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#### OMB Comment

OMB is required to make a decision concerning the collection of information between 30 and 60 days after publication of this document in the **Federal Register**. Therefore, a comment is best assured of having its full effect if OMB receives it within 30 days of publication. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent directly to the following: Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project. Fax: 202-395-6974. Attn: Desk Officer for the Administration for Children and Families.

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**Steven M. Hanmer,**

*OPRE Reports Clearance Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Administration for Children and Families

#### State Median Income Estimates for a Four-Person Household: Notice of the Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2013 State Median Income Estimates for Use Under the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

**AGENCY:** Administration for Children and Families, Office of Community Services, Division of Energy Assistance, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice of State median income estimates for FFY 2013.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces to grantees of the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) the estimated median income of four-person households in each State and the District of Columbia for FFY 2013 (October 1, 2012, to September 30, 2013). LIHEAP grantees that choose to base their income eligibility criteria on these State Median Income (SMI) estimates may adopt these estimates (up to 60 percent) on their date of publication in the **Federal Register** or on a later date as discussed below. This enables grantees to implement this notice during the period between the heating and cooling seasons. However,

by October 1, 2012, or the beginning of the grantees' fiscal year, whichever is later, such grantees must adjust their income eligibility criteria so that such criteria are in accord with the FFY 2013 SMI.

The 60 percent of SMI criterion provides one of the maximum income criteria that LIHEAP grantees may use in determining a household's income eligibility for LIHEAP.

The LIHEAP appropriations for FFY 2009 through April 15, 2011 raised this criterion from 60 percent of SMI to 75 percent of SMI for that period. However, no change was made to the LIHEAP authorizing statute. Furthermore, the LIHEAP appropriation for FFY 2012 did not alter this criterion; thus it returned to 60 percent of SMI for FFY 2012.

**DATES: Effective Date:** These estimates become effective at any time between the date of this publication and the later of (1) October 1, 2012; or (2) the beginning of a grantees' fiscal year.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under the provisions of section 2603(11) of Title XXVI of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1981, Public Law (Pub. L.) 97-35, as amended, HHS announces the estimated median income of four-person families for each State, the District of Columbia, and the United States for FFY 2013 (October 1, 2012, through September 30, 2013).

Section 2605(b)(2)(B)(ii) of this Act provides that 60 percent of the median income of four-person families for each State and the District of Columbia (State median income, or SMI), as annually established by the Secretary of Health and Human Services, is one of the income criteria that LIHEAP grantees may use in determining a household's eligibility for LIHEAP.

LIHEAP was last authorized by the Energy Policy Act of 2005, Public Law 109-58, which was enacted on August 8, 2005. This authorization expired on September 30, 2007, and reauthorization remains pending.

The SMI estimates that HHS publishes in this notice are 3-year estimates derived from the American Community Survey (ACS) conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau, U.S. Department of Commerce (Census Bureau). HHS obtained these estimates

directly from the Census Bureau. For additional information about the ACS State median income estimates, including the definition of income and the derivation of medians see [http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/data\\_documentation/SubjectDefinitions/2010\\_ACSSubjectDefinitions.pdf](http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/data_documentation/SubjectDefinitions/2010_ACSSubjectDefinitions.pdf) under "Income in the Past 12 Months." For additional information about the ACS in general, see <http://www.census.gov/acs/www/> or contact the Census Bureau's Social, Economic and Housing Statistics Division at (301) 763-3243.

Under the advice of the Census Bureau, HHS switched to 3-year estimates from single-year estimates to reduce the large year-to-year fluctuations that the single-year estimates tend to generate for certain States and the District of Columbia. HHS plans to use the Census Bureau's ACS-derived SMI three-year estimates for all fiscal years after 2010. For further information about ACS one-year and 3-year estimates, see [http://www.census.gov/acs/www/guidance\\_for\\_data\\_users/estimates/](http://www.census.gov/acs/www/guidance_for_data_users/estimates/).

The SMI estimates, like those derived from any survey, are subject to two types of errors: (1) Nonsampling Error, which consists of random errors that increase the variability of the data and non-random errors that consistently shift the data into a specific direction; and (2) Sampling Error, which consists of the error that arises from the use of probability sampling to create the sample. For additional information about the accuracy of the ACS SMI estimates, see [http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/data\\_documentation/Accuracy/MultiyearACSAccuracyofData2010.pdf](http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/data_documentation/Accuracy/MultiyearACSAccuracyofData2010.pdf).

A State-by-State listing of SMI and 60 percent of SMI for a four-person family for FFY 2013 follows. In using this listing, LIHEAP grantees must regard "family" to be the equivalent of "household" with regards to setting their income eligibility criteria. This listing describes the method for adjusting SMI for households of different sizes as specified in regulations applicable to LIHEAP, at 45 CFR 96.85(b), which were published in the **Federal Register** on March 3, 1988, at 53 FR 6824 and amended on October 15, 1999, at 64 FR 55858.

