

Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** *Comments due.* June 17, 1996

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Oliver Walker, Housing, Department of Housing & Urban Development, 451—7th Street, SW., Room 9116, Washington, DC 20410.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Betty Belin, Telephone number (202) 708-3652 (this is not a toll-free number) for copies of the proposed forms and other available documents.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department will submit the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

The Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affecting agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Multifamily Insurance Benefits Claim Package.

*OMB Control Number:* 2502-0415.

*Description of the need for the information and the proposed use:* When terms of a Multifamily contract are breached or when mortgage meets conditions stated within the Multifamily contract for an automated assignment, the holder of the mortgage may file for insurance benefits. The law which supports this action is Statute 12 USC 1713(g) and Title II, Section 207(g) of the National Housing Act. This act provides in part " \* \* \* the mortgagee shall be entitled to receive the benefits of the insurance as hereinafter provided, upon assignment, transfer, and delivery to the Secretary, within a period and in accordance with rules and regulations to

be prescribed by the Secretary of (1) all rights and interest arising under the mortgage so in default: (2) all claims of the mortgagee against the mortgagor or others, arising out of the mortgage transaction: (3) all policies of title or other insurance of surety bonds or guaranties and any all claims thereunder: (4) any balance of the mortgage loan not advance to the mortgagor: (5) any cash or property held by the mortgagee, or to which it is entitled, as deposits made for account of the mortgagor and which have been applied in reduction of the principal of the mortgage indebtedness: and (6) all records, documents, books, papers, and counts relating to the mortgage transaction."

*Agency form numbers:* HUD-2742, 2744A, 2744B, 2744C, 2744D, 2744E.

*Members of affected public:* Business or other for profit.

An estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection is 1,050 number of respondents is 300 frequency response is on occasion and the hour of response is 3.50 of an hour.

*Status of the proposed information collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

Authority: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: April 4, 1996.

Nicolas P. Retsinas,

*A/S Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner.*

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**[Docket No. FR-3917-N-62]**

**Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner; Notice of Proposed Information Collection for Public Comment; Quality Control Plan for Approved Mortgagees**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** Comments due June 17, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to

the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Oliver Walker, Reports Liaison Officer, Department of Housing & Urban Development, 451—7th Street, SW., Room 9116, Washington, DC 20410.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jack Kinkaid, Office of Lender Activities and Land Sales Registration, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Room 9278, 451—7th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410; Telephone number (202) 708-0614, extension 2057; TDD (202) 708-4594 (this is not a toll-free number) for copies of the proposed forms and other available documents contact Oliver Walker, Chief Directives, Reports and Forms Branch on 708-1694 extension 2144.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department will submit the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

The Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affecting agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Quality Control Plan for Approved Mortgagees.

*OMB Control Number, if applicable:* OMB# 2502-0432.

*Description of the need for the information and proposed use:*

The Mortgagee Letter establishes minimum requirements for an acceptable Quality Control Plan for HUD/FHA approved mortgagees in the origination and servicing of HUD/FHA insured mortgages. The purpose of these requirements is to improve the quality of loan origination and servicing by approved mortgagees and to reduce risk and losses to HUD's insurance funds. The Department's regulations at 24 CFR 202.12(j) presently require all approved

mortgagees to maintain a Quality Control Plan. The Department set forth guidelines in 1980 for mortgagee quality control procedures. These guidelines are now insufficient to provide adequate assurance to the Department that approved mortgagees have adequate quality control procedures to assure quality loan origination and servicing. The new requirements are used by a large segment of the mortgage lending industry and should not impose any undue burden on mortgagees participating in the HUD/FHA mortgage insurance programs.

The Quality Control Plan requirements will be used by all HUD/FHA approved mortgagees that participate in the Department's mortgage insurance programs. They will also be used by HUD's Office of Lender Activities and Program Compliance to monitor and evaluate the performance of HUD/FHA approved mortgagees. The Quality Control Plan is intended to help prevent losses to the HUD/FHA insurance funds through improving the quality of loan origination and servicing by HUD/FHA approved mortgagees.

*Agency form numbers, if applicable:* Not Applicable.

*Members of affected public:* State, Local Government & Business, Institutions & Non-profit Institutions & Small Business & Organizations.

The estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection 93,600, the total number of respondents is 1,800, the frequency of response is on occasion, and the hours of response is 0.25 an hour.

*Status of the proposed information collection:* Revision of a currently approved collection that has expired.

Authority: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: April 5, 1996.

Nicolas P. Retsinas,

*A/S Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner.*

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[Docket No. FR-3961-N-03]

**Office of Administration; Submission for OMB Review: Comment Request**

**AGENCY:** Office of Administration, HUD.  
**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** Comments due date: May 20, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments must be received within thirty (30) days from the date of this Notice. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval number and should be sent to: Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10234, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Kay F. Weaver, Reports Management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708-0050. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of the proposed forms and other available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Weaver.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department has submitted the proposal for the collection of information, as described below, to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

The Notice lists the following information: (1) The title of the information collection proposal; (2) the office of the agency to collect the information; (3) the OMB approval number, if applicable; (4) the description of the need for the information and its proposed use; (5) the agency form number, if applicable; (6) what members of the public will be affected by the proposal; (7) how

frequently information submissions will be required; (8) an estimate of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information submission including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response; (9) whether the proposal is new, an extension, reinstatement, or revision of an information collection requirement; and (10) the names and telephone numbers of an agency official familiar with the proposal and of the OMB Desk Officer for the Department.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: April 9, 1996.

David S. Cristy,

*Acting Director, Information Resources Management Policy and Management Division.*

Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB

*Proposal:* Early Childhood Development Program (FR-3961).

*Office:* Community Planning and Development.

*OMB Approval Number:* None.

*Description of the Need for the Information and Its Proposed Use:* The Early Childhood Development Program is authorized under Section 222 of the Housing and Urban-Rural Recovery Act of 1983 and the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act of 1994 and 1995. The purpose of this program is to award grants to assist non-profit organizations in providing early childhood development services for lower-income families who reside in public housing, and also for homeless families or those at risk of becoming homeless.

*Form Number:* SF-424.

*Respondents:* Individuals or Households and Not-For-Profit Institutions.

*Frequency of Submission:* On Occasion and Annually.

*Reporting Burden:*

	Number of respondents	×	Frequency of response	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
Applications .....	105		1		64		6,720
Progress Reports .....	42		1		10		420