

## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### U.S. Customs and Border Protection

#### Modification and Extension of the Post-Entry Amendment Processing Test

**AGENCY:** Customs and Border Protection, DHS.

**ACTION:** General notice.

**SUMMARY:** This document announces a modification of U.S. Customs and Border Protection's (CBP) Post-Entry Amendment Processing test. The test allows the amendment of entry summaries prior to liquidation. The modification to the test requires the filer of a post-entry amendment to submit an individual amendment letter no later than 20 days prior to the scheduled liquidation date for the subject entry summary. This document also sets forth that CBP is terminating the supplemental information letter policy so that the post-entry amendment procedure will be the only procedure for submitting post summary adjustments on entry summaries prior to liquidation. Except for the modification set forth in this document, the test procedure is the same as that set forth in previously published **Federal Register** notices. The document also announces that the test is being extended for another year.

**DATES:** The Post-Entry Amendment Processing test modification set forth in this document is effective on September 20, 2007. The test is extended for a one-year period commencing on August 21, 2007. CBP will discontinue accepting Supplementary Information Letters on September 20, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments regarding this notice, should be addressed to U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Entry and Drawback Management Branch, Office of International Trade, ATTN: Post-Entry Amendment, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20229.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Questions pertaining to any aspect of this notice should be directed to Jennifer Dolan, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Entry and Drawback Management Branch, Office of International Trade, at (202) 344-2568 or via e-mail at [Jennifer.Dolan@dhs.gov](mailto:Jennifer.Dolan@dhs.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

The U.S. Customs Service (Customs; now U.S. Customs and Border Protection or CBP) announced and described the Post-Entry Amendment Processing test (the test or PEA test) in

a general notice document published in the **Federal Register** (65 FR 70872) on November 28, 2000. The notice announced that the test would commence no earlier than December 28, 2000, and run approximately one year. The test was extended on three subsequent occasions by publication of notice in the **Federal Register** as follows: to December 21, 2002 (67 FR 768; January 7, 2002); to December 31, 2003 (68 FR 8329; February 20, 2003); and to December 31, 2004 (69 FR 5860; February 6, 2004).

The PEA test procedure, authorized under section 101.9(a) of the CBP regulations (19 CFR 101.9(a)), allows importers to amend entry summaries (not informal entries) prior to liquidation by filing with CBP either an individual amendment letter upon discovery of certain kinds of errors or a quarterly tracking report covering certain other errors that occurred during the quarter. The November 28, 2000, and the February 6, 2004, **Federal Register** notices describe in full detail the PEA test procedure, including an explanation of the kinds of errors mentioned above. Also, an explanation of the procedure is available at [www.cbp.gov](http://www.cbp.gov) (under the following links: "Import" and "Cargo Summary").

##### Modification

Under the PEA test, an individual amendment letter (also known as a single PEA) must be filed by the importer (or its broker) upon discovery of: (1) A revenue related error in an entry summary where the error results in either an overpayment or underpayment of duties, taxes, and/or fees in the amount of \$20 or more; (2) any error in an entry summary relating to antidumping or countervailing duties; and (3) any non-revenue related statistical information errors in an entry summary that must be reported to the U.S. Census Bureau. Prior to publication of this document, individual amendment letters were required to be filed promptly after discovery of the error(s) and prior to liquidation of the one or more entry summaries covered in the letter.

Effective upon publication of this document in the **Federal Register**, an importer or broker filing a single PEA must submit the PEA at least 20 days prior to the scheduled liquidation date of each entry summary covered in the letter. This 20-day period will provide CBP sufficient time to review all entry summaries covered in a single PEA prior to the scheduled liquidation date. Liquidation of single PEAs (i.e., of the entry summaries covered) under the test is a manual function and past

performance has shown that more time is needed to process these amendment requests effectively. Single PEAs submitted untimely will be rejected and returned to the filer. In those instances where the single PEAs are submitted timely but the entry summaries are not unset or processed by the scheduled liquidation date and liquidation occurs without benefit of the requested amendment, CBP will treat them as protests under 19 U.S.C. 1514 or, if appropriate in the circumstances, as evidence warranting reliquidation under 19 U.S.C. 1501.

Other than this modification, the test procedure remains as set forth in previously published notices.

##### Extension

This notice announces a further extension of the PEA test for a period of one year, such period to commence on the date this document is published in the **Federal Register**.

##### Discontinuation of the SIL Policy

Finally, as of the effective date of this notice, the PEA test will be the only procedure in place for post summary adjustments prior to liquidation, and the SIL procedure (see Administrative Message 97-0727, August 3, 1997) will be discontinued. CBP will issue an administrative message regarding this change soon after publication of this notice.

