POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR STORING, RETRIEVING, ACCESSING, RETAINING, AND DISPOSING OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

#### STORAGE:

Computerized data base.

#### RETRIEVABILITY:

Individual's name.

#### SAFEGUARDS:

Computerized data base is password protected and access is limited. The office is locked at the close of business. The office is located in the Pentagon which is guarded.

### RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:

Records are kept until the person is deceased or the person seeks removal of information, whichever is sooner.

### SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:

Chief of Naval Operations (DNS-4), 2000 Navy Pentagon, Washington, DC 20350-2000.

### NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:

Individuals seeking to determine whether information about themselves is contained in this system should address written inquiries to the Chief of Naval Operations (DNS-4), 2000 Navy Pentagon, Washington, DC 20350-2000 or visit the Retired Flag Web site.

## RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:

Individuals seeking access to information about themselves contained in this system can access their personal data via the Retired Flag Web and make necessary changes to ensure information is accurate.

### CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:

The Navy's rules for accessing records, and for contesting contents and appealing initial agency determinations are published in Secretary of the Navy Instruction 5211.5; 32 CFR part 701; or may be obtained from the system manager.

# RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:

Individual.

## EXEMPTIONS CLAIMED FOR THE SYSTEM:

None.

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### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Early Reading First Program; Notice Reopening the Deadline Date for Transmittal of Pre-Applications for Fiscal Year (FY) 2007

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.359A/B.

SUMMARY: On January 22, 2007, we published in the Federal Register (72 FR 2667) a notice inviting applications for the Early Reading First (ERF) FY 2007 competition. The deadline date for eligible applicants to transmit their preapplications for funding under this competition was February 21, 2007. We are reopening the pre-application phase of the ERF FY 2007 competition for all eligible local educational agencies (LEAs) and for eligible entities located in communities served by those LEAs. Applicants must refer to the notice inviting applications that was published in the Federal Register (72 FR 2667) for all other requirements concerning this reopened competition.

We are extending the pre-application phase of the ERF FY 2007 competition for all eligible applicants, including non-LEAs, because the originally posted State lists of eligible LEAs did not include all LEAs that were eligible as of January 22, 2007, and included some LEAs that were ineligible as of that date. The new deadline date for applicants to submit pre-applications is:

Deadline for Transmittal of Pre-Applications: March 23, 2007.

Pre-applications for grants under this competition must be submitted electronically using the Grants.gov Apply site (Grants.gov). For information about how to submit your pre-application electronically, or by mail or hand delivery if you qualify for an exception to the electronic submission requirement, please refer to the original application notice published in the **Federal Register** on January 22, 2007 (72 FR 2667).

We do not consider a pre-application that does not comply with the deadline requirements.

Individuals with disabilities who need an accommodation or auxiliary aid in connection with the application process should contact the person listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

Note: Applicants that successfully submitted their complete pre-applications on or before the original deadline date of February 21, 2007, including those that were not timely because they submitted their pre-applications between 4:30 p.m. and midnight on that date, are not required to resubmit their applications. Any applicant that did not successfully submit its application must download, complete, and submit an entirely new application package through Grants.gov as specified in the original ERF application notice.

Deadline for Intergovernmental Review: The deadline date for Intergovernmental Review under Executive Order 12372 remains as originally published, July 30, 2007.

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Eligible LEAs. Eligibility determinations are made as of January 22, 2007. Corrected lists of eligible LEAs by State are posted for the convenience of applicants on the ERF Web site at http://www.ed.gov/programs/earlyreading/eligibility.html.

We have contacted each State's Reading First office and the Bureau of Indian Education (BIE) and obtained lists of the LEAs that each State and the BIE considers to be eligible for a Reading First subgrant as of January 22, 2007, the date of publication of the original ERF notice inviting applications for this FY 2007 competition.

Please note, however, that we consider it to be each applicant's own responsibility to verify with the Reading First office in its State or with the BIE the eligibility of a particular LEA for a Reading First subgrant as of January 22, 2007. A list of State and BIE contacts for this purpose is posted also at the ERF Web site at <a href="http://www.ed.gov/programs/earlyreading/eligibility.html">http://www.ed.gov/programs/earlyreading/eligibility.html</a>.

Ineligible LEAs. The originally posted eligible LEA lists included some LEAs that are not eligible. Any LEA that was not eligible for a Reading First subgrant in its State or through the BIE as of January 22, 2007, is not eligible to receive an ERF subgrant in this FY 2007 competition. Nor are any entities located in communities served by those ineligible LEAs eligible to receive an ERF subgrant in this competition on the basis of that location.

Application Submission Information. Information concerning submission of pre-applications for grants under the ERF program (CFDA Number 84.359A) is described in section IV (Application and Submission Information) of the original application notice published in the Federal Register on January 22, 2007 (72 FR 2667). That notice is available at the following Web site: http://www.ed.gov/news/ fedregister/announce/index.html.

