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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army

[Docket ID: USA-2013-0029]

#### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Office of the Administrative Assistant to the Secretary of the Army (OAA-AAHS).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the Department of the Army announces a proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by November 30, 2015.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

- **Federal eRulemaking Portal:** <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
- **Mail:** Department of Defense, Office of the Deputy Chief Management Officer, Directorate of Oversight and Compliance, Regulatory and Audit Matters Office, 9010 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-9010.

**Instructions:** All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

Any associated form(s) for this collection may be located within this same electronic docket and downloaded for review/testing. Follow the instructions at <http://www.regulations.gov> for submitting comments. Please submit comments on any given form identified by docket number, form number, and title.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to U.S. Army Cadet Command Junior ROTC, Bldg 6573, 394 2nd Dragoon Road, Fort Knox, Kentucky 40121, ATTN: ATCC-JRI (Billy Smith), or call Department of the Army Reports Clearance Officer at (703) 428-6440.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number:** Application and Contract for Establishment of a Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps Unit, DA Form 3126; OMB Control Number 0702-0021.

**Needs and Uses:** The information collection requirement is necessary to provide unique educational opportunities for young citizens through their participation in a federally sponsored curriculum while pursuing their civilian education. Students develop citizenship, leadership, communications skills, an understanding of the role of the U.S. Army in support of national objectives, and an appreciation for the importance of physical fitness.

**Affected Public:** Not-for-profit Institutions.

**Annual Burden Hours:** 70.

**Number of Respondents:** 70.

**Responses per Respondent:** 1.

**Annual Responses:** 70.

**Average Burden per Response:** 1 hour.

**Frequency:** On occasion.

Data provided on the DA Form 3126 is used to determine which schools are invited to host a unit, to establish a fair and equitable distribution of units throughout the Nation, and to identify selection criteria such as enrollment potential, capacity of the institution to conduct the program, educational accreditation, and the ability of the school to comply with statutory and contractual obligations.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army

[Docket ID: USA-2015-HQ-0037]

#### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Department of the Army, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the Department of the Army announces a proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by November 30, 2015.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

- **Federal eRulemaking Portal:** <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
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Any associated form(s) for this collection may be located within this same electronic docket and downloaded for review/testing. Follow the instructions at <http://www.regulations.gov> for submitting comments. Please submit comments on any given form identified by docket number, form number, and title.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to the Department of the Army, Office of the Provost Marshal General (OPMG), Law Enforcement Branch, ATTN: Ms. Katherine Brennan, 2800 Army Pentagon, Washington, DC 20310–2800.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number:* Army Sex Offender Information; Department of the Army Form 3975; OMB Control Number 0702–0128.

*Needs and Uses:* The information collection requirement is necessary to obtain and record the sex offender registration information of those sex offenders who live, work or go to school on Army installations. Respondents are any convicted sex offender required to register pursuant to any DOD, Army, State government, law, regulation, or policy where they are employed, reside, or are a student and live, work, or go to school on an Army installation. The information collected is used by Army law enforcement to ensure the sex offender is compliant with any court order restrictions.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profit; individuals or households.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 183.

*Number of Respondents:* 550.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 550.

*Average Burden per Response:* 20 minutes.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

Respondents are sex offenders required to register with the state and live, work or go to school on an Army

Installation. The information collected is used by Army law enforcement and the Garrison Commander to ensure the sex offender is compliant with any specific court ordered restrictions on Army installations. Data from members of the public is collected only by Army Law Enforcement authorized personnel. The frequency of sex offender registration with the PMO is not under the control of any Army Law Enforcement personnel, it is the responsibility of the sex offender who lives or works on the Army installations to follow Army policy and report to the PMO within 3 working days of assignment to the installation. Sex Offenders could live or work on an Army installation and live in government housing near schools or daycare without Army Law Enforcement’s knowledge. Army Law Enforcement would be less able to complete its mission to provide security and law enforcement to safeguard personnel living and working on Army installations.

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Office of the Secretary**

**Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program, Scientific Advisory Board; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting**

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense is publishing this notice to announce an open meeting of the Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program, Scientific Advisory Board (SAB). This meeting will be open to the public.

**DATES:** Tuesday, October 20, 2015, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:45 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** 901 N. Stuart Street, Suite 200, Arlington, VA 22203.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Anne Andrews, SERDP Office, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Suite 17D08, Alexandria, VA 22350–3605; or by telephone at (571) 372–6565.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This meeting is being held under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (5 U.S.C. Appendix, as amended), the Government in the Sunshine Act of 1976 (5 U.S.C. 552b, as amended), and 41 CFR 102–3.150. This notice is published in accordance with Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463).

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b and 41 CFR 102–3.140 through 102–3.165, and the availability of space, this meeting is open to the public. Seating is on a first-come basis.

The purpose of the October 20, 2015 meeting is to review new start research in the Resource Conservation and Climate Change field requesting Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program funds as required by the SERDP Statute, U.S. Code—Title 10, Subtitle A, Part IV, Chapter 172, § 2904. The full agenda follows:

**AGENDA FOR OCTOBER 20, 2015**

8:30 a.m. ....	Convene/Opening Remarks, Approval of September 2015 Minutes ....	Dr. Joseph Hughes, Chair.
8:40 a.m. ....	Program Update .....	Dr. Anne Andrews, Acting Executive Director.
8:55 a.m. ....	Resource Conservation and Climate Change Overview .....	Dr. John Hall, Resource Conservation and Climate Change, Program Manager.
9:05 a.m. ....	16 RC01–006 (RC–2633): Assessing White-Nose Syndrome and Non-Stationary Changes on Bat Populations on and Near DoD Installations in the West (FY16 New Start).	Dr. Tonie Rocke, USGS National Wildlife Health Center, Madison, WI. Dr. James Lloyd-Smith, University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA.
9:50 a.m. ....	Break.	
10:05 a.m. ....	Resource Conservation and Climate Change Overview.	
10:15 a.m. ....	16 RC02–002 (RC–2640): Fundamental Measurements and Modeling of Prescribed Fire Behavior in the Naturally Heterogeneous Fuel Beds of Southern Pine Forests (FY16 New Start).	Dr. Brian Allan, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL.
11:00 a.m. ....	16 RC02–016 (RC–2641): Multi-scale Analyses of Wildland Fire Combustion Processes in Open-Canopied Forests Using Coupled and Iteratively Informed Laboratory-, Field-, and Model-Based Approaches (FY16 New Start).	Dr. Richard Ostfeld, Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies, Millbrook, NY.
11:45 a.m. ....	Lunch.	
12:45 p.m. ....	16 RC02–015 (RC–2651): Ignition, Propagation, and Emissions of Smoldering Combustion: Experimental Analysis and Physics Based Modelling (FY16 New Start).	Dr. Corinne Richards-Zawacki, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA.