

Instructions Branch, Immigration and Naturalization Service, U.S. Department of Justice, Room 5307, 425 I Street, NW, Washington, DC 20536. Additionally, comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time may also be directed to Mr. Richard A. Sloan.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: April 1, 1999.

**Richard A. Sloan,**

*Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Office of Justice Programs

#### **Bureau of Justice Assistance; Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request**

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection under review; Reinstatement, without change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired; BJA-Byrne Formula Grant Program annual institutionalization survey for subgrants.

The Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs has submitted the following information collection request for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Office of Management and Budget approval is being sought for the information collection listed below. The proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on May 2, 1997, allowing for a 60-day public comment period.

The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comment until May 12, 1999. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Department of Justice

Desk Officer, Washington, D.C. 20503. Additionally, comments may be submitted to OMB via facsimile to 202-395-7285.

Comments may also be submitted to the Department of Justice (DOJ), Justice Management Division, Information Management and Security Staff, Attention: Department Deputy Clearance Officer, Suite 850, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, D.C., 20530. Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies should address one or more of the following 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 collection of information to those who are to respond, including through the use appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g. permitting electronic submissions of responses.

#### **Overview of This Information Collection**

(1) *Type of information collection:* Reinstatement, without change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired.

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* BJA-Byrne Formula Grant Program Annual Institutionalization Survey for Subgrants

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* Form: None. Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs, United States Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: State Government (State Administrative Agencies). Other: None. The Byrne Formula Grant Program was created by the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, and is designed to provide support to its constituency group of state and local criminal justice agencies to initiate innovative projects that respond effectively to crime problems and improve operations of the Nation's criminal justice system.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/reply:* The time burden of the 56 respondents to complete the surveys for all 3,936 projects funded in FY 1992,

is 5 minutes per survey. The time burden of the 56 respondents to complete the surveys for the estimated 520 projects that were expected to continue after Byrne funding ceased in FY 1992, but were not refunded, is 45 minutes per survey.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* The total annual hour burden to complete surveys for the FY 1992 Byrne-funded projects and those that were not refunded is 720 annual burden hours.

Public comment on this proposed information collection is strongly encouraged.

Dated: April 6, 1999.

**Brenda E. Dyer,**

*Department Deputy Clearance Officer, Department of Justice.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Office of Justice Programs

#### **Bureau of Justice Statistics; Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request**

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection under review; National crime victimization survey, Police public contact survey (Revision of a currently approved collection).

The Bureau of Justice Statistics, Office of Justice Programs, United States Department of Justice, has submitted the following information collection request for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval is being sought for information collection listed below. This proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on February 22, 1999, allowing for 60 days for public comment.

The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comments until May 12, 1999. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 Code of Federal Regulation, Part 1320, 10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20530. Comments may also be submitted to the

Department of Justice (DOJ), Justice Management Division, Information Management and Security Staff, Attention: Department Deputy Clearance Officer, Suite 850, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four:

(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 agency's/component's estimate of the burden of the 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 collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated electronic, mechanical, or other technologies collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of this information:

(1) *Type of information collection:* Regular collection (Revision of a currently approved collection.)

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* National Crime Victimization Survey, Police Public Contact Supplement.

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the department sponsoring the collection:* PPCS-1.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Eligible respondents to the survey must be age 12 or older. The Police Public Contract Supplement fulfills the mandate set forth by the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 to collect, evaluate, and publish data on the use of the excessive force by law enforcement personnel. The survey will be conducted as a supplement to the National Crime Victimization Survey in all sample households for a six (6) month period. Other: None.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/reply:* 94,500 respondent at an average of 0.05 hours (1 minute each) plus the 55 minutes for the NCVS questionnaire.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 4,734 total hours in addition to the 88,282 total hours for the NCVS questionnaire for a grand total of 93,016 hours.

If additional information is required, contact: Mrs. Brenda E. Dyer, Deputy Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: April 6, 1999.

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Office of Justice Programs

#### **Bureau of Justice Assistance; Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request**

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection under review; (Reinvestment without change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired). Denial of Federal benefits for drug offenders.

The Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, has submitted the following information collection request for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Office of Management and Budget approval is being sought for the information collection listed below. This proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on December 3, 1998, allowing for a 60-day public comment period.

The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comment until May 12, 1999. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20530. Additionally, comments may be submitted to OMB via facsimile to (202) 395-7285. Comments may also be submitted to the Department of Justice (DOJ), Justice Management Division, Information Management and Security Staff, Attention: Department Deputy Clearance Officer, Suite 850, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

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

(2) 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;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) 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 technologies collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses

Overview of this information:

(1) *Type of information collection:* Reinstatement without change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired.

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* Denial of Federal Benefits for Drug Offenders.

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* The form number is 3500/2, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance, United States Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: State Courts. Other: none.

The Denial of Federal Benefits for Drug Offenders, P.L. 100-690, contains a collection of information requirements to ensure that convicted offenders do not receive Federal benefits that have been denied by court action.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/reply:* It is estimated that 500 respondents will complete this form. A respondent will take an estimate of 5 minutes to complete each form.

(6) *An estimate of the total public (in hours) associated with the collection:* It is estimated that the total public burden associated with this collection is 41 annual burden hours.

If additional information is required contact: Mrs. Brenda E. Dyer, Deputy Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20530.