Solicitation of Public Comments:

SBA is requesting comments on (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the agency to properly perform its functions; (b) whether the burden estimates are accurate; (c) whether there are ways to minimize the burden, including through the use of automated techniques or other forms of information technology; and (d) whether there are ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information.

Summary of Information Collection

Title: Financing Eligibility Statement for Usage of Energy Saving Debenture.
Description of Respondents: Small Business Investment Companies.
Form Number: SBA Form 2428.
Total Estimated Annual Responses: 5.
Total Estimated Annual Hour Burden: 50.

SBA is requesting comments on (a) the usefulness, clarity and utility of the information, including whether there are ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information.
(b) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the agency to properly perform its functions.
(c) The accuracy of the agency’s estimated burden.
(d) Whether there are ways to minimize the burden, including through the use of automated techniques or other forms of information technology.
(e) Whether there are ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information.
(f) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the agency to properly perform its functions.
(g) The accuracy of the agency’s estimated burden.
(h) Whether there are ways to minimize the burden, including through the use of automated techniques or other forms of information technology.
(i) Whether there are ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information.
(j) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the agency to properly perform its functions.
(k) The accuracy of the agency’s estimated burden.
(l) Whether there are ways to minimize the burden, including through the use of automated techniques or other forms of information technology.
(m) Whether there are ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Electronic Access

Background

On January 19, 2018, FHWA posted a Federal Register notice at 83 FR 2867 announcing a limitation of claims for the following highway project in the State of Rhode Island: Toll Locations 1 and 2 in the Towns of Hopkinton, Richmond, and Exeter. The actions by FHWA, and the laws under which such actions were taken, are described in the Environmental Assessment (EA) for the project approved on December 15, 2017, and a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) issued on December 20, 2017. The EA, FONSI, and other project records are available by contacting FHWA or the Rhode Island Department of Transportation at the addresses provided above. The EA and FONSI can be viewed and downloaded from the project website at http://www.dot.ri.gov/rhodeworks/.

The January 19 notice incorrectly stated that FHWA assumed environmental responsibilities for this project pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 327. The FHWA clarifies that it only intended to list the following: E.O. 11990, Protection of Wetlands; E.O. 11514, Protection and Enhancement of Environmental Quality; E.O. 11593, Protection and Enhancement of Cultural Resources; E.O. 13007, Indian Sacred Sites; E.O. 13287, Preserve America; and E.O. 13175, Consultation and Coordination with Indian Tribal Governments.

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration**


**Qualification of Drivers; Exemption Applications; Vision**

**AGENCY:** Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of renewal of exemptions; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** FMCSA announces its decision to renew exemptions for 85 individuals from the vision requirement in the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations (FMCSRs) for interstate commercial motor vehicle (CMV) drivers. The exemptions enable these individuals to continue to operate CMVs in interstate commerce without meeting the vision requirements in one eye.

**DATES:** Each group of renewed exemptions were applicable on the dates stated in the discussions below and will expire on the dates stated in the discussions below. Comments must be received on or before March 19, 2018.


- Federal eRulemaking Portal: Go to http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.
- Hand Delivery: West Building Ground Floor, Room W12–140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., ET, Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**Instructions:** Each submission must include the Agency name and the docket number(s) for this notice. Note that all comments received will be posted without change to http://www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided. Please see the Privacy Act heading below for further information.

**Docket:** For access to the docket to read background documents or comments, go to http://www.regulations.gov at any time or Room W12–140 on the ground level of the West Building, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., ET, Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. The FDMS is available 24 hours each day, ET, 365 days each year. If you want acknowledgment that we received your comments, please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope or postcard or print the acknowledgement page that appears after submitting comments online.

**Privacy Act:** In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 553(c), DOT solicits comments from the public to better inform its rulemaking process. DOT posts these comments, without edit, including any personal information the commenter provides, to http://www.regulations.gov, as described in the system of records notice (DOT/ALL–14 FDMS), which can be reviewed at http://www.dot.gov/privacy.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Christine A. Hydock, Chief, Medical Programs Division, 202–366–4001, fmcsamedical@dot.gov, FMCSA, Department of Transportation, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Room W64–224, Washington, DC 20590–0001. Office hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., ET, Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. If you have questions regarding viewing or submitting material to the docket, contact Docket Services, telephone (202) 366–9826.