

Carbon County, Utah. The petitioner requests a modification of the existing standard to permit the use of low-voltage or battery-powered non-permissible, electronic testing, diagnostic equipment or other equipment within 150 feet of pillar workings, under controlled conditions. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method will not result in a diminution of safety to the miners and that the proposed alternative method based on provisions in 30 CFR 75.153 would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

#### 6. Bear Gap Coal Company

[Docket No. M-2005-051-C]

Bear Gap Coal Company, P.O. Box 64, Spring Glen, Pennsylvania 17978 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.1100-2(a)(2) (Quantity and location of firefighting equipment) to its #6 Slope Mine (MSHA I.D. No. 36-09296) located in Dauphin County, Pennsylvania. The petitioner requests a modification of the existing standard to permit the use of portable fire extinguishers only to replace existing requirements where rock dust, water cars, and other water storage equipped with three 10 quart pails is not practical. The petitioner proposes to use two portable fire extinguishers near the slope bottom and an additional portable fire extinguisher within 500 feet of the working face. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

#### 7. Bear Gap Coal Company

[Docket No. M-2005-052-C]

Bear Gap Coal Company, P.O. Box 64, Spring Glen, Pennsylvania 17978 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.1400 (Hoisting equipment; general) to its #6 Slope Mine (MSHA I.D. No. 36-09296) located in Dauphin County, Pennsylvania. The petitioner proposes to use a slope conveyance (gunboat) in transporting persons without installing safety catches or other no less effective devices. The petitioner would instead operate its man cage or steel gunboat with secondary safety connections securely fastened around the gunboat, and to the hoisting rope above the main connecting device, and use hoisting ropes with a factor of safety in excess of the 4 to 8 to 1 as suggested in the American Standards Specifications for the use of wire ropes in mines. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would

provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

#### 9. Bear Gap Coal Company

[Docket No. M-2005-053-C]

Bear Gap Coal Company, P.O. Box 64, Spring Glen, Pennsylvania 17978 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.335 (Construction of seals) to its #6 Slope Mine (MSHA I.D. No. 36-09296) located in Dauphin County, Pennsylvania. The petitioner proposes constructing seals from wooden materials of moderate size and weight; designing the seals to withstand a static horizontal pressure in the range of 10 psi; and installing a sampling tube only in the monkey (higher elevation) seal. The petitioner asserts that because of the pitch of anthracite veins, concrete blocks are difficult to use and expose miners to safety hazards during transport. The petitioner cites the low level of explosibility of anthracite coal dust and the minimal potential for either an accumulation of methane in previously mined pitching veins or an ignition source in the gob area as justification for the proposed 10 psi design criterion. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

#### 10. Black Beauty Coal Company

[Docket No. M-2005-054-C]

Black Beauty Coal Company, 3609 South Hart Street, Vincennes, Indiana 47591 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.380(d)(5) (Escapeway; bituminous and lignite mines) to its Air Quality #1 Mine (MSHA I.D. No. 12-02010) located in Knox County, Indiana. The petitioner requests a modification of the existing standard to permit the continued use of the existing Escapeway from Unit #1 (1L/MS) number #1 entry at number 56 crosscut to the Main South (number #7 entry number 61 crosscut) intake Escapeway. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the existing standard.

#### Request for Comments

Persons interested in these petitions are encouraged to submit comments via Federal eRulemaking Portal: <http://www.regulations.gov>; e-mail: [zzMSHA-Comments@dol.gov](mailto:zzMSHA-Comments@dol.gov); Fax: (202) 693-9441; or Regular Mail/Hand Delivery/ Courier: Mine Safety and Health Administration, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances, 1100 Wilson Boulevard, Room 2350, Arlington, Virginia 22209. All comments must be postmarked or

received in that office on or before August 22, 2005. Copies of these petitions are available for inspection at that address.

Dated in Arlington, Virginia this 15th day of July 2005.

**Rebecca J. Smith,**

*Acting Director, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances.*

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### NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice: 05-116]

#### Notice of Information Collection Under OMB Review

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection 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)).

**DATES:** All comments should be submitted by September 19, 2005.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments should be addressed to Desk Officer for NASA, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Ms. Kathy Shaeffer, Acting NASA Reports Officer, NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street, SW., Mail Suite 6M70, Washington, DC 20546, (202) 358-1230, [kathleen.shaeffer-1@nasa.gov](mailto:kathleen.shaeffer-1@nasa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Abstract

The information developed by the National Aviation Operations Monitoring Service will be used by NASA Aviation Safety Program Managers to evaluate the progress of their efforts to improve aviation over the next decade.

##### II. Method of Collection

NASA collects this information manually.

**III. Data**

*Title:* National Aviation Operations Monitoring Service.

*OMB Number:* 2700-0099.

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

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 8,000.

*Estimated Time per Response:* Approximately ½ hour.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 5,455.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost:* \$0.

**IV. Request for Comments**

Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of NASA, including whether the information collected has practical utility; (2) the accuracy of NASA's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

**Patricia L. Dunnington,**

*Chief Information Officer.*

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**NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION**

**[Notice: 05-117]**

**Notice of Information Collection Under OMB Review**

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection 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)).

**DATES:** All comments should be submitted within 30 calendar days from the date of this publication.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments should be addressed to Desk Officer for NASA,

Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Ms. Kathy Shaeffer, Acting NASA Reports Officer, NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street SW., Mail Suite 6M70, Washington, DC 20546 (202) 358-1230, *kathleen.shaeffer-1@nasa.gov*.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****I. Abstract**

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) is requesting renewal of an existing collection to account for Government-owned/contractor-held property. The NASA Form 1018 provides for the annual collection of summary data from these records to ensure the accurate reflection of Agency assets and related depreciation on the financial statements and essential property management information.

**II. Method of Collection**

NASA collects this information electronically where feasible, but information may also be collected by mail or fax.

**III. Data**

*Title:* NASA Property in the Custody of Contractors.

*OMB Number:* 2700-0017.

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

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

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 1,110.

*Estimated Time per Response:* Approximately 1.5 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 7,900.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost:* \$0.

**IV. Request for Comments**

Comments are invited on (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of NASA, including whether the information collected has practical utility; (2) the accuracy of NASA's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including automated

collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

**Patricia L. Dunnington,**

*Chief Information Officer.*

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**NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION**

**[Notice: 05-114]**

**Notice of Information Collection Under OMB Review**

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection 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)).

**DATES:** All comments should be submitted within 30 calendar days from the date of this publication.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments should be addressed to Desk Officer for NASA, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Ms. Kathy Shaeffer, Acting NASA Reports Officer, NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street SW., Mail Suite 6M70, Washington, DC 20546, (202) 358-1230, *kathleen.shaeffer-1@nasa.gov*.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****I. Abstract**

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) is requesting renewal of an existing collection to ensure engineering changes are made quickly and in a cost-effective manner. Proposals supporting such change orders contain detailed information which enables the Government to obtain the best goods and services for the best prices.

NASA procurement and technical personnel use the information to manage the contract. Change proposals are submitted whenever a change order is used which increases the contractor's