Dated: August 15, 2007.

**Daniel Baldwin,**

*Assistant Commissioner, Office of International Trade.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5124-N-13]

#### Notice of Proposed Information Collection for Public Comment; Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) and Improvement Plan (IP) in Connection With the Public Housing Assessment System (PHAS)

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** *Comments Due Date:* October 22, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name/or OMB Control number and should be sent to: Aneita L. Waites, Reports Liaison Officer, Public and Indian Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., Room 4116, Washington, DC 20410-5000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Aneita L. Waites, (202) 708-0614, for copies of the proposed forms and other available documents. (This is not a toll-free number).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department will submit the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (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 agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (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 the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses. This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Memorandum of Agreement (MOA), Progress Report and Improvement Plan (IP).

*OMB Control Number:* 2577-0237.

*Description of the need for the information and proposed use:* A Public Housing Agency (PHA) that is designated troubled or substandard under the Public Housing Assessment System (PHAS) must enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with HUD to outline its planned improvements. Similarly, a PHA that is a standard performer, but receives a total PHAS score of less than 70% but not less than 60% is required to submit an Improvement Plan (IP). These plans are designed to address deficiencies in a PHA's operations found through the PHAS assessment process (management, financial, physical, or resident related) and any other deficiencies identified by

HUD through independent assessments or other methods.

*Agency form number:* HUD-53336-A, 53336-Bi, 53336-B, 53337, 53337i and 53338.

*Members of affected public:* Public Housing Agencies.

*Estimation of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents:* 375 respondents for either an MOA or an IP, and either monthly or quarterly reports, 27 hours average response (including reporting), 31,910 hours total reporting burden hours.

*Status of the proposed information collection:* Extension of currently approved collection.

**Authority:** Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: August 14, 2007.

**Merrie Nichols-Dixon,**

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Office of Policy, Program and Legislative Initiatives.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[NV-056-5853-EU; NVN-78190, 7-08807]

#### Notice of Realty Action: Competitive Sale of Public Lands in Clark County, NV

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of realty action.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) proposes to offer for sale by public auction 31 parcels of Federal public land totaling approximately 167.5 acres in the Las Vegas Valley, Nevada. The sale will be conducted under the authority of the Southern Nevada Public Land Management Act of 1998 (SNPLMA), 112 Stat. 2343, as amended. The SNPLMA sale will be subject to the applicable provisions of Sections 203 and 209 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (FLPMA), 43 U.S.C. 1713 and 1719, respectively, and BLM land sale and mineral conveyance regulations at 43 CFR Parts 2710 and 2720.

**DATES:** Comments regarding the proposed SNPLMA sale and Environmental Assessment (EA) (NV-2007-201) must be received by BLM on or before October 5, 2007. Sealed bids must be received no later than 4:30 p.m. PDT, October 26, 2007, at the address of the Las Vegas Field Office (LVFO) listed

below. The sale by public auction will begin at 10 a.m., PDT, November 1, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments regarding the proposed sale may be submitted to BLM at the following address: Manager, Las Vegas Field Office, Bureau of Land Management, 4701 N. Torrey Pines Drive, Las Vegas, Nevada 89130.

The address for oral bidding registration and the location of the public auction is: Clark County Commission Chambers, 500 S. Grand Central Parkway, Las Vegas, Nevada.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** You may contact the LVFO at (702) 515-5000 and ask to have your call directed to a member of the sales team. For general information on BLM's public land sale procedures, refer to the following Web address: <http://www.blm.gov/nhp/what/lands/realty/sales.htm>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This public sale is in conformance with the Las Vegas Resource Management Plan, approved on October 5, 1998. BLM has determined that the proposed action conforms to land use plan decision LD-1 under the authority of FLPMA.

The public lands would be offered for sale competitively on November 1, 2007, at an oral auction for not less than the appraised fair market value (FMV) for each parcel. The parcels described below would be auctioned under the terms and conditions of this Notice of Realty Action (NORA).

#### Mount Diablo Meridian, Nevada

- T. 19 S., R. 59 E., sec. 3,  
E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>,  
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E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>; sec. 25,  
NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.
- T. 19 S., R. 60 E., sec. 30, lot 22.
- T. 22 S., R. 60 E., sec. 13,  
SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>,  
NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>; sec. 14,  
NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>; sec. 15,  
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SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>; sec. 19,  
N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>; sec. 24,  
S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>; sec. 27,  
NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>,  
NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.
- T. 22 S., R. 61 E., sec. 33,  
SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>,  
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