

no nationality who last habitually resided in Sudan) who have been "continuously physically present" and have "continuously resided in the United States" since November 4, 1997 may apply for Temporary Protected Status within the registration period which begins on November 4, 1997 and ends on November 3, 1998.

(2) I estimate that there are no more than 4,000 nationals of Sudan (and aliens having no nationality who last habitually resided in Sudan) who are currently in nonimmigrant or unlawful status and therefore eligible for Temporary Protected Status.

(3) Except as specifically provided in this notice, applications for TPS by nationals of Sudan (and aliens having no nationality who last habitually resided in Sudan) must be filed pursuant to the provisions of 8 CFR part 244. Aliens who wish to apply for TPS must file an Application for Temporary Protected Status, Form I-821, together with an Application for Employment Authorization, Form I-765, during the registration period, which begins on November 4, 1997 and will remain in effect until November 3, 1998.

(4) A fee of fifty dollars (\$50) will be charged for each Application for Temporary Protected Status, Form I-821, filed during the registration period.

(5) The fee prescribed in 8 CFR 103.7(b)(1), which is currently seventy dollars (\$70), will be charged for each Application for Employment Authorization, Form I-765, filed by an alien requesting employment authorization. An alien who does not request employment authorization must nevertheless file Form I-765, together with Form I-821, for informational purposes, but in such cases Form I-765 will be without fee.

(6) Pursuant to section 244(b)(3)(A) of the Act, the Attorney General will review, at least 60 days before November 3, 1998, the designation of Sudan under the TPS program to determine whether the conditions for designation continue to exist. Notice of that determination, including the basis for the determination, will be published in the **Federal Register**. If there is an extension of designation, late initial registration for TPS shall only be allowed pursuant to the requirements of 8 CFR 244.2(f)(2).

(7) Information concerning the TPS program for nationals of Sudan (and aliens having no nationality who last habitually resided in Sudan) will be available at local Immigration and Naturalization Service offices upon publication of this notice.

Dated: October 28, 1997.

Janet Reno,

Attorney General.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

October 29, 1997.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection requests (ICRs) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). A copy of each individual ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of Labor, Departmental Clearance Officer, Theresa M. O'Malley (202) 219-5096 ext. 143) or by E-Mail to OMalley-Theresa@dol.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TTY/TDD) may call (202) 219-4720 between 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Eastern time, Monday—Friday.

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn.: OMB Desk Officer for BLS, DM, ESA, ETA, MSHA, OSHA, PWBA, or VETS, Office of Management and budget, room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 (202) 395-7316), on or before December 4, 1997.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: Labor Condition Application for H-1B Nonimmigrants.

OMB Number: 1205-0310 (extension).

Frequency: Other.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; State, Local or Tribal Government; Federal Government.

Number of Respondents: 200,000.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 1 hour 15 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 200,500.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: -0-.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): -0-.

Description: The application form and other requirements in these regulations for employers seeking to use H-1B nonimmigrants in speciality occupations and as fashion models will permit the Department of Labor to meet its statutory responsibilities for program administration, management, and oversight.

Agency: Employment Standards Administration.

Title: OFCCP Recordkeeping/Reporting: Construction.

OMB Number: 1215-0163 (extension).

Frequency: Quarterly.

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

Number of Respondents: 100,000.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 46.70 hours.

Total Burden Hours: 4,842,187.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: -0-.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): -0-.

Description: Recordkeeping and reporting by Federal and federally-assisted construction contractors and subcontractors is necessary to substantiate their compliance with nondiscrimination and affirmative action contractual obligations.

Agency: Departmental Management.

Title: Applicant Background Survey.

OMB Number: 1225-0000 (new collection).

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Individuals or households; Federal Government.

Number of Respondents: 5,000.

Estimated time Per Respondent: 5 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 417.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: -0-.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): -0-.

Description: This voluntary survey will provide information on the

applicants' gender, race or ethnicity, disability, and the applicants' source of information on the job vacancy. This data will be used to evaluate the effectiveness of various recruitment methods employed by the Department of Labor and to tailor recruitment to meet equal employment opportunity objectives, by ensuring a diverse pool of applicants.

Theresa M. O'Malley,

Departmental Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(a)). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Employment and Training Administration is soliciting comments on the survey that has been developed to collect customer satisfaction information from service delivery areas who operate Summer Youth Employment and Training Programs.

A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below on or before January 5, 1998.

The Department of Labor is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

ADDRESSES: LaSharn Youngblood, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20210; Telephone (202) 219-7533 ext. 167 (this is not a toll-free number); internet address—youngbloodl@doleta.gov; fax number (202) 219-7190.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

Under the Job Training Partnership Act Program, title IIB, the Department of Labor has established the Summer Youth Employment and Training Program to: (1) Enhance the basic education skills of youth; (2) encourage school completion or enrollment in supplementary or alternative school programs; provide eligible youth with exposure to the world of work; and (3) enhance the citizenship skills of youth. The Department of Labor is responsible for overseeing these programs. As a part of the Department's oversight responsibilities, ETA will conduct a uniform survey of a representative sample of service delivery areas (ADA's) to determine how the Department can effectively measure customer satisfaction. The result of this survey will be used to assist in the development of a comprehensive system for assessing customer satisfaction with the summer program.

II. Current Actions

ETA has revised its monitoring instrument to collect more information on customer satisfaction. This data will be used to determine satisfaction experiences of program participants, work site supervisors/employers and educational instructors. The information obtained will permit the Department to fulfill requests from the U.S. Congress, the Administration, the media and the public.

Type of Review: New.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor.

Title: Summer Youth Employment and Training Program.
OMB Number: 1205-XXXX.
Recordkeeping: 0.
Affected Public: SDA's.
Cite/Reference/Form/etc.: Monitoring.
Total Respondents: 64.
Frequency: one time.
Total Responses: 64.
Average Time per Response: 45 minutes per response.
Estimated Total Burden Hours: 29.
Total Burden Cost (operating/maintaining): \$580.00.

Comments submitted in response to this comment request 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: October 28, 1997.

Charles L. Atkinson,

Deputy Administrator, Office of Job Training Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment Standards Administration

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Employment Standards Administration is soliciting comments concerning the information collection: Request from Claimant for Information on Earnings, Dual Benefits, Dependents, and Third Party Settlements, Form CA-1032. Copies of the proposed information collection requests can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the