

Drug Enforcement Administration**EIS I and II Supplementation**

AGENCY: Drug Enforcement Administration, United States Department of Justice.

ACTION: Notice of intent to supplement programmatic environmental impact statements and explanation of the scope of study.

SUMMARY: A supplement to the programmatic environmental impact statements on eradication of Cannabis on Federal Lands in the continental United States (DEA-EIS-1), finalized in July 1985, and on Eradication of Cannabis on Non-Federal and Indian Lands in the Contiguous United States and Hawaii (DEA-EIS-2), finalized in May 1986, will be prepared. The supplement will consider current data pertinent to chemical treatment alternatives and techniques that have been developed in the past decade. Comments on this notice are welcome.

DATES: This order is effective August 13, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James E. Cappola, Chief, State and Local Programs Section, Drug Enforcement Administration, Washington, DC 20537, Telephone: (202) 307-8918.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The records of decision executed for the Cannabis eradication programmatic impact statements adopted the preferred alternative of operational flexibility which gives planners and decision makers at the action level the leeway to choose eradication techniques best suited to the situation from the standpoint of both efficacy and respect for the quality of the human environment. Those choices invariably are informed by environmental assessment processes tied to the programmatic documentation. This approach to planning and decision making has enabled law enforcement officials to be responsive to everchanging circumstances in the field while remaining sensitive to local environment concerns.

Regulations implementing the National Environmental Policy Act call for the preparations of supplements to environmental concerns and bearing on the program or its impacts. 40 CFR 1502.9(c)(1)(ii). In the decade that has passed since the impact statements were finalized, considerable additional data about treatment alternatives employed in the Cannabis eradication program have been generated. New chemical treatment alternatives and techniques may also be available for use in the program. The supplement announced

here will consider these issues, update analyses relative to environmental consequences of the program, and, to the extent warranted, modify the menu of treatment alternatives and mitigation options from which planners and decision makers may choose at the action level.

Dated: August 7, 1996.
Harold D. Wankel,
Chief of Operations.
[FR Doc. 96-20611 Filed 8-12-96; 8:45 am]
BILLING CODE 4410-09-M

Office of Justice Programs**National Institute of Justice**

[OJP (NIJ) No.1095]

[RIN 1121-ZA45]

**National Institute of Justice
Solicitation for Evaluation of Arrest
Policies Program**

AGENCY: Office of Justice Programs, National Institute of Justice, Justice.

ACTION: Notice of solicitation.

SUMMARY: Announcement of the availability of the National Institute of Justice "Solicitation for the Evaluation of Arrest Policies Program."

DATES: The deadline for receipt of proposals is close of business on September 6, 1996.

ADDRESSES: National Institute of Justice, 633 Indiana Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20531.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Angela Moore Parmley at 202-307-0145 or Bernard Auchter at 202-307-0154.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Authority**

This action is authorized under the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, §§ 201-03, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 3721-23 (1994).

Background

The National Institute of Justice is soliciting proposals for the evaluation of arrest policies programs funded by the Office of Justice Programs in 1996 under the Violence Against Women Act, Title IV of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994. The request responds to the need for research to assess the effectiveness of arrest in the context of a systemwide, coordinated approach to domestic violence. Interested organizations should call the National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS) at 1-800-851-3420 to obtain a copy of "Solicitation for Evaluation of Arrest Policies Program"

(refer to document no. SL000175). The solicitation is available electronically via the NCJRS Bulletin Board, which can be accessed via Internet. Telnet to ncjrsbbs.ncjrs.org, or gopher to ncjrs.org:71. For World Wide Web access, connect to the NCJRS Justice Information Center at <http://www.ncjrs.org>. Those without Internet access can dial the NCJRS Bulletin Board via modem: dial 301-738-8895. Set the modem at 9600 baud, 8-N-1. Jeremy Travis,
Director, National Institute of Justice.
[FR Doc. 96-20565 Filed 8-12-96; 8:45 am]
BILLING CODE 4410-18-P

National Institute of Justice

[OJP (NIJ) No.1096]

RIN 1121-ZA46

**National Institute of Justice
Solicitation for Evaluations of the
Residential Substance Abuse
Treatment for State Prisoners Program**

AGENCY: Office of Justice Programs, National Institute of Justice, Justice.

ACTION: Notice of solicitation.

