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Acting 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: 1997 Economic Census Covering Retail Trade, Foodservices, Drinking Places, and Accommodations Sectors
Form Number(s): Various.

Agency Approval Number: None.

Type of Request: New collection.

Burden: 993,000 hours in FY 1998; 1 hour in FY 1996&7.

Number of Respondents: 1,291,003.

Avg Hours Per Response: 46 minutes.

Needs and Uses: The economic census is the primary source of facts about the structure and functioning of the Nation's economy and features unique industry and geographic detail. Economic census statistics serve as part of the framework for the national accounts and provide essential information for government, business and the general public. The 1997 Economic Census will cover virtually every sector of the U. S. economy including more than 1.1 million retail establishments, and more than .5 million foodservices, drinking places, and accommodations establishments. The information collected from businesses in this sector of the economic census will produce basic statistics by kind of business for number of establishments, sales, payroll, and employment. It also will yield a variety of subject statistics, including sales by merchandise line, sales by class of customer, and other industry-specific measures.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit, individuals or households, not-for-profit institutions, state, local or tribal government.

Frequency: Every 5 years.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.
OMB Desk Officer: Jerry Coffey, (202) 395-7314.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Dan Haigler, Acting 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.

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Agency: Bureau of the Census.

Title: 1997 Economic Census Covering the Wholesale Trade Sector.

Form Number(s): Various.

Agency Approval Number: None.

Type of Request: New collection.

Burden: 634,400 hours in FY 1998; 1 hour in FY 1996&7.

Number of Respondents: 540,000.

Avg Hours Per Response: 1 hour and 10 minutes.

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Bureau of the Census

[Docket No. 960529150-6150-01]

Survey of Environmental Products and Services

AGENCY: Bureau of the Census, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of consideration.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Bureau of the Census is considering a proposal to conduct the Survey of Environmental Products and Services for the year 1995 under the authority of Title 13, United States Code, Sections 131 and 193. On the basis of information and recommendations received by the Bureau of the Census and other agencies, the data have significant application to the needs of the public and industry.

DATES: Any suggestions or recommendations concerning the proposed survey should be submitted in writing by July 17, 1996 in order to receive consideration.

ADDRESSES: Director, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Elinor Champion, Chief, Environmental, Technical and Innovation Branch, Manufacturing and Construction Division (301) 457-4683.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The primary users of these data will be numerous Government agencies, including the Bureau of the Census, Environmental Protection Agency, and the International Trade Administration. Other users include business firms, academics, trade associations, and research and consulting organizations. The data will be used to measure and analyze the environmental industry and serve as a tool to promote international trade of environmental goods. The

information to be developed from this survey is necessary for comprehensive and detailed measurement of environmental goods and services. The data collected in this survey will be within the general scope and nature of those inquiries covered by the economic census.

This survey has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, Public Law 104-13. Copies of the proposed form are made available on request to the Director, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

Dated: May 29, 1996.

Martha Farnsworth Riche,
Director, Bureau of the Census.

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Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 814]

Grant of Authority; Establishment of a Foreign-Trade Zone; Fort Myers, FL

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas, by an Act of Congress approved June 18, 1934, an Act "To provide for the establishment of foreign-trade zones in ports of entry of the United States, to expedite and encourage foreign commerce, and for other purposes," as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u) (the Act), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) is authorized to grant to qualified corporations the privilege of establishing foreign-trade zones in or adjacent to U.S. Customs ports of entry;

Whereas, the Lee County Port Authority (the Grantee) has made application to the Board (FTZ Docket 35-94, 59 FR 59398, 11/17/94), requesting the establishment of a foreign-trade zone at two sites in Fort Myers, Florida, at and adjacent to the Southwest Florida International Airport, a Customs user fee airport; and,

Whereas, notice inviting public comment has been given in the Federal Register, and the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report and finds that the requirements of the Act and the Board's regulations are satisfied, and that approval of the application is in the public interest;

Now, Therefore, the Board hereby grants to the Grantee the privilege of establishing a foreign-trade zone,

designated on the records of the Board as Foreign-Trade Zone No. 213, at the sites described in the application, subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28, and subject to the standard 2,000-acre activation limit.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 5th day of June 1996.

Foreign-Trade Zones Board.

Michael Kantor,

Secretary of Commerce, Chairman and Executive Officer.

Attest:

John J. Da Ponte, Jr.,

Executive Secretary.

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[Docket No. 48-96]

Foreign-Trade Zone No. 85, Everett, WA; Reissuance of Grant of Authority

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board (the Board) by the Puget Sound Foreign-Trade Zone Association, grantee of FTZ 85, Everett, Washington, requesting the reissuance of the grant of authority for FTZ 85 to the Port of Everett, a Washington public corporation, which has concurrently requested to become the new grantee of the zone project. The application was submitted pursuant to the provisions of the FTZ Act, as amended (U.S.C. 81a-81u) and the regulations of the Board (15 CFR Part 400). It was formally filed on May 31, 1996.

Public comment (original and 3 copies) is invited from interested parties (see FTZ Board address below). The closing date for their receipt is July 17, 1996.

A copy of the application will be available for public inspection at the following location: Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, Room 3716, 14th & Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Dated: June 10, 1996.

John J. Da Ponte, Jr.,

Executive Secretary.

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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[Docket No. 950407092-6099-02]

RIN: 0648-XX12

Climate and Global Change Program

AGENCY: Office of Global Programs, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Climate and Global Change Program represents a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) contribution to evolving national and international programs designed to improve our ability to observe, understand, predict, and respond to changes in the global environment. This program builds on NOAA's mission requirements and longstanding capabilities in global change research and prediction. The NOAA Program is a key contributing element of the U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP), which is coordinated by the interagency Committee on Environmental and Natural Resources. NOAA's program is designed to complement other agency contributions to that national effort.

DATES: Strict deadlines for submission to the FY 1997 process are: Letters of intent must be received at OGP no later than July 19, 1996. Full proposals must be received at OGP no later than September 20, 1996.

Applicants who have not received a response to their letter of intent by August 9, 1996 should contact the program office. The time from target date to grant award varies with program area. We anticipate that review of full proposals will occur during late 1996 through early 1997 and funding should begin during the spring of 1997 for most approved projects. May 1, 1997, should be used as the proposed start date on proposals, unless otherwise directed by the appropriate Program Officer.

Applicants should be notified of their status within 6 months. All proposals must be submitted in accordance with the guidelines below. Failure to heed these guidelines may result in proposals being returned without review.

ADDRESSES: Proposals may be submitted to: Office of Global Programs, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, 1100 Wayne Avenue, Suite 1225, Silver Spring, MD 20910-5603.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Irma dePree at the above address, or at phone: (301) 427-2089 ext. 17, fax: (301) 427-2073, Internet: dePree@ogp.noaa.gov.