DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 7852]

60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: DS-5506, Local U.S. Citizen Skills/Resources Survey

ACTION: Notice of request for public comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of State is seeking Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the information collection described below. The purpose of this notice is to allow 60 days for public comment in the **Federal Register** preceding submission to OMB. We are conducting this process in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

- Title of Information Collection: Local U.S. Citizen Skills/Resources Survey.
- *OMB Control Number:* OMB No. 1405–0188.
 - Type of Request: Revision.
- Originating Office: Bureau of Consular Affairs, Overseas Citizens Services (CA/OCS).
 - Form Number: DS-5506.
- Respondents: United States Citizens.
- Estimated Number of Respondents: 2,400.
- Estimated Number of Responses: 2,400.
- Average Hours per Response: 15 minutes.
 - Total Estimated Burden: 600 hours.
 - Frequency: On Occasion.
 - Obligation to Respond: Voluntary.

DATE(S): The Department will accept comments from the public up to 60 days from April 23, 2012.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments by any of the following methods:

- Email: ASKPRI@state.gov.
- Mail (paper, disk, or ČD–ROM submissions): U.S. Department of State, CA/OCS/PRI, SA–29, 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20520.
 - Fax: 202-736-9111.
 - Delivery or Courier: U.S.

Department of State, CA/OCS/PRI, 2100 Pennsylvania Avenue, 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20037.

You must include the DS form number (if applicable), information collection title, and OMB control number in any correspondence.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Direct requests for additional information regarding the collection listed in this notice, including requests for copies of the proposed information collection and supporting documents, to Derek A. Rivers, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Overseas Citizens Services (CA/

OCS/PRI), U.S. Department of State, SA–29, 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20520 or at *ASKPRI@state.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: We are soliciting public comments to permit the Department to:

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of our functions.
- Evaluate the accuracy of our estimate of the burden of the proposed collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.
- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of technology.

Abstract of Proposed Collection

The Local U.S. Citizen Skills/ Resources Survey is a systematic method of gathering information about skills and resources from U.S. citizens that will assist in improving the wellbeing of other U.S. citizens affected or potentially affected by a crisis.

Methodology

This information collection can be completed by the respondent electronically or manually. The information collection will be collected on-site, by mail, fax and email.

Dated: April 11, 2012.

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Managing Director, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Office of the Secretary

[Docket No. FMCSA-2012-0132]

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records Notice

AGENCY: Department of Transportation (DOT), Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA).

ACTION: Notice to establish a new system of records.

SUMMARY: The Department of Transportation's (DOT) Federal Motor Carrier Administration (FMCSA) intends to establish a new Federal Motor Carrier system of records titled "DOT/FMCSA 009—National Registry of Certified Medical Examiners" (National Registry), under the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a).

The DOT system, known as the National Registry of Certified Medical Examiners (National Registry), is used to produce trained, certified medical examiners who fully understand the medical standards in the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations (FMCSRs). Medical Examiners (MEs) will be expected to understand how the FMCSR standards relate to the mental and physical demands of operating a commercial motor vehicle (CMV). MEs will be required to successfully complete training and pass a certification test before being listed on the National Registry. Once the National Registry program is established, FMCSA will require all interstate CMV drivers to obtain their medical certificates from a medical examiner listed on the National Registry. The general public can search and access information about the National Registry program, including the program description, contact information, and National Registry Number for all FMCSA Certified MEs, Test Delivery Organizations and their affiliated Test Centers through the publicly available Web site.

MEs who choose to pursue FMCSA certification to conduct CMV medical exams will register with FMCSA through the National Registry Web site. FMCSA will track the MEs' status of completion of the required FMCSA medical examiners' certification process. The MEs will be required to successfully complete FMCSA-approved training prior to taking the FMCSA ME certification test at an FMCSA-approved testing organization, at an affiliated test center's facility, or by means of online

testing

Test Developers for FMCSA will create and revise the certification test questions and answers that will be administered by Test Centers. Test Developers will analyze medical examiner's test certification responses to identify future improvements and modifications to test questions. They will also analyze the test questions and answers to identify potential patterns of fraud and abuse in the testing process and medical community.

The Test Centers will verify and document the ME's identity, medical licensing, and training completion prior to administering the FMCSA ME certification test. Test Centers will administer the FMCSA Certification test according to FMCSA specifications and are responsible for submitting the medical examiner certification test results to the National Registry. Testing organizations that offer testing of MEs by means of online testing will provide a means to authenticate the identity of the person taking the test, to monitor the