

of the Child Safety Protection Act, must continue to do so even when they believe the risk does not warrant corrective action.

At the end of the pilot period, the Commission will evaluate the effectiveness of this initiative and determine whether it should be extended.

The staff will only forego preliminary determinations for a firm that:

a. Files a Full Report (See 16 CFR 1115.13(d)). Currently, many firms do not submit complete information. Firms sometimes omit copies of complaints and claims. This information is crucial for the staff to properly evaluate the problem and the firm's corrective action. The staff will not allow firms that do not report fully to participate in this pilot program.

b. Advises the staff it wishes to undertake an expeditious corrective action under the pilot program.

c. Submits a proposed corrective action plan in sufficient time for the staff to review the plan, analyze any replacement product or repair, and work out the details of the corrective action with the firm so that the plan can be implemented within 20 working days after the filing of the report. The plan shall include the following:

(1) A description of the action to be taken (refund, repair, or replacement) that will eliminate the identified risk.

(2) Sufficient product design, incident, and testing information to allow the staff to determine whether the proposed action corrects the identified problem and the problem is limited to the model[s] and production dates identified by the firm. Such information should include, but is not limited to: consumer complaints, test data, engineering drawings, material specifications, samples of product, and/or component parts, as needed. If the needed information and documentation is being compiled, but is not yet available, the firm must provide the date it expects to forward the information to CPSC. CPSC staff must have sufficient time to review the information and meet the 20 working day time limit.

(3) Usually, the firm's proposed plan must include notice to distributors, retailers, and consumers of the subject product. The notice must describe the product, the hazard, the number and type of injuries that have been reported, the type of injury that may occur, and the action to be taken in plain language understandable to the people to whom the notice is directed. Generally, the plan must include a joint news release with the Commission, letters and instructions to retailers and distributors, point-of-purchase posters, and,

depending upon the level of risk, the population at risk, age and number of products involved, there should be an additional notice. Supplementary notice may include a Video News Release, print and/or radio advertisements, incentives or bounties to encourage consumer response, posters for specific audiences, such as for posting in pediatricians' offices, medical clinics, national parks and campgrounds, and repair shops (see Corrective Action Handbook, available from CPSC Division of Corrective Actions). In those cases where all purchasers can be contacted directly, a news release may not be necessary.

(4) An agreement that the Commission may publicize the terms of the plan and inform the public of the nature and the extent of the alleged hazard. The consumer notice should be targeted to reach a significant portion of the public likely to have purchased the subject product. (See 16 CFR 1115.20(a) and CPSC Corrective Action Handbook.)

(5) The corrective action plan and notice must be acceptable to the staff. The staff will consider whether the corrective action plan adequately addresses the risk of injury presented by the product and whether the notice and corrective action plan are designed to make the plan as effective as is reasonably possible given the nature of the product and the risk. The Office of Compliance staff will provide expedited review of each proposal submitted and work with the firm to develop an acceptable corrective action plan that can be implemented within the 20 working day period. The staff anticipates there may be cases where a firm has submitted all the necessary information in a timely manner but cannot implement the corrective action plan within the 20 day period because the staff requires additional time to evaluate a proposed corrective action plan and this delay did not result from delay or fault on the part of the firm. It is also possible that in some cases the staff and firm will agree that notice and corrective action should occur at a later time (such as in the case of a seasonal product). In both those cases where delay is neither caused by, nor is the fault of, the firm, the staff will not make a preliminary hazard determination.

If corrective action is implemented within the specified 20 working days, staff will provide written acknowledgement that the firm has submitted information under section 15(b); that, based on available information, the proposed corrective action plan is adequate; and that the staff will monitor the progress of the plan. The staff will advise the firm that

the firm has a continuing obligation to report new or different information that may affect the scope, prevalence or seriousness of the defect or hazard.

If the firm does not implement a corrective action acceptable to the staff within the specified 20-day time limit, staff will inform the firm that it will continue its evaluation and will preliminarily determine whether the product contains a defect that creates a substantial risk of injury to children under the FHSA or presents a substantial product hazard under the CPSA.

Firms should not delay their reports under section 15(b) of the CPSA in order to prepare a corrective action plan. The staff will not forego preliminary determinations if the information available suggests a firm delayed its initial report to prepare a corrective action plan.

### C. Meeting

The staff will meet with interested members of the public at 10 a.m. on September 12, 1995 to discuss these initiatives. The meeting will be held in the Commission's hearing room on the fourth floor of 4330 East-West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland.

Dated: August 7, 1995.

**Sadye Dunn,**

*Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Public Information Collection Requirement Submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review

**ACTION:** Notice.

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 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

*Title:* Epidemiologic Studies of Morbidity Among Gulf War Veterans; A Search for Etiologic Agents and Risk Factors.

*Type of Request:* Expedited Processing—Approval date requested: Thirty days following publication in the **Federal Register**.

*Number of Respondents:* 2,500.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.6.

*Annual Responses:* 4,000.

*Average Burden per Response:* 30 minutes.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 1,900.

*Needs and Uses:* This requirement provides for the collection of necessary information to conduct Congressionally directed studies of the health consequences of military service in Southwest Asia during the Persian Gulf War. The information collected hereby, will be utilized to define Persian Gulf veterans' illnesses, as well as to identify likely etiologic agents causing morbidity among Gulf War veterans and their offspring.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Frequency:* Onetime.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Voluntary.

*OMB Desk Officer:* Ms. Shannah Koss.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Koss at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

*DoD Clearance Officer:* Mr. William Pearce.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Mr. Pearce, WHS/DIOR, 1215 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1204, Arlington, VA 22202-4302.

Dated: August 14, 1995.

**Patricia L. Toppings,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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### Public Information Collection Requirement Submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review

**ACTION:** Notice.

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 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

*Title, Applicable Form, and OMB Control Number:* NROTC Applicant Questionnaire; NAVCRUIT Form 1131/6; OMB Control Number 0703-0028.

*Type of Request:* Expedited Processing—Approval date requested: Thirty days following publication in the **Federal Register**.

*Number of Respondents:* 40,000.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 40,000.

*Average Burden per Response:* 15 minutes.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 10,000.

*Needs and Uses:* This requirement provides for the collection of necessary information from applicants for

consideration under the NROTC Scholarship Program. The information collected hereby, will be utilized by the Navy Recruiting Command to perform initial screening and determine the basic eligibility of applicants.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*OMB Desk Officer:* Mr. Edward C. Springer.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Mr. Springer at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

*DoD Clearance Officer:* Mr. William Pearce.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Mr. Pearce, WHS/DIOR, 1215 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1204, Arlington, VA 22202-4302.

Dated: August 14, 1995.

**Patricia L. Toppings,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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### Public Information Collection Requirement Submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review

**ACTION:** Notice.

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 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

*Title, Applicable Form, and OMB Control Number:* DoD FAR Supplement, Subpart 249.7002, Notification and Reporting of Substantial Impact on Employment, and the Clause at 252.249-7001; DD Form 2604; OMB Control Number 0704-0327.

*Type of Request:* Expedited Processing—Approval date requested: Thirty days following publication in the **Federal Register**.

*Number of Respondents:* 10.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 10.

*Average Burden per Response:* 16 hours.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 160.

*Needs and Uses:* This requirement provides for the collection of necessary information to determine if the modification or termination of a

contract for convenience will result in a substantial impact on employment. This clause is included in all prime contracts exceeding \$5 million or which have subcontracts of \$500,000 or more. The information collected hereby, will be utilized by the Government to identify communities which have been substantially and seriously affected by a contract modification or termination for convenience which caused a substantial impact on employment. It is additionally utilized to determine if these communities are eligible for economic adjustment assistance as authorized by the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*OMB Desk Officer:* Mr. Peter N. Weiss.  
*Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Mr. Weiss at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.*

*DoD Clearance Officer:* Mr. William Pearce.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Mr. Pearce, WHS/DIOR, 1215 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1204, Arlington, VA 22202-4302.

Dated: August 14, 1995.

**Patricia L. Toppings,**

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### Public Information Collection Requirement Submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review

**ACTION:** Notice.

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 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

*Title and OMB Control Number:* DoD FAR Supplement, Subparts 227.4, Rights in Technical Data, and 227.5, Rights in Computer Software and Computer Software Documentation; OMB Control Number 0704-0369.

*Type of Request:* Expedited Processing—Approval date requested: Thirty days following publication in the **Federal Register**.

*Number of Respondents:* 2,330,688.