SUMMARY: Announcement of the availability of the National Institute of Justice "Solicitation for Evaluations of the Residential Substance Abuse Treatment for State Prisoners Program."

DATES: The deadline for receipt of proposals is close of business on September 4, 1996.

ADDRESSES: National Institute of Justice, 633 Indiana Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20531.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tawana Waugh, U.S. Department of Justice Response Center, at 800-421-6770 (in Metropolitan Washington, DC, 202-307-1480).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Authority**

This action is authorized under the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, §§ 201-03, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 3721-23 (1994).

Background

The Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 authorizes programs to support both treatment and punishment of drug-using and violent offenders. The Residential Substance Abuse Treatment for State Prisoners Formula Grant Program, created by Subtitle U of the Act, addresses the treatment goal by providing funding for the development of substance abuse treatment programs in State and local

correctional facilities. States are encouraged to adopt comprehensive approaches to substance abuse treatment for offenders, including relapse prevention and aftercare services. Program grant awards will be made to the State office that is designated under Section 507 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act to administer the Edward Byrne Memorial State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance Formula Grant Program.

The National Institute of Justice (NIJ) is soliciting proposals for evaluations of the Residential Substance Abuse Treatment for State Prisoners Program. It is anticipated that up to ten awards will be made for local evaluations of programs in individual States participating in the Program. Each of these awards is expected to be funded for up to \$50,000 for a period of up to 15 months. Researchers will be eligible to conduct at most one local evaluation in collaboration with the appropriate state agencies; these funds are intended to encourage multiple, non-redundant evaluations and build research capacity in this topic area. It is anticipated that one award will be given to conduct a national evaluation, that the amount of this award will be up to \$500,000 and that the duration will be up to 24 months. Interested organizations should call the National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS) at 1-800-851-3420 to obtain a copy of "Solicitation for Evaluations of the Residential Substance Abuse Treatment for State Prisoners Program" (refer to document no. SL000176). The solicitation is available electronically via the NCJRS Bulletin Board, which can be accessed via Internet. Telnet to ncjrsbbs.ncjrs.org, or gopher to ncjrs.org:71. For World Wide Web access, connect to the NCJRS Justice Information Center at <http://www.ncjrs.org>. Those without Internet access can dial the NCJRS Bulletin Board via modem: dial 301-738-8895. Set modem at 9600 baud, 8-N-1.

Jeremy Travis,

Director, National Institute of Justice.

[FR Doc. 96-20566 Filed 8-12-96; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 4410-18-P

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

[OJP No. 1097]

ZRIN 1121-ZA47

Notice of Meeting of the Coalition for Juvenile Justice

AGENCY: Office of Justice Programs, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, Justice.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention is announcing the meeting of the Coalition for Juvenile Justice.

DATES: This conference will begin at 9:00 a.m. on September 5, 1996, and end at 12:00 noon on September 8, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Freida Thomas, 202-307-5924, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, 633 Indiana Avenue, N.W., Room 543, Washington, D.C. 20531.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. app. I), the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) announces the meeting of the Coalition for Juvenile Justice. This conference will begin at 9:00 a.m. on September 5, 1996, and end at 12:00 noon on September 8, 1996. This advisory committee, chartered as the Coalition for Juvenile Justice, will meet at the DoubleTree Hotel at Horton Plaza, 910 Broadway Circle, San Diego, California 92101. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss and adopt recommendations from members regarding the committee's responsibility to advise the OJJDP Administrator, the President and the Congress about State perspectives on the operation of the OJJDP and Federal legislation pertaining to juvenile justice and delinquency prevention.

This meeting will be open to the public.

Dated: August 8, 1996.

Shay Bilchik,

Administrator, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention.

[FR Doc. 96-20607 Filed 8-12-96; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 4410-18-P

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of Justice Programs, Justice.

ACTION: Notice of Information Collection Under Review; Individual Gang Member

Interview and Associated Tests, Evaluation of the "Comprehensive Community-Wide Approach to Gang Prevention, Intervention, and Suppression Program".

Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval is being sought for the information collection listed below. This proposed information collection was previously published in the Federal Register and allowed 60 days for public comment.

The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comments from the date listed at the top of this page in the Federal Register. 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, 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 Clearance Officer, Suite 850, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC, 20530. Additionally, comments may be submitted to DOJ via facsimile to 202-514-1534. 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 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.

Overview of this information collection: