

**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-4445-N-10]

**Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Comment Request****AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing, HUD.**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below will be 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: June 21, 1999.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Wayne Eddins, Reports Management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, Room 4176, Washington, DC 20410.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Diane L. Lobasso, Office of Insured Single Family Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20410, telephone (202) 708-2191 (this is not a toll free number) for copies of the proposed forms and other available information.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department is submitting the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) 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; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (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 the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* NOFA for Secondary Market for Non-conforming Loans to Low Wealth Borrowers Demonstration Program.

*OMB Control Number, if applicable:* 2502-0535.

*Description of the need for the information and proposed use:*

The Department will collect information from grantees (non-profits) to assess their ability to participate in the demonstration program. Information will also be collected on a quarterly basis and at the conclusion of the demonstration to assess the outcome of the program.

*Agency form numbers, if applicable:* None.

*Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response:* The estimated number of respondents is 36, frequency of responses is quarterly, the total annual responses are 6, and the estimated annual burden hours requested is 825.

*Status of the proposed information collection:*

**Authority:** The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: April 12, 1999.

**William C. Appgar,**

*Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-4441-N-22]

**Submission for OMB Review: Comment Request****AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for 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: May 24, 1999.

**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:** Wayne Eddins, Reports management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, Southwest, Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708-1305. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of the proposed forms and other available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Mr. Eddins.

**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 or respondents, frequency of response, and hours or 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: April 16, 1999.

**David S. Cristy,**

*Director, ISP and Management.*

*Title of Proposal:* Information Collection for regulation of the Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae) and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (Freddie Mac).

*Office:* Housing.

*OMB Approval Number:* 2502-0514.

*Description of the Need for the Information and Its Proposed Use:* HUD will collect information on the Government-Sponsored Enterprises (GSEs') business activities to: Measure and monitor compliance with statutorily-mandated housing goals. To foster a continuing dialogue between HUD, the GSEs, Congress and the public on the activities of the GSEs with respect to affordable housing and

underserved mortgage market issues; and to improve the operation of the housing finance market.

*Form Number:* None.  
*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit.

*Frequency of Submission:* On occasion.

Reporting burden	Number of respondents	×	Frequency of response	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
	2		43		64.72		5,632

*Total Estimated Burden Hours:* 5,632.  
*Status:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Contact:* Janet A. Tasker, HUD, (202) 708-2224; Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB, (202) 395-7316.

Dated April 16, 1999.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Endangered and Threatened Species Permit Applications

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of applications.

The following applicants have applied for permits to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*).

#### Permit Number TE 010442

*Applicant:* Missouri Department of Conservation, NW Regional Office, St. Joseph, Missouri.

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture and hold for artificial propagation) Topeka shiners (*Notropis topeka*) from the Moniteau Creek watershed in Cooper and Moniteau Counties, Missouri. Take from the wild is proposed for the purpose of captive propagation and development of propagation techniques for Topeka shiner. Propagation will take place at the Blind Pony Fish Hatchery in Sweet Springs, Missouri. Proposed work is anticipated to result in the enhancement of survival of the species in the wild.

#### Permit Number TE 805269

*Applicant:* Dr. Dan Soluk, Center for Aquatic Ecology, Illinois Natural History Survey, Champaign, IL

The applicant requests an amendment to his existing endangered species permit for Hine's emerald dragonfly (*Somatochlora hineana*) to include collection (limited lethal take) of specimens for scientific research to

enhance survival of the species in the wild.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Regional Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Ecological Services Operations (Attn: Ms. Lisa Mandell), 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056, and must be received within 30 days of the date of this publication.

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to the following office within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Ecological Services Operations, 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056. Telephone: (612/713-5343); FAX: (612/713-5292).

Dated: April 15, 1999.

**Lisa L. Mandell,**

*Acting Assistant Regional Director, Ecological Services, Region 3, Fort Snelling, Minnesota.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Notice of Receipt of Applications for Permit

The following applicants have applied for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*):

PRT-008519

*Applicant:* Zoo Atlanta, Atlanta, GA

The applicant requests a permit to import one male and one female captive-born giant panda (*Ailuropoda melanoleuca*) from Chengdu, China, for scientific research and for the enhancement of the survival of the species through captive breeding.

PRT-009239

*Applicant:* University of California, Davis, CA

The applicant requests a permit to import hair and blood samples from wild and captive-held Orangutans

(*Pongo pygmaeus pygmaeus*) from Sarawak, Malaysia, for the enhancement of the species in the wild through scientific research and conservation.

PRT-010593

*Applicant:* Donald D. Schmitz, Tucson, AZ

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

PRT-010618

*Applicant:* Anthony N. Sciuillo, Wexford, PA

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

PRT-008873

*Applicant:* Duke University, Durham, NC

The applicant request a permit to import samples from wild Zanzibar red colobus monkey (*Procolobus kirki*) in Zanzibar, Tanzania for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through scientific research.

PRT-009445

*Applicant:* University of Georgia, Athens, GA

The applicant request a permit to import samples from various Psittaciformes held in captivity in various countries for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through scientific research.

PRT-007642

*Applicant:* Have Trunk Will Travel, Perris, CA

The applicant request a permit to re-import, re-export, and sale in foreign commerce one pre-convention Asian elephant (*Elephas maximus*) to African Lion Safari, Ontario, Canada, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through propagation.

PRT-797878, 009987, 009988

*Applicant:* Cat Dancers Ranch, Alachua, FL

The applicant requests a permit to re-export and re-import leopard (*Panthera*