Dated: March 7, 2012.

**Jeannie L. Chaffin,**

*Director, Office of Community Services.*

**ESTIMATED STATE MEDIAN INCOME FOR A FOUR-PERSON FAMILY, BY STATE, FOR FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR (FFY) 2013,  
FOR USE IN THE LOW INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (LIHEAP)**

| States                     | Estimated State median income for four-person families <sup>1</sup> | 60 percent of estimated State median income for four-person families <sup>2,3</sup> |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Alabama .....              | \$64,079                                                            | \$38,447                                                                            |
| Alaska .....               | 86,658                                                              | 51,995                                                                              |
| Arizona .....              | 66,350                                                              | 39,810                                                                              |
| Arkansas .....             | 56,975                                                              | 34,185                                                                              |
| California .....           | 77,896                                                              | 46,738                                                                              |
| Colorado .....             | 81,477                                                              | 48,886                                                                              |
| Connecticut .....          | 101,973                                                             | 61,184                                                                              |
| Delaware .....             | 85,490                                                              | 51,294                                                                              |
| District of Columbia ..... | 76,652                                                              | 45,991                                                                              |
| Florida .....              | 65,728                                                              | 39,437                                                                              |
| Georgia .....              | 67,276                                                              | 40,366                                                                              |
| Hawaii .....               | 87,456                                                              | 52,474                                                                              |
| Idaho .....                | 61,631                                                              | 36,979                                                                              |
| Illinois .....             | 80,858                                                              | 48,515                                                                              |
| Indiana .....              | 69,929                                                              | 41,957                                                                              |
| Iowa .....                 | 73,972                                                              | 44,383                                                                              |
| Kansas .....               | 71,899                                                              | 43,139                                                                              |
| Kentucky .....             | 64,119                                                              | 38,471                                                                              |
| Louisiana .....            | 66,896                                                              | 40,138                                                                              |
| Maine .....                | 71,237                                                              | 42,742                                                                              |
| Maryland .....             | 102,002                                                             | 61,201                                                                              |
| Massachusetts .....        | 100,228                                                             | 60,137                                                                              |
| Michigan .....             | 72,937                                                              | 43,762                                                                              |
| Minnesota .....            | 85,577                                                              | 51,346                                                                              |
| Mississippi .....          | 57,132                                                              | 34,279                                                                              |
| Missouri .....             | 69,727                                                              | 41,836                                                                              |
| Montana .....              | 67,097                                                              | 40,258                                                                              |
| Nebraska .....             | 71,864                                                              | 43,118                                                                              |
| Nevada .....               | 69,197                                                              | 41,518                                                                              |
| New Hampshire .....        | 92,216                                                              | 55,330                                                                              |
| New Jersey .....           | 102,552                                                             | 61,531                                                                              |
| New Mexico .....           | 55,446                                                              | 33,268                                                                              |
| New York .....             | 82,222                                                              | 49,333                                                                              |
| North Carolina .....       | 66,978                                                              | 40,187                                                                              |
| North Dakota .....         | 78,295                                                              | 46,977                                                                              |
| Ohio .....                 | 72,732                                                              | 43,639                                                                              |
| Oklahoma .....             | 61,941                                                              | 37,165                                                                              |
| Oregon .....               | 70,957                                                              | 42,574                                                                              |
| Pennsylvania .....         | 78,576                                                              | 47,146                                                                              |
| Rhode Island .....         | 88,083                                                              | 52,850                                                                              |
| South Carolina .....       | 64,303                                                              | 38,582                                                                              |
| South Dakota .....         | 69,221                                                              | 41,533                                                                              |
| Tennessee .....            | 62,902                                                              | 37,741                                                                              |
| Texas .....                | 66,093                                                              | 39,656                                                                              |
| Utah .....                 | 68,068                                                              | 40,841                                                                              |
| Vermont .....              | 76,418                                                              | 45,851                                                                              |
| Virginia .....             | 87,209                                                              | 52,325                                                                              |
| Washington .....           | 81,797                                                              | 49,078                                                                              |
| West Virginia .....        | 60,825                                                              | 36,495                                                                              |
| Wisconsin .....            | 77,829                                                              | 46,697                                                                              |
| Wyoming .....              | 74,281                                                              | 44,569                                                                              |

**Note:** FFY 2013 covers the period of October 1, 2012, through September 30, 2013. The estimated median income for four-person families living in the United States for this period is \$74,964. Grantees that use SMI

<sup>1</sup> Prepared by the U.S. Census Bureau, U.S. Department of Commerce (Census Bureau), from three-year estimates from the 2008, 2009 and 2010 American Community Surveys (ACSs). These estimates, like those derived from any survey, are subject to two types of errors: (1) Nonsampling Error, which consists of random errors that increase the variability of the data and non-random errors

that consistently direct the data into a specific direction; and (2) Sampling Error, which consists of the error that arises from the use of probability sampling to create the sample.

