DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by June 9, 2003.

Title, Form, and OMB Number: Medical Information Questionnaire; DSS FL 14a; OMB Number 0704–0206.

Type of Request: Reinstatement. Number of Respondents: 11,700. Responses Per Respondent: 1. Annual Responses: 11,700. Average Burden Per Response: 30 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 5,850. *Needs and Uses:* The specific objective of a personnel security investigation is to elicit information concerning the loyalty, character, and reliability of the individual being investigated to ascertain his or her suitability for a position of trust. The DoD adjudicator may determine if it is clearly consistent with the interests of national security to grant the individual access to classified information. Adjudicative determinations are made in accordance with DoD 5200.2-R, "DoD Personnel Security Program." This regulation specifies medical information that is to be obtained from records and physicians when there is an indication of a history of mental or nervous disorder, use or abuse of prescribed or illegal drugs, or abuse or excessive use of alcohol. The information provides the adjudicator with a complex picture of the individual to determine whether the individual should be granted access to classified information.

Affected Public: Individuals or Households; Business or Other For-Profit.

Frequency: On Occasion.
Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.
OMB Desk Officer: Ms. Jackie Zeiher.
Written comments and

recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Zeiher at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

DoD Clearance Officer: Mr. Robert Cushing.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should

be sent to Mr. Cushing, WHS/DIOR, 1215 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1204, Arlington, VA 2202–4302.

Dated: April 25, 2003.

Patricia L. Toppings,

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

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Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Defense Finance and Accounting Service, DoD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Defense Finance and Accounting Service announces the proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected: and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. **DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by July 8, 2003. ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to the Defense Finance and Accounting

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to the above address, or call Addie El-Amin, 216–522–6096.

Service—Cleveland, DFAS-CL/PDS,

ATTN: Addie El-Amin, 1240 E. 9th

Street, Cleveland, CL 44199.

Title, Associated Form, and OMB Number: Physician Certificate for Child Annuitant, DD Form 2828, OMB License 0730–0011.

Needs and Uses: This form is required and must be on file to support an incapacitation occurring prior to age 18. The form provides the authority for the Directorate of Annuity Pay, Defense Finance and Accounting Service—Cleveland (DFAS–CL/PD) to establish and pay a Retired Serviceman's Family Protection Plan (RSFPP) or Survivor Benefit Plan (SBP) annuity to the incapacitated individual.

Affected Public: Incapacitated child annuitants, and/or their legal guardians, custodians and legal representatives.

Annual Burden Hours: 240 hours. Number of Respondents: 120. Responses Per Respondent: 1. Average Burden Per Response: 2 hours.

Frequency: On occasion.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Summary of Information Collection

The form will be used by the Directorate of Annuity Pay, Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Cleveland (DFAS-CL/PD), in order to establish and start the annuity for a potential child annuitant. When the form is completed, it will serve as a medical report to substantiate a child's incapacity. The law requires that an unmarried child who is incapacitated must provide a current certified medical report. When the incapacity is not permanent a medical certification must be received by DFAS-CL/PD) every two years in order for the child to continue receiving annuity payments.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Defense Business Practice Implementation Board; Notice of Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Department of Defense. **ACTION:** Notice of Advisory Committee Meeting.

SUMMARY: The Defense Business Practice Implementation Board (DBB) will meet in open session on Wednesday, May 14, 2003, at the Pentagon, Washington, DC from 0830 until 12 p.m. The mission of the DBB is to advise the Senior Executive Council (SEC) and the Secretary of Defense on effective strategies for implementation of best business practices of interest to the Department of Defense. At this meeting, the Board's Acquisition, Human Resources, Financial Management, and General Management related task groups will deliberate on their findings and