

incremental approach to improving their overall performance prior to a final decision to disqualify a lessee/operator or to pursue debarment proceedings through the execution of a performance improvement plan (PIP). The Subpart A regulations do not address the actual process that we will follow in pursuing the disqualification of operators under §§ 250.135 and 250.136; however, our internal enforcement procedures include allowing such operators to demonstrate a commitment to acceptable performance by the submission of a PIP.

We will not be making any changes to the forms this renewal cycle.

The BSEE forms use and information consists of the following:

**Form BSEE-0132, Hurricane and Tropical Storm Evacuation and Production Curtailment Statistics (GOMR)**

- Be informed when there could be a major disruption in the availability and supply of natural gas and oil due to natural occurrences/hurricanes, to advise the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG) in case of the need to rescue offshore workers in distress, to monitor damage to offshore platforms and drilling rigs, and to advise the news media and interested public entities when production is shut-in and when resumed. The Gulf of Mexico OCS Region (GOMR) uses Form BSEE-0132, Hurricane and Tropical Storm Evacuation and Production Curtailment Statistics, for respondents to report evacuation statistics when necessary. This form requires the respondent to submit general information such as company name, contact, date, time, telephone number, as well as number of platforms and drilling rigs evacuated and not evacuated. We also require production shut-in statistics for oil (BOPD) and gas (MMSCFD).

**Form BSEE-0143, Facility/Equipment Damage Report**

- Assists lessees, lease operators, and pipeline right-of-way holders when reporting damage by a hurricane, earthquake, or other natural phenomenon. They are required to submit an initial damage report to the Regional Supervisor within 48 hours after completing the initial evaluation of the damage and then, subsequent reports, monthly and immediately, whenever information changes until the damaged structure or equipment is returned to service. Information on the form includes—instructions, general information, a description of the damage, an initial damage assessment, production rate at time of shut-in (BPD

and/or MMCFPD), cumulative production shut-in (BPD and/or MMCFPD), and estimated time to return to service (in days).

**Form BSEE-1832, Notification of Incident(s) of Noncompliance**

- Determine that respondents have corrected all Incident(s) of Noncompliance (INCs), identified during inspections. Everything on the INC form is filled out by a BSEE inspector/representative. The only thing industry does with this form is sign the document upon receipt and respond to BSEE when each INC has been corrected, no later than 14 days from the date of issuance.

*Title of Collection:* 30 CFR part 250, subpart A, General.

*OMB Control Number:* 1014-0022.

*Form Number:* Form BSEE-0132, *Hurricane and Tropical Storm Evacuation and Production Curtailment Statistics (GOMR)*, Form BSEE-0143, *Facility/Equipment Damage Report*, and Form BSEE-1832, *Notification of Incident(s) of Noncompliance*.

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

*Respondents/Affected Public:* Potential respondents include Federal OCS oil, gas, and sulfur lessees and/or operators and holders of pipeline rights-of-way.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents:* Currently there are approximately 555 Federal OCS oil, gas, and sulfur lessees and holders of pipeline rights-of-way. Not all the potential respondents will submit information in any given year, and some may submit multiple times.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses:* 22,294.

*Estimated Completion Time per Response:* Varies from 30 minutes to 106 hours, depending on activity.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours:* 102,221.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Most responses are mandatory, while others are required to obtain or retain benefits, or voluntary.

*Frequency of Collection:* Submissions are generally on occasion, daily, monthly, and vary by section.

*Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost:* \$246,268.

An agency may not conduct, or sponsor and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The authority for this action is the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*).

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement**

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**Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Unitization**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement (BSEE) proposes to renew an information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before February 23, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function. Please provide a copy of your comments to Nikki Mason, BSEE ICCO, 45600 Woodland Road, Sterling, VA 20166; or by email to [nikki.mason@bsee.gov](mailto:nikki.mason@bsee.gov). Please reference OMB Control Number 1014-0015 in the subject line of your comments.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request additional information about this ICR, contact Nikki Mason by email at [nikki.mason@bsee.gov](mailto:nikki.mason@bsee.gov), or by telephone at (703) 787-1607. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States. You may

also view the ICR at <http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the PRA and 5 CFR 1320.8(d)(1), we provide the general public and other Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on new, proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand our information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format.

A **Federal Register** notice with a 60-day public comment period soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on June 16, 2023 (88 FR 39458). No comments were received.

As part of our continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burdens, we are again soliciting comments from the public and other Federal agencies on the proposed ICR that is described below. We are especially interested in public comment addressing the following:

(1) Whether or not the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether or not the information will have practical utility;

(2) The accuracy of our estimate of the burden for this collection of

information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) How might the agency minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of response.

Comments that you submit in response to this notice are a matter of public record. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

**Abstract:** BSEE must approve any lessee's proposal to enter an agreement to unitize operations under two or more leases and for modifications when warranted. We use the information to ensure that operations under the proposed unit agreement will result in preventing waste, conserving natural

resources, and protecting correlative rights including the government's interests.

*Title of Collection:* Unitization.