<sup>2</sup> These figures were calculated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Office of Community Services, Division of Energy Assistance by multiplying the estimated State median income for a four-person family for each State by 60 percent.

<sup>3</sup> To adjust for different sizes of household for LIHEAP purposes, 45 CFR 96.85 calls for multiplying 60 percent of a State's estimated

for LIHEAP may, at their option, employ such estimates at any time between the date

median income for a four-person family by the following percentages: 52 percent for one person, 68 percent for two persons, 84 percent for three persons, 100 percent for four persons, 116 percent for five persons, and 132 percent for six persons. For each additional family member above six persons, 45 CFR 96.85 calls for adding 3 percentage points to the percentage for a six-person family (132 percent) and multiply the new percentage by 60 percent of a State's estimated median income for a four-person family.

of this publication and the later of October 1, 2012 or the beginning of their fiscal years. [FR Doc. 2012-6220 Filed 3-14-12; 8:45 am]

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### National Institute of General Medical Sciences; Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. App.), notice is hereby given of the following meeting.

The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

*Name of Committee:* National Institute of General Medical Sciences Special Emphasis Panel Peer Review of Systems Biology (P50) Grant. Applications

*Date:* April 5, 2012.

*Time:* 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Hyatt Regency Bethesda, 7400 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814.

*Contact Person:* C. Craig Hyde, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Office of Scientific Review, National Institute of General Medical Sciences, National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Room 3An.18A, Bethesda, MD 20892-6200, 301-435-3825, [ch2v@nih.gov](mailto:ch2v@nih.gov).

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.375, Minority Biomedical Research Support; 93.821, Cell Biology and Biophysics Research; 93.859, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Biological Chemistry Research; 93.862, Genetics and Developmental Biology Research; 93.88, Minority Access to Research Careers; 93.96, Special Minority Initiatives, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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**Jennifer S. Spaeth,**

*Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### U.S. Customs and Border Protection

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Application for Withdrawal of Bonded Stores for Fishing Vessels and Certificate of Use

**AGENCY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** 30-Day notice and request for comments; Extension of an existing information collection: 1651-0092.

**SUMMARY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) of the Department of Homeland Security will be submitting the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act: Application for Withdrawal of Bonded Stores for Fishing Vessels and Certificate of Use (CBP Form 5125). This is a proposed extension of an information collection that was previously approved. CBP is proposing that this information collection be extended with a change to the burden hours. This document is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. This information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** (77 FR 1497) on January 10, 2012, allowing for a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before April 16, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on this information collection to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget. Comments should be addressed to the OMB Desk Officer for U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security, and sent via electronic mail to [oir\\_submission@omb.eop.gov](mailto:oir_submission@omb.eop.gov) or faxed to (202) 395-5806.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information should be directed to Tracey Denning, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Regulations and Rulings, Office of International Trade, 799 9th Street NW., 5th Floor, Washington, DC 20229-1177, at 202-325-0265.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** CBP invites the general public and affected Federal agencies to submit written

comments and suggestions on proposed and/or continuing information collection requests pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act (Pub. L. 104-13). Your comments should address one of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency/component, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies/components 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; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the collections of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological techniques or other forms of information.

*Title:* Application for Withdrawal of Bonded Stores for Fishing Vessels and Certificate of Use.

*OMB Number:* 1651-0092.

*Form Number:* CBP Form 5125.

*Abstract:* CBP Form 5125, *Application for Withdrawal of Bonded Stores for Fishing Vessel and Certificate of Use*, is used to request the permission of the CBP port director for the withdrawal and lading of bonded merchandise (especially alcoholic beverages) for use on board fishing vessels involved in international trade. The applicant must certify on CBP Form 5125 that supplies on board were either consumed, or that all unused quantities remain on board and are adequately secured for use on the next voyage. CBP uses this form to collect information such as the name and identification number of the vessel, ports of departure and destination, and information about the crew members. The information collected on this form is authorized by Section 309 of the Tariff Act of 1930, and is provided for by 19 CFR 10.59(e). CBP Form 5125 is accessible at [http://forms.cbp.gov/pdf/CBP\\_Form\\_5125.pdf](http://forms.cbp.gov/pdf/CBP_Form_5125.pdf).

*Current Actions:* CBP proposes to extend the expiration date of this information collection with a change to the burden hours as a result of increasing the estimated response time from five minutes to twenty minutes. There are no changes to the information collected or to CBP Form 5125.

*Type of Review:* Extension (with change).

*Affected Public:* Businesses.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 500.