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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**Office of the Secretary; Submission for OMB Review: Comment Request**

February 3, 2005.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection requests (ICRs) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. chapter 35). A copy of each ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by contacting Darrin King on 202-693-4129 (this is not a toll-free number) or e-mail: [king.darrin@dol.gov](mailto:king.darrin@dol.gov).

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for the Employment Standards Administration (ESA), Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503, 202-395-7316 (this is not a toll-

free number), within 30 days from the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- 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;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- 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.

*Agency:* Employment Standards Administration.

*Type of Review:* Extension of currently approved collection.

*Title:* Certification of Funeral Expenses.

*OMB Number:* 1215-0027.

*Form Number:* LS-265.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Type of Response:* Reporting.

*Affected Public:* Business and other for-profit.

*Number of Respondents:* 195.

*Annual Responses:* 195.

*Average Response Time:* 15 minutes.

*Total Annual Burden Hours:* 49.

*Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs:* \$0.

*Total Annual Costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services):* \$78.00.

*Description:* The Office of Workers' Compensation Programs administers the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act. The Act provides benefits to workers injured in maritime employment on the navigable waters of the United States or in an adjoining area customarily used by an employer in loading, unloading, repairing, or building a vessel. The Act provides that reasonable funeral expenses not to exceed \$3,000 shall be paid in all compensable death cases. The LS-265 has been provided for use in submitting the funeral expenses for payment.

*Agency:* Employment Standards Administration.

*Type of Review:* Extension of currently approved collection.

*Title:* (1) Comparability of Current Work to Coal Mine Employment; (2) Coal Mine Employment Affidavit; (3) Affidavit of Deceased Miner's Condition.

*OMB Number:* 1215-0056.

*Form Numbers:* CM-913; CM-918; and CM-1093.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Type of Response:* Reporting.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Number of Respondents:* 1,500.

Form	Annual responses	Average response time (hours)	Annual burden hours
CM-913 .....	1,350	0.50	675
CM-918 .....	75	0.17	13
CM-1093 .....	75	0.33	25
Total .....	1,500	.....	713

*Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs:* \$0.

*Total Annual Costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services):* \$600.00.

*Description:* The Black Lung Benefits Act of 1977, as amended, 30 U.S.C. 901 et seq., provides for the payment of benefits to coal miners who have contracted black lung disease as a result of coal mine employment, and their dependents and survivors. Once a miner has been identified as having performed non-coal mine work subsequent to coal mine employment, the miner or the miner's survivor is asked to complete a

CM-913 to compare coal mine work to non-coal mine work. This employment information along with medical information is used to establish whether the miner is totally disabled due to black lung disease caused by coal mine employment. The CM-918 is an affidavit used to gather coal mine employment evidence only when primary evidence, such as pay stubs, W-2 forms, employer and union records, and Social Security records are unavailable or incomplete. The CM-1093 is an affidavit form for recording lay medical evidence, used in survivors'

claims in which there is no medical evidence that addresses the miner's pulmonary or respiratory condition.

*Agency:* Employment Standards Administration.

*Type of Review:* Revision of currently approved collection.

*Title:* Roentgenographic Interpretation (CM-933); Roentgenographic Quality Rereading (CM-933b); Medical History and Examination for Coal Mine Workers' Pneumoconiosis (CM-988); Report of Arterial Blood Gas Study (CM-1159); and Report of Ventilatory Study (CM-2907).

*OMB Number:* 1215-0090.

Form Numbers: CM-933; CM-933b;  
CM-988; CM-1159; and CM-2907.  
Frequency: On occasion.

Type of Response: Reporting.  
Affected Public: Business and other  
for-profit and Not-for-profit institutions.

Number of Respondents: 17,500.

Form	Number of annual responses	Average response time (hours)	Annual burden hours
CM-933 .....	3,500	0.08	292
CM-933b .....	3,500	0.05	175
CM-988 .....	3,500	0.50	1,750
CM-1159 .....	3,500	0.25	875
CM-2907 .....	3,500	0.33	1,167
Total: .....	17,500	.....	4,259

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: \$0.

Total Annual Costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): \$0.

