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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Robert H. Brands, Office of Regulatory Affairs, Division of Federal State Relations (HFC-150), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, rm. 12-07, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-827-2908 or FAX 301-443-2143.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, through FDA and CDC, and USDA, through the Food Safety Inspection Service, will convene six 1-day public meetings to discuss the development of national program standards for State and local retail food protection programs.

Each meeting will feature a general session at which Federal retail food safety goals, including FDA's retail food protection strategic goals and the President's Food Safety Initiative, will be presented.

There will be three concurrent breakout sessions in the morning and three concurrent breakout sessions in the afternoon. Participants will be asked to discuss and provide input on factors considered central to retail food programs.

The morning breakout sessions will address the following: (1) Regulation equivalency—discussions will concern factors considered essential to provide adequate systems of control and coverage based on the Food Code; (2) trained inspection staff—discussions will concern the development of a national model retail food training curriculum; and (3) program resources—discussions will concern the determination of adequate levels of staffing and significant factors influencing successful application of necessary controls.

The afternoon breakout sessions will address the following: (1) Elements of a Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point (HACCP)-based inspection program—discussions will concern application of HACCP principles in retail food inspection and followup activities; (2) enforcement, compliance/program assessment and recognition—discussions will concern the identification of those elements that support a successful compliance and enforcement program. The possible benefits of program recognition in regard to meeting or exceeding minimum standards will also be explored; and (3) foodborne illness response systems—discussions will

concern the program elements necessary to effectively identify and investigate consumer complaints of foodborne illness.

To facilitate meaningful discussions, the meetings will be limited to 75 participants. Preregistration for the meeting is required. An information packet will be available to the public. All comments will be considered and used to develop a summary from each of the regional meetings.

Summaries of the regional meeting will be provided to all registered participants. The public may request copies of these summaries by submitting a written request to the Freedom of Information Office (HFI-35), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, rm. 12A-16, Rockville, MD 20857.

Specific Information Regarding Each of the Meetings

FDA, CDC, and USDA desire a wide range of participants including, but not limited to local, State, and tribal regulatory officials; industry representatives; academicians; and consumers.

Participants will be limited at each of the meeting sites to 75. Preregistration as specified in the following list of sites is required because seating is limited. Persons interested in attending should telephone their name, organization, address, and telephone number to the FDA contact person listed in Table 1.

TABLE 1

Meeting Address	Date and Local Time	FDA Contact Person
ATLANTA: Wyndham Hotel Midtown, 125 10th St. NE., Atlanta, GA	June 26, 1997, Thursday 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., register by Monday, June 23, 1997	Nan Kelemen, 404-347-3576, ext. 5247
DALLAS: Wilson World Hotel/DFW Airport South, 4600 Airport Fwy., Irving, TX	July 22, 1997, Tuesday 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., register by Tuesday, July 15, 1997	Derrick Fountain, 214-655-8100, ext. 156

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Meeting Address	Date and Local Time	FDA Contact Person
PITTSBURGH: Holiday Inn—Greentree, 401 Holiday Dr., Pittsburgh, PA	August 14, 1997, Thursday 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., register by Thursday, August 7, 1997	Kim Crayton, 215-597-4390
PORTLAND: DoubleTree Hotel, 1230 Congress St., Portland, ME	August 19, 1997, Tuesday 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., register by Tuesday, August 12, 1997	Linda Carota, 617-279-1675, ext. 165
PORTLAND: Portland State Office Bldg., 800 NE Oregon, rm. 120C, Portland, OR	August 21, 1997, Thursday 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., register by Friday, August 15, 1997	Carolyn Swanson, 206-553-7001, ext. 26
CHICAGO: American Management Association, 8655 West Higgins Rd., rm. 201, Chicago, IL	August 27, 1997, Wednesday 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., register by Wednesday, August 20, 1997	John Powell, 312-353-9400, ext. 17

Dated: June 2, 1997.

William K. Hubbard,
Associate Commissioner for Policy Coordination.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Care Financing Administration
[HCFA-1763]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summary of proposed collections for public comment.

Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

Type of Information Collection

Request: Reinstatement, with change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired; *Title of Information Collection:* Request for Termination of Premium Hospital and/or Supplementary Medical Insurance and Supporting Regulations in 42 CFR 406.28 and 407.27; *Form No.:* HCFA-1763; *Use:* The HCFA-1763 is used by beneficiaries to request voluntary termination from premium hospital and/or supplementary medical insurance. *Frequency:* One time only; *Affected Public:* Individuals or Households and Federal Government; *Number of Respondents:* 14,000; *Total Annual Hours:* 7,000.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, access HCFA's web site address at <http://www.hcfa.gov/regs/prdact95.htm>, or to obtain the supporting statement and any related forms, E-mail your request, including your address and phone number, to Paperwork@hcfa.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786-1326. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed within 60 days of this notice directly to the HCFA Paperwork Clearance Officer designated at the following address: HCFA, Office of Financial and Human Resources, Management Analysis and Planning Staff, Attention: Louis Blank, Room C2-26-17, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, Maryland 21244-1850.

Dated: June 4, 1997.

Edwin J. Glatzel,

Director, Management Analysis and Planning Staff Office of Financial and Human Resources.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Care Financing Administration

[HCFA-216 and HCFA-2088]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summaries of proposed collections for public comment. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

1. Type of Information Collection

Request: Revision of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Organ Procurement organization/Histocompatibility Laboratory Statement of Reimbursable Cost; *Form No.:* HCFA-216; *Use:* This form is required by statute for participation in the Medicare program. The information is used to determine reasonable costs incurred to furnish treatment to end stage renal disease patients by Organ Procurement Organizations and Histocompatibility Laboratories. *Frequency:* Annually; *Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions, and State, Local or Tribal Government; *Number of Respondents:* 100; *Total Annual Hours:* 4,500.

2. Type of Information Collection

Request: Revision of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Outpatient Rehabilitation Cost Report and Supporting Regulations in 42 CFR 413.20 and 413.24; *Form No.:* HCFA-2088; *Use:* This form is used by Outpatient Rehabilitation Facilities to report their health care costs to determine the amount reimbursable for services furnished to Medicare beneficiaries. *Frequency:* Annually; *Affected Public:* Business or other for-

profit, Not-for-profit institutions, and State, Local or Tribal Government; *Number of Respondents:* 4,298; *Total Annual Hours:* 429,800.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, access HCFA's web site address at <http://www.hcfa.gov/regs/prdact95.htm>, or to obtain the supporting statement and any related forms, E-mail your request, including your address and phone number, to Paperwork@hcfa.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786-1326. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed within 60 days of this notice directly to the HCFA Paperwork Clearance Officer designated at the following address: HCFA, Office of Financial and Human Resources, Management Analysis and Planning Staff, Attention: Louis Blank, Room C2-26-17, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, Maryland 21244-1850.

Dated: June 3, 1997.

Edwin J. Glatzel,

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Care Financing Administration

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), Department of Health and Human Services, has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) the following proposals for the collection of information. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.