

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**Immigration and Naturalization Service****Agency Information Collection****Activities: Existing Collection;
Comment Request**

ACTION: Extension of an existing collection; request for certification of military or naval services.

The Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service has submitted the following information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until October 6, 1997.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points.

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies 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

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* Extension of a currently approved information collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Request for Certificate of Military or Naval Services.

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection:* Form N-426. Adjudications Division, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Individuals or

Households. This form is used by certain aliens applying to become United States citizens on the basis of honorable service in the U.S. Armed Services.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 45,000 respondents at 10 minutes (.166) hours per response.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 7,470 annual burden hours.

If you have additional comments, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, or additional information, please contact Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Director, Policy Directives and Instructions Branch, Immigration and Naturalization Service, U.S. Department of Justice, Room 5307, 425 I Street, NW., Washington, DC 20536.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: August 4, 1997.

Robert B. Briggs,

Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**Immigration and Naturalization Service****Agency Information Collection****Activities: Existing Collection;
Comment Request**

ACTION: Extension of an existing collection; petition for Amerasian, widow(er), or special immigrant.

The Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service has submitted the following information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies.

Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until October 6, 1997. Request written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points.

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies 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

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* Extension of a currently approved information collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Petition for Amerasian, Widow(er), or Special Immigrant.

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection:* Form I-360. Adjudications Division, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Individuals or Households. As provided in 8 CFR 204 of the Immigration and Nationality Act, this information collection is used to classify an alien as an Amerasian, widow or widower, battered or abused spouse or child and special immigrant, including religious worker, juvenile court dependent and armed forces member. The petition is used to determine eligibility for the benefit.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 8,397 respondents at 2 hours per response.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 16,794 annual burden hours.

If you have additional comments, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, or additional information, please contact Mr. Richard A. Sloan, 202-616-7600, Director, Policy Directives and Instructions Branch, Immigration and Naturalization Service, U.S. Department

of Justice, Room 5307, 425 I Street, NW., Washington, DC 20536.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: August 4, 1997.

Robert B. Briggs,

Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[NOTICE: 97-103]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice of agency report forms under OMB review.

SUMMARY: The National Aeronautics and Space Administration, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This information is required to evaluate bids and proposals submitted to NASA for the award of contracts of value more than \$500k for goods and services in support of NASA's mission, and in response to contractual requirements.

DATES: All comments should be submitted on or before October 6, 1997.

ADDRESSES: All comments should be addressed to Mr. Richard Kall, Code HK, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546-0001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Carmela Simonson, NASA Reports Officer, (202) 358-1223.

Title: NASA acquisition process, bids and proposals for contracts with an estimated value more than \$500,000.

OMB Number: 2700-0085.

Type of review: Extension.

Need and Uses: Information collection is required to evaluate bids and proposals from offerors in order to award contracts for required goods and services in support of NASA's mission.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions.

Number of Respondents: 590.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 590.

Hours Per Request: 1,220.

Annual Burden Hours: 719,800.

Frequency of Report: On occasion.

Donald J. Andreotta,

Deputy Chief Information Officer

(Operations), Office of the Administrator.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice: 97-104]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice of agency report forms under OMB review.

SUMMARY: The National Aeronautics and Space Administration, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This information is required to evaluate bids and process invoices submitted to NASA for the award of purchase orders or for bank card actions for goods and services for purchases \$100k or less in support of NASA's mission.

DATES: All comments should be submitted on or before October 6, 1997.

ADDRESSES: All comments should be addressed to Mr. Richard Kall, Code HK, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546-0001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Carmela Simonson, NASA Reports Officer, (202) 358-1223.

Title: NASA simplified acquisition for goods and services with a value of \$100,000 or less.

OMB Number: 2700-0086.

Type of review: Extension.

Need and Uses: Information collection is required to evaluate bids and proposals from offerors in order to award purchase orders and to use bank cards for required goods and services in support of NASA's mission.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions.

Number of Respondents: 177,013.

Responses Per Respondent: 2.

Annual Responses: 216,265.

Hours Per Request: 30 min.

Annual Burden Hours: 108,132.

Frequency of Report: On occasion.

Donald J. Andreotta,

Deputy Chief Information Officer

(Operations), Office of the Administrator.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 97 105]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice of agency report forms under OMB review.

SUMMARY: The National Aeronautics and Space Administration, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This information is required to evaluate bids and proposals submitted to NASA for the award of contracts of value less than \$500k for goods and services in support of NASA's mission, and in response to contractual requirements.

DATES: All comments should be submitted on or before October 6, 1997.

ADDRESSES: All comments should be addressed to Mr. Richard Kall, Code HK, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546-0001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Carmela Simonson, NASA Reports Officer, (202) 358-1223.

Title: NASA acquisition process, bids and proposals for contracts with an estimated value less than \$500,000.

OMB Number: 2700-0087.

Type of review: Extension.

Need and Uses: Information collection is required to evaluate bids and proposals from offerors in order to award contracts for required goods and services in support of NASA's mission.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions.

Number of Respondents: 15,317.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 15,317.

Hours Per Request: 200.

Annual Burden Hours: 3,361,160.