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*Number of Respondents:* 20,000.

*Number of Annual Responses:* 462,320.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* Varies from 5 minutes to disclose certification records to 1 hour to conduct rated load tests.

*Total Burden Hours:* 174,062.

*Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs:* \$0.

*Total Annual Costs (Operating/Maintaining Systems or Purchasing Services):* \$0.

*Description:* 29 CFR 1910.180 ("the Standard") regulates the operation of crawler, locomotive, and truck cranes. The paperwork provisions of the Standard specify requirements for developing, maintaining, and disclosing inspection records for cranes and ropes, as well as disclosing written reports of rated load tests.

*Agency:* Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

*Type of Review:* Extension of currently approved collection.

*Title:* Overhead and Gantry Cranes Standard (29 CFR 1910.179).

*OMB Number:* 1218-0224.

*Frequency:* On occasion and monthly.

*Type of Response:* Recordkeeping and third party disclosure.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit; not-for-profit institutions; Federal government; and State, local, or tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 35,000.

*Number of Annual Responses:* 720,595.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* Varies from 5 minutes to disclose certification records to 2 hours to obtain and post rated load information on cranes.

*Total Burden Hours:* 360,179.

*Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs:* \$0.

*Total Annual Costs (Operating/Maintaining Systems or Purchasing Services):* \$0.

*Description:* 29 CFR 1910.179 ("the Standard") regulates the operation of overhead and gantry cranes. The paperwork provisions of the Standard specify requirements for: Marking the rated load of cranes; preparing certification records to verify the inspection of the crane hooks, hoist chains, and ropes; and preparing reports of rated load test for repaired hooks or modified cranes. Records and reports must be maintained and disclosed upon request.

*Agency:* Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

*Type of Review:* Extension of currently approved collection.

*Title:* Standard on Mechanical Power Presses (29 CFR 1910.217(e)(1)(i) and (e)(1)(ii)).

*OMB Number:* 1218-0229.

*Frequency:* Weekly and monthly.

*Type of Response:* Recordkeeping and third party disclosure.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit; not-for-profit institutions; Federal government; and State, local, or tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 295,000.

*Number of Annual Responses:* 9,975,130.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* Varies from 2 minutes to disclose certification records to 20 minutes to inspect the parts, auxiliary equipment, and safeguards of each mechanical power press.

*Total Burden Hours:* 1,373,054.

*Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs:* \$0.

*Total Annual Costs (Operating/Maintaining Systems or Purchasing Services):* \$0.

*Description:* The purpose of the information collection requirements in the Standard on Mechanical Power Presses (29 CFR 1910.217(e)(1)(i) and (e)(1)(ii)) is to reduce employees' risk of death or serious injury by ensuring that employers maintain the mechanical power presses used by the employees in safe operating condition.

*Agency:* Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

*Type of Review:* Extension of currently approved collection.

*Title:* Additional Requirements for Special Dipping and Coating Operations (Dip Tanks) (29 CFR 1910.126(g)(4)).

*OMB Number:* 1218-0237.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Type of Response:* Recordkeeping and third party disclosure.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit; not-for-profit institutions; Federal government; and State, local, or tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 1.

*Number of Annual Responses:* 1.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* N/A.

*Total Burden Hours:* 1.

*Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs:* \$0.

*Total Annual Costs (Operating/Maintaining Systems or Purchasing Services):* \$0.

*Description:* The standard on Additional Requirements for Special Dipping and Coating Operations, (29 CFR 1910.126(g)(4)), requires employers to post a conspicuous sign near each piece of electrostatic-detecting equipment that notifies employees of the minimum safe distance they must maintain between goods undergoing

electrostatic detearing and the electrodes or conductors of the equipment used in the process. Doing so reduces the likelihood of igniting the explosive chemicals used in electrostatic-detecting operations.

OSHA has determined that where electrostatic equipment is being used, the information has already been ascertained and that the "safe distance" has been displayed on a sign in a permanent manner. OSHA has had discussions with individuals familiar with the use of this equipment, leading the Agency to believe that this equipment is no longer being manufactured or used due to changes in technology. OSHA does not believe there is any burden associated with the information collection requirement in the provision and is, therefore, estimating zero burden hours and no cost to the employer.

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Office of the Secretary

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

May 26, 2004.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection request (ICR) 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 ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by contacting the Department of Labor (DOL). To obtain documentation, contact Ira Mills on 202-693-4122 (this is not a toll-free number) or e-mail: [mills.ira@dol.gov](mailto:mills.ira@dol.gov).

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for DOL, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503, 202-395-7316 (this is not a toll-free number), within 30 days from the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

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 technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

*Agency:* Employment and Training Administration.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Title:* Benefit Rights and Experience Report.

*OMB Number:* 1205-0177.

*Frequency:* Quarterly.

*Affected Public:* State, local, or tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 53.

*Number of Annual Responses:* 216.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 30 minutes.

*Burden Hours Total:* 108.

*Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs:* \$0.

*Total Annual Costs (Operating/Maintaining Systems or Purchasing Services):* \$0.

*Description:* Data for this report is a by-product of operating the program. It is transmitted electronically to the National Office quarterly. This data is used by the National Office in solvency studies, cost estimating and modeling, and to assess State benefit formulas. If this data were not available, cost estimating and modeling would be less accurate.

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Office of the Secretary

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

May 25, 2004.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection request (ICR) 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

ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by contacting the Department of Labor (DOL). To obtain documentation, contact Ira Mills on 202-693-4122 (this is not a toll-free number) or e-mail: [mills.ira@dol.gov](mailto:mills.ira@dol.gov).

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- 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
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*Agency:* Employment and Training Administration.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Title:* Transmittal of Unemployment Insurance Materials.

*OMB Number:* 1205-0222.

*Frequency:* As needed.

*Affected Public:* State, local, or tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 53.

*Number of Annual Responses:* 80.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* One minute.

*Burden Hours Total:* 53.

*Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs:* \$0.

*Total Annual Costs (Operating/Maintaining Systems or Purchasing Services):* \$0.

*Description:* The information collected on the Form MA 8-7 is used by the Secretary to make findings required for certification to the Secretary of the Treasury for payment to States or for certification of the State law for purposes of additional tax credit. If this information is not collected, the

Secretary cannot make such certifications.

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Office of the Secretary

#### Combating Exploitive Child Labor Through Education in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) Region; Combating Exploitive Child Labor Through Education in Ethiopia, Mozambique, Rwanda, and Zambia

June 3, 2004.

**AGENCY:** Bureau of International Labor Affairs, Department of Labor.

*Announcement Type:* New. Notice of Availability of Funds and Solicitation for Cooperative Agreement Applications.

*Funding Opportunity Number:* SGA 04-09.

*Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number:* Not applicable.

*Key Dates:* Deadline for Submission of Application is July 6, 2004.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of International Labor Affairs, will award up to U.S. \$24 million through one or more cooperative agreements to an organization or organizations to improve access to quality education programs as a means to combat exploitive child labor in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) region (up to \$8 million) and in the African sub-region of Ethiopia, Mozambique, Rwanda, and Zambia (up to \$16 million). The activities funded will complement and expand upon existing projects and programs to improve basic education in these regions, and, where applicable, provide access to basic education to children in areas with a high incidence of exploitive child labor. For both regions, applications must be regional in approach and respond to the entire Statement of Work outlined in this Solicitation for Cooperative Agreement Applications. In the MENA region, activities under this cooperative agreement must focus on the prevention and elimination of exploitive child labor through basic education throughout the region, with direct education interventions in Lebanon and Yemen, and must also specifically address the need to expand access to girls' education, involve civil society, and build models to strengthen institutional capacity to eliminate exploitive child