

Office of Educational Research and Improvement

Type of Review: New

Title: FRSS-Public School Survey on Parental Involvement

Frequency: One-Time

Affected Public: Not-for-profit institutions

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 900

Burden Hours: 405

Abstract: This study measures school promotion of partnerships with parents and families to support the academic work of children at home and shared educational decision making at school. Six different areas are covered from the school's perspective: helping parents establish supportive home environments for their children's academic work; effective home school communications; parental involvement in school decision making; recognition of needs for flexible schedules to accommodate working parents

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Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice of proposed information collection requests.

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

DATES: An emergency review has been requested in accordance with the Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 3707(j)), since public harm is reasonably likely to result if normal clearance procedures are followed. Approval by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has been requested by February 16, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Written comments regarding the emergency review should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Wendy Taylor, 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 request should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 7th & D Streets, SW., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.

DATES: A regular clearance process is also beginning. Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before April 9, 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, SW., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651, or should be electronic mailed to the internet address #FIRB@ed.gov, or should be faxed to 202-708-9346.

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(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 3506(c)(2)(A)) requires that the Director of OMB provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. The Office of Management and Budget (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 at the beginning of the Departmental review of the information collection. 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. ED 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, (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology, and (6) Abstract. Because an emergency review is requested, the additional information to be requested in this collection is included in the section on "Additional Information" in this notice.

Dated: February 5, 1996.

Gloria Parker,

Director, Information Resources Group.

Office of Management

Type of Review: Reinstatement

Title: Customer Service Standards Surveys and Focus Groups

Frequency: One Time

Affected Public: Individuals or households; Businesses or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; State, Local or Tribal Government; SEAs or LEAs, Federal Agencies or employees; Non-profit institutions; Small businesses or organizations

Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 200,500

Burden Hours: 101,500

Abstract: As part of the Customer Service Standards Surveys and Focus Groups Information Collection, the Title I National Parent Coalition Survey is designed to determine how the Department can improve customer service. The survey feedback will enable the Department to provide timely, useful information to Title I parents and other Title I related customers

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Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice of proposed information collection requests.

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

DATES: An emergency review has been requested in accordance with the Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 3507 (j)), since public harm is reasonably likely to result if normal clearance procedures are followed. Approval by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has been requested by February 9, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Written comments regarding the emergency review should be addressed to the Office of

Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Dan Chenok, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, 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 request should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 7th & D Streets SW., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.

DATES: A regular clearance process is also beginning. Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before April 9, 1996.

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Dated: February 5, 1996.

Gloria Parker,

Director, Information Resources Group.

Office of Postsecondary Education

Type of Review: Revision

Title: Application for Approval to Participate in Federal Financial Aid Programs

Frequency: On Occasion

Affected Public: Individuals or households; Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions

Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 2,219

Burden Hours: 36,073

Abstract: The Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, requires postsecondary institutions to complete and submit this application as a condition of eligibility for any of the Title IV student financial assistance programs and for the other postsecondary programs authorized by the HEA. An institution must submit the form (1) initially when it first seeks to become eligible for the Title IV programs, (2) every four years after the initial certification ("recertification"), (3) when it changes ownership, merges, or changes from a "profit" to a "non-profit" institution, and (4) to be reinstated to participate in the Title IV programs

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Historically Black Colleges and Universities Capital Financing Advisory Committee; Meeting

AGENCY: Historically Black Colleges and Universities Capital Financing Advisory Committee; Education.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the schedule and proposed agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the Black Colleges and Universities Capital Financing Advisory Committee. This notice also describes the functions of the Committee. Notice of this meeting is required under Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

DATES AND TIMES: February 26, 1996, 9:30 a.m.-12:00 a.m.

ADDRESSES: GSA Training Center, Suite 3208—Rooms A and B, Promenade, 490 L'Enfant Plaza East, Washington, DC 20407.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Lawrence P. Grayson, Executive Director, Historically Black Colleges and Universities Capital Financing Advisory Committee, U.S. Department of Education, Washington, DC 20202-5139, telephone (202) 260-3259.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Historically Black Colleges and Universities Capital Financing Advisory Committee is established under section 727 of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended in 1992 (20 U.S.C. 1132c-6). The Council is established to provide advice and counsel to the Secretary of Education and the designated bonding authority for the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Capital Financing Program as to the most effective and efficient means of implementing construction financing on historically Black college and university campuses and to advise Congress regarding the progress made in implementing the program.

The meeting of the Committee is open to the public. The agenda includes a briefing by members of the designated bonding authority on progress to date in establishing the program and a review of Board positions in light of recent operating experience.

Records are kept of all Committee proceedings, and are available for public inspection at the office of the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Capital Financing Advisory Committee, U.S. Department of Education, Washington, DC 20202-5139, from the hours of 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.