

contained in its regulation on Extension of Special Withdrawal Liability Rules (29 CFR part 2645).

ADDRESSES: All written comments should be addressed to: Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (1212-0023), Washington, DC 20503. The request for review will be available for public inspection at the PBGC Communications and Public Affairs Department, Suite 240, 1200 K Street NW., Washington, DC 20005-4026, between the hours at 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This collection of information is contained in the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation's ("PBGC's") regulation on Extension of Special Withdrawal Liability Rules, 29 CFR part 2645.

Sections 4203(f) and 4208(e)(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA") provide for the PBGC's issuance of regulations under which the PBGC may approve a multiemployer pension plan's adoption of special rules for determining whether a complete or partial withdrawal from the plan has occurred. Section 4203(f) also sets standards for the approval of such special rules. The PBGC's regulation on Extension of Special Withdrawal Liability Rules requires the plan sponsor of a plan that adopts special rules to submit information about the rules, the plan, and the industry in which the plan operates with its request for PBGC approval of the rules. The PBGC uses that information in determining whether the plan's special withdrawal liability rules meet the requirements of ERISA.

The PBGC estimates that it receives three requests per year under the regulation and that each request takes sixteen hours to prepare. Thus, the total estimated burden is 48 hours per year.

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Martin Slate,

Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation.

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Request for Review Under the Paperwork Reduction Act; Collection of Information Under 29 CFR Part 2672, Mergers And Transfers Between Multiemployer Plans

AGENCY: Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation.

ACTION: Notice of request for OMB review.

SUMMARY: This notice advises the public that the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation has requested review by the Office of Management and Budget for a collection of information (1212-0022) contained in its regulation on Mergers and Transfers Between Multiemployer Plans (29 CFR part 2672).

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Section 4231 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) imposes requirements on multiemployer plan mergers and transfers and provides that a merger or transfer will be deemed not to be in violation of ERISA section 406 (a) or (b)(2) (dealing with prohibited transactions) if the PBGC determines that those requirements are satisfied. Pursuant to section 4231, the PBGC has promulgated its regulation on Mergers and Transfers Between Multiemployer Plans (29 CFR part 2672), which sets forth (in §§ 2672.2, 2672.7, and 2672.8) the procedures a plan sponsor must follow to give the PBGC notice of a merger or transfer under section 4231 or to request a PBGC determination that a merger or transfer complies with the requirements of section 4231. The PBGC uses information submitted by multiemployer plan sponsors under the regulation to determine whether mergers and transfers conform to the

requirements of ERISA section 4231 and the regulation.

The PBGC estimates that it takes a respondent an average of 5 hours to prepare a submission under the regulation and, based on its experience, that about 20 submissions are made each year.

Accordingly, the estimated burden of the collection of information is 100 hours.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Request Under Review by Office of Management and Budget

Acting Agency Clearance Officer: David T. Copenhafer, (202) 942-8800

Upon written request copies available from: Securities and Exchange Commission, Office of Filings and Information Services, Washington DC 20549

Proposed Amendment Form BD File No. 270-19

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), the Securities and Exchange Commission has submitted for the Office of Management and Budget approval on the proposed amendments to Form BD [17 CFR 249.501] under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78a *et seq.*).

Form BD is used to apply for registration as a broker-dealer and for firms other than banks and registered broker-dealers to apply for registration as a municipal securities dealer or a government securities broker-dealer. Form BD also is used to amend such applications when any information previously filed on Form BD becomes inaccurate. It is estimated that 1,200 broker-dealers annually will incur an average burden of 2.75 hours to file initial or successor applications for registration on Form BD for an annual burden of 3,300 hours. It also is estimated that broker-dealers will file 12,000 amendments annually, and will incur an average burden of 20 minutes to file amendments on Form BD for an annual burden of 3,960 hours. The total annual burden for Form BD and Form BD amendments is 7,260 hours.

Direct general comments to the Clearance Officer for the Securities and