economic census, conducted under authority of Title 13 U.S.C., 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 approximately 30,000 mineral establishments.

The information collected from establishments in this sector of the economic census will produce basic statistics for number of establishments, shipments, payroll, employment, detailed supplies and fuels consumed, depreciable assets, and capital expenditures. It also will yield a variety of subject statistics, including shipments by product line, type of operation, and other industry-specific measures.

II. Method of Collection

We will select establishments in the mining sector of the economic census for inclusion in the mail canvass from a frame given by the Census Bureau's Standard Statistical Establishment List. To be eligible for selection, an establishment will be required to satisfy the following conditions: (i) It must be classified in the mining sector; (ii) it must be an active operating establishment of a multi-establishment firm (including operations under exploration and development), or it must be a single-establishment firm with payroll; and (iii) it must be located in one of the 50 states or the District of Columbia. Mail selection procedures will distinguish the following groups of establishments:

A. Establishments of Multi-Establishment Firms

Selection procedures will assign all active mineral operating establishments of multi-establishment firms to the mail component of the potential respondent universe. We estimate that the census mail canvass for 1997 will include approximately 8,000 establishments of multi-establishment firms.

B. Single-Establishment Firms With Payroll

As an initial step in the selection process, we will conduct a study of the potential respondent universe for mining. The study of potential respondents will produce a set of industry-specific payroll cutoffs that we will use to distinguish large versus small single-establishment firms within each industry. This payroll size distinction will affect selection as follows:

1. Large Single-Establishment Firms

Selection procedures will assign large single-establishment firms having annualized payroll (from Federal administrative records) that equals or exceeds the cutoff for their industry to the mail component of the potential respondent universe. We estimate that the census mail canvass for 1997 will include approximately 7,100 firms in this category. These firms will receive a standard form.

2. Small Single-Establishment Firms

Small single-establishment firms in the crushed stone, sand and gravel, and crude petroleum and natural gas industries where application of the cutoff for nonmail establishments results in a large number of small establishments included in the mail canvass will receive a short form. The short form will collect basic statistics and other essential information that is not available from administrative records.

The short form will be mailed to approximately 2,900 single-establishment firms in these industries which are larger than the nonmail cutoff for their industry, but which have an annual payroll under a certain criteria. In terms of employment, this criteria will identify establishments with approximately 5 to 19 employees.

All remaining single-establishment firms with payroll will be represented in the census by data from Federal administrative records. We will not include approximately 12,000 of these small employers in the census mail canvass.

III. Data

OMB Number: Not Available.

Form Number: The forms used to collect information from establishments in this sector of the economic census are tailored to specific mining operations and are too numerous to list separately in this notice. You can obtain information on the proposed content of the forms by calling Patricia L. Horning on (301) 457–4680.

Type of Review: Regular Review.

Affected Public: Businesses or Other for Profit, Non-profit Institutions, Small Businesses or Organizations, and State or Local Governments.

Estimated Number of Respondents:

Standard Form	15,100
Short Form	2,900
Total	18,000

Estimated Time Per Response:

Standard Form	4.2 hrs
Short Form	2.1 hrs

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:

Standard Form	63,420
Short Form	6,090
Total	69,510

Estimated Total Annual Cost: The cost to the government for this work is included in the total cost of the 1997 Economic Census, estimated to be $218 million.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: May 30, 1996.

Linda Engelmeier,

Acting Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Corps of Engineers

Notice of Availability of Surplus Land and Buildings in Accordance With Public Law 103–421 Located at Letterkenny Army Depot, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania

AGENCY: Corps of Engineers, DoD.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: This notice identifies the surplus real property located at the Letterkenny Army Depot, Chambersburg, PA, approximately 25 miles north of Hagerstown, MD.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

For more information regarding the particular property identified in this Notice (i.e., acreage, floor plans, existing sanitary facilities, exact location), contact Mr. Gerry Bresee, Real Estate Division, Army Corps of Engineers, P.O. Box 1715, Baltimore, MD 21203 (telephone 410–962–5173, fax 410–962–0866).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This surplus is available under the provisions of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1945 and the Base Closure Community Redevelopment and Homeless Assistance Act of 1994. Notices of interest should be forwarded to Mr. David G. Sciamanna, Executive Director, Franklin County Reuse Committee, 75 South Second Street, Chambersburg, PA 17201, telephone (717) 264–7101, fax (717) 267–0399.

The surplus real property totals approximately 1980 acres and contains 339 buildings totaling 4,374,717 square feet of space. Current range of uses include administrative, residential, storage, open recreation and special purpose space. Future uses may include generally the same type of uses.

Gregory D. Showalter,

Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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Availability of Surplus Land and Buildings Located at Red River Army Depot, Texas

AGENCY: Army Corps of Engineers, DOD.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: This notice identifies the surplus real property located at Red River Army Depot, Texas (RRAD). RRAD is located on U.S. Highway 82, in sight of Interstate 30, and U.S. 59, 71, and 67 intersect at Texarkana as will the new I–49. Internal rail networks connect with three trunk lines at Texarkana. A heliport is located on the installation. A commercial airport is within 30 miles of the installation.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For more information regarding particular properties identified in this notice (i.e., acreage floor plans, existing sanitary facilities, exact street address), contact Ms. June Ahrens, U.S. Army Engineer District, Fort Worth, Attn: CESWF–RE–MD, P.O. Box 17300, Fort Worth, TX 76102–0300, (telephone (817) 334–4051); or Judge Carlow at the below address.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This surplus property is available under the provisions of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 and the Base Closure Community Redevelopment and Homeless Assistance Act of 1994. Notices of interest should be forwarded to Local Redevelopment Authority, Judge James M. Carlow, Bowie County Courthouse, P.O. Box 248, New Boston, TX 75570–0248, (telephone (903) 628–2571). The surplus real property totals 578.8 acres and includes 8 office buildings, 13 storage buildings, and 57 other buildings. The current range of uses include industrial, storage, administration, housing and recreation. Future uses may be limited to those described above.

Hyla J. Head,

Chief, Real Estate Division.

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Intent To Prepare a Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the Green Brook Flood Control Project Located in the Green Brook Sub-Basin of the Raritan River Basin, Middlesex, Somerset and Union Counties, NJ

AGENCY: Army Corps of Engineers, New York District, DOD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: A final impact statement was completed for this project and filed in 1981. This supplemental is being prepared to update environmental information and present new potentially significant impacts for review and comment.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. William Richardson, New York District, Army Corps of Engineers, Att: CENAN–PL–ES, 26 Federal Plaza, New York, N.Y. 10278–0090 (212) 264–1275.

SUMMARY INFORMATION: The Green Brook Flood Control Project was created in response to resolutions of the United States Senate Public Works Committee resolutions adopted September 14, 1955 and July 10, 1972 published as H.D. No. 53, 71st Congress. The original notice of intent to prepare an environmental impact statement was published on April 6, 1979 and notice of the final statement was published on June 12, 1981.

The project will provide flood protection to the Green Brook sub-basin to the Raritan River basin. The project area is located in the Counties of Middlesex, Somerset and Union, New Jersey. The protection will consist of a combination of levees, flood walls, channel modification, ponding areas (both excavated and natural) dry detention basins and non-structural flood proofing measures.

The supplemental impact statement will assess potential impacts from the implementation of the New York District Corps of Engineers recommended flood control plan. The District will develop a Draft General Re-evaluation Report for the project that will be available in June 1996.

This notice initiates scoping for this final study stage of this project. Information is requested for environmental concerns which may now exist in the project area and were not discussed in the original NEPA documentation. It is anticipated that public meetings will be on going throughout the re-evaluation process. There will be additional information presented to the public through the Green Brook Flood Control Commission. Agencies and the public are invited to present their environmental concerns to the New York District, Army Corps of Engineers directly.

This supplemental impact statement will discuss the impacts of the recommended plan on wildlife habitat, aquatic resources and wetlands, mitigation for wetland impacts, cultural resource information, the impact of HTRW studies on the project, as well as any new issues which may arise as a result of this process.

The need for scoping meetings specifically related to this process will be evaluated based on agency/public response to this notice and follow-up mailings.

Estimated date of statement availability: June 1996.

Dated: May 9, 1996.

Stuart Piken,

Chief, Planning Division.

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Department of the Navy

Notice of Record of Decision (ROD) for Land Use and Development Plan Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) for Bellows Air Force Station (AFS), Waimanalo, Hawaii

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Section 102(2) of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969 and Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) regulations (40 CFR parts 1500–1508), the U.S. Pacific Command (USPACOM) announces its decision to implement the Land Use and Development Plan FEIS for Bellows AFS, Waimanalo, Hawaii.

1.0 Introduction

In the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1993 (Pub. L. 102–484, section 2853), Congress directed