**Note:** If you try to submit a pre-application package that was downloaded from Grants.gov before the original pre-application deadline of February 21, 2007, your submission will be rejected by the Grants.gov system.

Note: If you wish to exercise the Exception to Electronic Submission Requirements, you must submit no later than March 9, 2007 a statement to the Department requesting an exception to these requirements and explaining the grounds that prevent you from using the Internet to submit your preapplication.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pilla Parker, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., room

3C136, Washington, DC 20202-6132. Telephone: (202) 260–3710 or by e-mail: Pilla.Parker@ed.gov; or Rebecca Marek, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., room 3C138, Washington, DC 20202-6132. Telephone: (202) 260-0968 or by e-mail: Rebecca.Marek@ed.gov.

If you use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD), you may call the Federal Relay Service (FRS) at 1-800-877-8339.

Individuals with disabilities may obtain this document in an alternative format (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, or computer diskette) on request to the program contact person listed in this section.

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To use PDF you must have Adobe Acrobat Reader, which is available free at this site. If you have questions about using PDF, call the U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO), toll free, at 1-888-293-6498; or in the Washington, DC, area at (202) 512-1530.

Note: The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: http://www.gpoaccess.gov/nara/ index.html.

Dated: March 2, 2007.

## Raymond Simon,

Deputy Secretary for Education, Delegated the Authority to Perform the Functions of the Assistant Secretary for Elementary and Secondary Education

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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## **Federal Energy Regulatory** Commission

[IC06-423-001, FERC 423]

**Commission Information Collection Activities, Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Extension** 

February 27, 2007.

**AGENCY: Federal Energy Regulatory** 

Commission, DOE. **ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the requirements of section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44

U.S.C. 3507, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) has submitted the information collection described below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and extension of this information collection requirement. Any interested person may file comments directly with OMB and should address a copy of those comments to the Commission as explained below. The Commission received comments from four entities in response to an earlier Federal Register notice of September 22, 2006 (71 FR 55454-55455) and has provided responses to the commenters in its submission to OMB. Copies of the submission were also submitted to the commenters.

DATES: Comments on the collection of information are due by April 9, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** Address comments on the collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Desk Officer. Comments to OMB should be filed electronically, c/o oira\_submission@omb.eop.gov and include the OMB Control No. as a point of reference. The Desk Officer may be reached by telephone at 202-395-4650. A copy of the comments should also be sent to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Office of the Executive Director, ED-34, Attention: Michael Miller, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. Comments may be filed either in paper format or electronically. Those persons filing electronically do not need to make a paper filing. For paper filings an original and 14 copies, of such comments should be submitted to the Secretary of the Commission, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426 and should refer to Docket No. IC06-423-001.

Documents filed electronically via the Internet must be prepared in WordPerfect, MS Word, Portable Document Format, or ASCII format. To file the document, access the Commission's Web site at http:// www.ferc.gov and click on "Make an E-Filing," and then follow the instructions for each screen. First time users will have to establish a user name and password. The Commission will send an automatic acknowledgment to the sender's e-mail address upon receipt of comments. User assistance for electronic filings is available at 202-502-8258 or by e-mail to efiling@ferc.gov. Comments should not be submitted to this e-mail address.

All comments may be viewed, printed or downloaded remotely via the Internet through FERC's homepage using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For user assistance, contact FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or tollfree at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael Miller may be reached by telephone at (202) 502-8415, by fax at (202) 273-0873, and by e-mail at michael.miller@ferc.gov.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

## Description

The information collection submitted for OMB review contains the following:

- 1. Collection of Information: FERC 423 "Monthly Report of Cost and Quality of Fuels for Electric Plants".
- 2. Sponsor: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.
  - 3. Control No.: 1902-0024.

The Commission is now requesting that OMB approve and extend the expiration date for an additional three years with no changes to the existing collection. The information filed with the Commission is mandatory.

4. Necessity of the Collection of Information: Submission of the information is necessary for the Commission to carry out its responsibilities in implementing the statutory provisions of sections 205 (a) and (e); (2) for use in a broad range of fuel cost and purchase practice issues rising from electric utility rate cases; (3) to detect abnormally high fuel costs in utility fuel purchases indicative of affiliate preference at the cost of the consumer; (4) in conjunction with other data, to identify potential out-of-merit plant dispatches carried out by system operators and (5) in conjunction with bid data, provides an indication of market efficiency by providing one of the key components of electricity generation cost.

Other Federal and State agencies, such as the Energy Information Administration and the Environmental Protection Agency, as well as private interest groups, electric utilities and the public use this timely data: (1) To compare each fuel type by quality determinants, in the study of developments in fuel supply which may affect the reliability of electric service, (2) in environmental improvement programs for the different air quality control regions in the United States and (3) for use in analyses of energy and fuel supply impacts on the cost of electric

power.