

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Questions regarding this action may be directed to: Major Mark R. Lindon, Army Endangered Species Team, (703) 695-2452; Mr. Phil Pierce, Army Endangered Species Team, (703) 693-0678; or Major Thomas E. Ayres, Army Endangered Species Team, (703) 696-1572.

Raymond J. Fatz,

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Environment, Safety and Occupational Health) OASA (I, L&E).*

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**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION****Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests**

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Proposed collection; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The Director, Information Resources Group, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before August 26, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Patrick J. Sherrill (202) 708-8196. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Director of the Information Resources Group publishes

this notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department, (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner, (3) is the estimate of burden accurate, (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected, and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.

Dated: June 20, 1996.

Gloria Parker,

*Director, Information Resources Group.*

Office of Management

*Type of Review:* Revision.

*Title:* Amendment to the Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR), 34 CFR 75.200–75.211.

*Frequency:* Annually.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit; Not for Profit institutions; State, Local or Tribal Government, SEAs or LEAs.

*Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:*

Responses: 1.

Burden Hours: 1.

*Abstract:* The proposed rulemaking would amend EDGAR to establish a menu of selection criteria. For each competition, the Secretary would select one or more criteria that best enable the Department to identify the highest quality applications consistent with the program purpose, statutory requirements, and any priorities established. The amendments would also allow the Secretary the flexibility to weight the criteria according to the needs of each individual program. This menu of selection criteria will provide the Department the flexibility to choose a set of criteria tailored to a given competition and obviate the need to create specific selection criteria through individual program regulations.

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### Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Submission for OMB review; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The Acting Director, Information Resources Group, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before July 26, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Dan Chenok, Desk Officer, Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503. Requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick

J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202–4651.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Patrick J. Sherrill (202) 708–8196.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Acting Director of the Information Resources Group publishes this notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

Dated: June 20, 1996.

Arthur F. Chantker,

*Acting Director, Information Resources Group.*

Office Postsecondary Education

*Type of Review:* Revision.

*Title:* Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

*Frequency:* Annually.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Burden:*

Responses: 10,065,439.

Burden Hours: 9,095,479.

*Abstract:* Collects identifying and financial information from students applying for Federal student aid for postsecondary education. Used to calculate Expected Family Contribution

and determine eligibility for grants and loans, under Title IV of the Higher Education Act.

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### Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services; the National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards Under Certain Programs for Fiscal Year 1996

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Correction notice.

**SUMMARY:** On June 4, 1996 a notice inviting applications for new awards under certain programs for fiscal year 1996 was published in the Federal Register at 61 FR 28443. This notice corrects the placement of two tables that appear in the June 4, 1996 Federal Register notice.

On page 28443 a table appears with information related to the Rehabilitation Engineering Research Center Program. On page 28446 a table appears with information related to the Research and Demonstration Program. The placement of these two tables should be reversed so that each table appears directly after the "Purpose of the Program" section of the notice for each of the programs.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dianne Villines, U.S. Department of Education, Room 3417 Switzer Building, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20202–2704. Telephone: (202) 205–9141. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the TDD number at (202) 205–8887.

Authority: 29 U.S.C. 760–76.

Dated: June 17, 1996.

Judith E. Heumann,

*Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Office of Fossil Energy

[FE Docket Nos. 96–15–NG, 96–17–NG, 96–18–NG, 96–19–NG, 96–20–NG, 96–23–NG, 96–22–NG, 87–53–NG, 96–24–NG, 96–21–NG]

### Orders Granting Authorization To Import and/or Export Natural Gas

In the matter of New York State Electrical & Gas Corporation, Chevron U.S.A. Inc.,