Description: The Black Lung Act Benefits Act of 1977 as amended, 30 U.S.C. 901 *et seq.* and 20 CFR 718.102 set forth criteria for the administration and interpretation of x-rays. When a miner applies for benefits, the Division of Coal Mine Workers' Compensation is required to schedule a series of four diagnostic tests to help establish eligibility for black lung benefits. Each of the diagnostic tests has its own form that sets forth the medical results. The forms are: CM-933, Roentgenographic Interpretation; CM-933b, Roentgenographic Quality Rereading; CM-988, Medical History and Examination for Coal Mine Workers' Pneumoconiosis; CM-1159, Report of Arterial Blood Gas Study; and CM-2907, Report of Ventilatory Study.

The Department of Labor seeks the approval of this information in order to carry out its responsibility to determine eligibility for black lung benefits.

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## NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (05-024)]

### National Environmental Policy Act; Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact; NASA Shared Services Center (NSSC)

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice of availability of Draft Environmental Assessment and Draft Finding of No Significant Impact.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as

amended (NEPA), the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for Implementing the Procedural Provisions of NEPA, and NASA's implementing regulations, the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended, NASA regulations for implementing Executive Order (EO) 11988, Floodplain Management, and EO 11990, Protection of Wetlands, and the NASA Environmental Justice Strategy (1994) for implementing EO 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations; NASA has made a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) for the three proposed alternatives including: the Proposed and Preferred Action (Alternative A, lease and operation of the NASA Shared Services Center (NSSC) at any of the following three sites: NASA Stennis Space Center, Mississippi, Aerospace Technology Park, Brook Park, Ohio, and Cummings Research Park, Huntsville, Alabama); Alternative B (Virtual Consolidation); and Alternative C (No Action). Accordingly, an environmental impact statement is not required.

DATES: Comments in response to this notice must be received in writing by NASA, no later than March 16, 2005, or March 17, 2005, whichever is later.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to:

Dr. Ann H. Clarke, NASA Environmental Program Manager, Environmental Management Division (Code LD020), NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street, SW., Washington DC 20546-0001; phone: 202-358-0007; e-mail: [ann.h.clarke@nasa.gov](mailto:ann.h.clarke@nasa.gov)

The Environmental Assessment (EA Phase 2) for the NSSC Facility that supports this FONSI may be reviewed on the NSSC Web site <http://nssc.nasa.gov>, or at the NASA Headquarters Library, 300 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20546.

A limited number of copies of the EA are available by contacting Dr. Ann H. Clarke, NASA Environmental Program

Manager, Environmental Management Division (Code LD020), NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street, SW., Washington DC 20546-0001; phone: 202-358-0007; e-mail: [ann.h.clarke@nasa.gov](mailto:ann.h.clarke@nasa.gov) or the following NASA Center NEPA Document Managers:

NASA Glenn Research Center (GRC): Ms. Trudy F. Kortez, 216-433-3632.

NASA Marshall Space Flight Center (MSFC): Ms. Donna L. Holland, 256-544-7201.

NASA Stennis Space Center (SSC): Ms. Carolyn D. Kennedy, 228-688-1445.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: NASA is proposing to consolidate certain transactional functions currently performed across NASA Centers to a new business unit known as the NASA Shared Services Center (NSSC) (NASA Shared Services Center (NSSC) Implementation Plan Report (NSSC-RPT-02 Volume 1, September 2003, recommending continued planning for early implementation of the NSSC) (Implementation Plan), available at <http://nssc.nasa.gov>.

The purpose of the Proposed Action (Alternative A), which is also the Preferred Alternative, is to locate the NSSC consistent with the recommendations of the Implementation Plan addressing the need for NASA to improve the use of resources and foster greater efficiencies at reduced costs for transactional functions. The Proposed Action would create a functionally and environmentally efficient NSSC to meet the need for a single shared-services facility, consistent with and furthering other goals for the NSSC. The Virtual NSSC (Alternative B) would consolidate the same functions into an NSSC, but in a virtual environment. The No Action NSSC (Alternative C) would allow continued administrative re-organization, but not into a consolidated NSSC.