procedures of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Public Law 104-13, 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

DATES: All comments should be submitted by December 3, 2003.

ADDRESSES: All comments should be addressed to Desk Officer for NASA; Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs; Office of Management and Budget; Room 10236; New Executive Office Building; Washington, DC, 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Nancy Kaplan, NASA Reports Officer, (202) 358-1372.

Title: Public Awareness/Opinion Survey for NASA.

OMB Number: 2700-.

Type of review: New collection.

Need and Uses: The analysis of this survey will position NASA to develop a strategy to effectively communicate Agency messages.

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

Number of Respondents: 1,800.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 1,800.

Hours Per Request: 20 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 600.

Frequency of Report: Other (one time).

Patricia L. Dunnington,

Chief Information Officer, Office of the Administrator.

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