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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 Defense, Headquarters Department of the Army (HQDA) G-1, Civilian Human Resources Agency (CHRA), ATTN: Civilian Information Services Division (CISD), Mark A. Patterson, Chief, Fort Belvoir, VA 22060, or call CISD at 703-806-3232.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number: Army Recruitment & Personnel Management of Local Foreign National Employment; AE Form 690-70A; OMB Control Number 0702-XXXX.

Needs and Uses: The information collection requirement is necessary to issue referral notices to fill jobs, issue a priority placement referral for individuals under Reduction-In-Force (RIF), to generate termination notifications, and to apply for initial employment.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Annual Burden Hours: 1,670.

Number of Respondents: 10,000.

Responses per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 10,000.

Average Burden per Response: 10 minutes.

Frequency: On occasion.

This OMB number is being requested to support recruitment and personnel management of local foreign national (FN) employment. The following systems currently fall under this scope: Local National Staffing Suite [LNSS] and Korean National Recruitment System [KNRS].

LNSS consists of the Local National Recruitment System (LNRS) and the Europe Summer Hire Application (ESH).

AE Form 690-70A is the application form that employment respondents must complete to be considered for positions in Germany. The form is written in both English and German. The completed form is stored as a record of the respondent's personal information, education, employment history, military history, and

availability, as well as a list of applicable language(s) and other skills. If this form is not submitted, the respondent will not be eligible for employment positions through LNSS. Personally Identifiable Information (PII) on the AE Form 690-70A is entered into the LNSS system by the Administration Assistant.

Local National Recruitment System (LNRS) is a component of Local National Staffing Suite (LNSS). LNRS was developed to automate German Local National (LN) recruitment processes for United States Army Europe (USAREUR). The application supports the Army Civilian Personnel Operations Center (CPOC) and services Civilian Personnel Advisory Centers (CPACs) in Europe. The application is primarily used to automate local national recruitment processes for USAREUR including Priority Placement, Reduction In Force, and Referrals, while taking into account the Local National Tariff Agreements. LNRS is accessible at the following URL: <https://acpol2.army.mil/lhrs>.

Europe Summer Hire Application (ESH) is a component of Local National Staffing Suite (LNSS). ESH is a Web-based government developed Linux application accessible at <https://acpol2.army.mil/sh/staffing/summerhire>. ESH allows the accumulation of resume data for summer hiring of German local nationals to work in and support the Army USAREUR civilian personnel community. ESH is designed to contain and rank resumes of local nationals in USAREUR area to work in and support the Army civilian personnel community and to allow the HR Specialist to review the resume information. ESH consists of a Linux web/application server using Microsoft Internet Information Services (IIS) and a Linux database server using Oracle.

Korean National Recruitment System (KNRS) respondents are employment applicants. KNRS was developed to provide immediate and accurate status/response to applicants via a Web-based interface. KNRS provides customers with a timely and more reliable customer service system. It also eliminates the long wait periods when recruiting Korean National (KN) employees to support the Army's FN mission. Respondents (applicants) enter their own employment application information directly into the electronic form in the system. The electronic form is a record of the respondent's personal information, education, employment history, military history, and other qualifications and skills. If this electronic form is not submitted, the respondent will not be eligible for the

KN employment position. KNRS is accessible at the following URL: <https://lr.acpol.army.mil/knrs/selfservice>.

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Aaron Siegel,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

[Docket ID: USA-2014-0048]

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by December 17, 2015.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Fred Licari, 571-372-0493.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title, Associated Form and OMB

Number: Exchange Retail Sales Transaction Data Surveys; OMB Control Number 0702-XXXX.

Type of Request: Existing collection in use without an OMB Control Number.

Number of Respondents: 595,968.

Responses per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 595,968.

Average Burden per Response: 3 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 29,798.

Needs and Uses: The information collection requirement is necessary to enable the Exchange to fulfill its mission and enhance the military community by providing a world-wide system of Exchanges with merchandise and household goods similar to commercial stores and services; for use in responding to individual patron satisfaction with the delivery of the Exchange benefit, and in determining the appropriate product availability meeting the Exchange customers' current/future needs and wants; to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the Exchange's marketing programs; to determine actions required to settle customer complaints; to electronically notify potential customers, who voluntarily provide their email address, and other personal information about shopping at the Exchange using voluntary opt-in procedures.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

OMB Desk Officer: Ms. Jasmeet Seehra.

Comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be emailed to Ms. Jasmeet Seehra, DoD Desk Officer, at Oira_submission@omb.eop.gov. Please identify the proposed information collection by DoD Desk Officer and the Docket ID number and title of the information collection.

You may also submit comments and recommendations, identified by Docket ID number and title, by the following method:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the agency name, Docket ID 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.

DOD Clearance Officer: Mr. Frederick Licari.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Mr. Licari at WHS/ESD Directives Division, 4800 Mark Center Drive, East Tower, Suite 02G09, Alexandria, VA 22350-3100.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID DoD-2015-OS-0128]

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, DoD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Acquisition Technology and Logistics 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 January 19, 2016.

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.

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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 STEM Program Office, Mark Center, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Room 17C08, Alexandria, Virginia 22350-3600, ATTN: Karen Saunders or call STEM Program Office, at 571 2372 6542.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number: SMART Program Documents, OMB Control Number 0704-0446.

Needs and Uses: The information collection requirement is a statutory and functional necessary to administer the SMART scholarship program. The

SMART Program requires a competitive application process. All awardees must be U.S. citizens at the time of application, 18 years or older as of 1 August 2015, able to participate in summer internships at DoD laboratories, willing to accept post-graduation employment with the DoD, be a current college student in good standing with a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (as calculated by the SMART application), pursuing an undergraduate or graduate degree in one of the 19 program funded disciplines, and eligible to obtain and maintain a secret level security clearance.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Annual Burden Hours: 420,000.

Number of Respondents: 2,800.

Responses per Respondent: 6.

Annual Responses: 16,800.

Average Burden per Response: 25 hours.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondents are college students or current Department of Defense (DoD) employees who provide academic information to the SMART Program Office. The application is an on line form requesting academic merit, and compatibility with DoD workforce needs. The information collected consists of applications submitted by members of the general public and current DoD personnel who actively choose to become involved in SMART and thus become subject to information collection. The applications include information on academic records, community and volunteer activities, letters of recommendations from faculty and community leaders, a list of publications, work experience, certification of citizenship and personal contact information. All this information is necessary to evaluate and rank each candidate's credentials for awarding scholarships and determining whether the candidate meets specific DoD facility workforce needs. Having qualified candidates provide academic and work force compatibility with the mission of the DoD is essential in maintaining a STEM work for DoD Laboratories.

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Aaron Siegel,

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