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Garrett W. Brass,
Executive Director.

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ASSASSINATION RECORDS REVIEW BOARD

Sunshine Act Meeting

DATE: March 13-14, 1997.

PLACE: ARRB, 600 E Street, NW,
Washington, DC.

STATUS: Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Review and Accept Minutes of Closed Meeting
2. Review of Assassination Records
3. Other Business

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:
Eileen Sullivan, Assistant Press and
Public Affairs Officer, 600 E Street, NW,
Second Floor, Washington, DC 20530.
Telephone: (202) 724-0088; Fax: (202)
724-0457.

David G. Marwell,
Executive Director.

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BROADCASTING BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Sunshine Act Meeting

DATE AND TIME: March 11, 1997; 9:30
a.m.

PLACE: Cohen Building, Visitor's Center,
First Floor, 330 Independence Ave.,
S.W., Washington, D.C. 20547.

OPEN MEETING: The members of the
Broadcasting Board of Governors (BBG)
will meet in open session to address a
variety of issues relating to U.S.
Government-funded non-military
international broadcasting. Among the
subjects on the agenda are the following:
opening remarks by the BBG Chairman;
approval of minutes of a previous
meeting; remarks by Kevin Klose,
Director-designate of the International
Broadcasting Bureau; remarks by Evelyn
Lieberman, new Director of the Voice of
America; and miscellaneous subjects
relating to the Board's responsibilities
such as the annual report to the
President and the Congress.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:
Persons interested in obtaining more
information about the meeting should

contact Brenda Thomas at (202) 401-
3736.

Dated: March 4, 1997.

David W. Burke,
Chairman.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of
Management and Budget (OMB) for
clearance the following proposal for
collection of information under the
provisions of the Paperwork Reduction
Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: Bureau of the Census.

Title: 1997 Economic Censuses
General Classification Schedule.

Form Number(s): NC-9923.

Agency Approval Number: None.

Type of Request: New collection.

Burden: 50,000 hours in FY98.

Number of Respondents: 300,000.

Avg. Hours Per Response: 10 minutes.

Needs and Uses: The 1997 Economic
Census will cover virtually every sector
of the U.S. economy. The Census
Bureau will implement the new North
American Industry Classification
System (NAICS) in the 1997 Economic
Census. The implementation of the
NAICS as a replacement for the 1987
Standard Industrial Classification (SIC)
system will require contacting
businesses to collect classification
information to update the 1997
Economic Census mailing lists.

Accurate and reliable industry and
geographic codes are critical to the
Bureau of Census statistical programs.
New businesses are assigned industry
classification by the Social Security
Administration (SSA). However,
approximately 22 percent of these
businesses cannot be assigned industry
codes because insufficient information
is provided on Internal Revenue Service
(IRS) Form SS-4. Since the 1992
Economic Censuses, the number of
unclassified businesses has grown to
almost 500,000.

In order to provide detailed industry
data reflecting NAICS for the 1997
Economic Censuses and the Standard
Statistical Establishment List (SSEL),
these unclassified businesses must be
assigned industry codes. The Census
Bureau has contracted with the Bureau
of Labor Statistics (BLS) to receive
classification information for
unclassified businesses. However,
differences in NAICS implementation
schedules, coverage, and updating

procedures between the two agencies
and our further attempts to assign
industry codes to these businesses based
on their name will still leave some
300,000 unclassified businesses on the
1997 Economic Censuses mail list. This
data collection, Form NC-9923, is
designed to obtain classification
information for different types of
industries including reflecting changes
from the SIC to NAICS and provide
current information on physical
locations.

Affected Public: Business or other for-
profit, Not-for-profit institutions.

Frequency: Every five years.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.

Legal Authority: Title 13 USC,
Sections 131 and 224.

OMB Desk Officer: Jerry Coffey, (202)
395-7314.

Copies of the above information
collection proposal can be obtained by
calling or writing Linda Engelmeier,
DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202)
482-3272, Department of Commerce,
room 5312, 14th and Constitution
Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Written comments and
recommendations for the proposed
information collection should be sent
within 30 days of publication of this
notice to Jerry Coffey, OMB Desk
Officer, room 10201, New Executive
Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: February 27, 1997.

Linda Engelmeier,

*Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office
of Management and Organization.*

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Submission For OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of
Management and Budget (OMB) for
clearance the following proposal for
collection of information under the
provisions of the Paperwork Reduction
Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: Bureau of the Census.

Title: Annual Capital Expenditures
Survey.

Form Number(s): ACE-1, ACE-1(l),
ACE-2, ACE-2(l).

Agency Approval Number: 0607-
0782.

Type of Request: Revision of a
currently approved collection.

Burden: 114,000 hours.

Number of Respondents: 46,000.

Avg. Hours Per Response: 2.5 hours.

Needs and Uses: The Census Bureau
plans the continuing information
collection for the 1996 and 1997 Annual
Capital Expenditures Survey (ACES)
measuring capital investment in new

and used structures and equipment. The ACES is the sole source of detailed comprehensive statistics on actual business spending by domestic, private, nonfarm businesses operating in the United States. Major changes from the 1995 collection of ACES data are the annual collection of data from businesses with one to four employees and nonemployers, and a request from employer businesses for data on total company sales and receipts, and sales and receipts for the three ACES industries with the largest sales and receipts.

Business spending data are used to evaluate the quality of estimates of gross domestic product, develop monetary policy, analyze business asset depreciation, and improve estimates of capital stock for productivity analysis. Industry analysts use these data for market analysis, economic forecasting, identifying business opportunities, product development, and business planning.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions.

Frequency: Annually.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.

Legal Authority: (Title 13 USC, Sections 182, 224, and 225.

OMB Desk Officer: Jerry Coffey, (202) 395-7314.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, room 5312, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Jerry Coffey, OMB Desk Officer, room 10201, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: February 28, 1997.

Linda Engelmeier,

Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.

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Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: Bureau of the Census.

Title: Study of Privacy Attitudes.

Form Number(s): None (automated instrument).

Agency Approval Number: 0607-0822.

Type of Request: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Burden: 396 hours.

Number of Respondents: 1,200.

Avg. Hours Per Response: 20 minutes.

Needs and Uses: The Census Bureau is interested in privacy issues—such as, the public's attitude toward individual privacy, the Census Bureau's privacy practices, and the potential use of administrative records and collecting Social Security numbers (SSNs—for several reasons. Most notable is the steady decline in response rates to the Census Bureau's mailed questionnaire in the last five decennial censuses, which may reflect the growing apathy toward and mistrust of the Federal government. A clear understanding of the public's beliefs regarding the Census Bureau and its practices may help decennial census planners offset the trend in declining responses rates and address new methods to acquire data. The purpose of this survey, along with former collections, is to:

Determine and clarify the public's opinion of: (1) The Federal government and Census Bureau in general; (2) the Census Bureau's privacy and confidentiality policies; (3) the extent to which the Census Bureau adheres to its own privacy guidelines; (4) the Census Bureau's expanded use of administrative records and possible interest in collecting SSNs in the future; (5) the notion of an "administrative records—only census" in 2010; and (6) the utility of adopting and communicating fair information use principles.

Assess change in the public's attitudes on privacy-related issues on a yearly basis. The 1996, 1997, and 1998 privacy studies, along with the inaugural survey—the 1995 Joint Program in Statistical Methods (JPSM) study, will help inform decisions on Census 2000. Beginning in 1999, privacy studies will be part of the research and experimentation program for the 2010 census.

The Study of Privacy Attitudes was formerly known as the "Study of Public Attitudes Towards Administrative Records Use (SPARU)." To maintain continuity, the content of the 1997 SPA questionnaire will be mostly the same as the 1996 SPARU. However, questions originally included in the 1995 JPSM survey that were left off the 1996 SPARU because of budgetary reasons will be reinstated for the 1997 SPA.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Frequency: One-time.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

Legal Authority: Title 13 USC, Sections 141 and 193.

OMB Desk Officer: Jerry Coffey, (202) 395-7314.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, room 5312, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Jerry Coffey, OMB Desk Officer, room 10201, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: February 28, 1997.

Linda Engelmeier,

Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.

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Bureau of the Census

Survey of Local Government Finances (School Systems), Forms F-33, F-33-1, and F33-L1

ACTION: Proposed collection; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before May 5, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Linda Engelmeier, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Sharon Meade, Bureau of the Census, Governments Division, Washington, DC 20233-0001. Her telephone number is (301) 457-1563.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

The Census Bureau collects education finance data as part of its Annual Survey of State and Local Governments.