*OMB Control Number:* 1014–0015.

*Form Number:* None.

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

*Respondents/Affected Public:*

Potential respondents include Federal OCS oil, gas, and sulfur lessees and/or operators and holders of pipeline rights-of-way.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents:* Currently there are approximately 555 Federal OCS oil, gas, and sulfur lessees and holders of pipeline rights-of-way. Not all the potential respondents will submit information in any given year, and some may submit multiple times.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses:* 79.

*Estimated Completion Time per Response:* Varies from 1 hour to 300 hours, depending on activity.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours:* 5,998.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Responses are voluntary, and some are required to obtain or retain benefits.

*Frequency of Collection:* Submissions are generally on occasion.

*Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost:* \$149,836.

**BURDEN BREAKDOWN**

Citation 30 CFR 250 subpart M	Recordkeeping and reporting requirement	Hour burden	Average number annual responses	Annual burden hours
Non-hour cost burdens *				
1301 .....	Description of requirements .....	Burden included in the following sections.		0
1300–1304 .....	General departure and alternative compliance requests under subpart M regulations.	Burden covered under Subpart A [1014–0022].		0
1301(a), 1303 .....	Apply for voluntary unitization, including submitting unit agreement, unit operating agreement, initial plan of operation, obtain approval of Regional Supervisor if required, and supporting data; request for variance from model agreement and other related requirements.	520	8 apps/plans .....	4,160
\$12,619 fee × 8 applications/plans = \$100,952.				
1301(d), (f)(3), (g)(1), (g)(2) (ii).	Request suspension of production or operations .....	Burden covered under Subpart A [1014–0022].		0
1302(b) .....	Request preliminary determination on competitive reservoir .....	116	1 request .....	116
1302(b) .....	Submit concurrence or objection on competitiveness with supporting evidence.	47	1 request .....	47
1302(c), (d) .....	Submit joint competitive reservoir development program, supplemental plans, or a separate plan if agreement cannot be reached.	68	1 plan .....	68
1303; 1304 .....	* Submit revisions or modifications to unit agreement, unit operating agreement, plan of operation, change of unit operator, etc.	10	54 revs/mods .....	540
\$896 fees × 54 revisions/modifications = \$48,384.				
1303; 1304 .....	* Submit initial, and revisions to participating area .....	76	10 submissions .....	760

BURDEN BREAKDOWN—Continued

Citation 30 CFR 250 subpart M	Recordkeeping and reporting requirement	Hour burden	Average number annual responses	Annual burden hours
Non-hour cost burdens *				
1304(b) .....	Request compulsory unitization, including submitting unit agreement, unit operating agreement, initial plan of operation, obtain approval of Regional Supervisor if required, and supporting data; serving non-consenting lessees with documents.	300	1 request .....	300
1304(d) .....	Request hearing on required unitization .....	1	1 request .....	1
1304(d) .....	Submit statement at hearing on compulsory unitization .....	5	1 statement .....	5
1304(e) .....	Pay for and submit three copies of verbatim transcript of hearing .....	1	1 submission .....	1
Court reporter and 3 transcript copies for 1 hearing = \$500.				
1304(f) .....	Appeal final order of compulsory unitization .....	Exempt as defined in 5 CFR 1320.4(a)(2), (c).		0
Total Burden .....		79 Responses .....		5,998
				\$149,836 Non-Hour Cost Burdens.

An agency may not conduct, or sponsor and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The authority for this action is the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*).

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**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

[OMB Number 1117-0043]

**Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed eCollection eComments Requested; Extension of a Previously Approved Collection; Drug Use Statement**

**AGENCY:** Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice.  
**ACTION:** 60-Day notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice (DOJ), will be submitting the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for 60 days until March 25, 2024.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** If you have additional comments especially on the estimated public

burden or associated response time, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or additional information, please contact Kannessia Jordan, Section Chief, Office of Compliance, Policy Administration Section, 700 Army Navy Drive, Arlington, VA 22202, telephone: 571-776-2262, email: [Kannessia.S.Jordan@DEA.gov](mailto:Kannessia.S.Jordan@DEA.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Bureau of Justice Statistics, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Evaluate whether and if so how the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected can be enhanced; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*,

permitting electronic submission of responses.

*Abstract:* This collection requires the drug history of any individual seeking employment with DEA. DEA policy states that a past history of illegal drug use may result in ineligibility for employment. The form asks job applicants specific questions about their personal history, if any, of illegal drug use.

**Overview of This Information Collection**

1. *Type of Information Collection:* Extension of a previously approved collection.
2. *The Title of the Form/Collection:* Drug Questionnaire.
3. *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* Form number: DEA-341 (Common Form). The sponsoring component is the Drug Enforcement Administration.
4. *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as the obligation to respond:* Affected Public: Individuals or households. The obligation to respond is voluntary but applications will not be reviewed without the completion of the form.
5. *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* The total or estimated number of respondents for the Drug Questionnaire is 4,727. The time per response is seven minutes.
6. *An estimate of the total annual burden (in hours) associated with the*