

Title of Proposal: Public and Indian Housing—Economic Development and Supportive Services Program (EDSS).

OMB Control Number: 2577-0211.

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: The information is necessary so that applicants can apply and compete for funding opportunities. Under the program, grants will be provided to Public and Indian Housing Authorities (collectively HAs) to provide economic development and supportive services to assist public and Indian housing residents, the elderly and handicapped persons to become economically self-sufficient and to live independently.

Agency forms numbers, if applicable: N/A.

Members of affected public: State or Local Governments, Non-profit institutions.

Estimation of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response: 350 respondents, on occasion, 42 average hours per response, 14,212 hours for a total reporting burden.

In addition, this year the Department is combining the EDSS and Tenant Opportunity Program (TOP) NOFAs in one announcement for a number of reasons. With the recent passage of The Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 and the transformation of the former Aid to Families with Dependent children (AFDC) program to a state administered block grant program, it is imperative that the limited funding that the EDSS and TOP programs provide has the maximum effectiveness possible. The Department believes that it is in the best interests of public housing to encourage increased coordination between these two programs that share many similar goals. The Department also has concluded that it is more useful to potential applicants that HUD announce the NOFAs for the two programs simultaneously. Similarly, the information collection period for public comment for these two programs will also be combined.

Authority: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: December 11, 1996.

MaryAnn Russ,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public and Assisted Housing Operations.

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[Docket No. FR-4086-N-87]

Submission for OMB Review: Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of Administration, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

DATES: Comments due date: January 16, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments must be received within thirty (30) days from the date of this Notice. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval number and should be sent to: Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kay F. Weaver, Reports Management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, Southwest, Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708-0050. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of the proposed forms and other available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Weaver.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department has submitted the proposal for the collection of information, as described below, to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

The Notice lists the following information: (1) The title of the

information collection proposal; (2) the office of the agency to collect the information; (3) the OMB approval number, if applicable; (4) the description of the need for the information and its proposed use; (5) the agency form number, if applicable; (6) what members of the public will be affected by the proposal; (7) how frequently information submissions will be required; (8) an estimate of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information submission including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response; (9) whether the proposal is new, an extension, reinstatement, or revision of an information collection requirement; and (10) the names and telephone numbers of an agency official familiar with the proposal and of the OMB Desk Officer for the Department.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: December 9, 1996.

David S. Cristy,

Acting Director, Information Resources Management Policy and Management Division.

Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB

Title of Proposal: Fair Housing Initiatives Program Application.

Office: Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity.

OMB Approval Number: 2529-0033.

Description of the Need for the Information and its Proposed Use: The Fair Housing Initiatives Program will provide funds to public and private agencies involved in administering programs to prevent or eliminate discriminatory housing practices. The organizations will develop, implement, and administer programs enforcing the rights guaranteed by the Fair Housing Act.

Form Number: None.

Respondents: Not-For-Profit Institutions and State, Local, or Tribal Government.

Frequency of Submission: Annually, Quarterly, and Recordkeeping.

Reporting Burden

	Number of respondents	×	Frequency of response	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
Information collection	400		4		53		21,200
Quarterly report	70		4		12		3,360
Enforcement log	35		4		7		980
Final report	70		4		20		5,600
Recordkeeping	70		1		21		1,470

	Number of respondents	×	Frequency of response	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
Total estimated burden hours							32,610

Status: Extension, with changes.
Contact: Sherry Fobear, HUD, (202) 755-2215 x303; Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB, (202) 395-7316.
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[Docket No. FR-3962-N-03]

**Submission for OMB Review:
Comment Request**

AGENCY: Office of Administration, HUD.
ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

DATES: *Comments due date:* January 16, 1997.

ADDRESS: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments must be received within thirty (30) days from the date of this Notice. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval number and should be sent to: Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kay F. Weaver, Reports Management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, Southwest, Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708-0050. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of the proposed forms and other available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Weaver.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department has submitted the proposal for the collection of information, as described below, to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

The Notice lists the following information: (1) the title of the information collection proposal; (2) the office of the agency to collect the information; (3) the OMB approval number, if applicable; (4) the description of the need for the information and its proposed use; (5) the agency form number, if applicable; (6) what members of the public will be affected by the proposal; (7) how frequently information submissions will be required; (8) an estimate of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information submission including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response; (9) whether the proposal is new, an extension, reinstatement, or revision of an information collection requirement;

and (10) the names and telephone numbers of an agency official familiar with the proposal and of the OMB Desk Officer for the Department.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: December 9, 1996.

David S. Cristy,
*Acting Director, Information Resources
 Management Policy and Management
 Division.*

**Notice of Submission of Proposed
Information Collection to OMB**

Title of Proposal: HOME Investment Partnerships Program.

Office: Community Planning and Development.

OMB Approval Number: None.

Description of the Need for the Information and its Proposed Use: The information collection is required to assist HUD in evaluating eligible activities and projects when the participating jurisdiction chooses to refinance multifamily properties, establish locally 95% of the median area purchase price, or do a market analysis to support a presumption of affordability for a homebuyer's program.

Form Number: None.

Respondents: State, Local, or Tribal Government.

Frequency of Submission: On Occasion and Recordkeeping.

REPORTING BURDEN

	Number of re- spond- ents	×	Fre- quency of re- sponse	×	Hours per re- sponse	=	Bur- den hours
Information collection	275		1		8.27		2,275
Total Estimated burden hours							2,275

Status: New.
Contact: Mary Kolesar, HUD, (202) 708-2470 x4604; Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB, (202) 395-7316.
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**Announcement of Funding Awards for
the Comprehensive Improvement
Assistance Program—FY 1996**

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing, HUD.

ACTION: Announcement of funding awards.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this announcement notifies the public of funding decisions made by the Department in a competition for funding under the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for the Comprehensive Improvement Assistance Program (CIAP) for Fiscal Year 1996. The announcement contains the names and addresses of the