

Cite/reference	Total respondents	Frequency	Total responses	Average time per response (hours)	Burden hours*
30 CFR 56/57.3203(a) .....	252 M/NM Surface .....	On Occasion .....	1,008	0.05	50.4
	190 M/NM Underground .....	On Occasion .....	1,520	0.05	76.0
75.204(a) .....	761 Coal Underground .....	On Occasion .....	6,088	0.05	304.4
Total .....	1,203 .....	.....	8,616	.....	430.8

\*Discrepancies due to rounding.

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

*Total Burden Cost (operating/maintaining):* \$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 will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: April 14, 2000.

**George M. Fesak,**

*Director, Program Evaluation and Information Resources.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Notice of Permits Issued Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation.

**ACTION:** Notice of permits issued under the Antarctic Conservation of 1978, Public Law 95-541.

**SUMMARY:** The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish notice of permits issued under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. This is the required notice.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nadene G. Kennedy, Permit Office, Office of Polar Programs, Rm. 755, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On February 9, 2000, the National Science Foundation published a notice in the **Federal Register** of permit applications received. Permits were issued on March 23, 2000 to the following applicant:

Raytheon Polar Service Company (RPSC)

Permit No. 2001-001  
Permit No. 2001-002  
Permit No. 2001-003  
Permit No. 2001-004  
Permit No. 2001-005

**Nadene G. Kennedy,**

*Permit Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Notice of Permit Modification Issued Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation.

**ACTION:** Notice of permit modification issued under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978, Public Law 95-541.

**SUMMARY:** The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish notice of permits issued under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. This is the required notice.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nadene G. Kennedy, Permit Officer, Office of Polar Programs, Rm. 755, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On February 17, 2000, notice was published in the **Federal Register** of a request for modification to permit 2000WM-01 (ASA) for waste management activities at all U.S. Antarctic Program facilities in Antarctica. The requested modification transfers responsibility for waste management activities from the incumbent support contractor, Antarctic Support Associates, to Raytheon Polar Services Company. The transfer modified the permit to change the permit holder from Antarctic Support Associates to Raytheon Polar Services Company, who is the sole holder of the permit. All special conditions of the original permit remain the same except for the change in name of the permit holder. All references to Antarctic Support Associates now apply to Raytheon Polar Services Company.

**Nadene G. Kennedy,**

*Permit Officer.*

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## RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

### Agency Forms Submitted for OMB Review

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Railroad

Retirement Board (RRB) has submitted the following proposal(s) for the collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget for review and approval.

### Summary of Proposal(s)

(1) *Collection title:* Survivor Questionnaire.

(2) *Form(s) submitted:* RL-94-F.

(3) *OMB Number:* 3220-0032.

(4) *Expiration date of current OMB clearance:* 6/30/2000.

(5) *Type of request:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(6) *Respondents:* Individuals or households.

(7) *Estimated annual number of respondents:* 8,000.

(8) *Total annual responses:* 8,000.

(9) *Total annual reporting hours:* 1,391.

(10) *Collection description:* Under Section 6 of the Railroad Retirement Act, benefits are payable to the survivors or the estate of deceased railroad employees. The Collection obtains information about the survivors if any, the payment of burial expenses and administration of estate when unknown to the Railroad Retirement Board. The information is used to determine whether and to whom benefits are payable.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Copies of the forms and supporting documents can be obtained from Chuck Mierzwa, the agency clearance officer (312-751-3363). Comments regarding the information collection should be addressed to Ronald J. Hodapp, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois, 60611-2092 and the OMB reviewer, Joe Lackey (202-395-7316), Office of Management and Budget, Room 10230, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503.

**Chuck Mierzwa,**

*Clearance Officer.*

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